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26th October 1874.*

No. 548. Read the following letter from Colonel C. H. DICKENS, R.A., Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Establishment—General) to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Fort William, 17th September 1874, No. 1,645 E.—G. :—

WITH reference to Government of Madras Resolution, No. 2,995 of the 12th December 1873, sanctioning the promotion of Colonel Bean to the rank of Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, consequent on the deputation of Major Oakes to Europe on furlough, I am directed to point out that the action of the Government of Madras causes an excess in the sanctioned scale of Superintending Engineers, 2nd Grade, which is opposed to the condition which was laid down by the Governor-General in Council in sanctioning the proposal contained in your letter, No. 1,575-B., dated 7th June 1873, and which it was understood was accepted by the Madras Government.

No. 549. ORDER THEREON, 26th October 1874, No. 3,039.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 46.

RECORDED, with remark that it is not understood how any excess on the sanctioned scale of Superintending Engineers was incurred by the action of this Government. There were but two Superintending Engineers, 1st Grade, Colonel Foord and Lieutenant-Colonel Farewell, present for duty, two Superintending Engineers, 2nd Grade, Lieutenant-Colonel Roberts and Colonel Bean, and one Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, Colonel F. J. Moberly, strictly according to scale. The fact of Colonel F. J. Moberly being a Supernumerary Superintending Engineer, 2nd Grade, owing to the re-organization, was not held to bar the Government of Madras from retaining him as a Superintending Engineer, 3rd Grade, on the revised list, and advancing Colonel Bean to the higher grade, his previous claim to which had been overlooked.

2. Colonel Bean, it is remarked, has since vacated his appointment by going home in April 1874.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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G. O. *24 October* No. *3039*

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