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Government of Madras

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No. 155. Read the following letter from Colonel W. A. CROMMELIN, R.E., Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Military Works,) to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Fort William, 17th July 1874, No. 1,168 M. W.:—

I AM directed to forward copy of the communication marginally noted, requesting information in regard to the Regimental Magazines at the stations of the Madras Presidency, and, with reference to paragraph 2, to state that it is understood that the plan meant is the Bengal Standard Plan of Regimental Magazine referred to in Public Works Department, No. 579M 3,859, dated 17th August 1864, the receipt of which was acknowledged in letter, No. 1,334, dated 16th May 1865, by the Government of Madras.

From Secretary, Special Ordnance Commission, No. 120, dated 24th June 1874.

From Lieutenant E. H. H. COLLEN, Officiating Assistant Secretary to the Government of Madras and Secretary Special Ordnance Commissioner for the President, to Colonel C. H. DICKENS, R.A., Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, dated Fort William, 24th June 1874, No. 120.

THE Special Ordnance Commission would feel obliged for any information which could be given to, or obtained for them in regard to the Regimental Magazines of the stations of the Madras and Bombay Presidencies, where, as a rule, Regiments are not in possession of reserve ammunition:—

1*st*. (*a*).—A list of the stations of the Madras and Bombay Presidencies giving the names of the lines or barracks in which Regimental Magazines for Artillery and Infantry, both British and Native, are to be found.

(*b*).—The cubical content of each Magazine.

2*nd*.—Whether Magazines are according to the standard plan. In the case of those which are according to the standard plan the information required at 1*st*.—(*b*) need not be given.

REFERRED to the Military Department, with a view to the information called for being obtained and communicated to this Department, for submission to the Government of India.

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

31*st July* 1874.

REFERRED to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

(Signed) A. C. SILVER, Colonel,
Secretary to Government, M.D.

OOTACAMUND,
5*th August* 1874.

To the Quarter Master General.

No. 155A. From Colonel H. O'CONNELL, Deputy Quarter Master General, to Colonel A. C. SILVER, Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Fort St. George, 15th August 1874, No. 5,637.

IN returning the documents referred to the Commander-in-Chief on the 5th instant, I have the honor, by order, to annex a list of the Regimental Magazines in this Presidency with their cubical contents. Those marked * are built on plans very similar to the standard one.

List of Regimental Magazines in the Madras Presidency.

Division or District.	Stations.	Regiments, etc.,	Cubical Contents.	Remarks.
			Ft	
Mysore Division.	Bangalore	R H. Artillery ...	1,136	Built in 1861
	Do	Do.* ...	2,205	Do. 1869
	Do.	Field Artillery* ...	2,205	Do. 1866
	Do.	Do.* ...	2,205	Do. 1866
	Do.	British Cavalry ...	3,332	Do. 1865
	Do.	Sappers and Miners...	2,205	Do. 1867
	Do.	Native Infantry ...	3,020	Do. 1845
	Mercara	Do. ...	2,175	.....
	French Rocks ...	Do. ...	4,876	Do. 1841
	Wellington	Convalescent Depôt...	5,408	Do. 1839
	Secunderabad ...	British Cavalry ...	1,704	Do. 1856
	Do.	Garrison Battery ...	768	Do. 1814
	Do.	Native Cavalry ...	1,100	Do. 1828
	Do.	Sappers and Miners...	540	Do. 1828
Hyderabad Subsidiary Force.	Do.	Native Infantry ...	2,250	Do. 1844
	Do.	Do.	1,440	Do 1840
	Do.	Do.	1,200	Do. 1846
	Do.	Do.	3,060	Do. 1855
	Do.	Do.	1,710	Do. 1844
	Trimulgherry ...	For three Batteries of Artillery.	2,250	Do. 1840
			14,454	Do. 1867
	Do.	British Infantry ...	2,996	Do. 1858
	Do.	Do.	6,688	Do. 1865
	Rangoon	Garrison Battery ...	3,300	Do. 1865
	Do.	European Infantry ...	61,218	Do. 1856
	Do.	Native Infantry ...	1,334	Do. 1869
British Burmah Division.	Tonghoo	For Station	1,728	Do. 1872
	Thayetmyo	No Regimental Magazines. Ammunition in charge of Ordnance Department.	...	.....
	Moulmein	Native Infantry ...	19,240	Do. 1852
	Fort St George ...	Garrison Battery ...	4,928	.....
	Do. ...	European Infantry ...	6,300	.....
Centre District.	Madras	Native Infantry ...	2,922	.....
	Do.	Do.* ...	1,960	Do. 1873
	Do.	Do.* ...	1,960	Do. 1873
	St. Thomas Mount...	Royal Artillery ...	5,894	Do. 1865
	Vellore	Native Infantry ...	30,492	.....
	Bellary	Field Artillery ...	320	Do. 1862
Ceded Districts.	Do.	European Infantry ...	2,795	Do. 1871
	Do.	Native Cavalry ...	3,570	Do. 1860
	Do. ...	Native Infantry ...	600	Do. 1839
	Do.	Do.	600	Do. 1839
	Trichinopoly ...	Field Artillery ...	6,270	Do. 1866
	Do.	Native Infantry* ...	2,660	Do. 1873
Southern District.	Do.	Do.* ...	2,660	Do. 1873
	Quilon	Do.	9,560	.....
	Palamcottah ...	Do.	23,760	.....
	Cannanore	Native Infantry ...	960	Do. 1853
	Do	Do.	1,600	Do. 1853
Malabar and Canara.	Calicut	Detachment European Infantry	1,400	.....
		Do.	1,560	.....
	Maliapooram ...	Native Infantry ...	1,700	Do. 1854
	Mangalore ...	Do.	6,240	Do. 1852
Northern District.	Vizianagram ...	Do	11,940	.....
	Vizagapatam ...	Do.	8,208	.....
	Berhampore ...			

List of Regimental Magazines in the Madras Presidency.—(Concluded.)

Division or District.	Stations.	Regiments, etc.	Cubical Contents.	Remarks.
			Ft.	
Nagpore Force.	Kamptee	Field Artillery ...	720	Built in 1865
	Do.	British Infantry* ...	2,016	Do. 1873
	Do.	Native Infantry ...	1,500	Do. 1833
	Do.	Do.	1,350	Do. 1846
	Do.	Do.	2,850	Do. 1851
	Hoshungabad ...	Do.	1,155	.....
	Raipore	Do.	5,270	Do. 1869
	Chandah	Detachment Native Infantry	1,350	.....

(Signed) H. O'CONNELL, Colonel,
Deputy Quarter Master General.

TRANSFERRED, and the referred letter returned to the Public Works Department.

OOTACAMUND,
19*th August* 1874.

(Signed) A. C. SILVER, Colonel,
Secretary to Government, M.D.

No. 156. MILITARY WORKS, No. 8.

ORDER THEREON, 8th September 1874, No. 2,543.

ORDERED that the above list be forwarded to the Government of India, with reference to their letter, No. 1,168, of 17th July 1874.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

No. 157. (DOCKET, No. 2,544, dated 8th September 1874.)

COPY of the above forwarded to the Government of India.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. T. O'Connor.
Spare Copies

No 120

Special Ordnance Commission

Special Ordnance Commission Office
Military Department.
Fort William, 24th June 1874

To

The Secretary to Govt. of India
Public Works Department

Sir

The Special Ordnance Commission would feel obliged for any information which could be given to, or obtained for them in regard to the regimental Magazines of the stations of the Madras and Bombay Presidencies, where as a rule regiments are not in possession of reserve ammunition.—

1st (a) A list of the stations of the Madras and Bombay Presidencies giving the names of the lines or barracks in which regimental Magazines for Artillery and Infantry both British and Native are to be found.—

(b) The cubical content of each magazi

Whether the Magazines are according to the Standard plan: In the case of those which are according to the Standard plan the information required at — need not be given —

I have &c
(Sd) E. H. H. Collen Lieut.
Offg: Asst Secy to Govt of Madras
& Secy: Sp: Ord: Comtee
for the President —

Quarter Masters General's Office
Fort Saint George 15 August 1874

No 5637

From
Colonel H. O'Connell
Deputy Quarter Master General

To Colonel A. C. Silver
Secretary to Government
Military Department

Sir,

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
H. O'Connell Colonel
Deputy Quarter Master General

Military Department
No 2687.
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Letter from
Quarter Master General's Office
Fort St George
No 5637 dated 15th August 1874
Lt E. H. H. Collen
Asst Secy to Govt of Madras
Secy Sp Ord Committee
Reporting that the Magazines
are according to the Standard plan
In the case of those which are according to the Standard plan the information required at — need not be given —

List of Regimental Magazines in the Madras Presidency

Division or Outstill	Stations	Regiments &c	Cubical contents Feet	Remarks
Mysore Division	Bangalore	Rl. H. Artillery	1136	Built in 1861
	do	do	2205	do 1869
	do	Field Artillery	2205	do 1866
	do	do	2205	do 1866
	do	British Cavalry	3332	do 1865
	do	Sappers and Miners	2205	do 1867
	do	Native Infantry	3020	do 1845
	do	do	2175	do
	Mercara	do	4876	do 1841
	Trichy Rocks	do	5408	do 1839
	Wellington	Convalescent Depot	1704	do 1856
Secunderabad Field Force	Secunderabad	British Cavalry	768	do 1814
	do	Garrison Battery	1100	do 1828
	do	Native Cavalry	540	do 1828
	do	Sappers & Miners	2250	do 1844
	do	Native Infantry	1440	do 1840
	do	do	1200	do 1846
	do	do	2060	do 1855
	do	do	1710	do 1844
	do	do	2250	do 1840
	Trichinopoly	Ft & Battalion Artly	14454	do 1867
	do	British Infantry	2996	do 1858
	do	do	6688	do 1865
	Kamptee	Garrison Battery	3300	do 1865
	do	European Infy	61218	do 1856
	do	Native Infantry	1334	do 1869
British Burmah Division	Tonghoo	No Station	1728	do 1872
	Thayetmyo	No regimental Magazines Ammunition in charge of Ordnance Department		
	Moulmein	Native Infantry	19240	do 1852
Centre Division	Fort St George	Garrison Battery	4928	do
	do	European Infantry	6300	do
	Madras	Native Infantry	2922	do
	do	do	1960	do 1873
	do	do	1960	do 1873
	do	Royal Artillery	5894	do 1865
	St Thomas Mount	Native Infantry	30492	do
	Vellore	do		

Division or Outstill	Stations	Regiments &c	Cubical contents Feet	Remarks
Bangalore Field Force	Bellary	Field Artillery	320	Built in 1862
	do	European Infantry	2795	do 1871
	do	Native Cavalry	3570	do 1860
	do	Native Infantry	600	do 1839
	do	do	600	do 1839
	do	do	600	do 1839
Southern District Field Force	Trichinopoly	Field Artillery	6270	do 1866
	do	Native Infantry	2660	do 1873
	do	do	2660	do 1873
	do	do	9560	do
	Trichy	do	23760	do
	Palamcottah	do	960	do 1853
Malabar & Canara	Cannanore	Native Infantry	1600	do 1853
	do	do	1400	do
	Calicut	Bett. Euro. Infantry	1560	do
	Mallapooram	do	1700	do 1854
	Mangalore	Native Infantry	6240	do 1852
Nilgiri Field Force	Vizianagrum	Native Infantry	11940	
	Vizagapatam	do	8208	
	Rajahmundry	do	720	do 1865
	Kamptee	Field Artillery	2016	do 1873
	do	British Infantry	1500	do 1833
	do	Native Infantry	1350	do 1846
	do	do	2850	do 1851
	do	do	1155	do
	Hoshungabad	do	5270	1869
	Baitool	do	1350	do
	Ellichpoor	Bett. Nat. Infantry		

H. Tonnell Colonel
Deputy Quarter Master General

Military Departt.

Transferred, and
the preferred letter re-
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Works Department.

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Secretary to Govt.

Octacamund,
19th August 1874.

To
The Public Works Dept.
with Cr. No 3540 & 1 Encl.

Military 1874 Departt
No 3812.

From
The Deputy Quarter Master General

To
The Secretary to Government
Military Departt.

Dated 15th
Rec'd 17th August

No 5637.

Annexes a list
of the Regimental Magazines
in this Presidency with
their Cubical Contents.

Transferred

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Ordered that the above list be forwarded to the Qr. Mr. Genl. in India with reference to the letter from his office No 1168 of 17th July 1874.

Docket
No. 2544
Copy of the above forwarded to the Qr. Mr. Genl. in India. —
Qr. Mr. Genl's Office
Calcutta the 19th August 1874.

Qr. Mr. Genl's Office
Fort William the 22nd August 1874.

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Public Works Letter
No. 5266.

From
The Secretary to
Govt. Military D

Dated 19th August 1874
Rec'd 22nd
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Transmitting
a letter from the
Qr. Mr. Genl. furnishi
the information re
quired regarding
Regimental Magaz
of the Madra
Presidency.

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Govt. of 1874 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Secy. to Govt. of India

Public Works Dept.

Dated 27 Aug

Recd 8 Septr.

Encl. 2

G. O. 2578 1874, No. 2544

Nos. 155-157.

~~Furnishing in-~~ Forwarding a List of ~~formation in re-~~ ~~gard to~~ the Regimental Magazines at the Stations of the Madras Presidency —

Magazines -

Passing orders on the Endorsement by the Military Department, transferring a letter from the Quarter Master Genl. furnishing the information required regarding the Regimental Magazines of the Madras Presidency —