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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
28th December 1874.

No. 481. Read the following letter from R. SMITH, Esq., District Engineer, Nellore, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Nellore, 3rd December 1874, No. 82 :—

As the present executive staff of this district cannot possibly superintend, in a satisfactory manner, the numerous works necessary in consequence of the recent flood, I have the honor to request you will be so good as to place two additional officers at my disposal at your early convenience, as the heavy work in the bed of the Pennair should be commenced about the 10th or 15th proximo. I purpose placing Lieutenant Henderson, R.E., in charge of the Anicut extension, and if a young Engineer Officer could be spared from Bangalore, I would put him in immediate charge of the East Coast Canal.

No. 482. ORDER THEREON, 28th December 1874, No. 3,616.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 39.

Lieutenant W. L. C. Baddeley.
Do. B. Poulter.
Do. W. H. Goldney.

APPLICATION will be made to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, through the Military Department, for the services of one of the three young Royal Engineer Officers referred to in an Order in that department, No. 3,144, dated 23rd September 1874, who may be willing to volunteer for the Public Works Department.

2. It will be explained to His Excellency that this exceptional application is made with a view to compensate for the loss to the Public Works Department of the services of Lieutenants Cockburn and Wilkieson who have elected for Military duty.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Nellore.
" " Military Department.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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No 82

District Engineer's Office,
Nellore 3rd December 1874.

From

R. Smith Esquire.
District Engineer
Nellore.

To

Colonel G. W. Walker, R.E.
Secretary to Government
P.W. Department
Fort St. George.

Sir,

As the present Executive Staff of this District cannot possibly superintend, in a satisfactory manner, the numerous works necessary in consequence of the recent flood, I have the honor to request you will be so good as to place two additional Officers at my disposal, at

your early convenience, on the heavy work in the bed of the Sunnair, should be commenced about the 10th or 15th Proximo. I purpose placing Lieutenant Henderson R.E. in charge of the Amcut extension, and if a young Engineer Officer could be spared from Bangalore, I would put him in immediate charge of the East Coast Canal.

I have the honor to be,

Sir.

Your most obedient Servant.

[signature]

District Engineer.

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The District Engineer
Nellore
G.O. no. 3616. of 28th Dec. 1874

(R. No 82 of 31st Dec. 1874)

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Lieutenants { W. & C. Baddeley / B. Poulter / W. H. Goldney

L. No. 1874 Department
From The Collector
No. 7625
The District Engineer
at Nellore

To, The Secretary to Govt
P.W. Department
Madras.

Dated 31st Dec. 1874
Rec.d 7th Jan.

No 82.

Ref. No: 3616: 28-12-74.
Requesting to send 2 additional Officers as the present Executive Staff of this District cannot possibly superintend the numerous Works necessary in consequence of the recent floods.

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It will be explained to His Excellency that this exceptional application is made with a view to compensate for the loss to the Public Works Department of the services of Lieutenants Cockburn and Wilkinson who have elected for military duty.

Lt.R.E.

1,181 – 1,182.

To Military Dept.
"D.E. Nellore"
Sept. 9/1/75.

In. L. Sheet 28-12-74
& Copies Sept. 9/1/75.

To 21-12-74

S.A. Dept.

Letter from District Engineer Bellary dated 3rd December 1874. No. 82.

For Orders.

Circulated for orders with remark that possibly under the circumstances, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief might not refuse selection of the three young Royal Engineer officers who have just joined from England, and may be willing to volunteer for the Public Works Department to do so at once and replace Lieutenant Wilkinson who has thrown up his appointment, and Lieutenant

Inst. Sr. & R.E. Ch.L

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Name no objection to this arrangement

10.12.74.

Cockburn who has
refused to join after ... 635 -
his 12 months service
with the Sappers

Commdg Sappers R.E.
Secretary to Government
S.A.D.

8.12.74

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To

Mr Lieut Engr
Bellary

Dated

Recd. *Encl.*

G. O. 28 Dec 1874, *No.* 2715

Rs. 481-482.

Officers of Engineers

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