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29th April 1875.*

Read the following letters:—

No. 674. From R. E. NORFOR, Esq., Executive Engineer, in charge South Arcot, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Virdachellum, 5th March 1875, No. 258.

With reference to G. O., No. 2,092, of 31st July 1875, and in continuation of this office No. 205, of 31st December 1874, I have the honor to state that the undermentioned progress has been made during the last three months in the preparation of plans of Railway stations in this district by the Survey Establishment entertained under the Government Order above quoted:—

1. No. 2 RANGE.—*Station at Tindivanam.*—Plan completed and submitted with this office No. 236 of 12th February 1875.

2. *Wolakoor Station.*—Surveyed in detail and plotted in the station and ground in its vicinity within a radius of one mile from the station as centre. Plan will be sent up as soon as received.

No. 1 RANGE.—The Surveyor who was employed in this range on the 16th December 1874 commenced to survey the station ground at Villapuram, but as his services were urgently required at the Pooniar anicut, he was taken there and the survey work stopped. This will be taken again on hand as soon as possible.

No. 675. From the same Officer, dated Porto Novo, 31st March 1875, No. 277.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 320, of 20th March 1875, I have the honor to state that the preparation of the plans of the Railway stations in this district was not commenced until December last, owing to difficulty in obtaining qualified Surveyors.

2. The map of the Wolakoor station has just been received from No. 2 Range, and it will be sent up as soon as the copies of Government Orders applied for in my number as per margin have been received.

3. There are still twelve stations in the district to be surveyed, that is, one in No. 2 Range, nine in No. 1 (of which one partly done and one has just been commenced), and two in No. 3 Range, whereas only one man is now employed on this survey work. I do not think that, unless the number of Surveyors is increased, the maps can be completed at an early date. I have, therefore, the honor to request that I may be authorized to employ three more hands for five months, making four in all, in order that these surveys may be completed and submitted within a reasonable period.

4. In Mr. Sage's letter, recorded in G. O., No. 2,092, of 31st July 1874, only eleven stations are said to be in the district; it would appear that the three stations south of Cuddalore were not then taken into account.

5. The amount already disbursed on account of the surveys in question is as noted in the margin, and as it is likely that the Controller will object to pass the pay of even the existing Survey Establish-

Pay of 1 Surveyor with Lascars in
No. 2 Range, from 1st Decem-
ber 1874 to February 1875
Do. of 1 do. with Lascars in No. 1
Range for 16 days in November,
18 in Dec. 1874, and 23 in Janu-
ary 1875
Probable amount of pay of 1 do.
for March 1875

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Pay of 1 Surveyor with Lascars in No. 2 Range, from 1st Decem-ber 1874 to February 1875	252	0	0
Do. of 1 do. with Lascars in No. 1 Range for 16 days in November, 18 in Dec. 1874, and 23 in Janu-ary 1875	153	1	8
Probable amount of pay of 1 do. for March 1875	84	0	0
	489	1	8

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29th April 1875.**

ment for April, I have the honor to request that early orders may be passed on this application.

No. 676. ORDER THEREON, 29th April 1875, No. 1,184.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 56.

IN G. O., No. 2,092, of 31st July 1874, the services of one Surveyor and four Lascars on salaries aggregating Rupees 84 per mensem were sanctioned for six months for the preparation of surveys of Railway stations in South Arcot.

2. Such an establishment appears to have been continuously employed in the Tindevanum (or No. 2) Range from the 1st December, at a cost of Rupees 336, up to 31st March, with the result of completing the Tindevanum and Wolakoor station surveys. A claim of Rupees 153-1-8 is made for a Survey Establishment in the Cuddalore (or No. 1) Range for the following periods, viz. :—

- 16 days in November.
- 18 do. in December.
- 23 do. in January.

But this amount cannot be passed, as in the District Engineer's letters, No. 205 of 31st December, and No. 258 of 5th March, the Surveyor is reported to have been entertained from 16th December only, and he is reported to have been removed to the Pooniar anicut on a date which is left unstated, and no outturn of work whatever is shown.

3. There remain it appears twelve stations to be surveyed, and considering last year's grant to have lapsed on the 31st March, the District Engineer is authorized to entertain four Surveyors for four months each, from such date as he may report; and he will take care to report to the Chief Engineer in good time the progress made by each man in the first three months, and what provision may be required to complete the work. It has been neglected from first to last; the order of 7th January 1874 not having been acted on till 1st December, and then in an unsatisfactory manner.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, South Arcot.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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D. P. W.
OUTH ARCOT.

No. 258

DISTRICT ENGINEER'S OFFICE.

Camp *Vidachellam*
Dated *5th March 1875.*

From
The District Engineer,
South Arcot.

To
The *Secretary to Government*
D. P. W.

Enclosures.

Sir,
With reference to G. O. No. 2092 of 31st July 1875 and in continuation of this office No. 205 of 31st December 1874, I have the honor to state that the undermentioned progress has been made during the last three months in the preparation of plans of Rail-way stations in this District by the Survey Establishment entertained under the G. O. above quoted.

No. 2 Range

1. *Station at Indiviamam - Plan completed and submitted with this office No. 236 of 12th February 1875.*

2. *Wolakoor station - Surveyed in detail and plotted in the station and ground in its vicinity within a radius of one mile from the station as centre. Plan will be sent up as soon as received.*

No.

No. 1 Range

The surveyor who was employed in this Range on the 16th December 1874, commenced to survey the station ground at Villapuram, but as his services were urgently required at the Pooniar Ament, he was taken there and the survey work stopped. This will be taken again on hand as soon as possible.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedient servant

W. H. A. J.
Executive Engineer in charge

Camp *Porto Novo*
Dated *31 March* 1875.D. P. W.
SOUTH ARCOT.No. *277*

From

The District Engineer,

South Arcot.

To

The

*Chief Engineer**D.P.W.*

Enclosures.

Sir,

With reference to your Memo. No. 320 of 20th March 1875, I have the honor to state that the preparation of the plans of the Rail way stations in this Distt. was not commenced until December last, owing to difficulty in obtaining qualified surveyors.

2. The map of the Molakur station has just been received from No. 2 Range and it will be sent up as soon as the copies of G.O. applied for in my No. as per margin have been received.

3. There are still 12 stations in the Distt. to be surveyed that is, in No. 2 Range, 9 in No. 1 (of which one partly done & one has just been commenced) and 2 in No. 3 Range, whereas only one man. is now employed on this survey work. I do not think that, unless the number of surveyors is increased the maps can be completed at an early date. I have therefore the honor to request that I may be authorized to employ 3 more hands for 5 months, making 4 in all in order that these

Recd. 31 March 1875 No. 22
31 March 1875 No. 2092
1 March 1875 No. 272

SOUTH ARCOT D. P. W.

From *D. P. W. 1875 No. 277*

To The District Engineer

South Arcot.

To

The *Secretary to Govt.**No. 15671.*

Direct

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No. *2538*
Enclosures

*Depositing when the documents
sent to the stations
by Survey Col. M. M. M. M. M.
sent to the stations
for the survey
stations in the District*

Distt.

Memorandum No. 320 of 20th March 1875

El. No. 11844, 29.4.75

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These surveys may be completed and submitted within a reasonable period.

4 In Mr. Sage's letter, recorded in G. O. 2092 of 31st July 1774, only eleven stations are said to be in the Dist^y; it would appear, that the three stations south of Credit Lake were not then taken into account.

5 The amount already disbursed on account of the surveys in question is as noted in the margin, and as it is likely that the Controller will object to pass the pay of even the existing Survey Establishment for April, I have the honor to request that early ^{orders} may be passed on this application.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
your most obedient servant

Al. Morgan
Executive Engr. in Ch.
D. E. Office

Pay of Surveyors with Lacan in Nov 22 Range 252
from 1st Dec 1774 to July 1775
do - 1 - do - with Lacan in Nov 17 Range
for 16 days in Nov 1775 in Dec 1774 153 - 1 - 8
Probable amount of pay 81 - do - for March 1775
489 - 1 - 8

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P.W. D.
Secy. of the Madras Govt.

Read the following.

From the St Engr, South Arcot (H.E. No 258 of 5 March 75/
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G.O. No. 1184 of 29th April 1875

In L.O. No 2092
of 31 July 1874, the services
of 1 Surveyor and 4 Lascars
on salaries aggregating Rs 84
per annum were sanctioned
for six months for the pre-
paration of surveys of Rail-
way Stations in South Arcot.

Such an establish-
ment appears to have been
continuously employed in
the Spindervannam Cor No 2 of
Range from the 1st December
at a cost of Rs 336 up to the
31st March, with the result
of completing the Spindervannam
and Volaham Stations Sur-
veys. A claim of Rs 153.12
is made for a Survey Station
Establishment in the Audit.

At No. 1873-4445.
SOUTH ARCOOT D. P. W.

From 17 Nov 2173.
The District Engineer.

South Arcot.

The Secy. Engineering.

S. P. W.

Dated 31st March 75
Despatched 1st April 75
Received 3rd April 75

No. 277.

Enclosures.

On forwarding the charges
incurred in the discharge of
Engineering Station and
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hands may be another
order for the completion
of the Survey Station
and the Survey Station
for the Survey Station
H.E. No. 1184. 25-4-75.

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(or No 1) Range for the following periods viz:-

16 days in November
18 do December
23 do January.

But this amount cannot be passed as in the District Engineer's letters No 205 of 31st December and No 258 of 5th March, the Surveyor is reported to have been entertained from 16 December only; and he is reported to have been removed to the Pioneer Account on a date which is left unstated, and no out turn of work whatever is shown.

There remain it appears 12 Stations to be surveyed, and considering last year's grant to have lapsed on the 31st March, the District

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Engineer is authorized to entertain 4 Surveyors for 4 months each, from such date as he may report. And he will take care to report to the Chief Engineer in good time, the progress made by each man in the first three months, and what provision may be required to complete the work. It has been badly neglected from first to last, the Order of 7th January 1874 not having been acted on till 1st December, and then in an unsatisfactory manner.

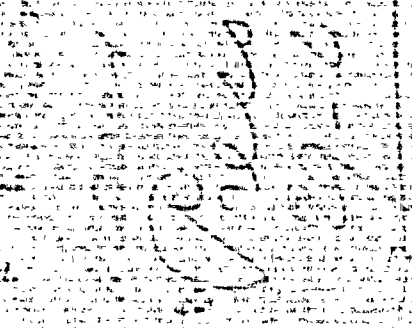
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G. O. 29th April 1881

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Establishment The entertain-
ment of four surveyors for
four months each for
surveying lands around
Railway stations in the C. Arcot
District, sanctioned, but the
claim of Rs. 15,3-1-0 for the
Survey Establishment in the
Cuddalore Range, negated.
The remark that this work
has altogether been carried
on in an unsatisfactory
manner.