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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

23rd April 1878, No. 1,944 W.

Buildings and Roads.

Civil Works.

Read the following papers:—

No. 257. Telegram from H. PRUDHOMME, Esq., for inhabitants of Tranquebar, through Negapatam, to His Grace the Governor of Madras, dated 13th March 1878.

Roof of front verandah of Tranquebar Court-house is knocked down. Inhabitants pray for orders for speedy restoration and repairs.

No. 257-A. From Captain R. R. E. BROCKMAN, R.E., District Engineer, Tanjore, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, Buildings and Roads Branch, dated Tanjore, 23rd March 1878, No. 631.

With reference to your endorsement, No. 1,326, dated 14th March 1878, I have the honor to inform you that the terrace of the front verandah of the Tranquebar Court-house therein referred to had fallen in a dangerous condition owing to the last heavy monsoon of about 75 inches rainfall at Tranquebar and needs reconstruction. As persons were in the habit of resting during the day and sometimes at night under its shelter it was feared that loss of life would ensue. The Range Officer accordingly submitted an estimate for its demolition which was sanctioned by me.

No. 257-B. From the same Officer, dated Tanjore, 2nd April 1878, No. 700.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 1,566, dated 28th March 1878, I have the honor to inform you that the Court-house has not been used since the transfer of the Court to Negapatam, and no estimate was therefore framed for the reconstruction of the verandah as it was not essential to the stability of the main building.

No. 258. ORDER THEREON, 23rd April 1878, No. 1,944 W.

HIS GRACE the Governor in Council considers the explanation submitted by the District Engineer very unsatisfactory. The danger should have been reported and an estimate for repair submitted. This will now be furnished with full particulars as to the demolition. It should be explained whether pillars, &c., have been removed. The demolition ~~order~~ for it was not brought to notice on the occasion of His Grace the Governor's recent visit to Tranquebar.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. A. FOORD, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

(True Copy.)

Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the District Engineer, Tanjore.
Exd. C. Howarth.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Obt. of (1878) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

The DISTRICT ENGINEER,
TANJORE.

April 23rd.

G. O., 23rd April 1878, No. 1344 W.

APRIL

Nos. 257-258.

Court-house at Tranquebar.—The explanation of the District Engineer, Tanjore, for the demolition of the verandah of the — considered unsatisfactory, and an estimate for its repair to be submitted.

TRAFFIC CODE FORM CI.

INDIAN TELEGRAPH.

Local No.

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Station,

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FROM Station,

Tranquebar thro
Regapatam

Words,

Time tendered for transmission.
(Madras time.)

OFFICIAL INSTRUCTIONS.—

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(Person)

Governor
of Madras -

FROM (Person)

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Received 14th March 1878

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To Chief Engineer

Engineer Bangalore

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No. 631 District Engineer's Office
Bangalore 23 March 1878
From
Captain R. R. E. Brockman R.E.
District Engineer, Bangalore

2. Colonel E. A. Ford R.E.
Chief Engineer, O.D.W.
Buildings & Roads Branch

Sir,

With reference to your
Endorsement No. 1326 dated 14 March
1878, I have the honor to inform
you that the terrace of the front
Verandah of the Tranquebar Court
House therein referred to had fallen
in a dangerous condition owing
to the last heavy monsoon of about
75 inches rain fall at Tranquebar
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which was sanctioned by me.

I have the honor to be

your most ^{res} obedient servant

Mellankay Captain

District Engineer

From
The District Engineer
Dajore

To
The Chief Engineer
Buildings

No. 631

Dated 23 March 78
/cc

Tranquebar Court
House.

Regarding the
demolition of the terrace
of the front verandah
of the —

C.E. 14 - 3 - 78 No. 1326.

No. 700

District Engineer's Office.
Dajore 2^d April 1878

From

Captain R. R. Brockman R.E.
District Engineer, Dajore

To

Colonel R. A. Ford R.E.
Chief Engineer, Dajore.
Buildings & Roads Branch.

Sir,

With reference to your
Memorandum No. 1566, dated 28th
March 1878, I have the honor to
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has not been used since the
transfer of the Court to Negapatam
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the Verandah as it was not
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main building.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient Servant

Wm. Brockman Captain R.E.

District Engineer

From

The District Engineer
Bangalore

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The Chief Engineer
Buildings

No. 700

Dated 2^d April 78
Recd.

Court House at Bangalore

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Letter from the District Engineer, Bangalore
No. 631, 400 dated 23rd March & 2nd April 1878.

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with note from the
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dated 14th March.

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Bangalore
J. W. R.

signed Colonel V. C.
Chief Engineer, Bangalore

13th Nov 1914

No 1944 W Public Works Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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UNDER date the 23rd April 1914

Read the following:—

Telegram from the Inhabitants of Panquebar } H.C. dated 14th March/14

Letter from the Dist. Eng^r Tanjore (N^o 631—23rd—)

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His Grace the Governor, in Council considers the explanation submitted by the District Engineer very unsatisfactory. The danger should have been reported and an estimate for repair ^{submitted} ~~presented~~ ^{presented}. Such an estimate will now be ^{presented} ~~submitted~~ with full particulars as to the damage done. It should

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Samuel J. 1878

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Govt. of (1878) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

N. I. Tanjore

Dated

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Encl.

G. O., 23rd Apr 1878, No. 1744. W.

Nos.

Court House at Tranquebar

The explanation of the Engineer
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Intd. in P.M.