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18th June 1878, No. 2,552 W.

Buildings and Roads  
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Read the following paper:—

No. 182. Endorsement of the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Ootacamund, 13th June 1878, No. 2,972

From Brigadier-General H. O'CONNELL, Quartermaster-General, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Ootacamund, 12th June 1878, No. 311

THE Officer Commanding Mysore Division having submitted for approval an estimate for Rupees 466 for dismantling a large cistern for filtered water at the Agram Barracks at Bangalore, I have the honor, by order of the Commander-in-Chief, to request the orders of Government on the same.

2 The reasons for wishing the cistern removed are given in the annexed extract from the letter from the Officer Commanding Mysore Division.

3 The cistern having been built for a specific purpose and at some cost, His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief is averse to approve of its being dismantled until it has been carefully examined by a professional Engineer. His Excellency therefore requests that instructions may be issued in the Public Works Department for the examination of the work, the result being reported to Government for final orders as to what is to be done. The estimate is enclosed.

*Extract from a letter from Officer Commanding Mysore Division, dated 3rd June 1878, No. 263, paragraph 5*

"Estimate of Rupees 466 for dismantling one of the large cisterns for filtered water at the Agram Barracks. This cistern which is in fact half of the large one originally constructed has been for many years useless; all previous efforts to render it water-tight failed signally, and all hope of success has apparently been abandoned as it has been untouched for years past."

(True Extract)

(Signed) H. O'CONNELL, Brigadier-General,  
Quartermaster-General

REFERRED to the Public Works Department.

(By Order.)

(Signed) J. MICHAEL, Colonel,  
Secretary to Government.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, 18TH JUNE 1878, No. 2,552 W.

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ORDER THEREON, 18th June 1878, No. 2,552 W.

COMMUNICATED to the District Engineer, Bangalore, for early examination and report

(True Extract)

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

(True Copy)

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

To the District Engineer, Bangalore.

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QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
No. 2552  
12th June 1878.

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From

BRIGADIER-GENERAL H. O'CONNELL,  
Quartermaster-General,

To

COLONEL J. MICHAEL, CSI,  
Secretary to Government,  
Military Department

SIR,

The Officer Commanding, Mysore  
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sanction for Rs 466 for dismantling a large  
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Yours obedient servant.

H. J. Cornwell Brig. General.

Quarter Master General.

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