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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

27th January 1879, No. 300 W.

General.
Establishment.

Read the following paper :—

No. 257. From the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Coimbatore, 20th January 1879, No. 146-35.

I HAVE the honor to forward a list of old records now in the late District Engineer's Office, Coimbatore District; they include many of the records of the old 7th Division Office, and request your permission to have them destroyed. Before destroying any of the old letter books I propose to have them looked through and any old letters or reports of interest to be taken out and filed.

2. In this circle there were five District and Range Offices; there are now one Superintending Engineer and eight Divisional Offices. I propose that all duplicate records should be destroyed and also that similar lists to the one sent should be prepared of the old records that are useless, and I request your sanction for the destruction of those records that are now cumbering up the offices.

List of old Records of the late District Engineer's Office, and the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, of Coimbatore District.

No.	Particulars.	Number of Book or Files.
1	Board's and Miscellaneous Receipt from 1st July 1863 to 15th August 1855.	14
2	Controller's Circular and Miscellaneous Receipt from 4th May 1863 to 25th June 1869.	8
3	Collector's Receipt from 30th November 1837 to 27th May 1863 ...	30
4	Miscellaneous Receipt from 1st January 1861 to 6th June 1870 ...	14
5	Noyel or Coimbatore Range Receipt from 2nd November 1857 to 16th August 1869.	18
6	Bhavani, Satyamangalam or Collegal Range Receipt from 28th October 1857 to 7th May 1870.	14
7	Caroor and Irrigation Range Receipt from 2nd November 1857 to 4th February 1870.	18
8	Satyamangalam or Erode Range Receipt from 4th January 1858 to December 1862.	9
9	Amaravati or Pollachi Range Receipt from November 1857 to December 1865.	14
10	Form C or Miscellaneous Accounts, &c., Receipt from May 1868 to March 1874.	7
11	Account Current Receipt from 31st December 1856 to April 1865 ...	9
12	Form A, B, and C Receipt from 5th November 1859 to 30th April 1863.	2
13	Monthly and Ordinary Estimate Receipt from 19th April to 5th December 1857.	2

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List of old Records of the late District Engineer's Office, and the Superintending Engineer,
7th Division, of Coimbatore District—continued.

No.	Particulars.	Number of Book or Files.
14	Tamil Arzi Receipt from 1st October 1856 to 15th November 1857 ...	1
15	Local Fund Progress Report and Account, &c., Receipt from 1861-62 to 1866-67.	7
16	Spare Copies of Printed Budget Receipt File	81
17	Civil Officers Application for Funds Receipt from 12th January 1872 to 18th May 1876.	2
18	Application for situation from 20th January 1856 to 16th August 1859.	1
19	Miscellaneous sent from 19th August 1842 to 25th October 1869 ...	19
20	Coimbatore or Noyel Range sent from 13th January 1872 to 24th March 1869.	6
21	List of Appropriation sent to Collector from April 1863 to December 1877.	3
22	Memorandum to Range Officers of "Advances to Civil Officers" from 14th June 1872 to 8th July 1876.	3
23	Form X sent (Bill sent) for the years 1856-57 and 1862-63 ...	2
24	Form G sent (Account Current, &c.) from October 1860 to April 1865...	3
25	Form C, D sent (Register of Drafts, &c.) from 6th March 1857 to April 1865.	2
26	Form H sent (Bill submitted) from December 1856 to June 1866 ...	2
27	Form O sent from 31st July 1857 to June 1864 ...	1
28	Bill of Works performed sent to Chief Engineer from 30th April to 5th December 1856.	1
29	Bill Book from June 1863 to March 1865 and 1863-64 to 1864-65 ...	2
30	Audit Note Book from January 1870 to December 1875 ...	7
31	Tamil Yadast Book from 1st May 1861 to 18th May 1863 ...	1
32	Statement of Excess over Estimate and Allotment ...	1
33	Tamil Yadast sent from October 1856 to July 1861 ...	1
34	Post Label Account Book ...	1
35	Form I, Half-yearly Bill File from 1857 ...	1
36	Receipt of Cash received from Treasury from December 1857 to January 1863.	1
37	Account Particulars of Remittance from May 1862 to April 1865 ...	1
38	Cash Estimate from April 1870 to December 1861 ...	1
39	Cash Estimate from January 1872 to September 1873 ...	1
40	Post Book from March 1860 ...	1
41	Common-place Book ...	1
42	Post Book from 14th December 1871 to 5th March 1872 ...	1

COIMBATORE,
20th January 1879.

(Signed) N. DAVIDSON,
for Supg. Engr., Fourth Circle.

No. 258.

ORDER THEREON, 27th January 1879, No. 300 W.

THE Superintending Engineer is authorised to destroy all records which he considers to be undoubtedly of no use whatever. And Superintending Engineers of other Circles will be allowed to adopt the same course, the Examiner's concurrence in the destruction of account documents being, however, obtained by them.

(True Extract.)

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

To Superintending Engineers.
To the Examiner of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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Supy Engineer's Office ³⁰⁰/₂ *Munch*
Coinbatore 20th January/79

From,

The Supy Engineer

4th Circle - Coimbatore

To

The Chief Engineer

L.P.W. Madras

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I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obed^t servant,

R Davidson

for Supg Engr & Circle.

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No.	Particulars	a/c Books or Files	Remarks
11	Account Current Receipt from 31 st December/56 to April 1865	9	
12	Form A. B. & C. Receipt from 5 th Nov ^r /59 to 30 th April 1863	2	
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