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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

16th November 1881, No. 2871 W.

Buildings and Roads-
Military Works.

Read the following papers :—

No. 86. Endorsement of the Acting Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Fort St. George, 3rd November 1881, No. 5811.

From Brigadier-General H. O'CONNELL, Quartermaster-General, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Bangalore, 2nd November 1881, No. 1624-7236.

IN forwarding the enclosed letter from the General Officer Commanding Mysore Division, I have the honor, by order, to request that funds may be allotted as early as possible for the repair of the lines at Bangalore at present occupied by the 15th Regiment Native Infantry.

2. Each day's delay increases the deterioration of the buildings and the expense of carrying out the repairs. The estimates sanctioned* will be insufficient, unless the work is taken in hand at once.

* *Vide* Proceedings of Madras Government, No. 4971, dated 15th September 1881.

From Major-General W. PAYN, Commanding Mysore Division, to the Quartermaster-General, dated Bangalore, 1st November 1881, No. 476.

Nor long after receipt of G.O., 15th September 1881, No. 4971, the Executive Engineer forwarded for my approval an estimate, amounting to Rs. 2,565, which I considered a very large sum, merely for temporary repairs to the roofs of the houses in the lines of the 15th Native Infantry.

I therefore declined to approve it on the ground that, from the terms of paragraph 7 of the Government Order above quoted, an early allotment of funds might reasonably be anticipated for the execution of the permanent repairs contemplated.

The Superintendent of Works however now writes to the Executive Engineer and states that there is apparently no chance of getting any funds during this official year for the work.

I think it as well therefore to bring the state of matters to your notice in order that some steps may be taken towards obtaining an early allotment of funds for the work which should be executed as soon as possible.

TRANSFERRED to the Public Works Department, with a request that the question may receive very early consideration.

(By Order.)

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secy. to Government.

No. 2599.

REFERRED to the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, for report as to available funds.

(By Order.)

7th November 1881.

(Signed) ROSS THOMPSON, Lieut.-Col., R.E.,
Ag. Deputy Chief Engineer, P.W.D.

No. 86-A. From Colonel H. L. PRENDERGAST, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 14th November 1881, No. 71.

In reply to your endorsement No. 2599 of the 7th instant, I have the honor to report that the Executive Engineer at the Presidency can provide the sum of Rs. 2,565 for repairs to the sepoy's lines by suspending other Repair works in the division.

2. This money is obtained as urgently needed, but there is a demand from the Executive Engineer for a further allotment of funds, and I will bring this forward as soon as I have ascertained if there is likely to be a saving in the Chingleput Division.

No. 87. ORDER THEREON, 16th November 1881, No. 2871 W.

THE Superintending Engineer will arrange for provision of the funds required for repairs to the lines of the 15th Native Infantry, and will report further as to additional funds stated to be required in the Presidency Division.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle.
" Military Department.

Exd. E. C. Shaker.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
MILITARY WORKS.

Govt. of (1881) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
FIFTH CIRCLE.

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Dated November, 1881.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 16th November 1881, No. 2871 W.

NOVEMBER

Nos. 86-87.

Sepoy's Lines of the 15th Regiment Native
Infantry. The Superintending Engineer
directed to arrange for the provision of
funds required for repairs to the same and to
report further as to additional funds required
for the Presidency Division.

No. 71. 11 Superintending Engineer's office
5th Circle Chingleput
14th November 1881.

From

Colonel F. L. Pendergast R.E.
Superintending Engineer 5th Circle

To
The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department.

Enclosure / original
Indorsement.

returned

In reply to your Indorsement No. 2599
of the 7th instant, I have the honor to report
that the Executive Engineer at the Presidency
can provide the sum of Rs. 2500 for repairs
to the Sepoy's Lines by suspending other
repair works in the Division.

2. This money is obtained, as urgently
needed; but there is a demand from the
Executive Engineer for a further allotment
of funds; and I will bring this forward,
as soon as I have ascertained, if there
is likely to be a saving in the Chingleput
Division.

I have the honor to be

Yours most obedient servant,
F. L. Pendergast
Col. R.E.
Superintending Engineer 5th Circle

13th Nov 1881
No 2871 Naf 16 Nov 81

The Supr. Engineer
will arrange for provision
of the funds required
for repairs to the Lines
of the 15th N. I. and will
report further as to ad-
ditional funds stated
to be required in the
Presidency Division.

Att

16/11/81

Cd No 2599-7/11/81

S. Engr 15th Circle
Mly Dept

Sept 28-11-81

From
The Superintendent Engineer
5th Circle

To
The Chief Engineer
Public Works Department
Madras.

Dated 11th
23 November 1881

Enclosures 1-

No. 71

Leys Lines. Reports
that the Executive Engineer
Presidency can provide the
sum of Rs. 2505 for the repairs
of — but demands a
further allotment of funds.
Within Order

Military Buildings
Native Lines.

QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Head Quarters,

Bangalore - 2nd November 1881.

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No. 7266.

From Brigadier General H. O'Connell,
QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Military Department.

Sir,
In forwarding the enclosed letter from
the General Officer Commanding Mysore Division,
I have the honor, by order, to request that
funds may be allotted as early as possible
for the repair of the lines at Bangalore, at
present occupied by the 15th Regiment N. I.*

* vide P.M. G.
No 4971 dated
15th September 1881.

2. Each day's delay increases the
deterioration of the buildings and the expense
of carrying out the repairs. The estimates
sanctioned* will be insufficient, unless the
work is taken in hand at once.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Obedient Servant,
H. O'Connell Esq. Genl.
Quartermaster General.

Post.

5 spare copies of the O.G. on this letter, are required.

Fort Saint George
Mily. Sept.
3^d Novr. 1881.

N^o 5811. Transferred
to the Public Works
Department, with a
request that the
question may receive
very early considera-
tion.

(By Order)

Franklin Colman,
Ag. Secy. to Govt.

N^o 2599 app^d Nov^r/81.

Referred to the
Supt Engineer 5th
Circle for report
as to available funds.
By order.

Per [Signature]
Ag. by Chief Engr. W.D.

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No. 6319

From
The Q.M. General
To
The Secretary to Govt
M. Dept

Esttd 2^d
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allotment of funds to carry
out the repairs to the
lines at Bangalore at
present occupied by the
15th N.I.

Transferred

Head Quarters Mysore Division
Bangalore 1st November 1881.

N^o 476.

From

The Officer Commanding
Mysore Division

To
The Quarter Master General
Bangalore

Sir,

Not long after receipt of O.S. 15 September
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I considered a very large sum, merely for temporary
repairs to the roofs of the houses in the lines of the 15th N.I.

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ground that from the terms of para. 7 of the O.S. above
quoted an early allotment of funds might reasonably
be anticipated for the execution of the permanent
repairs contemplated.

The Superintendent of works however now
writes to the Executive Engineer and states that
there is apparently no chance of getting any funds
during this official year for the work.

I think it as well therefore to bring the state
of matters to your notice in order that some steps may
be taken towards obtaining an early allotment of funds
for the work which should be completed as soon as possible.
I have the honor to be

Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
[Signature] Major Genl
Commanding Mysore Division

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Govt. of (1881) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

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G.O. 16th Nov. 1881, No. 287/W.

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Division

Entd. in Receipt Book.

dated 17/11