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19TH JUNE 1884, No. 1525 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

READ—the following papers :—

From Colonel H. L. PRENDERGAST, R.E., Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepāk, 5th May 1884, No. 475.

I have the honor to represent that although the sanction of the Government of India has been given to the partial demolition of the fort at Bangalore, as communicated in G.O., No. 718 W., dated 15th March 1884, yet the work is held in abeyance through the orders of General Payn, commanding the Mysore division, at the instance of the Resident.

2. The fort stone is wanted for the fortified post at Agram, and I understand that there is no real objection on the part of His Highness the Maharajah. I beg to suggest that the Government of India may be asked to announce formally to the Resident in Mysore that their sanction, as above, has been given ; and if telegraphic communication be used, we shall soon be able to carry on the work rapidly.

From Colonel W. H. BURTON, R.E., Officiating Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepāk, 12th June 1884, No. 1004.

With reference to your memorandum, No. 140 E., dated 15th May 1884, I have the honor to report that the estimate for the fortified post at Bangalore will not be exceeded by using on the work stone procured from quarries. It is probable that the completion of the work will be delayed thereby.

ORDER—dated 19th June 1884, No. 1525 W., Public Works.

Recorded, with reference to G.O., No. 1469 W., dated 13th June 1884.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.

Exd. E. Fernandez.
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Govt. of (1884) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Dated June, 19th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 19th June 1884, No. 1525 W.

JUNE.

Fortified Post, Bangalore

Certain communications from the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, with reference to the stoppage of the use of stone from the old fort wall for the —, recorded.

15TH MARCH 1884, No. 718 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

READ—the following papers:—

From Colonel H. L. PRENDERGAST, R.E., Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepāk, 26th February 1884, No. 4076.

I have the honor to forward a copy of letter, No. 5328, dated 14th November 1883, from the Executive Engineer, Presidency Division, and to request that orders may be passed settling the point whether the stone may be taken from the walls of the old Bangalore Fort, for the construction of the fortified post.

1 Copy of letter.
1 Tracing plan (to be returned).

2. I kept back the Executive Engineer's letter till I had heard from him whether the General Commanding the Mysore Division approved of the stone being removed from the Fort walls.

I have now heard from Colonel Burton that General Payn recommended that the Fort stone should be utilized at the fortified post, by letter, on the 5th December, and by telegram, on the 23rd instant.

3. In G.O., No. 467 W. of the 20th February 1884, Rs. 8,032 are made available for work. It is much to be regretted that the Government of India have assigned funds at so late a date that it would scarcely be possible to utilize them, and when the question as to the stone is settled, I shall have to report what sum of money the Executive Engineer will be able to expend.

No. 473 C., Public Works

Referred to the Military Department for favor of *very early* assent to the arrangements proposed for obtaining stone for the fortified post at Bangalore.

(By Order.)

CHEPĀK,
28th February 1884.

(Signed) C. BOWEN, Major, R.E.,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

No. 1000, Military.

Referred to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
29th February 1884.

(Signed) A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut-Col.,
Officiating Secretary to Government.

To the Quartermaster-General.

No. 474 C.

MEMORANDUM.

With reference to the concluding paragraph of letter from the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, No. 4076, dated 26th February 1884, the Chief Engineer would suggest, for the consideration of the Superintending Engineer, whether a portion of the grant sanctioned in G.O., No. 467 W., dated 20th February 1884, cannot be

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utilized in preparing materials, more especially wood-work for the Ordnance Depot and Laboratory. The three works referred to in G.O., No. 3060 W., dated 30th October 1883, form one project, and no effort should be spared to use up the allotment of Rs. 8,032 available for works.

2. The question whether stone may be taken from the walls of the old Bangalore Fort has been referred to the Military Department, and no time will be lost in communicating the order in that department when received.

28th February 1884.

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.

(Signed)

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

From Brigadier-General R. C. STEWART, Quartermaster-General, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, dated Fort St. George, 4th March 1884, No. 1559.

In returning correspondence referred to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief under O.G., No. 1000, dated 29th February 1884, I am desired to say that Sir Frederick Roberts approves of the proposal made in the Public Works Department to take the stone required for the fortified post from the old Fort at Bangalore, provided it is less expensive than quarried stone.

2. As, however, the disposal of the old Fort at Bangalore rests with the Government of India, His Excellency considers that its sanction would be necessary and should be obtained to the use of the stone.

No. 1188, Military.

Transferred to the Public Works Department, and the referred papers returned, with the remark that Government in the Military Department have no objection to the proposed arrangement.

(By Order.)

FORT ST. GEORGE,
10th March 1884.

(Signed)

A. R. KENNEY-HERBERT, Lieut.-Col.,
Officiating Secretary to Government.

Telegram from the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, Calcutta, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Madras, dated 14th March 1884.

284 M.W., your's twelfth. No objection to proposal to take stone for fortified post, Bangalore, from the old Fort.

ORDER—dated 15th March 1884, No. 718 W., Public Works.

The foregoing communication from the Military Department, and the telegram from the Government of India, will be communicated to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Military Department.

Exd. A. Aubert.
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G.O., 15th March 1884, No. 718 W.

MARCH.

Fortified Post, Bangalore

Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, correspondence regarding the proposal for taking the stone required for the —, from the old Fort.

24TH MARCH 1884, No. 781 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

READ—the following letter from Colonel H. L. PRENDERGAST, R.E., Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepâk, 20th March 1884, No. 4407 :—

With reference to your memorandum, No. 474 C., dated 28th February 1884, I have the honor to report, that only Rs. 3,000 can be expended out of the grant of Rs. 10,000 appropriated in G.O., No. 467 W., dated 20th February 1884 for the fortified post at Bangalore.

There is not much woodwork to be provided for the works sanctioned in G.O., No. 3060 W., dated 30th October 1883, and the grant of funds was made too late in the year to be utilized.

I request that the balance may be surrendered to the Government of India on this account, viz., Rs. 6,265.

ORDER—dated 24th March 1884, No. 781 W., Public Works.

It is too late now to surrender any funds to the Government of India. The Superintending Engineer, V Circle, will endeavour to spend as much of the allotment as he can before the close of March 1884, and report the cause of the short outlay in his administration report to this office, and also to the Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. SHAW-STEWART, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.
" Examiner, Public Works Accounts.
" Military Department.

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1525 W.

Dated March, 24th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 24th March 1884, No. 781 W.

MARCH.

Fortified Post, Bangalore

Passing orders on letter from Superin-
tending Engineer, V Circle, surrendering
Rs. 6,265 from the allotment for the —.

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Should not above be
communicated to
Mil. Dept.

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22-7-84

Law

A copy has been
prepared for signature
accordingly. The Comm.
minations may be useful
as regards the second
letter of the S.E. No. 1000
of 12 June 84. The
Military Dept. have our
record later information
in respect to the first
letter - vide G.O. 2590 of
30 May 84. (Mily)

L.S.
22-7-84

Law.

Please have the add.

Comm. entered in the orig.
office copies at Madras. E.S.
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No. 475

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
5TH CIRCLE, MADRAS,
Chepauk, 5 May 1884.

From

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
5TH CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
D.W.

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SIR,

Enclosures.

I have the honor to represent
that although the sanction of the
Government of India has been given
to the partial demolition of the Fort
at Bangalore, as communicated in
G.O. No. 7184 dated 15 March 1884;
yet the work is held in abeyance
thru' the orders of General Dwyer
Commanding the Mysore Division
at the instance of the Resident.

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to carry on the work rapidly.

I have the honor to be
Yours Most Obedt Servt

Wm. S. Pendergast

Col. P. C.

Superintendent
of Police

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A. No. 781 Waj 24-3-84
 " " 718 Waj 15-3-84
 No. 101 Ed 17-5-84
 140 E. 15-5-84

From *M. H. 380*
 THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
 5TH CIRCLE,

To
 THE Chief Engineer
(72) D. W. D.

Dated *5*
 Recd. *6* May 1884

ENCLOSURES.

No. 475

Fort Bangalore

Represents that
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 & suggests that the India Govt.
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 to permit, by telegraph, for
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 that the work may be
 carried out rapidly.

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No. 1004

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
 5TH CIRCLE, MADRAS,
 Chepauk, *12 June* 1884

From
 THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
 5TH CIRCLE,

To
 THE Chief Engineer
P. W. D.

SIR,
 With reference to your Memorandum
 No. 140 E, dated 15 May 1884,
 I have the honor to report that the
 Estimate for the Fortified Post
 at Bangalore will not be ex-
 -ceeded by using on the work
 Stone procured from quarries.
 It is probable that the comple-
 -tion of the work will be de-
 -layed thereby.

Enclosures.

I have the honor to be
 Sir

Your Most Obedt Servt

W. H. Burton *for P. W. D.*

Offg Supy, Bangalore
 5th Circle

From

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THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

5TH CIRCLE,

To

THE Chief Engineer
P. W. Department.

Dated

12th

Recd.

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June

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No. 1525 of 19th June 1884

No. *1004*.

Fortified Post at
Bangalore.

Reports that the
estimate for the — will
not be exceeded by
using stone procured
from quarries.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. 1525

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

UNDER date the *19th June 1884*

READ the following

From

The Sup^y Eng^r V Circle (*No. 475 of 5th May 1884*)

" — do — do (*No. 1004 of 12th June 1884*)

Recorded, with

reference to Go. *No. 1469* of
13th June 1884.

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on Military Go. 2590

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*S.E. V Circle
S. M. S. Dept.
E. E. S.*

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G.O., 19 June 1884, No. 1525w

Fortified post, Bangalore

Certain communication
from the S. E. V. Arch
with reference to the
stoppage of the use of
stone ^{taken} ~~procured~~ from
the old fort wall,
for the
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