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List of

1st MARCH 1892, No. 668 W., PUBLIC WORKS.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Roads.
Military Works.

READ—the following paper:—

G.O., dated 16th February 1892, No. 1068, Military.
From the Quarter Master General, dated 20th November 1891, No. 2546 M.W.
" " 16th January 1892 83
Telegram from the Quarter Master General, dated 1st February 1892, No. 180 M.

Order—dated 16th February 1892, No. 1068, Military.

Approved and transferred to the Public Works Department with the request that the Government of India may be moved to sanction a special grant of Rs. 1,470 to meet the cost of the additional accommodation urgently required by the Malabar Volunteer Rifles at Calicut, it having been represented that the corps is unable to defray so large an expenditure.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. R. HOPE, Brigdr.-Genl.,
Secretary to Government.

ORDER—dated 1st March 1892, No. 668 W., Public Works.

Ordered that the sanction of the Government of India be requested to a special grant to meet the cost of the work.

(Here enter No. 669 W., Public Works, dated 1st March 1892.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. PENNYQUICK, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Govt., P.W.D.

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

Exd. S. J. Pereira.
Spare Copies

BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
MILITARY WORKS.

Govt. of {1892} Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.



Dated March, 1st.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 1st Mar. 1892, No. 668 W.

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P.W. 4915/92

Grant

Ordered that the Government of India be requested to sanction a special — to meet the cost of the estimate of Rs. 1,470 for providing additional armoury and office accommodation for the Malabar Volunteer Rifles at Calicut.

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Copy of letter from the Commandant,
Malabar Volunteer Rifles to the
Jy Assistant Adjutant General,
Southern District, Wellington, No.
563 of 13. XI. 91: — 2/28/96

With reference to your No. 4677 of
3. November 1891 forwarding Quarter
Master General's No. 2422 of 30. October,
1891, I have the honor to inform you
that as the Corps under my command
is still in debt to Government, it is
quite unable to meet the cost of the
proposed enlargement of the
Armoury at Head Quarters —
Neither are there any other funds
available in the Corps to meet this
expenditure.

2. The inadequacy of the present
Armoury at Calicut was noticed
by the Inspecting Officer at the
recent inspection, and as there are
60 additional stand of arms
shortly arriving for Head Quarters,
I have the honor to request that
Government may be pleased to
sanction the proposed enlargement
at the public expense.

Copy of letter from the Officer
Commanding Southern District,

Wellington, to the Quarter Master
General, No 4844 & A/17. 21. 91.

It will be seen by this letter
that the Corps being still in debt
to Government the funds are
quite unable to pay for the addition.
The addition is nevertheless
considered absolutely necessary and
as there seems to be a good spirit
in this Volunteer Corps, and it is
rapidly increasing in numbers,
I hope the Government may be
inclined to assist them. I think
such assistance would be greatly
appreciated and help much to
forward the movement.

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Quarter Master General's Office
Cotacamund

21/11/91 20th November 1891
No 2546 P W

From

Brigadier General E. H. Eyre,
Quarter Master General,

To

The Secretary to Government
Military Department

Sir,

I am desired to forward for
sanction and transfer to the P. W. 10
for disposal, the accompanying plans
and Estimate, the latter amounting to
Rs 1470 for providing additional armoury
and office accommodation for the Malabar
Volunteer Rifles at Calicut.

2. At present the armoury and office
are located in the Sergeant Major's
quarters but the officer commanding
the corps reports, that owing to the very
great increase in the Head Quarter
Companies, from 100 to 180 during the
past two years, the accommodation
available for an armoury is quite
inadequate.

inadequate, and that moreover a still further increase of these companies is shortly expected. The office accommodation is also reported to be insufficient, owing to increased correspondence and accumulation of office records.

3. To provide for this accommodation therefore, it has been decided to utilize the compounds on the southern side of the Sergeant Major's quarters, for erecting two rooms, one for the armory and the other for an office, and the plans and estimates now submitted have been prepared accordingly.

4. The Commander-in-Chief is aware that under the provisions of the orders of the Government of India, embodied in G.O. No 897 of 12th February 1891, Volunteer corps are required to meet from their capitation grant the cost of providing accommodation for the armories &c., but in view of the circumstances set forth in the accompanying correspondence, His Excellency desires to recommend that, Government may as a special

case

* See No 563 of 13th Nov 91 from the Commander-in-Chief to the Secretary to the Government of India, and enclosure thereon No 4014 of 17th Oct 91 by S.O.C., Southern District.

Case be pleased to provide at the expense of the State, the additional accommodation, which is said to be very necessary, the corps being quite unequal to the task of meeting so large an expenditure in the present unsatisfactory state of its finances, and I am to take this opportunity of repeating the Commander-in-Chief's opinion as expressed in a previous communication, that if Government hopes to make the Volunteer Force in this country more efficient than it is at present, it can only be done by treating Volunteers in a liberal manner.

5. Should Government be unable, in the face of the orders of the Govt. of India, to debit the cost of providing the necessary accommodation to Imperial funds, His Excellency recommends for the favourable consideration of Govt. that the amount in question be treated as an advance to the Corps, recoveries to be effected only after the present debit to Govt. has been

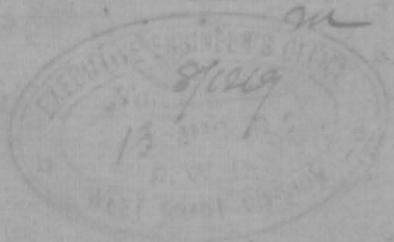
been liquidated, and in such easy
instalments as may not bear heavily
on its funds.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your obedient servant

A. G. Subrahmaniam Esq.
For. Quarter Master General

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Calicut

No 640

30th December 1891

From

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The Commandant
Malabar Volunteer Rifles

To

The Deputy Asst. Adjutant General
Southern District
Wellington.

Sir

With reference to your No 4998 B
dated 4th December 1891. Minute (3) I have
the honor to inform you that I am
strongly opposed to any of our capitulation
money, being spent on enlarging a
Government building or discounting future
grants by borrowing against them for
any purpose at present.

It has been a struggle to keep things
going and pay Govt. annual instal-
ments on loans contracted years ago;
at present some Rupees 700 are due
to the Officer commanding Head
Quarter companies on current season's
capitulation accounts, also all the cloth
for men uniforms. and when all this
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is paid and instalment of old loans, there will not be very much left to carry on with. It is feared!

I have the honor to be
Sir

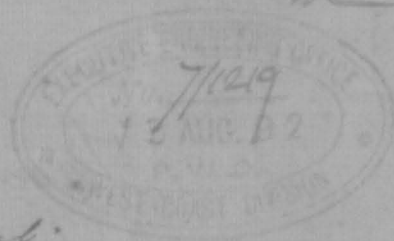
Your most obedient servant.

J. H. Barclay Captain &
Adjutant
for Commandant Malabar Vol. Rifles

From this I think it is sufficiently clear that the corps is already more than sufficiently hampered with instalments that have to be paid on former loans, and I hope that H. Incekeney will see his way to recommend that no fresh burden be now put upon them. As I think it will have a dispiriting and retarding effect and interferes with progress of improvement.

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Comd. Southern District



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From the Quarter Master General N.º 83 N.º
16th January 1892.

With reference to Military Deptt.
Memorandum N.º 6753 of 27th Nov. 1891, I am
desired to forward for the information of

Letter N.º 640 of 30th Dec. 1891, from Commandant
Malabar Volunteer
Rifles with Endorsement
thereon from General
Officer Commandg. South
District N.º 653 of 9th
January 1892.

Government the marginally noted correspondence, and to solicit that under the circumstances therein brought to notice, the Government of India may be moved to sanction as a special case, the provision of the much needed additional accommodation required by the Malabar Volunteer Rifles at Calicut, the cost thereof being met from State Funds.

2. Should however, the Government of India decline to sanction the above course, the Commander-in-chief recommends for a favorable

favorable consideration, that the amount
in question be treated as an advance
to the Corps to be adjusted only after
all its present liabilities have been cleared,
and recoveries to be effected hereafter in
four equal annual instalments.

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Special and Miscellaneous

No. 1211 M-W.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 2nd May 1892

It is requested that the
above reading, with number
and date of this communica-
tion, may be quoted in any
subsequent correspondence on
this subject.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

Public Works Department.

SIR,

I am directed to acknowledge
Enclosures including receipt of your letter No. 664 W
2 plans returned } dated 1st March 1892, forwarding
correspondence with plans and estimate,
the latter amounting to Rupees 147 of rel-
ative to the addition of two rooms to the
Sergeant Major's quarters at Calicut
for the purpose of providing additional
armoury and office accommodation
for the Malabar Volunteer Rifle Corps
at that station and requesting that a
special grant of State funds be made
for the execution of the work.

2. I am to observe that, as the house in which the Sergeant Major has quarters seems to be a public building, the Government of India are of opinion that any additions to that building should be carried out from public funds. If therefore additional armoury and office accommodation is provided as proposed, the cost of the additions should be met from Military Works funds and rent, assessed under the usual rules, should be charged to the Volunteer Corps for the part of the house occupied by them for purposes for which they are required to make their own arrangements from their capitation grant under Army Regulations India, Volume IX, paragraph 460.

3. I am, accordingly, to state, for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council, that before considering

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REMINDER.

No. 2456 C

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

To
The Military Dept.

Chepák, July 1892

THE undersigned has the honor to invite attention to the {Order} noted

on the margin, and to request that the favor of an early reply may be expedited.

(By Order)

J. B. J. Col. Major, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

No. 2456C dated 10.5.92
Referring letter from the Govt of India regarding the cost of an additional armoury and office accommodation for the Malabar Volunteer Rifles at Calicut.

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considering the possibility of giving a
grant for the execution of the proposed
additions, the Government of India
would be glad to know whether the
arrangement indicated in the preceding
paragraph would, in the opinion of
the Government of Madras, meet
the requirements of the case. —

I am,

Sir,

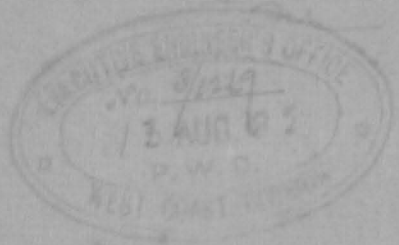
Your most Obedient Servant;

Mundalla

Captain R.E.

Secretary to the Govt of India.

P. W. CURRENT No. 4915



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No 2456 of 10 May 92

Referred to the
Military Department
with reference to G. O
668 w of 1st March 1892.

J. B. J.
Col. R. L.
Secretary to Govt.
P. W. D.

No. 4370

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Government of Madras.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

Fort St George the 14th July 1892

Current No. 4404 of 1892

Forwarded to the Quarter
Master General for favor of early
attention to Military Department
No. 3120, dated 13th May 1892.

(By Order)

M. S. S.
Secy. to Govt.
Secretary to Government.

To
The Quarter Master General.

No. 6018

Government of Madras.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT,

Ootacamund, the 26th September 1892.

From the Quarter Master General, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, No 1884 M. W., dated 17th September 1892.

I have the honor, with reference to your No 5486, dated 15th Sept/92, asking for an early reply to Military Department No 3120, dated 13th May 1892, relative to the provision of Armoury and Office accommodation for the Malabar Volunteer Rifles at Calicut, to say that, a report on the subject was received from the General Officer Commanding Southern District, but was returned in view to some further information required by this office being obtained and furnished. That Officer has been asked to expedite his reply, on receipt of which the matter will receive early attention.

Copy forwarded to the Public Works Department for information in continuation of Military Department No 4560, dated 23rd July 1892.

W. H. B. B. B.
Secretary to Government

To
The Public Works Department.

and that should Government insist the Corps
will be prepared to pay the rent that
may be demanded.

I have the honor to be
Sir

your obedient servant

L. H. Eyer - Brig: Genl

Quartermaster General
H. D.

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P. W. CURRENT No. 10401

Military (1892) Department.

No.

Current No. 6329

From

The Quarter Master General,

To

The Secretary to Government,

Military Department.

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No. 2047

M. W.

Dated 5th

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Recd: 17.X.92

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ENCLOSURE. 11.

Re addition of 2 rooms to
Sgt Major's quarters of the
Malabar Rifle Corps
at Calicut

22-3-1892 No 19761

Military Department
Colacamund 11th October 1892

No. 6409

Transferred to the

Public Works Department with reference
to its endorsement No 2456C, dated
10th May 1892 and the referred paper
returned.

Brigade Genl
Secretary to Government

To

The Public Works Department

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No 2896 Wd/18th October 1892

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Read the following

Letter from the Govt of India, Military Dept. (H.E. No 1211 M.W.d/2.V.1892)
" from the Quarter Master General (" " 2047 M.W.d/5.X.1892)
Endd thereon by the Military Dept. (" " 6409 d/11.X.1892).

Ordered that the
Government of India be
addressed.

S. E. IV circle
Military Dept.

No 2897 Wd/18th October 1892

To
The Secretary to the
Govt of India
Military Dept.

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Sir,
In reply to your
letter No 1211 M.W. d/2nd
May 1892, I am directed
to say that in the event
of the Govt of India
sanctioning

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sanctioning a special grant of Rs 1470 for the proposed additions to the state building at Calicut used as a Sergeant Major's quarters, the Malabar Rifle Volunteer Corps will, should the Govt of India insist, be prepared to pay rent for the accommodation made available for an armoury and office though the finances of the Corps can ill afford this additional burden.

I have &c

W.H.
12.10.92

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No 2896-97 Wd/18 October 1892

Note - Please refer this file to the Committee to consider the same.
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The Secretary
Military Dept. for
General instructions.

R.S.

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