

Public Works (1898) Department.

G.O., No. 1510 W

DATED 16 June '98

[Despatch Abstract.]

Have lock Road, Ootacamund
Cotton Indorsement from the Dy Adjtant
General, Madras Command forwarding
Copy of loss and acc, regarding the
employment of the IV Madras
Pioneers on the —, Communicated
to the Officers concerned for information.

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No. 1570W 8/16.6.98.

Communicated to the officers concerned for information with reference to L. A. No. 1226W d/14 May 1898.

From The Dy: Adjutant General
Inad. as Command.

No. A 92 19
N.I.

Dated 17th June 1898

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To The E. E. on special duty, Astacamps

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Gen. P. W. Aceto

L & M. Sept 11

SUBJECT.

Hauleck road. Forwarding
for information copy of cor-
respondence re: the employment
of the St. Inadas Pioneers on the
construction of the ———

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Copy of a letter No. 1/536 dated Cotacuman
31st May 1898 from the Offg. Commandant
4th Madras Pioneers to the Asstt. Adjutant
General Southern District, Wellington.

I have the honor to request
you will kindly obtain the orders of H.E.
the Lieutenant General Commanding the
Forces, Madras on the following:-

The Regiment under my command
has been offered the construction of a new
road here. Of those present at Cotacuman
10 Native officers and 312 rank and file
are willing to do the work, while 108
rank and file wish to return to Trichinopoly.
Of those at the Depot at Trichinopoly 80
rank and file have been passed fit and
volunteered to come to Cotacuman for the
work. 33 rank and file are at present
on furlough. These men will be asked
their wishes when they return.

In the event of His Excellency sanc-
tioning the employment of the Regiment on
this work I propose sending, (at the
expense of the Regiment) 108 rank and
file who are unwilling to work back

back to Trichinopoly and getting up the 80 rank and file in their stead, making a total of 392 rank and file available for work.

II When the work was first offered to the Regiment, I consulted the senior Native officers and they asked to be allowed to take the work on trial, and, as the Executive Engineer informed me personally that His Excellency sanctioned the Regiment taking the work until the end of September, provided the men were willing to do so, I have had an average of about 100 men per diem on the work for the past fortnight pending the official sanction of His Excellency.

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Sd/-

Madras Command

Forwarded & recommended.

1881 Edward Lugard

Brig. General

Comdg. Southern Dt.

Wellington

2.6.98

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No. A
N.T. 9190

Cotacamund

7th June 1898

Urgent

GOC Southern Dt.

Sanctioned on the understanding that the men are not employed on the work after the 30th September 1898 and that no extra expense whatever is entailed on Government, the work being undertaken and carried out on the same conditions as were agreed to in the filling in of the Cotacamund lake.

2 The men who are unwilling to continue on the work should be sent back to Trichinopoly and the others may be brought up on the understanding that no expense is incurred by the Public.

3 Please inform the Officer Commanding 4th Madras Division that he should not have undertaken further work without permission from Command Head

Quartermaster

Quarter.

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Return requested.

(Sd) E. Simpson, Brig. General
Dy. Adjutant General.

No. A

N.I. 9217

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7th June 1898

The Secretary to
the Government of Madras
Public Works Deptt.

Four copies forwarded for
information.

E. Simpson

Brigadier General
Dy. Adjutant General.

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Memorandum.

Letter from the Dy. Adjutant General, Madras Command, No: B 8995 of 4 June 1898.

Forwarded to the General
Officer commanding Southern
District.

[Signature]
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Maj

Copy forwarded to the
officers concerned for information
with reference to G. O. No: 1226W
of 14 May 1898.

[Signature]
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*Cancel the previous
order & register
the present one*

To

- The G. O. on special duty,
at command
- S. Co. IV Circle
- Resd. P. W. Sect
- L & M Dept.