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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
13th November 1867.

No. 98-9. Proceedings of Government, dated 13th November 1867, No. 1427.

Captain Lyon being about to proceed on a tour for the purpose of photographing the most remarkable ancient architectural remains and works of art in the Madras Presidency, the Governor in Council requests, with reference to the G. O., dated 29th October 1867, No. 1348, that all Collectors will assist Captain Lyon in his researches in their Districts, and that they will afford him every facility for visiting places which are likely to furnish subjects interesting to the Photographic Artist.

(True Extract).

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

To Captain E. D. Lyon, Ootacamund.
To the Collector of

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Madras
1917

My dear Sir

I have found so much more than I expected to be photographed here that I have not yet been able to get away. I am trying also to make some arrangements for going to Rangoon while I am so near, but there is no Bungalow anywhere near & I find great difficulties in my way at present. Should I succeed it will delay my visit to Madras till the middle of January probably.

Believe me Dear Sir
Yours truly
D. Lyon

Dear Sir

I beg to thank you for your letter dated Nov^{5th} & also for the promise of information regarding works of art &c. I only hope the Collectors will send in their reports quickly otherwise I may have left the District before the Reports come in.

I hope to leave this about the 19th or 20th & go to Coimbatore near which I have heard of a temple called Peroor. I then proceed to Wode & thence to Trichinopoly, & Madurai, Trivellore, Trichinopoly, Ramaswami, & so up the Coast to Negapatam, Travellore, Coimbatore, then to Arjeveram, Bellore & finish with the Seven Pagodas. This is my present proposed line of route but of course it may vary.

J. R. S. M. Esq.
Chief Secretary
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Private

Oct 2 Nov 1867

I beg to acknowledge receipt of printed Circular
dated 29 Oct 1867 with Order thereon N^o 1348
relative to the Photographing of the Ancient
Architectural Structures in Southern India & to inform
you that through the medium of H. C. Mestres & Co
Fredericks with other Parties at home I have already
made arrangements to travel through Southern India
for the purpose of photographing all Pagodas &c
that I can find or hear of there, which deserving
of notice. The assistance I would ask from Government
is 1st that they would kindly send me copies of the
Lists received from the Respective Collectors in order
that I may know where the most interesting Pagodas are
situated, & 2ndly that they would be pleased to give me
a "Pass" to enable me to get every assistance from
the holders &c as to procuring Bullocks Bories &c &c.
Any letter to the Collectors &c of the different Districts
would also be most acceptable. This letter for many
reasons I would not wish made public your obedient servant

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Read the following letter from

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Order then on 13th Nov 1867 No 1427.

Captain Lyon being about to proceed on a tour for the purpose of photographing the most remarkable ancient architectural remains and works of art in the Madras Presidency, the Governor in Council requests, with reference to the G.O. dated 24th October 1867 No 1348, that all Collectors will assist Captain Lyon in his researches in their districts, and that they will afford him

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to Capt^d Lyon Botetourt. *desp 20/11*
— the Collector of all *desp 21/11*

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