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Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
15th March 1867.

No. 100. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Public Works Department, dated 5th March 1867, No. 662.

Directing that the project for lighting
the Fort with Gas, submitted by Dr. } (Vide Proceedings, Public Works De-
Wyndowe and the Executive Engineer, } partment, dated 5th March 1867,
Presidency, be laid before the Secretary } Nos. 74 & 75.)
of State.

No. 101. ORDER THEREON, 15th March 1867, No. 279.

To be recorded.

(Signed) **A. J. ARBUTHNOT,**
Chief Secretary.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
5th March 1867.*

Read again letters from the Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division and Mr. P. ORR, dated 22nd November 1866 and 12th February 1867, No. 3,372, and recorded in G. O. dated 19th December 1866 and 21st February 1867, Nos. 3,995 and 512.

No. 74. Read also the following letter from Mr. P. ORR, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 20th February 1867:—

I beg to send you the following extract of a letter I have just received, in reference to carrying out Government Gas works in the Fort.

EXTRACT.

"Madras Gas.

"We are in receipt of your letter of December 13th, 1866, and also drawings of proposed extensions to the Government Gas works at Fort Saint George.

"As we informed you in our letter of January 10th, we have no funds to carry out this extension at present, and we shall not be in a position to carry out any works until the proposed Madras Gas Company, "Limited," is fully organized and the Capital placed; but even if we had, we should not be able to carry out the proposed extension, as no specification has been sent along with the drawings.

"You may readily suppose that we should most willingly do all we could to assist the Government, if we could see our way to do so.

"We have commenced to make the preliminary arrangements to organize the Company, and will let you know, from time to time, how we get on."

No. 75. ORDER THEREON, 5th March 1867, No. 662.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 4.

As it appears from these papers that there is no probability in the present state of the money market, of a Company being formed to undertake the lighting of the Fort with Gas, the project submitted by Dr. Wyndowe and the Executive Engineer of the Fort Range with their letter of the 15th November last, will

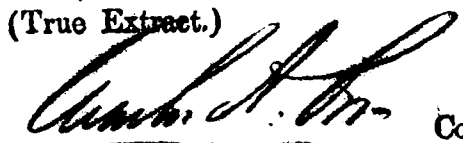
* From Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, 27th November 1866, No. 3,372.

be laid before the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India in pursuance of the instructions of the Government of India, as conveyed in their letter dated 31st March 1866, No. 364 M.

Ordered that the following letter be sent:—

(Here enter No. 663, dated 5th March 1867.)

(True Extract.)



Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.

.. Public Department.

.. Military Department.

.. Superintendent Government Gas Works.

To Mr. P. Orr.

Ezd. S. T. Augustin.

