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Public works DEPARTMENT.

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No. 7. Read the following Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Public Works Department, (Establishment,) dated Fort William, 22nd January 1869, No. 151 E:—

Appointment of additional Civil Engineers to the Public Works Department in India.
Read again:—

Despatch to the Secretary of State for India, No. 95 (Public Works), dated 30th June 1868.
Read also the following reply to the above:—

From the Secretary of State for India, to the Government of India, dated 28th October 1868, No. 93.

1. On receipt of your Excellency's Despatch No. 95, of 30th June last, an advertisement was issued from this Office inviting Civil Engineers to come forward as candidates for temporary employment in the Public Works Department in India, and stating that fifty gentlemen would be selected, ten as Executive Engineers of the 4th Grade, twenty as Assistant Engineers of the 1st Grade, and twenty as Assistant Engineers of the 2nd Grade, in case so many should, on examination, be found duly qualified. It was not considered advisable to invite any candidates to come forward for appointment as Assistant Engineers of the 3rd Grade, as twenty-two, who had apparently not been taken into account in the calculations made in India, had obtained that grade at a competitive examination just before the receipt of your Excellency's Despatch. In answer to the advertisement, applications were received from 250 candidates.

2. Major Chesney, R. E., and Mr. G. P. White, C. E., who were charged with a similar duty on a previous occasion, were requested to examine the testimonials, and test the qualifications of the candidates. In their report they recommended fifty gentlemen for appointment, and these were nominated accordingly, but several of them having since resigned, their places have been filled up by others whom the Examiners had named as being qualified for appointment, in case their services should be required.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
1st March 1869.*

3. The statement in the margin gives the names of the gentlemen finally

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<i>Executive Engineers, 4th Grade.</i>		
Mr. C. C. Adley	17th October ...	Calcutta.
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" T. P. S. Crosthwait	17th October ...	Calcutta.
" W. J. W. Heath	31st " ...	"
" W. Henderson	7th November.	Bombay.
" G. F. J. Hood	17th October ...	Calcutta.
" G. H. Howe	17th " ...	"
" H. M. Mathews	31st " ...	"
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" T. T. Ryan	31st October ...	Calcutta.
<i>Assistant Engineers, 1st Grade.</i>		
Mr. J. R. Bell	7th November.	Bombay.
" J. A. Coghlan	7th " ...	"
" H. W. Clift	7th " ...	"
" C. H. Croudace	7th " ...	"
" R. Foley	17th October ...	Calcutta.
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" R. M. Henderson	31st " ...	"
" E. J. Jones	31st " ...	"
" G. N. R. Lambert	24th " ...	Bombay.
" J. C. Ledger	31st " ...	Calcutta.
" G. W. Macgeorge	24th " ...	Bombay.
" T. B. Morris	17th " ...	"
" J. Ramsay	31st " ...	Calcutta.
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" H. T. Tanner	24th " ...	Bombay.
" W. B. Taylor	31st " ...	"
" R. Winder	17th " ...	Calcutta.
<i>Assistant Engineers, 2nd Grade.</i>		
Mr. G. C. F. Barnardo	24th October ...	Bombay.
" J. W. Brasington	7th November.	"
" E. Bullock	31st October ...	"
" P. B. Cunningham	17th " ...	"
" R. H. Denny	17th " ...	"
" R. Fogerty	17th " ...	"
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" J. E. Hilton	31st " ...	Bombay.
" R. B. Joyner	24th " ...	"
" T. W. Miles	7th November.	"
" R. D. Morgan	24th October ...	"
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" W. C. Owen	7th November.	"
" P. Reynolds	24th October ...	"
" W. P. Richardson	7th November.	"
" H. Rigge	31st October ...	"
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" A. Valentine	31st " ...	"

instant. The following have received advances of the amounts set against their names, which should be recovered by such monthly deductions from their pay as your Excellency may deem proper:—

Mr. J. R. Bell...	£
" H. W. Clift	100
" W. J. W. Heath	100
" G. H. Howe	125
" G. N. R. Lambert	100
" P. Reynolds	100
" W. P. Richardson	50
"	30

5. Arrangements have also been made for the payment in this country of £17 a month to the wife of Mr. T. T. Ryan, and £8-6-8 a month to the wife of

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1st March 1869.*

Mr. W. P. Richardson, commencing from the date of appointment. It will, therefore, be necessary that corresponding reductions should be made from their salaries in India.

RESOLUTION.—Orders for distribution* to the various Governments and Administrations of the Civil Engi-

* DISTRIBUTION.

	Executive Engineers 4th Grade.	Assistant Engineers 1st Grade.	Assistant Engineers 2nd Grade.
Madras... ..	0	2	2
Bombay	1	3	3
Bengal... ..	2	2	2
N. W. Provinces... ..	1	3	3
Punjab... ..	1	2	4
Oudh	1	0	1
Central Provinces	0	2	0
Central India	1	1	0
Rajpootana	0	1	2
British Burmah	1	2	1
Mysore	1	1	2
Hyderabad	1	1	0
	10	20	20

in the increased establishments which have been or shortly will be applied for.

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to the Financial Department, to the Accountant General, Public Works Department, and to the Local Governments and Administrations concerned, for information.

(Signed) C. H. DICKENS, Colonel, R. A.,
Secretary to the Government of India.

To the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department.

No. 8. ORDER THEREON, 1st March 1869, No. 647.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 2.

Recorded with reference to the Orders Nos. 3,727 and 330 of the 30th November 1868 and 2nd February 1869 respectively.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

Public Works Department

Govt. of (1869) Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

Dated March 1st.

Recd.

End.

G. O., 1st March 1869, No. 647.

MARCH.

Nos. 7-8

Civil Engineers.—Proceedings of the Government of India, relative to the appointment of certain Civil Engineers to the Public Works Department in India, recorded.

No. 151 E.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
ESTABLISHMENT.

FORT WILLIAM, JANUARY 22, 1869.

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*S. C. White, Secretary to the Govt. of Madras
Public Works Department*

their places have been filled up by others whom the Examiners had named as being qualified for appointment, in case their services should be required.

3. The statement in the margin gives the names of the gentlemen finally appointed,

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Mr. C. C. Adley	17th October	Calcutta.
" W. J. B. Clerke	7th November	Bombay.
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" W. Henderson	7th November	Bombay.
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" H. Rigge	31st October	"
" F. Robertson	17th "	"
" C. B. Target	24th "	"
" A. Valentine	31st "	"

4. Counterparts of the Covenants entered into by the several gentlemen appointed, are transmitted as numbers in the packet, as also are printed copies of papers handed in by them to the Examiners, giving particulars of their professional experience. Their salaries all commenced on the 8th instant. The following have received advances of the amounts set against

men finally appointed, together with the grades in which they have been severally placed, and the days fixed for their embarkation from Southampton. With the view of avoiding the delay that would be caused by waiting for the fortnightly steamers to Calcutta, it has been arranged that a certain number of the Engineers shall, in the first instance, proceed to Bombay, from whence they can be sent forward to Calcutta, or to any other part of India that your Excellency may see fit. Telegraphic instructions should be issued to the Government of Bombay as to the disposal of those gentlemen who may land first in that Presidency.

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Rajpootana	1	1	2
British Burmah	1	1	0
Mysore	1	—	—
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Colonel, R. A.,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To The Secretary to the Govt. of Madras
Public Works Department

22nd 1869 Dept
Pro of Geo. Geo. March

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.

To

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No. 51 E.

Dated January 22, 1869.

Received 4th Feb/69

Appointment of additional Civil Engineers to
the Public Works Department in India.

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Encl.

G. O. *1st March* 1869, No. *647*

Nos. *728*

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