

Extract from the Proceedings of a European District Court Martial held at Fort Saint George on the 3rd August 1865, and so continued by adjournment till the 16th day of August 1865.

ALFRED JAMES STARKENBURGH General No. 269 Ordnance Artificer in the Company of Ordnance Artificers.

1st Charge. For having at Madras on the 11th day of July 1865 deserted from Her Majesty's Indian Forces, not returning until brought back by a Police Constable on the 10th day of August of the same year.

2nd Charge. For having at Madras on the 10th day of August 1865 made away with the following articles of his Regimental Clothing and necessaries; namely one Quilt, one pair of Regimental Cloth Trowsers Government Clothing in wear, one Hair Brush, one pair of Shoe Brushes, one Tin Plate, one Tin pot, one White Jacket, and one spoon.

3d Charge. For having at Madras on the 10th day of August 1865 lost through neglect, the following articles of his Regimental Clothing and necessaries namely one Quilt, one pair of Regimental Cloth Trowsers Government Clothing in wear, one Hair Brush, one pair of Shoe Brushes, one Tin plate, one Tin pot, one White Jacket and one Spoon,

Finding on the 1st Charge.—Guilty of the First Charge.

Finding on the 2nd Charge.—Guilty of the Second Charge.

Finding on the 3rd Charge.—Not Guilty of the Third Charge.

Revised Sentence. The Court sentences the Prisoner ALFRED JAMES STARKENBURGH, General No. 269 an Ordnance Artificer in the Company of Ordnance Artificers attached to the Gun Carriage Manufactory at Madras to undergo an imprisonment with hard labor for a period of one hundred and sixty eight days, and further to be marked with the letter D in the usual manner, also that he be placed under stoppages until the articles named in the Second Charge, namely one Quilt, one pair of Regimental Cloth Trowsers Government Clothing in wear, one Hair Brush, one pair of Shoe Brushes, One Tin plate, one Tin pot, one White Jacket and one Spoon be made good.

MADRAS  
22nd August 1865. }

(Signed) L. HOLLAND, Major,

Madras Staff Corps.

President.

Approved and Confirmed.

(Signed) J. R. SMYTH, Major General,

Commanding Centre Division.

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N<sup>o</sup> 499 Gun Carriage Manufactory  
Madras 21<sup>st</sup> September 1865  
From The Officiating Superintendent  
Gun Carriage Manufactory  
To The Secretary to Government  
Department Public Works  
Fort Saint George  
Sir

I have the honor to forward 4  
copies of Extract from the Proceedings  
of a Court martial held on the trial  
of an Ordnance Artificer of the Or-  
dnance Artificer Company and re-  
quest you to have the goodness to  
forward them to the Ordnance Ar-  
tificers employed in the Depart-  
ment Public Works for information

I have the honor to be  
Sir-

Your Obedient Servant  
J. B. Carr To Colonel  
Off<sup>r</sup> & Supt<sup>r</sup> Gun Carr Manuf<sup>y</sup>

Enc E D

977 No 202 Date  
20th Sept 1865  
The Secretary to Govt

Carriage Manufactory  
The Secretary to Government  
Department D. 11  
Fort St. George

Dated 21<sup>st</sup>  
Recd 22<sup>nd</sup> } September 1865

No 499  
1865

Forwards Copies of  
Contract from the Proceedings  
of a Court Martial held  
on the trial of an Ordnance  
Artificer.

Enclosures 4.

vide No 76

W.

Public Works Dept

No  
Proceedings of the Madras Government  
Under date 18<sup>th</sup> September 1865  
Recd the following

From the Offg. Comm  
Carriage Manufactory  
Forwards Copies of Extract  
from the Proceedings of a Court  
Martial held on the trial of  
an Ordnance Artificer.

Received 21<sup>st</sup> Sept 1865  
No 499

Communicated  
as follows.

To Ordnance Artificer } Thro' the Officer in  
charge of the Store  
Depot

To — Do. J. Barnett. Thro' the S.E. of the S.D.

To — Do. J. Skipp. Thro' the S.E. of the S.D.

To the Officer in ch of 2<sup>nd</sup> Mtl  
the Store Dept 31<sup>st</sup> Dec

To S.E. & Son — 1<sup>st</sup> Mtl  
1<sup>st</sup> Dec

To S.E. & Son — 1<sup>st</sup> Mtl  
1<sup>st</sup> Dec

Recd 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept 1865

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San Francisco 22<sup>nd</sup> September/65.

Dear Sir,  
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. in relation to the above named matter.  
I have the honor to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,  
J. F. Bates

Acting Deputy Secy. of the Interior

San Francisco 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept/65  
Dear Sir,  
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. in relation to the above named matter.  
I have the honor to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

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Had the  
arrived at the last place  
proceeding  
the collection  
George S. G. G.  
for 23 people

Dr. of Beaumont office  
25 September 1865

1879

Official Letter.

The undersigned has the honor to request that his application No. 872 of 11 instants for 3 months' privilege leave may be referred to the Controller of P.W. for his usual report; the same having been inadvertently submitted direct to the Secretary to Government, P.W.

Superintending Engineer, P.W. Dept. }  
1<sup>st</sup> Div, Madras, }  
13<sup>th</sup> September 1865. }  
Superintending Engineer, P.W. Dept.

To The Secretary to Govt.  
P.W. - Madras.

For 1/12/10  
25 8/12/10  
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21 Sept 1865

Sir,

From

To

Secretary to the Board of Examiners,

25 Sept 1865

No. 564

BOARD OF EXAMINERS' OFFICE,  
25 Sept 1865

With reference to your letter as per margin, I am directed by the Board of Examiners to annex for your information a Memorandum showing the arrangements for the approaching examination of persons employed in your Department; and to request that you will instruct the persons to present themselves before the Committee at the station and on the date therein specified.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

Secretary.

9776

Superintending Engineer's  
Office, Fort Waller  
11<sup>th</sup> September 1865.

From  
Captain J. G. Dyer R.E.  
Of  
Superintending Engineer's Office  
Colonel C. A. Barr R.E.  
Secretary to Govt, R.E.

Sir  
Referring to the subject of my  
telegram to you, and dated 5<sup>th</sup> Sept.  
1865, I have the honor to report that,  
both the Deputy Inspector General  
of Hospitals and the Medical Surgeon  
urge me to give up work for a con-  
siderable number of months on the grounds that,  
if I do not, the sight of my left eye  
will probably be permanently lost.  
2. I have therefore the honor to  
apply for two months' privilege leave  
from the date of leaving my H. & Quar-  
ters by the first Coast Steamer  
of October.  
3. The arrangements for carrying out

by  
5<sup>th</sup> Oct.

From  
The Secy. Engineer  
to  
the Secretary of War  
Army Medical  
Dept 13<sup>th</sup> Sept 1865  
Capt. G. Dyer  
R.E.

11<sup>th</sup> Sept

I thank you for  
application to 872<sup>d</sup>  
1<sup>st</sup> class for 2 months  
privilege leave from  
the 8<sup>th</sup> Sept to the  
1<sup>st</sup> Oct. of 1865  
for the usual report

and the new system of accounts will  
be completed before I leave, if the  
Controller can supply the blank  
forms by that time.

4. The unadjusted balance of  
previous year's expenditures up to 30<sup>th</sup>  
April '65, for the Division is now  
Rs 14,627.

5. I will leave with Captain  
Beatty a sketch Budget for 1866/67,  
and will give him full information  
regarding questions which he may be  
called upon to decide or difficulties to  
be expected during the period of my  
absence.

I have the honor to be

Your most Obedt Servt

W. J. <sup>to the Secy</sup>  
Superintendent Engrs & Arty



Admission to the  
Central Office  
to the Records for  
report.

Wm. Stewart  
Rt. Hon. R. &  
Under Secretary

21st Sept 1865

21st Sept 1865

21st Sept 1865  
The Secretary to the Government  
of the Colonies  
to the Secretary to the  
Government of the  
Colonies  
21st Sept 1865

21st Sept 1865

Admission to the  
Central Office  
to the Records for  
report.

21st Sept 1865

No. 118.

Captain J. G. Pyper, R.E. Engineer.  
1st Division is eligible for two months  
accumulation leave under the Financial  
Regulations the Government of India dated  
28th Nov 1860 & 1861.

Capt R.E.

Chief of P.W. accounts

The Under Secretary to Govt.  
No. 81

7th Sept 1865  
21st Sept 1865

No. 2358.

Musee Public Works Dept  
Central Office  
Current Branch.

From  
Colonel E. Lawford R.E.  
Chief Engineer of Mysore.

To  
The Secretary to the Government  
of Fort Saint George  
Public Works Department

Sir,  
I shall feel obliged by you fur-  
nishing me with a copy of the Proceedings  
of Government Public Works Department,  
No. 2454 dated 23rd August 1865, as, on  
applying to the Adjutant General for the  
transfer of an Overbur to the Effective  
Superannuation List, I was requested to  
pursue the course therein prescribed.

I have the honor to be  
Sir

Your most Obedt Servant

Lawford Colonel R.E.  
Chief Engineer of Mysore.

engalnd  
21st Sept  
1865

May 1865 Consulting Engineer's Office  
No. 99

The Consulting Engineer for  
Railways has the honor to inform the  
Chief Secretary to Government, in  
reference to his official Memoran-  
dum of the 10<sup>th</sup> instant, No. 318, that  
the Government Solicitor has not yet  
sent in the Draft Agreement which  
he was requested to prepare. He  
has been written to on the subject  
to day, and on the receipt of the  
Draft Agreement, the Report cal-  
led for by Government will be  
made.

Done  
August 1865

J. Anderson M.E.  
Consulting Engineer for R.R.

To the Chief Secretary to Government  
Fort Saint George

25/10/65  
Done for attention  
No. 2350

From the Chief Engineer of  
the R.R.

to the Secy. to the Govt.  
Fort Saint George  
P.M. 24/10

Done 25/10/65  
No. 2350

- Subject

Requests to be furnished  
with a copy of the Proceedings  
of Government. P.M. 24/10  
No. 2350, dated 23/10/65

Subscribed  
Done for attention  
No. 2350  
25/10/65

Recd: Aug/65 No. 83084

1865  
The Consulting Engineer  
for Railways.  
To  
The Chief Secretary  
to Government  
Bombay

Dated 12<sup>th</sup> }  
Recd 15 } August/65  
" 26 }

No 7.

No 617

Informing that  
the Government Solicitor  
has not yet sent in  
the Draft Agreement  
which he was requested  
to prepare. No 85  
20<sup>th</sup> Sept/65  
26<sup>th</sup> Sept/65

No 80.

Memo

The undersigned  
has the honor to  
request the Chief  
Secretary to Govt. to  
be good enough  
to furnish this Dept.  
for transmission to  
the Govt. of India  
with three copies  
of that portion of  
the Administration  
Report for 1864/65  
which relates to  
Railways in this  
Presidency -

George  
4/65

Chapman  
to Govt

Dated 25<sup>th</sup> September.

P. 131

Supp. Engr. Office of the  
Camp Cochin 18th Sept 1885

From

Signt. Col. G. St. Walker R.E.  
Superintending Engineer of the

to

Colonel N. A. Orr R.E.

Secretary to Government of the  
Madras.

Sir

I have the honor to report that  
Quarrier Vedamootoo has requested  
to be permitted to decline the promo-  
tion to Supervisor granted him  
in Govt. Order No. 6 of 5th August.  
He could not take up one of the  
heavy Ranges of the Malabar Dis-  
trict, and late illnesses and family  
circumstances induce him to  
avoid such a move as he would  
have had him make to the  
lightest of the Canara Ranges.

I have accordingly been  
taking some pains to find out  
which of the Canara Quarriers  
could best fill the vacant place  
in that District. I am happy to  
say that there are 3 of them who  
have given me great satisfaction  
throughout my acquaintance with  
them of nearly six years, viz. John  
Rampah, Rodriguez, and  
D'Nele. I have named them  
in the order of their seniority,  
and I think also of their practical  
merit as Executive Agents, and  
in recommending Rampah  
for promotion I enclose original  
testimonials which will show

Encl. 6

P. 11. 1165-1166  
Do - for signature

The Chief Secy.  
Madras

Dated 28th Sept 1885

M. S.

Regarding to  
be furnished with the  
original portion of the  
Administration Report  
for 1884-85 which will be  
to the Railways of  
this Presidency.

of the 7<sup>th</sup> Div. The Genl  
have been unable  
to accede to his  
recommendation

The following  
promotion is ordered.

Partly as the 2<sup>nd</sup> grade  
Tulley Omeron, North  
West District, District  
as Supervisor 2<sup>nd</sup> grade,  
vice Subconductor  
Smithers promoted,  
or until further  
orders, and to be  
posted to the 7<sup>th</sup>  
Division —

W. S. E. 4<sup>th</sup> Div. ✓  
W. S. E. 7<sup>th</sup> Div. with Encl. ✓  
W. Smithers ✓

Sept 25<sup>th</sup> September.

Dr. W. H. W. 5-10-1877  
To Mr. W. W. D. 1877  
J. H. W. W. W. W.

25-10-1877  
No 77

Referring to the  
on letters from  
the 1877-1878  
recommending  
Councils for the  
-mission to the  
of the