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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 29th October 1857.

No. 11. Read the following letter from J. D. SIM, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort Saint George; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government Revenue Department; dated Fort Saint George, 1st October 1857, No. 3276

Sir,

With reference to Extract Minutes Consultation 14th September 1857, No. 934, Revenue Department, relative to the employment of Ordnance Artificer Cooke, on the Survey of the Madras Collectorate, I am *desired* by the Board of Revenue to inform the Government that they propose that Artificer Cooke should be paid from the amount sanctioned by Government in Extract Minutes Consultation 6th January 1854, No. 26, Revenue Department.

	Monthly.	Rs.
For Survey,	- - -	291½
Registry,	- - -	81
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		375½
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2. J. P. Cooke was appointed Assistant to the Surveyor under sanction of Government 10th March 1854, No. 282, Revenue Department, and was paid 50 Rupees a month by the Collector of Madras, out of the amount sanctioned for the survey, till 12th June 1857, when he was appointed Sub-Overseer in the Department Public Works, on a salary of 60 Rupees a month. This salary as Sub-Overseer he drew from the Collector's Treasury, till 31st July 1857, when he was removed from the Department Public Works, in consequence of reduction in the establishment, and remanded to the corps of Artificers.

3. This 60 Rupees a month from 12th June to 31st July 1857, was debited by the Collector to the Department Public Works under the head of "salaries;"* but it is a question if 50 Rupees of it should not have been debited to the Revenue Department, as Cooke was exclusively employed on the same duty, for which he drew 50 Rupees a month from the sum sanctioned by Government for the Collectorate Survey.

* *In accordance the Board conclude with para. 3 of G. O. G. 3d February* 1857.

4. I am desired further to state the reason of the delay in furnishing the information called for in Extract Minutes Consultation 3d of August 1857, No. 773, R. D. The Board having in my letter of 18th August 1857, explained that the letter to which Government were replying was sent to the Government office by mistake, *considered it cancelled*, and were about to address Government afresh, after having had some correspondence on the subject with the Collector of Madras.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM, *Acting Secretary.*

No. 12. ORDER THEREON, No. 1084; dated 23d October 1857.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council approves the proposed payment to Mr. Cooke of the salary of Rupees (50) fifty per measent, authorized in Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 14th September 1857, No. 934, from the sum sanctioned for the Madras Survey Establishment. The arrangement suggested in para. 3 of the Board's letter above recorded, in order to debit to the Survey, 50 Rupees out of the monthly salary of 60 Rupees paid to Mr. Cooke from the Public Works Department from 12th June to 31st July 1857, is approved.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

