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No. 95. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. BELL, Chief Engineer; to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated 29th November 1859, No. 7759.

With reference to paragraph 4 of the orders of Government of the 23rd instant, No. 2736, calling for a distribution statement of the remaining balance of the sum of Rupees 67,000, set apart for the completion of the canal communication between Bezwada and Dauléswarum; I have the honor to state that the sum of Rupees 13,317 applied for in my letter of the 12th instant, No. 7196 for works in the Vizagapatam district, which is very urgently needed, together with Rupees 10,000 requested in my letter of 26th instant, No. 7664, to be added to the sum allowed for Chingleput, diminishes the available balance to the small sum of Rupees 3,553, and this amount I would suggest should be kept in reserve, to answer emergent demands which any other district may hereafter be called upon to meet.

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Balance.....	26,870
Required for Vizagapatam & Chingleput.	23,317
Available...	3,553

No. 96. ORDER THEREON, 15th December 1859, No. 2923.

The Chief Engineer will have learnt by the order of 28th ultimo No. 2772 that Government do not approve of his proposal to devote so large a proportion of the Kistna bridge money to the Vizagapatam district. Ten thousand rupees will be applied to the erection of the school buildings at Saint Thomas' Mount under the order noted in the margin;* and the Chief Engineer will exercise his discretion as to application for the employment of the still unappropriated balance.

*Dated 3rd December 1859, No. 2820.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

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Central Office of S.W.
Port Saint George
29th November 1859.

No. 1754

From,

The Chief Engineer

To,

The Secretary

to Government S.W.D.

Public
General

Sir,

With reference to para 4 of the orders of Government of the 23rd Instant. No. 2736, calling for a distribution Statement of the remaining balance of the sum of Rupees 67,000 set apart for the completion of the Canal communication between Bezwáda and Dowleswaram; I have the honor to state that the sum of Rupees 13,317 applied for in my letter of the 12th Instant. No. 1796 for works in the Vizagapatam District, which is very urgently needed, together with Rupees 10,000 requested in my letter of 26th Instant. No. 1864 to be added to the sum allowed for Chingleput, diminishes the available balance to the small sum of Rupees 3,553, and this amount I would suggest should be kept in reserve, to answer emergent demands which may

Balance 26,870
Required for Vizagapatam and Chingleput 23317
Available 3553

other

thier District may hereafter be called upon to meet.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servt.

Fort Saint George
29th November 1850

R. Lill Lieut.t Colonel.
Chief Engineer.

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department.

W. Spencer Esqre

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" " 30th " " 1881/59.
From Chief Engr E.D. 26th Nov'r/59 C No 3082 in Rec.

No 95 & 96.

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P.W. 1850 Department.
Fro: of Govt 20th Dec.
No 3115.

From,
The Chief Engineer

To,
The Secretary
to Government P.W.D.

Dated 29th November 1859.
Rec'd
No 2923. 15th December
No 7759.

Intimates that a small sum remains out of the balance set apart for the Bezwada bund which should be reserved to meet emergent calls.

From the Chief Engr E.D.
5th Jany/60: No. 61.
With an order

No 2923.

The Chief Engineer will have learnt by the order of 28th Ultimo No 2772 that Government do not approve of his proposal to devote so large a proportion of the Kistna bridge money to the Vizagapatam District. Two thousand rupees will be applied to the erection of the school buildings at St Thomas' Mount under the order noted in the margin; and the Chief Engineer will exercise his discretion as to the application for the employment of the still unappropriated balance.

+ dated 23d Dec/59 No 2820.

Fort St George
15th Decr 59

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To the Chief Engr E.D. P.W.D.