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No 282. Read the following Endorsement from the Chief Engineer, dated Chepauk, 19th December 1860, No. 8,175:—

Read the following letter from Lieutenant W. C. PALMER, Acting District Engineer, Trichinopoly, to Lieutenant-Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, Deputy Chief Engineer, Southern Circle, dated Camp Trichinopoly, 8th December 1860, No. 1,039.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to report to you that a favorable change has taken place in the weather, and heavy rain has fallen since yesterday at noon.

2. The Aryaur and Corayaur have come down in fresh and filled the Weyacondam, and the fall of rain appears to be general all over the District, and the Cauvery has risen 10" or from 1'-9" to 2'-7" since yesterday.

3. The rain was much required for the cultivation as none had fallen for the previous six weeks, and great fears were entertained that there was a failure of the monsoon and that there would be serious loss to the crops occasioned thereby.

4. Although the Cauvery was so low, the Corumbus kept up a good supply in all the channels, and I have lately passed through the whole of Lalgudi and found the fields well supplied and the tanks generally had one month's supply in them.

5. This timely fall of rain will remove all fears for the safety of the crops.

Submitted for the information of Government.

(Signed) W. H. HORSLEY, Lieut.-Colonel,
Chief Engineer.

No. 283.

ORDER THEREON, 21st December 1860, No. 2,618.

Ordered to be recorded.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Pichinopoly District Engineer's Office
Camp Pichinopoly 3 December 1860

From

Lieutenant W. B. Palmer

Acting District Engineer

To

The Deputy Chief Engineer
D.P.W.

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I have the honor to be Sir
Signed R. L. Palmer Esq.
Acting District Engineer

N^o 8175

Submitted for the information
of Government.

Central Office (W)
Bhopal (K)

19th Dec 1860
J. D. Sim Esq.
Chief Engineer

To J. D. Sim Esq.
Acting Secretary to Government

22.10.1860

Pa. 77-1866 O'chose
of Fort York
p. 3033.

From

Thos. (Colonel R. H. M. C. of
(Prof. Engineer)
to J. B. Smith Esq.

Admiral Decatur's Report
(p. 108)

Dated 19th Dec 1866
(P. 108)

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Mr. Smith's letter of 19th
advising for info.
making of a letter
from the District Engineer
Trenton, N. J. (referring)
the change of weather that
had taken place since
the 7th instant and the
state of Virginia and
Maryland.

21st Dec 1866