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No. 296. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Chief Engineer, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, dated Chepauk, 11th December 1860, No. 7,832 :—

SIR,

Adverting to paragraph 6 of my letter No. 7,506, dated 30th November 1860, entered in the Proceedings of Government No. 2,495, dated 4th December 1860, I have the honor to forward the accompanying copy of a Telegram received from the Collector of South Canara, intimating that he concurs with the District Engineer in the expediency of constructing the bridge over the Nullah on the road from Mangalore to Mercara at an estimated cost of Rupees (4,000) four thousand.

No. 297. ORDER THEREON, 22nd December 1860, No. 2,624.

Ordered to be recorded.

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

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MONTHLY OFFICE No. 25

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SOUTHERN DIVISION.

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Madras. Via Mysore. Madras.
Collect.
To *Chief Engineer*
Words *125*
For Telegram of twenty words in the English language
District Engineer's estate. (Estimate).

[Signature]
ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH OFFICE.
Sent on *3 Sept 1864*

[Signature]
Assistant in Charge.

Central Office of Public Works
Chepauk 11th December 1860.

N^o 1832.

From,
Lieutenant Colonel W. H. Forsley
Chief Engineer D. P. W.

To,
J. D. Sim Esquire
Acting Secretary to Government, P. W. D.
Fort Saint George.

Public

Sir,
Adverting to Para 6 of my letter N^o 7506 dated 30th November 1860, entered in the Proceedings of Government N^o 2495, dated 4th December 1860, I have the honor to forward the accompanying copy of a Telegram received from the Collector of South Canara, intimating that he concurs with the District Engineer in the expediency of constructing the Bridge over the Nullah on the road from Mangalore to Mercara at an estimated cost of Rupees (4,000) Four thousand.

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Your Most Obedient Servant

W. H. Forsley, Lieut. Col.
Chief Engineer.

Central Office of P. W.
Chepauk
11th December 1860.

A. B. Lieut. Col.
Acting Chief Engineer N. C.
X. M. B. M.

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The Collector of

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Telegram informing
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