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No. 219. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Chief Engineer, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated Chepauk, 3rd August 1861, No. 3,537 :—

SIR,

1. With reference to paragraph 8 of the Order of Government No. 1,383, dated 25th ultimo, I have the honor to observe that, as the letter from Lieutenant Hunter to the Sessions Judge, therein alluded to, never came before me (but was apparently submitted by the Inspector General of Gaols direct), I could not possibly take any notice of it.

Dated 30th March 1861, No. 657.

2. Captain Oakes has been directed to visit Tranquebar as soon as possible, and furnish the report called for in the 7th paragraph of the order above referred to.

No. 220. ORDER THEREON, 12th August 1861, No. 1,536.

The Government consider the explanation of the Chief Engineer satisfactory. A copy of Lieutenant Hunter's letter to the Sessions Judge of Negapatam referred to in Proceedings of Government, 25th ultimo, No. 1,383, will be now furnished to the Chief Engineer.

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

Central Office of Public Works.

Chepauk 3rd August 1861

No 3537

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From,

Lieutenant Colonel W. A. Horsley,

Chief Engineer D. P. W.

To,

J. D. Sim Esqre

Secretary to Government P. W. D.

Fort St George.

Sir,

With reference to para 8 of the order of Government No 1383 dated 25th Ultimo, I have the honor to observe that, as the letter from Lieutenant Hunter to the Sessions Judge therein alluded to, never came before me, but was apparently submitted by the Inspector General of Jails direct, I could not possibly take any notice of it.

Dated 30th March 1861. No 657.

The letter does not appear to have passed through the Central office

2. Captain Oakes has been directed to visit Tranquebar as soon as possible and furnish the report called for in the 7th para of the order above referred to.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servant

W. A. Horsley Lieutt Colonel

Chief Engineer D. P. W.

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From,
Lieutt Coll W.A. Horsley
Chief Engineer D.P.W.

To,
J. D. Sim Esqre
Secy to Govt P.W.D.
Fort St George

Dated 3rd
Rect 5th August 1861

No. 3537

Observes that as the letter from Lieutt Hunter to the Sessions Judge did not pass through the Central Office the Chief Engineer could not be expected to take any notice of it in submitting the documents connected with the Tranquebar Jail and Court House.

With an order -

No. 1536. 12th Augt

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The Government consider the explanation of the Chief Engineer satisfactory - A copy of Lieutenant Hunter's letter to the Sessions Judge of Negapatam referred to in Proceedings of Government 25th Ultimo No. 1383 will be now furnished to the Chief Engineer -

Fort St George
12th August 1861

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