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No. 306. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Chief Engineer, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated Chepauk, 10th August 1861, No. 3,776 :—

SIR,

In reply to paragraph 2 of the Proceedings of Government, dated 19th July 1861, No. 1,340, I have the honor to state that it is believed the allowance of 17 lacs made in the Budget for 1861-62, for establishments and contingencies, will be sufficient to cover all usual charges connected with them, as in past years the aggregate charge did not exceed that limit. The charges on that account in the years 1858-59 and 1859-60 are entered in the margin ; at the same time I would observe, that if charges, such as freight, &c., on stores from England, pay and allowances of Medical Officers and their establishments at Dowlaishwaram and Bezwada, and others which have not hitherto been allowed for in the Public Works Budget, are to be debited to the Department from the 1st May last, as would appear to be the case from inquires which have been made within the last month by the Civil Auditor to ascertain whether such charges are provided for in the Public Works Budget, I fear the above sum will be exceeded.

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No. 307. ORDER THEREON, 20th August 1861, No. 1,579.

Ordered to be recorded.

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

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Central Office of Works
Chepauk
10 August 1861

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From
Lieut.t Colo.l H. St. P. Worsley
Chief Engineer D.o W.

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To
S. D. Saw Esquire
Secretary to Government P.W.D
Fort Saint George

Sir,

In reply to Para 2 of the Proceedings of Government dated 19th July 1861. №. 1340, I have the honor to state that it is believed the allowance of 17 lacs made in the Budget for 1861/2 for Establishments and Contingencies will be sufficient to cover all usual charges connected with them, as in past years the aggregate — Charge did not exceed that limit.

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D. T. Ponsley Lt. Colo.
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To
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From
Lieut Col W. H. Bowker
Chief Engineer

To
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Secy to Govt NB
Fort St George

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Explains with reference to Proceedings of 19th July /61 that the 17 Lacs allowed in the Budget for Establishments and Contingencies will most probably be sufficient for all usual Charges.

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