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No. 106. Read the following letter from V. H. LEVINGE, Esq., Political Agent of Poodoocottah, to the Honorable T. PYCROFT, Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madura, 26th September 1862, No. 134 :—

SIR,

1. With reference to the orders of Government in the Public Works Department, Nos. 1,348 and 2,138, dated respectively 13th June and 6th September 1862, directing that the portion of the Trunk Road No. 8, which lies in the territory of the Rajah of Poodoocottah, should be made at the cost of Government, I have the honor to submit that as the work in question is calculated to benefit his own country also, it is the wish of the Rajah that it should be made at his expense.

2. As the State is independent and the road in question lies in his territory, I beg to recommend that his request may be taken into the favorable consideration of Government.

3. In the event of the Rajah's request being complied with, the work in question can be conducted under the superintendence and suggestions of the Officers of the Public Works Department.

No. 107. ORDER THEREON, 7th October 1862, No. 2,397.

The Government regret that they are unable to modify their Order No. 2,138, dated 6th September 1862.

(Signed) W. I. BIRDWOOD, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

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Madura
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Wm Pennyquick Esqre
Political Agent of
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To
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The Superintendence of Public Works
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Chief Clerk

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