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No. 273. Read the following letter from Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, Deputy Chief Engineer, Southern Circle, to Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 6th March 1862, No. 11,167:—

SIR,

With reference to paragraph 12 of the Proceedings of Government, dated 24th December 1861, No. 2,394, I have the honor to submit for orders the accompanying letters from the Collector and District Engineer of Madura, reporting that "the Salt Department can undertake "the execution of repairs to the Salt Platforms, and to watching sheds, and petty repairs to the "different Salt Chowkies," and to recommend that the sanction of Government to the arrangement may be obtained, as I concur in opinion with the District Engineer, that it would be far better to allow such work in future to be done by the Salt Department.

1 Letter dated 15th February 1862, No. 1,581, with one accompaniment.

No. 274. ORDER THEREON, 18th March 1862, No. 466.

The Government approve of the arrangement proposed in the foregoing letter by the Deputy Chief Engineer Southern Circle, and resolve to communicate these Proceedings to the Revenue Department with a view to the issue of the necessary orders in that Department.

(Signed) W. H. HORSLEY, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

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By Ch. Engrs Office
Colpetty
6th March 1862

No 11169.

Sir,

Colonel Thos. Birdwood
Dy. Ch. Engr. No 6,

&

Lieut.t Col. Thos. H. Dorsey
Secretary to Govt. Pub.d
Fort St. George.

Sir,

Public.

With reference to para-
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as I concur in opinion with the District Engineer, that it would be better to allow such work in future, to be done, by the Salt Department.-

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedt Servt

S. Ch. Hyde Esqr
Asst Engineer
6th March/52.

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Lt. Col. Engrs

To
Lt. Col. H. L. Stanley
Secretary to Govt P.W.D.
Port St George

24th Dec. /61 No. 366.

Public Works Dept.
Chief Engineer's Office
Calcutta, the 6th March 1862.
No. 636
Lieut. R. A. Harrison
Dy. Chief Engineer
&
Lieut. H. W. Hawkins
Engrs. & Surveyor
Tenasserim.

Sir,

Dated 6th March 1862
Rec'd 7th March
No. 466-18 March
Sub. 1161.
Encl. Ref. to Date

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 366, dated the 24th December 1861, and to state that the repairs to the Salt platforms &c. in the Straits Settlements should be undertaken in future by the Public Works Department.

W. H. Hawkins
Secretary

No. 1703 P. 274.

Govt. Dept. 1813.

No. 466.

The Government is approved of the arrangement proposed in the foregoing letter by the Deputy Chief Engineer S. Circle and resolve to communicate these Proceedings to the Revenue Department with a view to the issue of the necessary orders in that Department.

Fort St. George
18th March 1862

To the Hon'ble Chief Engr. Circle

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