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No. 301. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. OUCHTERLONY, Acting Deputy Chief Engineer, Northern Circle, to Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 11th March 1862, No. G. 83/205:—

SIR,

No. 508, 13th March 1861. With reference to the Orders of Government No. 508, 13th March 1861, conveying an intimation of the desire of the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India to be furnished with photographic views of the Irrigation Works on the rivers Godavery and Kistna, I have the honor to submit herewith a letter from Major Stoddard soliciting sanction for a purchase of photographic chemicals to admit of his carrying out the orders above quoted through the instrumentality of Lieutenant Thompson of the Engineers, now doing duty with the Sappers and Miners at Dowlaishwaram.

No. 302. ORDER THEREON, 19th March 1862, No. 481.

Before passing final orders on this application, the Government desire that inquiry be made through the Educational Department as to whether the necessary apparatus together with chemicals for photographic purposes cannot be procured from the Principal of the Civil Engineering College, to whom it is believed Captain Tripe made over all his stock when his establishment was broken up.

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

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Godavery District Engineer's
Office, Dowlaiswaram
1st March 1862.

No 1298

From,

Major J. F. Stoddard
Acting District Engineer
Godavery District

To,

Lieutt Colo. L. Cracherode
Acting Deputy Chief Engineer
Northern Circle
Madras.

Public Sir.

The Secretary of State for India and the Government have on several occasions expressed a wish to have photographic views of the Godavery works.

2. There is at present an Officer of the Sappers, Lieutenant Thompson, who thoroughly understands the art of Photography and is very successful in his practice, but he, of course, cannot afford to purchase the Expensive chemicals and other requisites. I have, therefore, the honor to request you will be good enough to solicit the assistance of Government in procuring them. On applying to Messrs. Nicholas at

at Madras, I paid that it will cost about 300 Rupees to get all Lt. Thompson's wants. I hope Government will sanction that sum and authorize me to charge it in my Contingent Bill, supported by Messrs Nicholas' receipt.

I have the honour to be

Sir

Your most obedient Servt

Dowlaiswaram
1st March 1862

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Major
Acting Executive Engineer
Godavery District

Labour & Rivers No 205

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From

The District Engineer

Godavery

To.

The Deputy Chief Engineer

Northern Circle

Madras

Dated 1st March
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Enclosures None

Requests Sanction of Govt for Rs 300---- to purchase Photographic chemicals & other requisites, for the preparation of photographic views of the Godavery works, by Lt. Thompson

Central Office P.W.D.
Chepauk. 11th March 62

205

From Lt. Colonel A. Anderson
Asst. Depy. Chief Engineer N.C.

To Lt. Colonel H.A. Hartley
Secretary to Govt P.W.D.

Sir,

With reference to the orders of Govt. Re. 508, 13 March 1861, conveying an intimation of the desire of the Rt Hble the Secretary of State for India to be furnished with Photographic views of the Irrigation works at the mouth Godavery Kishna, I have the honor to submit herewith a letter from Major Haddard soliciting sanction for a purchase of Photographic Chemicals & admit of his carrying out the orders above quoted thro' the instrumentality of Lieut. Thompson of the Engineers, now doing duty with the Sappers and Miners at Dowlaishweram.

Re 508
13 March
1861

I have the honor to be
Sir, Your most obed.t Servt
A. Anderson Lt Colx
Asst Depy Chief Engr N. C.

13th March 1862 No. 206-207.

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Lieut Kelly Dy Ch Engineer
Northern Circle
To Supdt to Govt.
Sir,
Dated 11th January 1862.
Rec'd 13th do
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No. 205

Forwards letter from the Revg Mr Gravely soliciting gratuitous Instruction in the Photographic Chemicals to admit of his sketching the views of the Irrigation Works on the Rivers Godavery and Kistna.

No. 481 - 19th March.
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No. 481.

Before passing Special orders on this application, this Govt. desire that enquiry be made first the Educational Dept. as to whether the necessary apparatus together with chemicals for photographic purposes cannot be procured from the Principal of the Civil Engineering College to whom it is believed Captain Fripp made over all his stock when his Establishment was broken up.

From P.S. to Govt.
19th March 1863.

To Educational Dept. Dispo.

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