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1. On the occasion of His Excellency the President's visit to Tinnevely last year, complaints, too well founded, were made that the state of the roads there towards the Coast were in exceedingly bad order. It would be very desirable to complete some of the lines which have been marked out as Government roads with as little delay as possible. The Superintending Engineer will be good enough to cause a proper Survey and Estimate to be made of any road which may open up a communication with Tuticorin, and to send in at once a Plan and Estimate for the road from Pallameottah to Tuticorin, including the bridge over the river. He will also report whether it would be advisable to make this a girder bridge.

2. Detailed Estimates of so much of the roads as can be completed within the year should be sent in without delay. The Superintending Engineer will bear in mind that the wish of the Government is to press forward the roads which can be completed within the year, and especially to concentrate as much labour as possible upon one line of road and to finish this before commencing another. By this plan there will be a saving of superintendence and the road will be soon fit for use.

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

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To The Sup^d Engineer 8th Dec^r 5th 1857

