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16th September 1864.*

No. 345. Read the following letter from Captain J. BEAN, R. E., Officiating Superintending Engineer, 6th Division, to Major J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, R. E., Deputy Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Tanjore, 5th September 1864, No. 1,315 :—

SIR,

In reply to Government Order No. 2,506, dated 30th August 1864, paragraph 2, calling attention to the omission of Order as per margin from the list of unanswered references

No. 3,811 of the 23rd December 1863.

of this Division, I have the honor to report that the delay in the submission of the accounts to Government for September and October last, pointed out by the Controller in his letter of the 17th December 1863, was not so much owing to the failure of the Range Officers in this Division in the submission of their monthly accounts, as to the discrepancies which occurred, pointed out by Lieutenant-Colonel Foord, between the lists of cheques drawn by Officers and the lists of cheques endorsed on the letters of credit by the Treasury Officers. These discrepancies occurred at a time when considerable misunderstanding prevailed generally regarding the proper entry of these cheques in the accounts and credit letters, and their separation into two lists according as they were drawn for salaries and establishments and for public works, but these difficulties have now ceased to exist.

No. 346. ORDER THEREON, 16th September 1864, No. 2,695.

Communicated to the Controller of Public Works Accounts with reference to Proceedings No. 3,811, dated 23rd December 1863.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, Major, R. E.,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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To
The Dy. Secretary to
Govt. Secy: Engineer
6th Dec
Contract 5th Dec 1864
Recd 9th Dec 1864
No 1315
2695-16420415/64
Relating to 4th Dec
No 2500 of the 30th Dec 1864
Regarding the Commission
of our Order from the
Govt. Secy: Engineer
No 1315 of the 30th Dec 1864
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I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Yours Capt. R.E.

Offs: Secy: Engineer 6th Dec

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Communicated to the Controller
of P. & W. Accounts with reference to
Proc. No 3811- dated 23rd Dec 1863.

To The Controller of
Public Works & Accounts
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