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No. 487. Read the following letter from Colonel R. STRACHEY, R. E., Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, in the Public Works Department, dated Simla, 16th August 1864, Circular No. 55 :—

SIR,

1. I am directed by the Governor General in Council to enquire whether any works are now in progress in Madras without Estimates, and if so, that a detail of them and of the circumstances under which they were ordered to be begun may be given.

2. This enquiry is not intended to include minor works, the cost of which is below Rupees 2,000.

(Signed) E. C. S. WILLIAMS, Captain, R. E.,
Under Secretary to the Government of India.

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Communicated to the Superintending Engineers, who will be requested to submit through the Controller, lists of the original works* in progress, in the Districts under their charge, without estimates, explaining fully, in the column of "Remarks," the grounds on which they have been undertaken.

*. To cost Rupees 2,000 and upwards.

(True Extract.)

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

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