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No. 139. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. M. BOILEAU, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 30th December 1863, No. 4,320:—

SIR,

With reference to the Proceedings of Government No. 3,773, dated 21st December 1863, I have the honor to observe that, while the instructions contained in their Orders of the 16th idem No. 3,709, to the effect that Superintending Engineers should furnish the Accountant General with Statements of cash balances *as soon as possible after the close of the month to which they refer*, can and will be acted up to; the orders conveyed in the Proceedings under notice, that such returns should be sent to the Accountant General *on the 1st of each month*, are simply impracticable, as Government are aware that these returns must be compiled from similar returns furnished by Range Officers which cannot all reach this Office till the 3rd or 4th of any month.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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From
The Superintending
Engineer L. D.

To
The Secretary
to Government

P. W. D.
dated 30. December 1863
Recd 31.

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Gives explanation on
the subject of submitting
Report of Cash balances on
the 1st of each month.

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