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No. 534. Read the following letter from Captain W. H. EDGCOME, R. E., Principal of the Civil Engineering College, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Chepauk, 16th November 1864, No. 447.—

SIR,

In reply to your Memorandum No. 124, dated 11th instant, I have the honor to inform you that the average number of *Engineer* Soldiers that pass out of the College annually for employment in the Department Public Works has hitherto been *seven*, but in order to meet the requirements of the Public Works Department, these have been supplemented by Soldiers from different corps; and to guard against the contingency of a possible reduction in this latter class, it would be well to consider ten as the necessary annual average of Engineer Soldiers.

No. 535. ORDER THEREON, 25th November 1864, No. 3,393.

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(True Extract.)

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

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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