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No. 576. Read the following letter from Captain F. J. MOBERLY, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Palamcottah, 7th April 1864, No. 2,200 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to request that I may be early informed as to the probability of sanction being given for the execution of the work of the Taluq Cutcherry at Ambasamoodram and the Moonsiff's Court at the same place.

2. I press it now because the Revenue Officers have made a seizure of upwards of 1,000 cubic feet of wood, cut without any license in the jungle near Papanassam, which is to be sold by auction.

3. I have requested the Collector to defer the notice of sale for a short time, as it will probably fetch only a low price.

No. 577. ORDER THEREON, 25th April 1864, No. 1,176.

1. The Government is unable to reply at present to the question in paragraph 1 of the foregoing letter.

2. The Superintending Engineer will, however, be informed that, if he can spare the requisite funds from the assignments at his disposal for the current year, he may lay in a stock of wood for future use, adjusting the expenditure eventually by charging it to the work or works on which the wood may be used.

3. Captain Moberly will be at liberty to apply, after the 1st May next, for funds for the two works referred to by him.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.
„ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

