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No. 126. Read the following Circular from the Secretary to the Government of India, (Military Works), to the Secretary to Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Simla, 5th October 1865, No. 96 :—

From replies received to Public Works Department Circular No. 29, dated 29th March 1865, it seems clear that the system of lettering Cantonment Roads, as laid down in a previous Circular,* is generally considered inconvenient, and not readily

* No. 20, dated 7th April 1863.

intelligible. I am, therefore, instructed to order its discontinuance, and to direct the introduction of the old practice, which quite meets general opinion, and is fully approved of in the Military Department, viz., of naming roads and streets after distinguished men whether Oriental or British; or in commemoration of great events; or after important buildings or local features; or, again, according to the professions and trades occupying particular streets. Roads leading in particular directions may be named according to the great city or other place which forms their object. Thus from Umballa, one road might be called the Delhi Road, another the Simla Road, and a third the Loodianah Road, and so forth.

(Signed) A. B. SAMPSON,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 127. ORDER THEREON, 8th November 1865, No. 3,342.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 7.

Communicated to the Military Department, and to the Superintending Engineers of Divisions, with reference to G. O. dated 29th April 1863, No. 1,076.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Military Department.
„ Superintending Engineers.

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To the Honorable Secretary
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Directs the introduction of the old system of designating Cantonnent Roads in substitution of that laid down in Public Works Department Circular No. 20 of 1863.

Joseph S. Snowden.

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