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No. 507. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp, Dowlaishweram, 4th September 1866, No. 104 :—

1. I have the honor to bring to the notice of Government the urgency of completing the new bridge at Cocanada, as I believe that the existence of the old one is very precarious. The materials are all ready, but with his Range and duty in the Workshop Mr. Sage cannot afford to give up the necessary time for its construction at Cocanada.

2. Owing to the state of his health it is certain that he will be obliged to leave India early next year. Captain Ryves informed me that he proposed to ask for Captain Mead to be appointed as his successor. If the Government intend to sanction this, and Captain Mead's services can be spared, I would beg that he be allowed to come up at once to look after the works at Cocanada, and acquire a knowledge of the Workshop duty as opportunity offers. In my No. 79 of 4th ultimo I have represented how short-handed I am in this important District, and would further point out that now I have only four Officers to six Ranges. Mr. Rundall and Sub-Engineer Veerana having two each.

No. 508. ORDER THEREON, 19th September 1866, No. 3,015.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 96.

The Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division is informed that Captain Makgill, who is shortly expected from England, will, on arrival, join the Godavery District, to which he stands posted. Captain Mead cannot be spared till he has completed the special duty on which he is now employed in the Tanjore District.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Supt. Engrs Office I.D.
Camp Dowlaishwarum
4th September 1886.

From Lieut Colonel F. S. Hoberly R.E.
Acting Superintending Engineer I.D.

To Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
Secretary to Government P.W.D.
Madras.

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Sir,
Your most obedient &c.

A. Moberly
Lt. Col. R. E.
Asst. Supt. Engineer I & C

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To The Supp Esgr: of the
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