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No. 401. Read the following letter from the Officiating Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Cooroomboor, 8th May 1869, No. 297 :—

I HAVE the honour to bring to your notice that the 1st Range Officer in Tinnevelly has been called upon to give his professional opinion on a matter before a Court beyond the limits of his own Range.

The Officer in charge of the adjoining Range, the second, could make the necessary inspection without being taken out of his Range, and without there being the same inconvenience that will arise if the 1st Range Officer is obliged to go.

2. The Courts are at present closed, and the question of the restriction of members of the Public Works Department as Commissioners has been referred to the High Court in G. O's. Nos. 1,086 and 1,392 of this year ; but I would submit for consideration, whether it is not advisable that the nearest Public Works Officer should be called upon by a Court, rather than one at a distance.

No. 405. ORDER THEREON, 18th June 1869, No. 1,988.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 51.

Vide G. O., No. 1,392, dated 29th April 1869, in Public Works Department.

RECORDED with reference to the Order in the Judicial Department, No. 635, of the 17th April 1869.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

Chief Engineer, Madras.

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No. 297. Superintg Engineers Office 8th Divn
Camp Coimbatore 5th May 1869.

From,

Captain C. S. Henderson R.E.
Officiating Superintending Engineer
8th Division

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

Sir,

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2. The Officer in charge of the adjoining Range, the 2nd, could make the necessary inspections, without being taken out of his Range; and without there being the same inconvenience that in the case of the 1st Range Officer is obliged to go.

2. The Courts are at present closed, and the question of the restriction of members of the P.W. Department as Commissioners has

has been referred to the High Court in
C.C. No. 1658 and 1392 of this year: but
I would submit for consideration whether it is
not advisable that the Second Police
Officer should be called upon for a Court
rather than one Constable.

Superintendent

Assistant Commissioner
Officer superintending Eastern
Division

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