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2nd February 1869.*

No. 64. Read the following Circular from the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Railway,) dated Fort William, 4th December 1868, No. 22:—

*Remuneration from private persons or public bodies not to be accepted by Members of the Department except in special cases under sanction of the Government of India.*

Copy of the following Extract from a Despatch from the Secretary of State, No. 87, of the 14th October 1868, forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations marginally noted, for information, in continuation of Railway Circular No. 12 of 1868.

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|                  | Rajpootana.        |

(By order,)

(Signed) C. H. DICKENS, Colonel, R. A.,  
*Secretary to the Government of India.*

*Extract from a Despatch from the Secretary of State, No. 87 of the 14th October 1868, addressed to the Governor General of India in Council.*

"PARA. 2. No Officer in the public service should be allowed to receive fees except under the special previous sanction of your Excellency's Government.  
\* \* \* \* \* It was very desirable that the views of the Supreme Government should be made known as a guide to Local Administrations in dealing with claims of this nature in future.

"3. I fully concur in the view that has been taken by your Government of the three particular cases that have come under their notice, and am of opinion that the practice of allowing Officers to receive fees and commissions, except under very exceptional circumstances, would be detrimental to the public service."

No. 65. ORDER THEREON, 2nd February 1869, No. 331.

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Communicated to the undermentioned Officers for information and guidance, in continuation of G. O. No. 2,678, dated 21st August 1868:—

Superintending Engineers.

Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Consulting Engineer for Railways.

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Officer in charge of Public Works Operations in Wynaad.  
General Superintendent of Public Works Stores.

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

To the Public, &c., Departments.  
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To Captain R. B. Kennedy.  
To the General Superintendent of Public Works Stores.

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CIRCULAR NO. 22 RAILWAY.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.  
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