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No. 393. Read the following letter from the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Establishment—Buildings and Roads,) to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Simla, 2nd September 1870, No. 448 E.B. :—

WITH reference to Public Works Department No. 837 B.M., dated 11th August 1870, I am directed to state that it has since been ascertained that the services of the Mechanical Engineer and the three Overseers engaged in England for employment in the Snider Ammunition factory at Saint Thomas' Mount are not required for the factories under construction at Dum Dum and Kirkee, and to enquire whether it is not possible to find employment for them in the Madras Presidency. If this cannot be done, I am to request that a report may be submitted showing the training and capabilities of these men, their pay, and the terms of their service, also as to the advisability and cost of cancelling the engagement of each man, and whether the terms of their service provide for their being employed solely on the Snider Factories or on general works for the department for which by their qualifications they might be suited, and in the latter case, on what description of departmental works their services could be best turned to account.

No. 394. ORDER THEREON, 22nd September 1870, No. 2,290.

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COMMUNICATED to the Military Department, with reference to G. O., No. 2,107, dated 2nd September 1870, and with a view to the information required by the Government of India being obtained and furnished to this department for transmission to that Government.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the Military Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Submitted shewing the training and capabilities

No. 448 E. B.

All communications should be addressed to the Secretary.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENT.
Buildings and Roads.

To
The Secretary to the Govt of Madras
in the Public Works Department.

Simla, 2nd September 1870.

Sir,

With reference to Public Works Department letter No 837 B. M. dated 11th August last, I am directed to state that it has since been ascertained that the services of the Mechanical Engineer and the three Overseers engaged in England for employment in the Shidder Ammunition factory at Ft St Thomas's Mount are not required for the factories under construction at Dum Dum and Kirkee and to enquire whether it is not possible to find employment for them in the Madras Presidency. If this cannot be done, I am to request that a report may be submitted shewing the training and capabilities

of these men, their pay, and the terms of their service, also as to the advisability and cost of cancelling the engagement of each man, and whether the terms of their service provide for their being employed solely on the Spider Factories or on general work in the Department for which by their qualifications they might be suited, and in the latter case, in what description of Departmental work their services could be best turned to account.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obed. Servant,
W. Hamilton
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India

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From.

Govt. of India
Dated 2nd Sept. 1850.
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~~Chief Secretary.~~

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Dated

Recd. P. M.

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Spider Ammunition Factory at St. Thomas' Mount. Letter from the Govt of India intimating that the Mechanical Engineer & Overseers employed for the Spider Ammunition Factory at St. Thomas' Mount are not required in Bengal & enquiring whether the services of these men cannot be utilized in the Madras Presidency, Comd & Fort Mily: Dept with remarks.