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No. 147. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Wellington, 29th September 1871, No. 129 :—

As I understand my reply to G. O., No. 2,229, of 1st September 1871, is not likely to reach you until the replies of the several other Superintending Engineers on the subject shall have been received and compiled at Madras, which will probably take some time, being most anxious that the changes recommended by me for the more efficient and convenient working of the Coimbatore District in particular should receive the early sanction of Government, I have the honour to enclose a copy of my letter* and the statement accompanying it, and respectfully solicit its early disposal.

One copy of letter with one Statement.

* No. 116 of 13th September 1871.

No. 148. ORDER THEREON, 10th October 1871, No. 2,575.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 11.

THE Governor in Council observes with reference to paragraph 7 of the Acting Superintending Engineer's letter of the 13th September 1871, No. 116, that Lieutenant-Colonel Farewell has misapprehended the object of G. O., No. 2,229, dated 1st September. The desire to have Public Works Ranges conterminous with Local Fund Circles was to avoid any practical inconvenience in the working of expenditure on roads if the interests of more than one Local Fund Board were concerned in the roads in one range, and not from any fear of the officer being unable to attend the meetings of two Boards, and it is therefore very desirable that the Coimbatore Talook, which is in the Northern Local Fund Circle, should be separated from the other three talooks which are in the Southern Circle.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. F. OAKES, Captain, R.E.,
Offg. Joint-Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Under date the 10th Oct/71.

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