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No. 277. ORDER THEREON, 16th December 1871, No. 3,165.

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COMMUNICATED to the Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division, who will arrange for the vigorous prosecution of the work.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. CARPENDALE, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.

Exd. E. C. Shunker

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From H.C.

THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF TELEGRAPHS IN INDIA,

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Your most obedt. servant

H. Murray Lt Colonel

Offg Director General of Telegraphs

Communicated to the Superintending Engineers
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of the works.

Hartt's Corps
16th Decr 1871

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To The Superg Engrs 1st & 2nd

In duplicate 16/12/71
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From.

The Asst Dr General
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