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No. 227A. Read the following letter from Colonel F. J. B. PRIESTLEY, Superintendent, Revenue Survey, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 3rd September 1874, No. 2,302-71 :—

THE Government in their Order No. 1,663-A, of the 26th June 1873, sanctioned a temporary establishment for nine months, at a monthly cost of Rupees 314, to be defrayed from the Public Works Budget for the speedy publication of the Taluq Maps already lodged in manuscript in the Central Survey Office.

From 1st July 1873 to 31st March 1874.

2. In my letter No. 750-26, of the 21st March 1874, whilst acknowledging the assistance rendered to the Central Survey Office, I remarked that there still remained some arrears of taluq work, to clear off which I recommended the continuance of a smaller money grant from the 1st April 1874, at Rupees 169 per mensem. This the Government were pleased to sanction in their Order No. 908 of the 1st April 1874.

3. When the grant was first made, thirty-one Taluq Maps were in arrears, since that date nineteen more Taluq Maps have been received, total fifty; of these, forty have been published, five are in progress, and five have not yet been taken up for lithography; eleven sheets of five district maps have also been lithographed.

4. As the sanction of the temporary establishment will expire on the 30th September 1874, I respectfully request that the Government will be pleased to continue the grant of Rupees 169 up to the end of the official year, by that time the whole of arrears of taluq and district mapping may be expected to be cleared off,

5. I enclose a list of Taluq and District Maps, published and in progress, brought up to the close of August.

6. I have to bring to the notice of Government the valuable assistance rendered by Captain Freeth, the Officer in charge of the Photographic and Mapping Department. Had it not been for the facilities for reproduction of maps afforded by the photographic process, so much progress could not have been made in so short a time.

No. 227B. ORDER THEREON, 10th September 1874, No. 2,581-A.

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Colonel, R.E.,
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