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No. 251. Read the following letter from Colonel H. O'CONNELL, Officiating Quartermaster General, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 23rd March 1874, No. 2,252 :—

I HAVE the honour to inform you that an estimate, amounting to Rupees 1,350, for constructing a rifle range at Palamcottah was sanctioned by Government in your Department in their Order No. 2,367 of the 9th October 1872.

2. Provision was made for the execution of the work in the Budget for 1873-74 in the grant for "Minor Works, Military," but the range has not been constructed.

3. Provision is now made for the same in the Budget allotment for 1874-75, but the Commander-in-Chief considers the completion of the range by next November to be of so much importance that His Excellency desires me to ascertain if funds cannot be made immediately available for the purpose.

No. 252. ORDER THEREON, 21st April 1874, No. 1,031.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 5.

THE work may be proceeded with in anticipation of an allotment of funds which will be made from the Reserve of 1874-75 under Military.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Military Department.
" District Engineer, Tinnevely.
" Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

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