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No. 382. Read the following Despatch from the Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India :—

INDIA OFFICE, LONDON,
8th October 1874.

Public Works,
No. 16.

MY LORD,—I have received your Excellency's letter, No. 25, of the 13th July last, with enclosures, explaining the circumstances under which head sluice and deep tank equilibrium valves and cast iron pipes have been obtained direct from Mr. Stoney in England, and requesting that a balance of £350, due to that gentleman in consequence, may be paid and charged against Imperial Funds.

2. This has accordingly been done; but, as already pointed out to you by the Government of India, the whole arrangement with Mr. Stoney has been marked by irregularities, of which, it is to be hoped, there will be no repetition in corresponding cases.

I have, etc.,
SALISBURY.

His Excellency the Right Honorable,
The Governor in Council, Fort St. George.

No. 383. ORDER THEREON, 21st November 1874, No. 3,299.

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Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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My Lord,

Your Lordship's

most obedient

humble servant,

Salisbury

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for equilibrium valves &c
obtained direct from that
Gentleman, and that
the course followed in
regard to this transaction
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Under Secretary

Chief Engr & Secretary to Govt
Public Works Dept
Fort St George

Signed W. Cotton Under Secretary

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To

The Chief Engineer.
Irrigation

Dated

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Mr. F. G. Stoney - Despatch from the Secy of State intimating the arrangements made for the payment of the amount due to Mr Stoney for Equilibrium values &c obtained direct from that Gentleman, & that the course followed in regard to this transaction should not be repeated, ordered to be recorded