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No. 162.

Order—dated 21st December 1882, No. 3396 W., Public Works.

Ordered that the following reply be sent.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. H. SANKEY, Colonel, R.E.,
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Read the following:—

From

The Secy of State for India (PE No 30 Statistics & Commerce of 23 November 82)

Ordered that the following reply be sent

(PE No 53 / 33964 W of 21/12/82)

To

The Rt Hon: the Secretary of State for India.

My Lord Marquis,

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt

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and to inform you in
reply that the book
and publications therein
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transmitted with special
reference to your Lordship's
Despatch of the 3rd
February 1882 No. 4 - but
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request of the President
of the Library Committee
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addressed to our
Secretary in the F.W. Dept.,
for certain [illegible]

which it was desired
to dispose of.

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by the President himself
from a List with which
he had been furnished -
and the Package was
addressed to him with
a covering letter from our
Secretary which probably
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over by the India Office
to the President.

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Likewise be made over
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