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No. 67. Read the following letter from Captain F. APPLEGATH, 33rd Regiment M.N.I., to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Madras, 30th August 1860:—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Official Memorandum, No. 328, dated 17th August, and regret that in consequence of my having travelled incessantly since my last visit to the Krishna, I have not been able to reserve any specimens of the rocks from that locality, but I hope that the required information may be gathered from the accompanying Survey and rough Geological Sections of the Strata.

2. If the inspection of specimens is absolutely essential, I would suggest that as the only person acquainted with the locality, I should be permitted to proceed thither as soon as circumstances permit, and make such a collection as may be necessary to satisfy Government. The assistance of a few (say four) Sappers with their tools and blasting apparatus would be extremely valuable. If I am provided with a passage in the Government Steamer, a sum of two or three hundred Rupees would cover the expense of such a trip, and looking at the important results which must follow from the discovery of Coal, in a locality with cheap water carriage available, I hope so small a charge will not be deemed immoderate.

3. The accompanying Survey and Sections being very roughly prepared, may I ask the favor (should the Government decide upon sending them to England,) of an opportunity being afforded me of getting them lithographed.

No. 68. ORDER THEREON, 5th September 1860, No. 1,519.

The sketches received with this letter will be transmitted to the Secretary of State with Captain Applegath's application of the 31st July.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

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