No. 5. Read the following telegram from G. THORNHILL, Esq., Ganjam through Berhampore, to the Revenue Secretary to Government, Madras, dated 30th December 1871 :—

SANCTION requested to spend by Department Public Works seven thousand five hundred Rupees in preparing metal for trunk road which is rapidly wearing out under extraordinary traffic of grain-carts from Orissa. Population near the road requires employment to avert future distress. Also one thousand five hundred Rupees to complete road to merchants' godowns, Ganjam, required to provide employment for distressed people in Ganjam Town. Send following tools to Gopaulpore by next steamer :— 250 stone-breaking hammers, each 5 pounds ; 250 stone-breaking hammers, each 7 pounds ; 100 stone-breaking hammers, each 10 pounds.

No. 6. ORDER THEREON, 3rd January 1872, No. 3.

Miscellaneous.

THE necessary instructions for the despatch of the tools have been issued in the Public Works Department.

2. Ordered that the following telegram be despatched in reply :—

To Mr. G. Thornhill, Ganjam, by Berhampore.

" Expenditure seventy-five hundred Rupees metalling trunk road, and fifteen hundred Rupees repairing road to Ganjam godowns, sanctioned.

" Tools required will be despatched by next steamer."

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To G. Thornhill, Esq.
,, the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant-General.
,, the Public Works Department.
,, the Financial Department..

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Revenue 1871 Deptt

No. 4139

Telegram
From G. Thornhill Esq.
Berhampore

Dated 30 Decb
30. 12. 71.

Requesting sanction to spend Rs 7,500 in preparing metal for trunk road, & to send certain Kind of tools to Gospaulpore by next steamer

Write order

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