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No. 345. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 16th October 1867.

Read the following letter from the Superintendent of Stamps, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madras, 15th October 1867, No. 687 :—

1. I have the honor to report, for the information of the Board of Revenue, that the store-room which was under construction in the Stamp Office compound, under the sanction marginally noted, and which yesterday was near completion, is now a total wreck. It appears that the roof, covering a superficial area of 1,276 feet, was made to rest on two brick-in-chunam pillars, which were a part of the old building, and that these supports proving unequal to the weight of the roof, gave way at about 7 o'clock last evening, bringing down the entire roof. I do not know what sum has been expended on the work already, but I find that it will be necessary to rebuild the whole from the very basement.

G. O., Public Works Department, No. 1,541, dated 22nd May 1867.

2. It was most providential that the building came down at the time it did, for only two hours before, or at about 5 P. M. yesterday when I left the Office, there were several men and women at work on the roof and about the building.

3. The Engineer in charge, who I hear visited the place this morning, will of course send a detailed report of the accident to the proper department.

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1. Submitted for the information of Government, with reference to G. O. in the Public Works Department, dated 22nd May 1867, No. 1,541.

2. The Board are glad to learn that the accident has been attended with no loss of life.

No. 346. ORDER THEREON, 17th October 1867, No. 2,445.

Miscellaneous.

Communicated to the Department Public Works.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Public Works Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Submitting for information
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of Stamps reporting
the fall of the Store Room
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