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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

OFFICE OF SANITARY ENGINEER,

Fort St. George, 31st March 1896.

From

J A JONES, Esq., MEM. INST. C.E., F.R.S.E.,

SANITARY ENGINEER TO GOVERNMENT,

To

The Chief Secretary to Government

Local and Municipal Department

SIR,

I have the honor to inform you for the in-
formation of Government, that on the 18th March 1896 ~
I received a telegram from the Adoni Chairman stating
that the Siphon of the Water Works was out of order and
no water could be got to the filters and requesting assistance
of the Assistant Sanitary Engineer. It was doubtful ~
whether under the terms of G.O. No 2073 M., dated 9th ~
December 1895, assistance should be given at the expense
of Government to the Municipality, but seeing the ~
urgency of the case I acceded to the request.

On arrival at Adoni the Assistant
Sanitary Engineer found that the Chairman had ~
connected a valve, in rear of the old sluice of the tanks,
to

to the filters. This sluice was closed at its inner end to prevent water passing into the sluice under pressure. The effect of opening the sluice and the connection made by the chairman was to put pressure on the bund and cause a leak. The Assistant Sanitary Engineer seeing the danger incurred removed the arrangement and led the water direct to the mains which is at a much lower level, and by careful regulation of supply there will be no pressure in the sluice nor through the bund from the sluice. Water is therefore in the meantime being delivered without filtration.

3. The cause of failure of the syphon is the presence of some grit in one of the valves which prevents it closing completely, as the packing being loose, and the syphon cannot be filled quickly enough to allow of its working.

4. The valve is under water and can be dealt with only by divers with diving dresses & whom I am arranging to obtain from the Harbour Works but it will be 10 weeks yet before they go up.

5. It would be an advantage if provision were made for a second syphon. The cost would be only about Rs 3000 and there is money available with

with the Council. I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Wm. Smith

Sanitary Engineer to Govt.

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To
The Chief Secretary
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CHIEF SECRETARY
10/4 APR. 1896
VERMONT, CT MADRAS

Dated 3/4 March
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Subject

Adoni Water Supply

Informing that the Syphon of the Water Works has become out of order & that arrangements are being made for setting it right and suggesting that provision may be made for a second syphon out of the money available.

To The Chairman, M.C. Adoni
" Sanitary Engineer.
Dated 1/5/96

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