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Fort St. George, Public Works Consultation of 26th January 1858.

No. 65. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer, dated 16th November 1857, No. 5231.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant J. MULLINS, District Engineer Nellore ; to Colonel C. E. FABER, Chief Engineer, dated Nellore, 7th November 1857, No. 2247.

SIR,

In continuation of my former reports,* I have the honor to forward for your information, a copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer Nellore Range, reporting the breaching of 43 tanks in the Nellore, Talamimchy and Survapully Talooks.

2. Some few of these tanks were breached prior to the storm of the 1st to 2nd Instant, but the principal damage has been done by that storm. The list is, I am sorry to say, still incomplete, the five tanks of Veeruna Caunpoor, which I visited a day or two before the storm, and which was then quite full, and in very fair order, being now breached in 3 places, and without a drop of water in it.

3. The Kistnapatam road has suffered very severely. Messrs. Morris, and Hooper who returned this morning from a visit to two French vessels, which were wrecked on the coast, having told me that they counted 14 tunnels washed away between Nellore and Bramadavem 9 miles, while to the east of Bramadavem, there is really no road at all. This damage has been principally caused by the bursting of the Bramadavem and Wulloor tanks.

From Captain RITHERDON, Executive Engineer Nellore District ; to Lieutenant J. MULLINS, District Engineer Nellore, dated Vencatachellum Chuttrum, 6th November 1857, No. 816.

SIR,

I have the honor to report the breaching of the undermentioned tanks, accounts of which have reached me from various sources ; and at the same time to inform you, that I have called the attention of my subordinates to the necessity of supplying fuller information in future. I have considered it better to put you in possession of the news as it arrives, to withholding it until the receipt of fuller details ; and the present list gives the number of breaches in each tank up to the 2nd Instant.

Condlapoody large.....	Tank	2
Sadynary.....	"	2
Coomarapoody Nulla.....	"	1
Yerra.....	"	1
Varegondah Caserajoo.....	"	1
" Partha.....	"	2
Totapully Goodoor large.....	"	6
Totapully Canka.....	"	4
" Canagoontah.....	"	1
" Kotha.....	"	1
Madarauz Godoor.....	"	not given
Calevalpallam.....	"	8
Canoopurty Paud.....	"	5
Condiapallam.....	"	1
Amloor.....	"	1
Edoor Codoor.....	"	8
Poonnoor.....	"	not given
Ramanah.....	"	1
Laboor large.....	"	not given
Brahmanah.....	"	not given

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Mooddevurty pallem.....	”		10
Nellore.....	”		3
Cakatoor 2 tanks.....	”		not given
Venkanapallem.....	”		1
Pedathapoolar.....	”		not given
Singapallum.....	”		do.
Bramadavum.....	”		do.
Panooburty.....	”		do.
Wulloor.....	”		do.
Mootkoor.....	”		do.
Nalatoor.....	”		do.
Survapelly.....	”		do.
Ulloor tank 200 yards long } 30 ” } 2			
Mopoor.....	”		not given
Greddagoontah.....	”		do.
Gagoolloo.....	”		do.
Amaloor.....	”		do.
Dagadurty.....	”		do.
Peddapathadoo.....	”		do.
Poorney.....	”		do.
Gogoolapully.....	”		do.
Painampoor.....	”		do.
Alloor road at Pydairoo.....	”		do.

II. Instructions have been issued to the members of the Department under my orders, to fill all breaches in anticipation of sanction been given for the execution of the estimates, they have been directed to prepare and send in immediately.

Resolved in continuation of former report, to submit copy of the foregoing letter No. 2217, dated 7th November, from the District Engineer of Nellore, with its enclosure, reporting the breaching of 43 tanks, for the information of Government, and to state the Chief Engineer's opinion of the inadequacy of the District Engineer's present establishment for effecting repairs.

(Signed) C. E. FABER, Colonel,
Chief Engineer.

No. 66. ORDER THEREON, No. 133; dated 26th January 1858.

The Chief Engineer is referred to Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 18th November 1857, No. 2120, in which the necessary instructions were issued on the subject of the present reference.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

N^o 5231.

*Extract from the Proceedings of the Chief Engineer
in the Department of Public Works Port of San George*

Under date the 16th November 1857

Herrn Dr. J. H. Müller

Cambridge, June 18

Lieutenant C. S. Hudson

Electric Engineer - Kalam

Colonel C. G. Sutor

Chief Engineer G. F. W.

Revenue Irrigation

Dear Mr. May,

The continuation of my former reports,
to have the same be forwarded for your information, as
copy of a letter from the Executive Engineer, Major
Parker, regarding the breaching of 13 Tanks in the
village, Tulamunchy and Surapally Taluqs.

2 Some few of these Blacks were reached prior to the storm of the 1st to 2^d. I noticed, but the principal stormage has been done by that storm.

The List is, I am sorry to say, still incomplete. The first tier of Verano Canoe, which I visited a day or two before the steam, and which was then quite full, and in very fair order, being now braced in splines, and without a drop of water on it.

3 The Washington Road has suffered
very severely. Messrs Morris and Moore who returned

Allen

This morning from a visit to the French vessels, which were wrecked on the coast, having told me that they counted 14 Tunnels washed away between Velore and Pramodavem 9 miles - while to the east of Pramodavem, there is really no road at all. This damage has been principally caused by the landing of the Pramodavem and Nilloor Tanks.

Velore 7th November 1857
 I have the honor to be Sir,
 District Engineer Velore

To The District Engineer
 Velore

Sir,
 I have the honor to report the reaching of the undermentioned Tanks, accounts of which have reached me from various sources; and at the same time to inform you, that I have called the attention of my subordinates to the necessity of supplying fuller information in future. I have considered it better to put you in possession of the news as it comes, to avoid withholding it until the receipt of fuller details, and the present list gives the number of breaches in each Tank up to the 2^d instant.

Condappoody large Tank 2
 Indyanay " 2
 Vennarapooddy Kulla " 1
 Yera " 1
 Vargondah Chasrajoo " 1
 " Parthar " 2

Thirupully Goodoor large Tank 4
 Thirupully Tank " 4
 " Cunnaygoontah " 1
 " Nitha " 1
 " Madarney Goodoor " not given
 " Chulapallam " 8
 " Cunnaygoontah " 5
 " Condappallam " 1
 " Ambur " 1
 " Edeer Cudoor " 8
 " Pannoor " not given
 " Rammanah " 1
 " Laboor large " not given
 " Brahananah " not given
 " Woodemarty pallam " 10
 " Vellur " 3
 " Cunnay 2 Tanks " not given
 " Venknapallam " 1
 " Pedathapaloor " not given
 " Lingapallam " 2
 " Pramodavem " 2
 " Pannooly " 2
 " Nilloor " 2
 " Moolthar " 2
 " Kallatoor " 2
 " Surampally " 2
 " Velloor Tank 200 yds long } 2-
 " 30 " }
 " Kappoor " not given
 " Eppiddo goontah " 2
 " Yagoolloo " 2
 " Amaloor " 2

Dagadurty, _____ Tank _____ not given
Poddapathadoo _____ " _____ do
Poonery _____ " _____ do
Gogoolapully _____ " _____ do
Pannampoor _____ " _____ do
Allor road at Pydaroo _____ " _____ do

II Instructions have been issued to the members of the Department under my orders, to fill all breaches in construction of various kinds, necessary for the execution of the Estimates, they have been directed to prepare and send in immediately.

Wentworthellum Chetrum I have the honor to be
6th November 1857 / Signed / W. A. Herdson Capt
Executive Engineer Nellore District
/ Enc. Copy /
/ Signed / J. Mullins Lieut.
District Engineer Nellore

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/ J. J. Thos. Esq. Esq.
J. J. Thos. Esq. Esq.
Colonel
Chief Engineer
To The Secretary to Government
P. W. D.

W. S. S.

Done 1st December, 1862

Miss Webb 1868 Department
Cm: 26th January 1864

Extract from the Circulars of the
Chief Engineer
of the Society to Government
Engineers

20th 16th }
Received 17th } 1862

No 52931

Communicated for information
in connection of former report
a letter with its enclosure from
the District Engineer, Melbourne, re-
porting the breaking of his engine
in 3 cylinders of that District
and observed that the present
establishment of standards
and is inadequate for
effecting repairs. No 53-103 (1862)
appearing with an order (1862)

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The Chief Engineer is
referred to extract minutes of con-
-ference dated 18 November 1862, at 2120,
in which the necessary instructions
were issued on the subject of the
freedom reference.

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of copies to the Chief Engineer. 2120-27