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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

No. 51 of 1860.

TO THE RIGHT HONORABLE THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA.

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1. We transmit the papers noted in the margin, in continuation of our letter in this Department dated 2nd July 1860, No. 46. The principal paper is a letter addressed by Captain Haig, to the Resident at Hyderabad, communicating the result of his interview with Birjoji Vikáji, the delegate of the Nizam's Government, in the matter of the Canal to be taken off the north bank of the Godavery river, through the] Badrachellam Zamíndári.

2. The terms on which the land to be taken up for the Canal is to be transferred to the British Government, could not be settled pending a survey of the ground; but Captain Haig's intercourse with the Nizam's representative was nevertheless satisfactory. The latter visited the site of the annicut, &c., and part of the line of Canal, and appeared impressed with the value of the project to the Hyderabad State. Captain Haig congratulated himself that he has to deal with such a highly intelligent and capable native gentleman. As a good surveyor was about to join Captain Haig at the date of his report, he hoped that the survey would be completed within three months.

3. We have to add that the negotiation for the transfer of the whole tract of country north of the Godavery belonging to Hyderabad is now pending; and in accordance with a requisition to that effect from the Government of India, we have just directed Captain Haig to proceed to Hyderabad in order to aid the Resident by his knowledge of the wants and advantages of the Godavery navigation, in getting matters satisfactorily arranged in relation thereto.

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Right Honorable Sir,

Your most obedient humble Servants,

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For Mr. Adams

P.W.D.

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