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No. 315. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel J. CARPENDALE, Acting Deputy Chief Engineer, Central Circle, to Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. HORSLEY, Chief Engineer and Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 3rd February 1862, No. 10,127:—

1 Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 43, dated 6th January 1862.
1 Letter from the District Engineer Cuddapah, No. 463, dated 4th October 1861.
1 Abstract estimate.
1 Specification.
1 Revenue statement.
1 Sketch.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to forward herewith an abstract estimate amounting to Rupees 1,200, accompanied by the usual documents, for restoring the Pammadipalli big tank in Royachoti Táluq, Cuddapah, which having been breached eight years ago and left unrepaired has reverted to Government.

2. The proposed works consist of filling the breaches, strengthening and raising the bund, constructing two calingulahs for the surplus water, and building two irrigation sluices.

3. There is at present no cultivation under the tank: thirty-six acres of land can be brought under cultivation, and eventually perhaps ten more.

4. The Ryots agree to bring the whole thirty-six under cultivation, at the rate of nine acres a year, and there will be a sufficient supply of water in the tank.

5. The return of revenue would be:—

1st	Year	Rupees	90-12-0 or	7½ per cent.
2nd	do:		181- 9-0 „ 15	do.
3rd	do.		272- 6-0 „ 22	do.
4th	do.		363- 0-0 „ 30	do.

6. The project has been approved of by the Collector; and the Revenue Board remark that they cannot doubt that the work will be remunerative and is highly desirable. It is entered in the Budget for 1862-63 as No. A, and I would recommend that it should be brought under the early consideration of Government in order that if funds are available the work may be commenced after the 1st May.

No. 316. ORDER THEREON, 19th February 1862, No. 260.

The estimate amounting to Rupees 1,200 submitted with the above letter is sanctioned, but no apportionment of the Reserve fund for 1862-63 can be made until after the commencement of the official year, when an application for the grant should be submitted by the Deputy Chief Engineer, Central Circle.

(Signed) W. H. HORSLEY, Lieut.-Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

Proc.ᵈ of the Madras Govt. Public Works Department

Under date the February 1862

Read the following letter from the Acting Deputy Chief Engr.ᵒ C Circle.

Submitting correspondence regarding the restoration of the Pemmadapalli Tank in the Poyachotta Taluq Cuddapah Dist.ᵗ and recommending that if funds are available the work may be commenced after the 1st May-

Recd. entered 3 February 1862 A.ᵒ 1072.

Cancelled

I while admitting the desirability of restoring all works like that submitted with the above letter - the Govt will yet consider that in the present State of the finances, the attention of the Officers of the Public W.D. will be better directed to commencing public - of a more comprehensive character - than a number of small works like that of the Pemmadepilli Tank the probable eventual total increase of Revenue from which it is likely to amount to only Rs 363 -

I however no appointment of the Reserve Funds can be made this after the commencement of the New official Year -

J.D.T.H.

I depends upon the amount of the Estimate whether the work will be remunerative or not but if there is clear evidence of a respectable return it matters little whether this money is expended in many small works one by one I am in favour of carrying out these repairs to small Tanks or rather restorations as speedily as the command of the public expenditure will admit of

Countersd

To The Acting Chief Engr. C Circle

Restoration of Pammadipalle Tank in the Cuddapah District

Deputy Chief Engineer's Office
Central Circle
Chepauk
3rd February 1862.

No. 1012.

From
Lieutenant Colonel J. Carpendale
Acting Deputy Chief Engineer C.C.

To
Lieutenant Colonel W. A. Haveley
Chief Engineer and Secretary
to Government P.W.D.

Irrigation.

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Abstract
Plan
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5. The return of revenue would be

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Deputy Chief Engr's
Office Central Circle
Chepauk
2nd February 1862.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant
J Calvencedale Lt Col
Actg Dy Chief Engr C.C.

To
Lieutenant Colonel W. A. Hardey
Chief Engineer and Secretary
to Government P.W.D.

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From
Lieut.-Colonel Farquharson
Actg. Dy. Chief Engr. C.D.

To
Lieut.-Col. R. D. Mignan
Chief Engr. and Secretary
to Govt. P.W.D.

Dated 3rd
Rec.d 4th } February 1862

Encl.
Returned

Rs. 10127.

Submits Correspondence
regarding the re-location of
the Pennadapelli Tank
in the Royachotty Taluq
Cudd.pah District and
recommends that if funds
are available the work may
be commenced after the 1st
proxo.

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of the Reserve Fund for 1862/63 can be
made until after the commencement
of the official year, when an application
for the grant should be submitted
by the Dy Chief Engineer Central Circle

W. D. M.

Fort St. George
19th Feby 1862

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To The Deputy Ch. Engr. C. Circle
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" Accountant Genl.
" Civil Paymaster.

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