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6th January 1865.*

No. 35. Read the following letter from Captain A. S. MOBERLY, R. E., Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Cuddapah, 16th December 1864, No. 162 :—

SIR,

I have the honor to request the sanction of Government to my writing off to "profit and loss" a sum of Rupees 32-2-5, which cannot be recovered : the circumstances of the case are as follows :

2. Chellamiah, formerly a Sub-Overseer in the Kurnool District, submitted an account of Rupees 208-11 8, as expenditure on the repairs of the Machinanapalli tank calingulah in the Sirwell Taluq in that District : on the completion of the work being reported, Captain Beatty, the District Engineer, and Mr. Paynter, the Range Officer, inspected the work and found that only work to the amount of Rupees 73 had been executed.

3. The fraud was reported to the Chief Engineer in a letter No. 70 of 8th December 1862, and orders were apparently issued by that Officer, to recover the difference, viz, Rupees 135-11-8* from the Sub-Overseer.

4. At different periods, sums amounting altogether to Rupees 103-9-3 appear to have been recovered, leaving a balance of Rupees 32 2-5, which cannot now be recovered as the man is dead.

No. 36. ORDER THEREON, 6th January 1865, No. 18.

Under the circumstances explained the Government grant authority for the sum of Rupees 32-2-5, referred to in paragraph 1, being written off to "profit and loss" They must remark however that there has been very great and unnecessary delay in submitting the matter for the orders of Government.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Accountant General.

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