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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
23rd February 1864.*

No. 478. • Read the following letter from Major General S. O. E. LUDLOW, Consulting Engineer for Irrigation and Canal Company, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Kurnool 12th February 1864, No. 147 :—

SIR,

1. In continuation of my letter No. 133 of the 23rd January 1864, I have the honor to forward herewith copy of a letter from the Collector of Nellore, submitting his Budget Statement for 1864-65 of the cost of the Establishment engaged in making over land to the Company and the purchase money of the land in that District.

2. Mr. Dykes allows only Rupees 10,000 for the purchase of land and contingencies; but as a considerable portion of the Nellore works are expected to be brought under construction during the ensuing year, I am of opinion that the sum estimated by me, viz., Rupees 1,00,000 had better remain unaltered in the Budget for 1864-65.

No. 479. ORDER THEREON, 23rd February 1864, No. 540.

1. The Budget for 1864-65 having been despatched to the Government of India, the Government is unable to make *special* provision for the Establishment*

* Total cost Rupees 420. represented to be required in the Nellore District for the purpose of making over land to the Irrigation Company.

2. Rupees 1,00,000 have been entered in the ensuing year's Budget under the head "Purchase money of land," Nellore District.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Consulting Engineer for Irrigation and Canal Company.
„ Agent for do. do.

Exd. T. Dunn.

Letter

N^o 46 Vellore Collectors Office
Udayagiri 2nd Jan 4/65
From J. to B. Dykes Esq^r
To Collector of Vellore

Major Genl W. E. Sullivan
Consulting Eng^r for I. V. C.
Sir Madras

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt
of your letter of the 6th Instant N^o 1107
state that as far as I have been able
to ascertain the probable requirements in this
District during 1864/65 on account of the
"purchase money of land" for the purposes
of the Madras Irrigation Canal Co.,
will on a rough estimate amount to
Rupees (10,000) ten thousand

2 On receipt of your letter of the 30th Nov^r
N^o 102 I requested the Company's Executive
Engineer in charge of the Vellore Division
to furnish me with details of the extent,
position, description and class of the land
he would probably require for the Compa-
ny's works in 1864/65 to enable me to send
you the Budget statement called for and
from his reply, copy of which I enclose
you will observe, the information cannot
be given with much accuracy

I however gather from Mr East's
letter

letter that so far as the lines of channel
has been decided on, 1556.65 acres of land
are likely to be occupied under classes
A & B & calculating the compensation
for these 1556.65 acres at 2.5 & odd rupees
the acre rate which was recently paid
here for the land occupied for the Sittana
-patam Canal by the Department Public
Works, would give 9000 & odd Rupees as the
money value of this land or in round num-
bers inclusive of contingencies Rs. 10000
which amount I have set down for
the requirements of 1864/65.

As the Deputy Magistrate in charge
of the Government track of this District
with his establishment will be employed
on behalf of Government in making over
the land required by the Company a
large expenditure on account of salaries
of establishment or office contingencies
is not likely to arise. I have provided
for a good English writer out Rs. 250.

I have the honor to be
(Signed) J. M. B. Dykes
Collector
(True Copy)
Major Genl.
Consulting Eng^r for M. B. Co.

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Budget Statement of the amount required
on account of the operations of the Madras Irrigation
Canal Company during the year 1864/65 in
the District of Bellare.

Description of Charge	Amount	Remarks
<u>From State Fund</u>		
Salaries of establishments engaged in making over land to the Company	420	See remarks in the accompanying covering letter from the Collector
Office contingencies	"	
Purchase money of land	10000	
Total	10420	

Bellare. } (Signed) J. M. B. Dykes
Collector's office } Collector
30 Jan'y 1864 } (True Copy)

Major Genl.
Consulting Eng^r for M. B. Co.

No. 10
Madras Irrigation and A.C.
Nellore
December 21st 1863.

Sir

Frederick East Esq.
Esq. Engineer. M.S. & C.

To

J. W. B. Dykes Esq.
Collector of Nellore

Sir

I have the honor to reply to your letter
No. 729 of the 10th instant. I would have replied
sooner but for the absence of certain drawings
~~which I had sent to our Camp at Kalamang.~~

It is only as regards about 1 1/4 miles of our
Canal, measuring that distance from our Head-
Lock at Somaswaram, that I can speak
positively as to the quantity and locality of land
under its several classes that will be required for
our works during next year. Beyond that
distance, I can furnish you with an approximate
calculation only, since I am at present occupied
in endeavouring to find a suitable route into the
Kandluru valley, and upon the discovery, or
otherwise of this route will be the direction of
our Canal and therefore the quantity and locality
of the required land. This approximate calcula-
tion can go no further at present than to a
distance

distance of $8\frac{1}{2}$ miles from our Head Lock, because so far, as that, (whilst how far beyond that I cannot yet tell) I find it impossible except at a great cost and with enormous cuttings to take our Canal in a South easterly direction.

So that the Case stands thus - as far as the Village of Kullur, Salug, Attimakur, the quantities of land herewith furnished, and which will be forthwith defined by being Lock-spitted - are correct. Beyond that they are only approximately established. - Therefore from our Head Lock to the Village of Kullur, Salug, Attimakur you may consider the quantities of land as under.

	Class A	Class B	Class C	Class D
Line of Main Canal	66.0			
Station Ground	29.65			
Extra Ground for soil for Banks		52.0		
Brick field			0.75	
Levee field			39.00	
Hamway			2.00	
Diversion of Road &c.				0.68
Total in acres	95.65	52.0	41.75	0.68

From the termination of the above distances through the Pennair Buduail issue to a distance of about $\frac{1}{2}$ a mile beyond the Village of Sakapully

Sakapully I calculate we shall require for

	Class A	Class B		
Line of Main Canal	109.0			
Extra ground for soil for Banks		180.0		

I may yet before the year closes be able to send you further quantities, but I shall require to know, first how far beyond Sakapully we shall have to take our Canal before we can, if we can at all take it in a south easterly direction.

Subjoined is a definition of the Classes of Land.

I am &c.

(Signed) Frederick East
Ct. Engineer.

Class A - Land which the Company receives free of Charge under the Contracts with the Government for permanent occupation.

Class B - Land also provided free of Cost but only for temporary occupation.

Class C - Land which the Company has to provide at its own Cost.

Class D - Land which does not come into the possession of the Company at all.

(True copy) (True copy)

(Signed) J. B. Dykes
Major Genl. Collector
J. B. Dykes
Consulting Eng. for the Govt.

No 147-

Consulting Engineer's Office
Irrigation & Canal Company
Rural 12 Feb 1865

From

Major General L. C. Ludlow
Consulting Eng. for I. & C.

To Col. L. A. Orr I. & C.

Secretary to Government I. & C.
Chepauk

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedt Servant

H. L. Ludlow
Major Genl.
Consulting Eng for I. & C.

24/2/65

Enclosed in a letter
from the Secretary
confirming I. & C.
to the Secretary to
Govt I. & C. 12 Feb 65
No 147.

1844
 from Washington
 to the President
 of the United States
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The Secretary of State
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No 540

The subject for 1844 is having
 been separated to the Government of
 China, the Government is unable to
 make these provision for the
 settlement. Represented to be required
 in the Chinese District for the purpose
 of making over land to the
 Company.
 These things have been
 entered up the company's books
 under the head of Chinese money
 of Land Chinese District.
 The Company's books for 1844
 are as follows: 23rd July 1844
 1844