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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
15*th October* 1866.

No. 347. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Camp, Chinterpully, 25th September 1866, No. 1,926 :—

1. With reference to G. O No. 2,203, of 13th July 1866, I have the honor to forward copy of a letter from the Supervisor in charge of the Poddatoor Range, together with a letter from the Tahsildar and a deposition from the villagers, from which you will observe that the expected increase of revenue is about 17 per cent. on the proposed outlay.

2. I beg to inform you, in conclusion, that there are no funds available in this Division for carrying out this work.

From the Supervisor in charge of No. 1 or Poddatoor Range, to the Superintending Engineer, 3rd Division, dated Nundiallumpett, 4th September 1866, No. 179.

1. With reference to G. O No 2,203, dated 13th July, calling for full details of the effect to be produced on the revenue derived from the Venkiah Calwa channel, I beg to report as follows.

2. The total Ayacut under the channel is 269$\frac{2}{4}\frac{4}{0}$ acres, assessed at Rupees 1,833-6-7, but owing to the insufficiency of the supply received from the present spring head, only 154$\frac{2}{4}\frac{8}{0}$ acres, assessed at Rupees 1,206-9-10, are annually brought under cultivation, so that 114$\frac{1}{4}\frac{2}{0}$ acres, assessed at Rupees 626-12-9, are laid waste.

3 If the new cut to the Chittravatty river be excavated, and the improvements noted in the estimate be carried out, not only will the above waste land be brought under cultivation, but about Rupees 452 of "Fasal Jasty" will be added to the revenue, thereby causing a total increase of Rupees 1,078-12-9, or about 17 per cent. of the present estimate.

4. I enclose an original statement submitted by the village authorities, with a letter from the Tahsildar of Jammalmadugu, on the subject, which were forwarded to me by the Deputy Collector.

No. 348. ORDER THEREON, 15th October 1866, No. 3,282.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 67.

1. In Proceedings dated 13th July 1866, No. 2,203, the Government deferred the consideration of an estimate of Rupees 6,130 for excavating a new head, and building a new head sluice and dyke to the Venkiah Calwa Channel in the Cuddapah District in the absence of information as to the effect to be produced on the revenue derived from that channel. From the papers above read it appears that the present revenue under the Channel is Rupees 1,207 per annum and that the expected increase is Rupees 1,079, or about 17 per cent. upon the estimate for the works proposed to be carried out.

2. As the project promises to be remunerative, the Government sanction the entry of the estimate of Rupees 6,130 in the Budget for 1867-68.

(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.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Translations

No. 477. 16th August 1866.

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We, the undersigned Cultivators of lands under the Venkya Calva Channel in Jammalamadgu Taluq depose as follows; That we have heard the Order No. 280 from the Deputy Collector 1st Class which is read before us, Calling upon us to inform that, in the event of bringing down a Channel from the Chittravatti in consequence of the Spring Channel being insufficient to supply our lands, What benefit the Government will derive, by means of further Cultivation? We beg to state in reply, that the land now existing under the Channel is as follows.

Ayacut	Apt	Under Cultivation upto fusly 1275.	Apt
Wet 187=17=6 3/4	1649=3=8.	117=4=2 1/2.	1128=2=0
Wells 82=7=0	184=2=11.	37=26=7 1/2.	78=7=10.
269=24=6 3/4.	1833=7=7.	154=30=10	1206=9=10.

Still remaining to be Cultivated

70=13=4 1/4	521=1=8.
44=20=8 1/2	105=11=1.
144=33=12 3/4.	626=12=9

All this land is entered in the Jaiwar (accounts) under the head of "land capable of Cultivation"

Cultivated for one crop." If Cultivated for the 2nd " Assessment is paid for Tasul Jaste

In Fusly 1275 an Assessment of Tasul Jaste for the Wet land C. Rupees 148:11:10. has been Collected and for dry into wet Rs 63:8:3 U.E. a Sum of Rupees 1418:14:- has been Collected, on the whole under the Channel.

In the event of a new Channel being excavated from the River we shall be able to Cultivate land which would yield an Assessment of Rupees 1833=6=2. besides Rupees 600=-=- for Tasul Jaste. We could not be able to tell how much further quantity of dry land will be Cultivated into wet as its situation is on a higher level. Should the water of the Channel Run down freely, we think, the Ryots would take further quantity of dry land for Cultivation. At present we cannot say any thing on the matter

Besides, there is a further Ayacut under Enam Viz

	Acres	Assessment
Wet	87=36=7¼	1060=6=3.
Will	6=16=5	14=10=6
	*94=13=4¼	1075=-=9.

* Should be 94:12:12½.

As this will also be Cultivated we cannot say for further Cultivation of dry land

If the New Channel is brought, a further Sum, above said, will be the Amount that is profitable to Government

Viz.

629=12:9: Wet.
452="="- Tasul Jaste
1081=12=9.

To The Deputy Collector

With Reference to your Order No. 280 Calling upon me to state what extent of land will further be Cultivated under the Ventya Calva Channel, if a new Channel is to be Cut. I beg to enclose a deposition taken from the Ryots with a Statement for perusal

Ayacut under Channel

Acres	Assessment	Cultivated upto Fusly 1275	Assessment Yet Remains	
269=24=6¾	1833=6:7=	154=30=10 @	1206=9=0.	1114=33=12½ @626=12=9

If a Channel is to be brought down a further Revenue of Rupees 1078:12=9. will be profited to Government and that

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a greater extent of land than the above.
Cannot at present be brought under cul=
tivation.

Sd/ Narrainappa
Tehsildar

Poddatoor Range Office
Nundiallumpett
4th September 1866.

No. 179.

From

The Supervisor S.P.W.
No. 1 or Poddatoor Range.

To

The Superintending Engineer
3rd Division

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No. 2203 dated 13th July calling for fully details of the effect to be produced on the revenue derived from the Venkiah Calwa channel, I beg to report as follows:-

2.— The total Ayacut under the channel is 269 24/40 Acres assessed at Rs. 1833-6-7 but owing to the insufficiency of the supply received from the present spring head, only 154 20/40 Acres assessed at Rs. 1206-9-10 are annually brought under cultivation, so that 114 32/40 Acres assessed at Rs. 626-12-9 are laid waste.-

3.— If the new Cut to the Chittravatty River be excavated and the improvements noted in the Estimate be carried out, not only will the above waste land be brought under cultivation, but about Rs. 452 of "Tasul Justy" will be added to the Revenue, thereby causing a total increase of Rs. 1078-12-9 or about 17 per Cent of the present Estimate.-

4.— I enclose an Original Statement submitted by the Village Authorities with a letter from the Tahsildar of Jammalmadugu on the subject, which were forwarded to me by the Deputy Collector.-

I beg to remain &c.

(Signed) D. W. Lewis Supervisor
No. 1 or Poddatoor Range.

(A true Copy)

R. Clibborn Major R.E.
Superintending Engineer 3rd Div.

Superint.e Engrs Office 3.d Div.n
Bellary District
Hoovenhadgalla Talook
Camp Chinterpully
25.th September 66.

No. 1926.

From The Superint.t Engineer,
3.d Division

To The Secretary to Government
P.W.D. Madras

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No. 2203 of 13.th July 1866, I have the honor to forward Copy of a Letter from the Supervisor in charge of the Poddalúr Range, together with a Letter from the Tahsildar, and a deposition from the Villagers, from which you will observe that the reported increase of Revenue is about 17 Per Cent on the proposed outlay.

2 I beg to inform you in conclusion that there are no funds available in this Division for carrying out this work.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obed.t Servt
A. Abbay Major R.E.
Superint.g Engr 3.d Div.n

Public Works Department

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 15th Octr 1866

Read the following

From the Superintending Engineer
of the 3d Dn

(Here enter No. 1926 of 25th Septr 1866.)

In Pro. of 13th July 1866. No 2203, the Government deferred the Consideration of an estimate of Rs 6130 for excavating a new head, and building a new head sluice and dyke to the Venkiah Calva Channel in the Cuddapah District on the absence of information as to the effect to be produced on the revenue derived from that Channel. From the papers above read it appears that the present revenue under the

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Pro. of Govt for October
No 4005

From.

The Supdg. Engineer
3d Division

To

The Secy to Govt
P.W.D

Dated 25th September 66
Recd 4th Oct 66.

Encl: 2 No 1926.

Forwards Copy of a letter from the Superviser in Ch: Peddatoor Range together with a letter from the Tahsildar and a deposition from the Villagers shewing the expected increase of Revenue on Venkiah Calva Channel.

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Channel as Rs 1207 per annum
and that the expected an-
crease is Rs 1079, or about
17 per cent upon the estimate
for the works proposed to
be carried out -

As the project
promises to be remunerative,
the Govt sanction the
entry of the estimate of
Rs 6130 in the Budget for
1874/5. -

To The Engr 5th Dn
Controller

P.W. 1866 Dept.tt.
Pn. of Govt. for Oct.r 66

No. 3282

Pn. of the Madras Govt.
dt. 15th Oct.r 1866

The estimate of Rs 6130 for excavating a new head, and building a new head sluice and dyke to Pu. Kiah Cauvery Channel in the Caddapah District forming in the Budget for 1867/68.

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