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5th December 1866.*

No. 64. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 29th November 1866, No. 3,406 :—

1. With reference to your endorsement No. 2,219, dated 14th October 1865, on the petition from the inhabitants of

3 Estimates.
1 Petition.

Peroovoil, Keelmodalumbadoo, and other villages in Ponnary Taluq, I have the honor to submit, for sanction, three estimates for the following new works of irrigation, which have been approved of by the Collector of Madras :—

RS.

Strengthening and improving the Cortelliar river embankment	6,120
Forming new embankment to the Narnaveram river	2,600
Constructing a new stone revetment to Somanunjary Condacary	670

2. The first and second items are entered in my Budget statement for 1867-68, lately submitted to Government, in which they form items Nos. 82 and 83.

3. The third item, being below 2,500 Rupees, I beg to recommend that funds may be granted from any source at the disposal of Government.

4. The character of work proposed, viz., forming river embankments to protect villages and cultivation from flood, forbids the transmission of the usual Ayacut Statements.

No. 65. ORDER THEREON, 5th December 1866, No. 3,853.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 12.

1. The Governor in Council sanctions the estimates which are submitted with this letter for the undermentioned works in the Ponnary Taluq in the Madras District :—

First.—Strengthening and improving the embankments of the Cortelliar river, and re-constructing a sluice at Vullur	RS. 6,120
Second.—Embanking the Narnaveram river	2,600
Third.—Constructing a stone revetment to the Somanunjary Condacary	670

2. The Government note that the revenue dependent upon these works is very large, being Rupees 3,667* for the first, Rupees 3,983* for the second, and Rupees 4,050* for the third, and that the proposed improvements will prevent the frequent breaching of the embankments and loss of crops, and protect certain important villages in the vicinity from inundation. The estimates for the Cortelliar and Narnaveram river embankments will be entered in the outgoing Budget and the Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division will apply after the 1st April

* Average revenue for the last five years.
Highest revenue during the same period.

	RS.
First work	4,346
Second do.	4,586
Third do.	4,800

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next for a grant from the Reserve to meet the cost of the new stone revetment of
the Somanunjary Condacary.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, with three Estimates.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Accountant General.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Colonel C. A. Carr

Deputy Secretary to Govt. & P.W.

Fort Saint George

The humble petition of the undersigned
Inhabitants of Peruvol, Keelmodalam-
bado, Aruathary, Nymancoppaw
Malackah Petlay, Sallahpetlay, Caversa-
Petlay, Therapore, Canicumla Kuro
and Yalumbador, attached to the
Taluk of Ponnary in the Zillah of
Madras

Humbly sheweth,

During the rains of October of the
last July 1874, Ponnary river overflowed its banks from
the village of Aruatharay up to Yalumbador village, to
the height of about 3, 4, & 5 feet and the water at night
spread over your Petitioners' villages. Banks and even extended
to the streets in which their dwelling houses are situated;
to prevent the water from getting into their houses your
Petitioners with much fear were obliged to raise mud
banks at each doorway with turfing and thus to undergo
a great trouble. If the water was little more no doubt

Yours

your Petitioners with their families and cattle will
suffer a great loss. A larger quantity of water was
allowed to run into the river owing to the lands of the
several tanks lying to the east of your Petitioners villages
gave away; which occurrence not only proved detrimental
to the interest of the Cerear but also to the safety of
the Inhabitants; immediately afterwards your
Petitioners presented a Petition stating all these circum-
stances to Mr. Devans Sub Engineer in charge of the
1st Range, requesting him to prevent water from overflowing
into their villages in future, by raising the river banks
and doing other necessary works. As your Petitioners did
not receive any answer to the same, they personally
presented an Arjee to Colonel Poileau, Super. Engr.
4th Division, in April last when he was in their
limits; then although that Gentleman promised to
give orders to commence with the work immediately,
nothing has been done to it till now. The rainy
season is fast approaching if no speedy measures are
taken your Petitioners apprehend a great danger to the
abovenamed villages. Your Petitioners in bringing these
circumstances in detail to your kind notice, request
most respectfully to give immediate orders to carry on
the work in question. For this act of
kindness your Petitioners shall ever pray.

A true translation of the Tamil Arjee
31st Aug 1865. Attached with the caption of
Signatures.

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Colonel C. A. Orr
Deputy Secretary to the Government
D. P. W. H.
The Secretary

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Letter to the Secretary

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Secretary to Govt. P. W. Q.

Benjamin Sub Engineer of
the 1st Division & to the Coll
Railroad Supt Engineer of
the 4th Division & request that
them to repair the Run of

Concavary —

2. The 1st and 2nd items are entered in my Budget Statement for 1867/68 lately submitted to Government in which they form items Nos 82 and 83. —

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3. The 3rd item being below 2500 Rupees,
~~It~~ recommend, that funds may be granted
from any source at the disposal of Government.

4. The character of work proposed,
viz: forming River embankments to protect villages
and cultivation from flood, forbids the trans-
-mission of the usual Ayacut Statements. -

Supp. Engr. Office } I have the honor to be
4th Div. Madras } Sir
November 1866 } Your Most Obedient Servt

Arileau Colonel R.E.
Sup. Engr. 4th Div.

To,
Colonel C. A. Orr R.E.
Secretary to Government P.M.D. -
Fort Saint George

Public Works Department
 No. 3853
 Proceedings of the Madras Government
 Under date the 5th Decr 1866

Read the following

From
 The Superintending Eng^r -
 of the 4th Division (H.E. No. 3406 of 29 Nov 66)

The Governor in Council
 sanctions the estimates which
 are submitted with this
 letter for the undermentioned
 works in the Primary Talook
 in the Madras District -

- 1st Strengthening and improving
 the embankments of the Pottelhar
 river and reconstructing a sluice
 at Vellur - #6,120
- 2nd Embanking the Nannavaram
 river - 2,600
- 3rd Constructing a stone revetment
 to the Sannamangal Pandacary - 670

The Government
 note that the Revenue

Approved by the
 Council of the Government
 of Madras
 The Secretary to Govt
 of Madras
 No. 6 - No. 3406
 Submitted for
 the sanction of the
 Council of the Government
 of Madras
 21st Decr 1866

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Dependant upon these works
is very large, being Rupees
3,667 for the first, Rs 3983
for the second and Rs
4050 for the third, and

that the proposed im-
provements will prevent

the frequent breaching
of the embankments and

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protect certain important

villages in the vicinity
from inundation - The

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and Narnaveram river

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t Engineer of the 4th Division

will apply after the
1st April next for a

grant from the Reserve
to meet the cost of

the new stone re-
-treatment of the Tona-

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Highest revenue during the same period

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2 nd " -	4,586-
3 rd " -	4,800-

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Hon'ble Landachary -

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- 6 To the Sup^t of 4th Div with three estimates
- 4 in. Estimates of Branch
- 3 in. Accounts General

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Pro. of the Major Govt

of 5 Dec 1856

Estimates amounting
to Rs 9390 for irri-
gation works in the
Ponnery Taluk Madras
Dt. Sanctioned.

No 4. 55.