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23rd May 1866.

No. 556. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Waltair, 11th May 1866, No. 15:—

Enclosures 2.

1. I have the honor to submit, for sanction, an estimate of the cost of draining upwards of 700 acres of land in the Nursapore Taluq, which now produces nothing but bulrushes; but which if the work for which this estimate provides be carried out, will give the ryots a good crop of paddy, and Government Rupees 2,800 additional water rate.

2. Government is aware that attention to drainage is very urgently needed in the Western Delta of the Godavery. This is one of several improvements by drainage which will have to be carried out without delay.

3. Considering this work to be really one of urgency, I have, in anticipation of sanction, directed the Range Officer to have it carried out at once and completed in time for the ensuing irrigating season.

4. I have, therefore, the honor to request that a grant from the Reserve may be allotted for the work.

No. 557.

ORDER THEREON, 23rd May 1866, No. 1,641.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 76.

1. As the work referred to in this letter is urgent and has been proceeded with, and as it promises to be highly remunerative, the expected return being Rupees 2,800 per annum, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the estimate of Rupees 1,120 which is submitted by the Superintending Engineer of the 1st Division, and directs that the amount be placed at the disposal of that Officer from the Reserve under "Agricultural."

2. Captain Ryres will be good enough to cause future improvements similar to that now sanctioned, to be shown clearly on the sketch maps which are submitted to Government.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.

„ Accountant General.

„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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From

Captain J. G. Ryves R. E.

To

Colonel C. A. Orr R. E.

Secretary to Government, P. M. D.

Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to submit for sanction an Estimate of the cost of draining upwards of 700 acres of land in the Mursapore Taluk, which now produces nothing but bulrushes; but which if the work for which this estimate provides be carried out, will give the Ryots a good crop of paddy and Government Rs. 2800 additional water rate.

2. Government is aware that attention to drainage is very urgently needed in the Western Delta of the Godavary. This is one of several improvements by drainage which will have to be carried out without delay.

3. Considering this work to be really one of urgency, I have in anticipation of sanction directed

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From

The Officer
in charge

(Ryves)

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4. I have therefore the honor to request
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for the work.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

W. R. ^{Superintendent}
Superintendent Engineer

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