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21st May 1867.

No. 483. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Cuddalore, 9th May 1867, No. 29 :—

1. I have the honour to forward, for sanction, an estimate of Rupees 1,135, for constructing two Vauganays and cutting a channel in the Vellaur near the village of Thiruvadathurai, in the South Arcot District.

2. The river has for several years been cutting into the north bank at this place, and now the village is in danger of being carried away. The improvement in the course of the river, proposed to be made, is more for the safety of the village than for any other reason, and should properly come under the head of "Miscellaneous Public Improvements;" but there is nothing allowed in the Budget under this head. I therefore recommend that the estimate be sanctioned from the allotment for Repairs "Agricultural," from which source the cost of most works for the protection of river banks is met.

No. 484. ORDER THEREON, 21st May 1867, No. 1,528.

IRRIGATION, No. 28.

1. Sanctioned.

2. The outlay will be charged to the Reserve under "Agricultural."

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division.
" Accountant General.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin:

Miscellaneous Public Improvements
Abstract Estimate No of 1867-68.
South West District Nº IV Range Vindachellum Taluq.

Work — Constructing 2 Vaganays and putting a channel in the bed of Velland near Thiruvadathurai Village 4 Miles East of Thittagudi. —

Last repairs

None.

Remarks — The north bank of Velland in this village has been very much damaged and the space left between the river and the houses is only 8 yards (as shown in the rough sketch). If immediate measures be not taken for remedying this, the village will suffer very much by the evening freshes in the Velland. I propose to construct 2 Vaganays and put a channel in the bed of the river. —

Quantity	Description of charges	Rate	Amount	Total
	<u>1st Vaganay</u>			
2765	60 yds of Earth work / Earth to be brought from a distance of 60 yards / per 60 yds —	1 b. 25 3/4	3 b.	
162	80 yds of Channel restoration / per 80 yds —	4 "	40 8 "	
37	Palmyrah or Cocconut trees with bamboo leaves 8 1/2 complete each —	4 "	148 "	447 11 b.
	<u>2nd Vaganay</u>			
1905	60 yds of Earth work — per 60 yard —	1 b. 17 8/10	9 b.	
	Carried Over —		178 9 b.	447 11 b.

Brought Over		175. 9. 44	11
180	Syds of Canal settlement per sydt	4	45
40	Saluyrah account horses with hambros & ca complete each	4	162
Channel			
5625	Cyds of Earthwork per Cydt	10	292
	Sundries		10
Total Estimated Expes		1135	11

Expes One thousand one hundred and thirty five only.

At 4 Rang Office
South coast
15th Novmbr 1866

Signature of P. E. Harper
Atty Engineer, 4th Rang, S. Ind.

Charles Sule
Collector of South coast

Edw and L. H. M. G.
Superintg. Engineer 5th Dist

Superintg Engrs Office, 5th Division,
Cuddalore, 9th May 1867.

N: 29.

From,

Lieut. Col. E. A. Ford R.E.,

Superintending Engineer,
5th Division.

To,

Colonel. C. A. Orr R.E.,

Secretary to Government,
D.P.W.

Sir,

Enclosure

1 Estimate.

I have the honor to forward, for sanction, an estimate of Rupees 1135 for constructing two rangans and cutting a channel in the Vellaur near the village of Thiruvadathurai in the South Arcot District.

2. The river has, for several years, been cutting into the North bank at this place, and now the village is in danger of being carried away. The improvement in the course of the river proposed to be made, is more for the safety of the village than for any other reason and should properly come under the head of "Miscellaneous Public Improvements," but there is nothing allowed in the budget under this head.

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5th Division D.P.W.

South Arcot District

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1 May 1867

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cutting a channel in the bed
of Vellaur near Thiruvadathurai
village

Amount of Estimate Rs. 1135.

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I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most Obedient Servant

Edw. Ford Esq. M.P.

Superintg Engineer,
5th Divn.

