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No. 15. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 23rd May 1867, No. 925 :—

1. In acknowledging receipt of Government Order, dated 17th instant, No. 1,490, and with especial reference to paragraph 8, I beg to state that I have called upon the Officer in charge of the Polur Range to report upon the state of the large number of tanks which are said to be out of repair, and I shall communicate further regarding them and the other irrigational works which are under investigation for the improvement of the talook.

2. Unfortunately Mr. Sub-Engineer Bevan has just been obliged to take leave for three months on account of his health, and his Range is held temporarily by Lieutenant Brockman, who has more than sufficient to attend to at present, in his own, the Vellore Range.

3. My principal object, however, in addressing Government, is with reference to the latter portion of the above paragraph, and to state that estimates for the thorough restoration of the two high level tanks in the Polur talook, viz., Torinjekuppum and Kalasamudrum, were submitted and sanctioned in the Order as G. O. No. 588, dated 27th February 1867. per margin, an allotment for them being provided from the Reserve of the current year. They were accordingly entered in the statement of New Works recommended for execution in the year 1867-68, and have been sanctioned from the Reserve under "Agricultural" in Order dated 17th May 1867, No. 1,490.

No. 16. ORDER THEREON, 1st June 1867, No. 1,643.

IRRIGATION, No. 1.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

N<sup>o</sup> 925. Superintending Engineers Office  
4<sup>th</sup> Division Madras  
23<sup>rd</sup> May 1867.

A:

From

Lieut. Colonel J. Bean R.E.

Acting Superintending Engineer 4<sup>th</sup> Div.

To  
Colonel C. A. Orr. R.E.  
Secretary to Government P.W.D.

Sir,

In acknowledging receipt of Government order dated 17<sup>th</sup> instant N<sup>o</sup> 1490, and with especial reference to para 8, I beg to state that I have called upon the Officer in charge of the Polur Range to report upon the state of the large number of Tanks which are said to be out of repair, and I shall communicate further regarding them and the other irrigational works which are under investigation for the improvement of the Tank.

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Bevan has just been obliged to take leave  
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for three months on account of his health,  
and his Range is held temporarily by  
Lieutenant Brockman who has more  
than sufficient to attend to, at present, in  
his own, the Vellore Range.

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in addressing Government, is with reference  
to the latter portion of the above paragraph,  
and to state, that Estimates for the thorough  
restoration of the two high level Tanks in  
the Pohn Talug, namely, Toringi Ruppam,  
and Kalakamandrum, were submitted and  
sanctioned in the order as per Margin, <sup>G.O. 11588.</sup> dated 27 Feb  
an allotment for them being provided <sup>1867.</sup>  
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for execution in the year 1867/68, and have  
been sanctioned from the Reserve under  
"Agricultural" in Order dated 17 May 1867.  
No. 1490.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Yours Most Obedient Servant

Leah Lieut. R.E.

Actg. Insp. Engrs. & Dn

Mr. M. M. M. M.  
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From  
The Acting Supr (Ing)  
W. London

To the Secretary  
to Government 1870

dated 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1869  
Recd 23<sup>rd</sup> May 1869

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