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12th July 1867.

No. 300. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division, to the Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Bangalore, 3rd July 1867, No. 62 :—

1. With reference to G. O. No. 1,156 of the 15th of April 1867, I have the honour to report that the undermentioned remunerative irrigation projects in this division are proposed to be investigated, or are being investigated :—

SOUTH ARCOT.

1. Mamahtur anicut across the Manimootah river, in the Virdachellum talook.
2. Channel on the north bank from the Vanamadavy anicut, in the Cuddalore talook.
3. A second anicut across the Pooniar at the head of the Wallajah channel, and the improvement of some other channels.
4. A channel from the Pooniar west of Manalurpet, in the Ellavanasur talook.
5. An anicut across the Vellar near Toloodore, in the Virdachellum talook.

SALEM.

6. Restoration of the Kudombur tank, in the Ahtur talook.
7. Do. Mullapaudi tank, Kistnagherry talook.
8. Construction of a reservoir near Kistnagherry.

2. The first, or the Mamahtur project, was investigated in 1855, and I had to report on it the following year. I recommended that for the tanks to be supplied on the north bank the anicut should be built lower down the river at Keenanore, and this anicut is now in progress. But for tanks on the south bank an anicut at Mamahtur is likely to be a very useful work.

3. The next three works have been applied for by ryots in the district, and recommended by the Collector. They are well worth examining. The fifth work has lately been applied for by the ryots of thirty-one villages, and the Range Officer has reported favourably on it.

4. The Executive Agent of the Range considers the improvement and extension of the Kudombur tank will be more remunerative than its mere repair. The examination of other two projects has already been ordered by Government, and an Overseer is at present engaged on one of them. I have also, within the last few days, received from the Range Officer a list of large tanks in the Ussur Range, which may be restored, or to which a better supply of water can be brought by new channels.

5. As so many projects cannot conveniently be examined by the Executive Officers, with the assistance of the ordinary range establishments, I request Government will be pleased to sanction the entertainment of the undermentioned extra establishment for this year :—

2 Surveyors	at	150	Rupees	each
2 Draughtsmen	at	60	,,	,,
8 Lascars	at	7	,,	,,

} Inclusive of travelling allowance.

4. A channel from the Pooniar west of

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12th July 1867.

No. 301. ORDER THEREON, 12th July 1867, No. 2,088.

IRRIGATION, No. 16.

His Excellency the Governor in Council sanctions the entertainment of the undermentioned establishment for the investigation of the irrigation projects enumerated in paragraph 1 of this letter, and directs that the charge be debited to savings on the general allotment for "Establishments" in the Public Works Department:—

2	Surveyors	at Rupees	150
2	Draughtsmen	at „	60
8	Lascars	at „	7

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 5th Division.
„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Superintg Engrs Office, 5th Divn,
Bangalore, 3rd July 1867.

No. 62.

From,

Lieut.-Col. C. A. Foord R.E.,
Superintending Engineer,
5th Division.

To,

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

Sir,

With reference to G.O. No. 1156 of the 15th of April 1867 I have the honor to report that the undermentioned remunerative irrigation projects in this division are proposed to be investigated or are being investigated.

South Arcot

1. Manakkur Anicut across the Manimootah river in the Virdachellum Taluq.
2. Channel on the North bank to from the Vanamadavy Anicut in the Cuddalore Taluq.
3. A second Anicut across the Pennar at the head of the Wallajah Channel and the improvement of some other Channels.
4. A channel from the Pennar west of

of Manalirpet in the Ellavanasur taluq.

5. An Anicut across the Vellar near Tiloodore in the Virdachellum taluq.

Salem

6 Restoration of the Kudumbur tank in the Ahtur taluq.

7 Do. Mullapandi tank Kistnagherry taluq.

8. Construction of a reservoir near Kistnagherry.

2. The first or the Manakdur project was investigated in 1855, and I had to report on it the following year. I recommended that for the tanks to be supplied on the North bank the Anicut should be built lower down the river at Veeranore and this Anicut is now in progress. But for tanks on the South bank an Anicut at Manakdur is likely to be a very useful work.

3. The next three works have been applied for by ryots in the district, and recommended by the Collector. They are well worth examining. The fifth work has lately been applied for by the ryots of 31 villages and the Range officer has reported favorably on it.

4. The Executive Agent of the range considers the improvement and extension of the Kadumbur tank will be more remunerative than its mere repair. The examination of other two projects has already been ordered by Government, and an Overseer is at present engaged on one of them. I have also within the last few days received from the Range officer a list of large tanks in the Ussur Range which may be restored or to which a better supply of water can be brought by new channels.

5. As so many projects cannot conveniently be examined by the Executive Officers, without the assistance of the ordinary range establishments, I request Government will be pleased to sanction the entertainment of the undermentioned extra establishment for this year.

2 Surveyors at 150 Rs each } Inclusive
2 Draughtsmen at 60 Rs — } of Travelling
8 Coolies — at 7 Rs — } Allowance.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servt
Ed Ford Lt Colo RE
Superintg Engr 5th Divn

Public Works Department.

No 2088

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 12th July 1867

Read the following

From the Supg Engineer of the 5th Div

(Here enter No. 62 dated 5th July 1867)

His Excellency the Governor in Council sanctions the entertainment of the under-mentioned establishment for the investigation of the irriga-tion projects enumera-ted in para 1 of this letter, and directs that the charges be debited to Sa-vings on the general allotment for

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Work

To

The Supg Engineer,
5th Divn.

The Secretary to
Government, P.W.D.

Dated 6th July 1867
Recd 5th do
No 62.

Applying for sanction to establishment for the examination of Irrigation projects.

No. 2088-12th July 1867.

No. 1207

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2 Surveyors @ Rs 150.
2 Draughtsmen @ " 75
8 Lascars @ " 7

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Dt 12th July 1867

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of Irrigation projects in
the South Arcot and Salem
Districts.

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