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Government of Madras.

Public works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
11th February 1869.*

No. 299. Read the following letter from the Consulting Engineer for Irrigation and Canal Company, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Adimapully, 1st February 1869, No. 109 :—

1. I have received from the Agent an application for advances for carrying on the works in the 5th and 6th Sections, Main Canal. With regard to the 5th Section, the amount of the advance required is not clearly stated, nor has any information been given on which I could base a recommendation for giving the desired sanction. An advance of Rupees 33,664 was granted in Proceedings Madras Government, 17th February 1868, No. 537, since which time the Chief Engineer has not furnished any report, or transmitted any estimates to show the quantity of work remaining to be done and its probable cost. Under these circumstances, I have asked for further explanation.

2. For the 6th Section an advance of two and a half lacs is asked. The general arrangements of the masonry works were settled in September last, when I was inspecting the Canal with the Chief Engineer, and since then the working drawings of many of the works have been prepared, and a good many of these works are in an advanced state. There ought, therefore, to be no difficulty in sending in the revised designs and estimates within a few weeks; and this being the case, it would not be advisable to sanction the advance of a sum almost sufficient for an entire working season. I beg, therefore, to recommend that the advance be limited to one lac, and to suggest that the Chief Engineer be requested to send in the estimates at the earliest possible date.

No. 291. ORDER THEREON, 11th February 1869, No. 442.

IRRIGATION, No. 12.

The Government sanction the advance of Rupees 1,00,000 recommended in paragraph 2 on account of works in the 6th Section of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company's Main Canal, but the Company's officers will be requested to expedite the submission of the requisite plans and estimates.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Consulting Engineer for Irrigation and Canal Company.
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Manager for

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

N^o 109.

Sir

Consulting Engineer's Office
Irrigation and Canal Co.
Adinaully 1st February 1869
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To

Captain John Mullins R.E.
Consulting Engineer Land & Co.

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

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Your most obedient servant

Whitcombins Captain R.E.
Consulting Engineer S.C.C.

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Encl. The Works Dept
No 442

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 11th February 1869
Read the following

From the Chief Engineer
J. C. Co. (Here enter No 109 of 11 Feb 1869)

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To the Secy. Genl. for Madras
I. C. Co. Company
Manager - do

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Dated in M. S. Hall
11/2/69.
P.C. dated 19/2/69

Certified to be a true and correct copy
of the original by the Secy. Genl.
of the Madras Government
11/2/69

To the Secy. Genl. for Madras
I. C. Co. Company
Manager - do

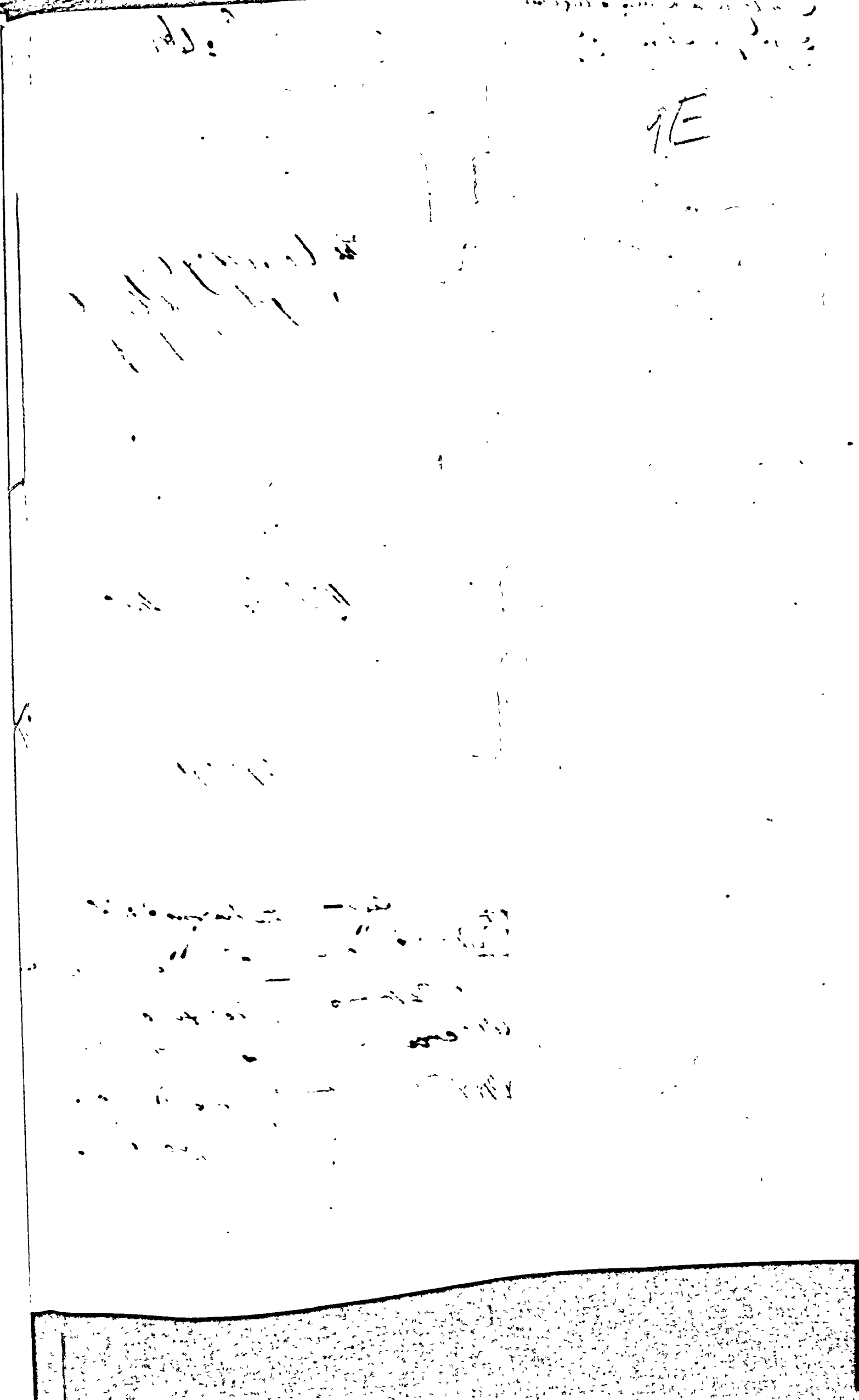
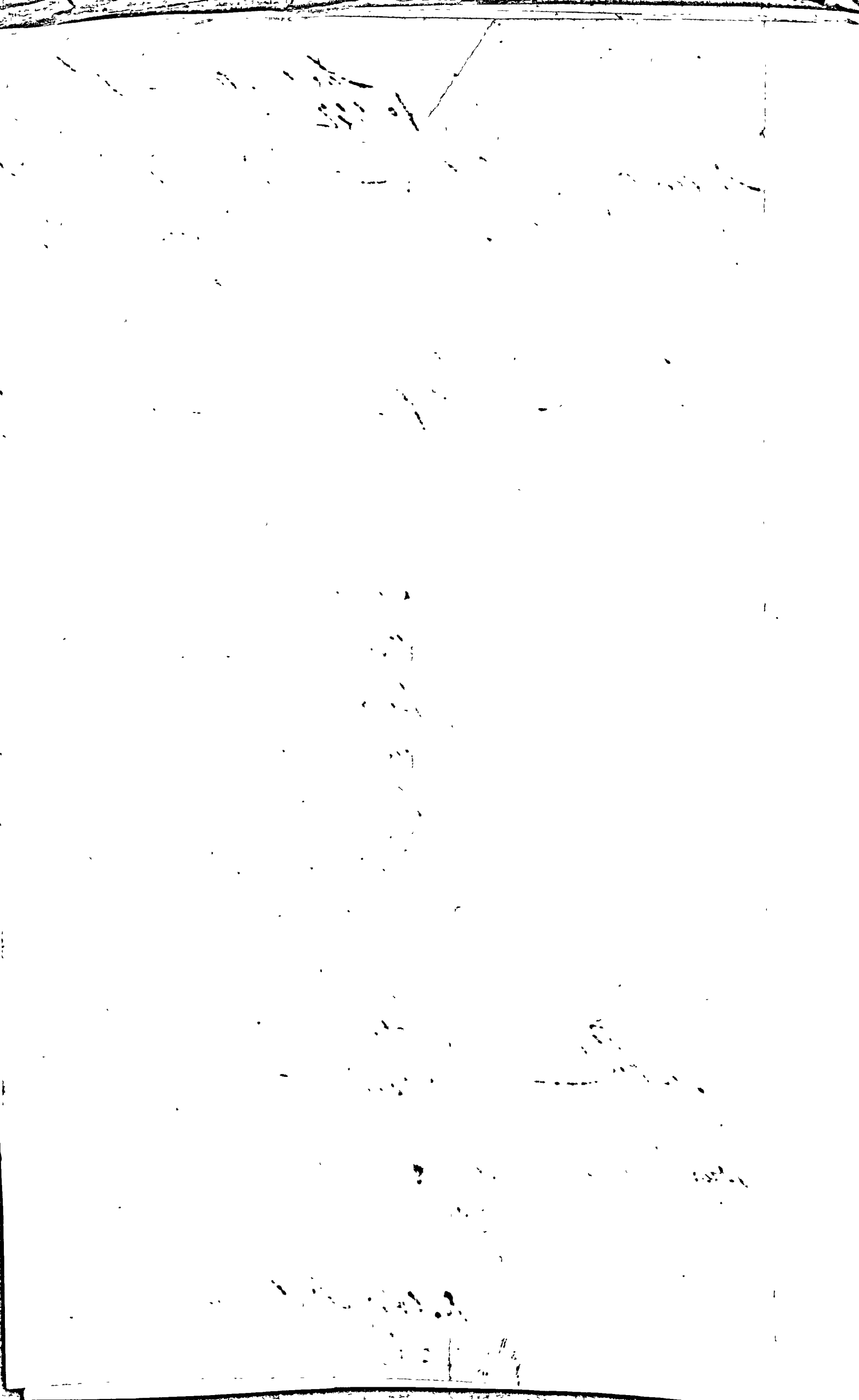
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I. C. Co. Company
Manager - do

Dated 17th February 1869
Per Secy. Genl.

Informing that he has
received from the Secy. Genl.
an application for advance
for carrying out the works
in the 6th section of the
Main Canal and requests
the sanction of Government
for an advance of Rs. 1,00,000
for the 6th section.

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Engineer be requested to submit
the estimates for the 6th section
as soon as possible.
No 442 - 11/2/69

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Copy in a letter to England
27: April 13 1869.

No. 461

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To *The Consulting Engrs. for
Irrigation and Canal
Company*

Dated

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G. O. 11-Feby 1869, No. 442

Nos. 290-291

South Section of the Madras I.R. Co.
-Pany's Main Canal Advance
of Rs 10,000 applied for on
account of works in the sixth
section of the Madras I.R. Co.
-Pany's Main Canal, Santhome.