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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
29th September 1871.

No. 510. Read the following Proceedings of the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Irrigation,) dated Simla, 1st September 1871, No. 440-I.:—

Despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, (Public Works,) to His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor-General of India in Council, dated India Office, London, 27th July 1871, No. 50.

Improvement and completion of the system of irrigation and navigation in the eastern section of Godavery Delta.

I HAVE had before me in Council your Excellency's Despatch No. 59, of 25th May last, and the papers which accompanied it, descriptive of the arrangements in progress for the completion of the irrigation and navigation works of the Godavery Delta.

2. On account of works in the eastern section of the delta, your sanction has been accorded to estimates amounting to Rupees 10,80,800, by means of which outlay the area of irrigation is expected to be increased from 123,000 to 188,170 acres, while the added acreage will represent an amount of water rates which, at Rupees 4 per acre, will be equal to fully 20 per cent. on the cost of bringing it under irrigation.

3. For similar works in the western section you have estimates amounting to Rupees 13,04,640 under consideration, and you have also sanctioned an estimate of Rupees 70,460 for restoring communication between the canals of that section and the Weyairu.

4. All the proceedings reported in relation to these subjects have my approval.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this despatch be forwarded to the Government of Madras in the Public Works Department, Irrigation branch, for information, in continuation of letter No. 108-I., of 27th March last.

(Signed) F. H. RUNDALL, Colonel, R.E.,
Offg. Depy. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 511. ORDER THEREON, 29th September 1871, No. 2,491.

IRRIGATION, No. 31.

ORDERED to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. deC. SCOTT, Captain, R.E.,
Under Secretary to Government

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

All communications should be addressed to the Secretary.

No. 440 I.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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(signed) Argyll

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Col R.E.

H.W. Rivendale

Dep: Secretary to the Govt of India

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From.

The Government of India

Read 1st } September
Read. 11th } Nº 4401.

Forwarding a copy of a Despatch from the Secretary of State approving of the Prov. of the Govt. of India in sanctioning estimates for Irrigation & Navigation works in the Godavery Delta.

Nº 1 with 2 Enclosures 28th Sept. 71

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Works in the Godavery Delta.

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