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No. 113. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Dowlaishweram, 25th July 1872, No. 1,562:—

With reference to paragraph 3 of the G. O., No. 1,671, dated 11th July 1872, I have the honour to inform you that the short expenditure under Repairs "Agricultural" in the Godavery District was due to the want of floating plant to convey material for repair works, the old plant allowed for ordinary and repair works being quite insufficient now to meet the demands for them as well as for Extraordinary and Local Fund works; it would therefore have been of no avail to sanction more estimates, our boats being fully occupied, and the repairs, so far as channel clearances and tanks were concerned, properly carried out, groyne works chiefly had to be postponed.

2. With regard to paragraph 6, I beg to explain as follows the cause of short outlay under the head Minor New Works "Agricultural."

3. The original grant under this head was Rupees 6,000, and the outlay has been Rupees 5,294. I applied for an additional grant of Rupees 1,590, and this was given in G. O. of the 29th February 1872, No. 546, received in this office on the 5th March only, when the money was useless for all practical purposes.

No. 114. Order thereon, 7th November 1872, No. 2,624.

IRRIGATION, No. 6. Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. F. OAKES, Major, R.E.,
Acting Joint Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE, 1ST DIVISION.

DOWLAISHWARUM, 25th July 1872

No. 1562 Dept. 26 Do 30

From

Lieut. Col. A. F. Fischer R.E.
Acting Superintending Engineer
1st Division

To

Colonel J. W. Walker R.E.
Secretary to Government D. P. W.
MADRAS

SIR,

With reference to para 3 of the G.O. No 1671 dated 11th July 1872, I have the honour to inform you that the short expenditure under Repairs "Agricultural" in the Godavery District, was due to the want of floating plant to convey material for Repair works - the old plant allowed for ordinary and Repair works being quite insufficient now to meet the demands for them, as well as for Extra-Ordinary and Local Fund works; it would therefore have been of no avail to sanction more Estimates - our boats being fully occupied and the Repairs so far as channel Clearances and tanks were concerned, properly carried out. Group works chiefly had to be postponed.

2 With regard to para 6, I beg to explain as follows the cause of short outlay under the Head Minor New Works Agricultural.

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3 The original grant under this Head was Rs: 6,000 and the outlay has been Rs: 5,294 I applied for an additional grant of Rs: 1,590 and this was given in G.O. of the 29th February 1872 No 546. received in this Office on the 5th March only, when the money was useless for all practical purposes.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obt. Servant

Worthington Lieut. Col R.E.
A.G. Sub Engineer 1st Division

P.W. 1872. Depart.

From

No. 3700.

The Superintending Engineer,
First Division.

To

The Secretary to Government
Department Public Works
MADRAS

Dated 25th July 1872.

Received 1st August 1872.

No. 1562

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Subject.

Applies to paras 3 and 6 of G.O. No 1671 dated 11th July 1872. and the Subject of allotments and expenditure and Minor new works and Repairs under Agri-=cultural Dist in the Godavery District

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