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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
11th December 1872.

No. 235. Read the following letter from the First Assistant Resident, Hyderabad, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Camp at Naudgaon, 26th November 1872, No. 35-A :—

WITH reference to your letter No. 2,418, dated 18th October 1872, and its enclosures, relative to the claim of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company to water rate on the lands of Sultanpore and Ralumpad in His Highness the Nizam's Territory, I am desired by the Resident to forward, for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council, translation of a letter addressed to His Highness' Minister on the subject.

No. 2,338, dated 22nd November 1872.

Translation.

From the Resident, Hyderabad, to His Highness the Nizam's Minister, dated 22nd November 1872, No. 2,338.

WITH reference to your letters No. 3,861, dated 17th November 1871, and No. 2,565, dated 17th August 1872, relative to the claim of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company to water rate on lands irrigated by the Company's Canal in the villages of Sultanpore and Ralumpad in His Highness the Nizam's Territory, I have the honour to forward copy of letter No. 2,418, dated 14th October 1872, from the Madras Government, enclosing, with remarks, a full report upon the subject from the Company's officers.

2. From these papers you will perceive that the denial of the villagers in regard to their utilization of the canal water for agricultural purposes is contradicted by the fact that branch channels for the distribution of the water obtained from the canal have been constructed by these very villagers ; that it has been ascertained by one of the Company's officers, on a personal visit to the villages, during the past season, that about 80 acres of land in Ralumpad and about 70 acres in Sultanpore are cultivated with the canal water, and that the claims of the Company on account of the irrigation of these lands for three seasons, namely 1869-70, 1870-71, and 1871-72, have to be adjusted. The Company, moreover, complains that the efforts hitherto made by its officers to obtain a settlement of its claims, or to induce the local authorities to take action in that direction, have totally failed, though in your communication to me, No. 374, dated 29th January 1872, it was intimated that the necessary orders had been issued by you on the subject.

3. Under the circumstances now reported, I trust you will adopt effectual measures for the settlement of this long standing question. I think the best way of doing this will be to depute one of your Engineers on the duty, empowering him, after the necessary communication with his departmental superiors, to adjust the matter on the spot in conjunction with the Company's officers.

No. 236. ORDER THEREON, 11th December 1872, No. 2,933.

IRRIGATION, No. 12.

COMMUNICATED to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation in continuation of G. O., No. 2,417, dated 14th October 1872.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
,, Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

Cobt. of {1872} Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE CHIEF ENGINEER FOR

IRRIGATION.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated December 11*th*.

Recd. *Encl.*

G. O., 11*th December* 1872, *No.* 2,983.

DECEMBER

Nos. 235-236

Water rate.—Letter from the First Assistant Resident, Hyderabad, regarding the claims of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company to water rate on the lands of Sultanpore and Rahimpad in the Nizam's Territory, communicated to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

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No. 237 of 1872/73.

From,

Major W. Tweedie

First Asst Resident

Hyderabad.

To,

The Secretary to the Government of

Madras.

Pub. Works Department

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 2548 dated 18th October 1872, and its enclosures, relative to the claims of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company to water rate on the lands of Sultanpore and Rahimpad in H.H. the Nizams Territory, I am desired by the Resident to forward for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council, translation of a letter addressed to H.H's Minister on the subject.

38 of 22 Nov/72

Translation

From the Resident Hyderabad,

To H.H. the Nizam's Minister,

No 2338 of 22 Nov: 1872.

With reference to your letters No 3801 dated 17th November 1871 and No 2565 of 7 August 1872 relative to the claim of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company to water rate on lands irrigated by the Company's canal in the villages of Adilabad and Rolumpad in H.H. the Nizam's Territory, I have the honor to forward copy of letter No 2118 of 7th October 1872 from the Madras Government enclosing with remarks a full report upon the subject from the Company's Agents

2. From these papers you will perceive that the denial of the Ryots in regard to their liability to the canal water for agricultural purposes is contradicted by the fact that branch channels for the distribution of the water obtained from the canal have been constructed

Public Works 1872 No 1st
No 5901

From
The 1st Asst Resident
Hyderabad.

Dated 21st November 1872
Received 30th " " 1872

Subject:-
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Transmits Letter of
Collector of Adilabad
& His Highness the Nizam's
Minister, regarding the
claims of the Madras Irrigation
and Canal Company to
water rate on the lands
Adilabad and Rolumpad
in His Highness
Territory.

No 2933
Communicated to the Chief Engineer
for Irrigation for confirmation of G.O. No 2417
of 14 Oct 1872.

Ch Engr for Irrgn
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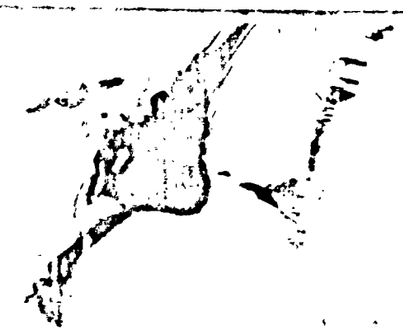
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(True translation)

Asstt Secy

Extra Asstt Commsr



P. N. 5901/72

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To The Chief Engineer for Irrigation

Dated

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Water rate — Letter from the 1st Asst. Resident, Hyderabad, forwarding translation of ~~Letter from the Nizam's Minister~~ ~~addressed to His Highness the Nizam's Minister~~ regarding the claims of the Madras Govt. & H.E.H. to water rate on the lands of Sultanpore and Palamsaud in the Nizam's Territory. Copy to the Ch. Engr. for Irrign.