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Government of Madras.

Public works **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 932-33	Press ~~Mis~~
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Dated 8. 4. 1872.	

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
8th April 1872.*

No. 130. Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division, to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Tuticorin, 9th March 1872, No. 4,792:—

In reference to G. O., 27th September 1871, No. 2,464, I have the honour to forward herewith for the sanction of

One Estimate of Rupees 8,400.

Government an estimate, amounting to Rupees 8,400, prepared by Lieutenant Shepherd, R.E., in conformity with that G. O., for the repairs and maintenance of works executed in connection with the Streeviguntum Anicut Project.

2. It will be in your recollection that although two monsoons have passed over the greater portion of the embankments of the main channels—embankments too raised in many instances through the loose soil of the Tinnevelly therai—not a fraction has been allowed for their maintenance; the consequence is as I have just recently noticed, that the banks are in many places in a very unsatisfactory state, and that unless they receive prompt attention they cannot fail to incur considerable damage, and thus introduce an element of risk into the satisfactory working of the project.

3. I trust therefore that you will be so good as to bring the matter to the prominent notice of the Government, with the view of the estimate now submitted being sanctioned in time for the work included therein to be commenced by the 1st proximo. At the beginning of June we may expect freshes in the Tambrapoorney river, and it is of the first importance that these channels, which are otherwise ready to receive the same, should be in a position to do so without risk. And as the interval between the 1st April and the end of May is short enough in itself to enable us to put these works into proper order, I trust that no obstacle may occur to prevent the enclosed estimate receiving sanction for execution by the 1st proximo.

4. I think it right to mention that no money can be spared for the service under notice from the allotment for irrigational repairs in the Tinnevelly District for 1872-73, as that allotment will barely suffice to cover the cost of the many repairs urgently required.

No. 131.

ORDER THEREON, 8th April 1872, No. 932.

IRRIGATION, No. 6.

ORDERED that the estimate be forwarded for the sanction of the Government of India.

(Here enter No. 933, dated 8th April 1872.)

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, 8th Division.

„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.

„ Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
FORT ST. GEORGE, 8th April 1872.

No. 132.

No. 933.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

IRRIGATION, No. 7.

Rupees 8,400.

in accordance with the instructions conveyed in Circular No. 52, dated 25th August 1871, and to solicit the early sanction of the estimate as it is necessary that the banks of the channels should be repaired before the advent of the freshes which may be expected in June.

2. I am to state that the amount of the estimate may be met from the Reserve of 3½ lakhs by which the Ordinary Agricultural grant was increased in the Budget orders of 1872-73, communicated with your letter of the 12th March 1872, No. 97—A.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

Captain, R.E.,

Acting Joint Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No 4792 Superintg Engineer's Office 8 D
Dm Circuit Juticour 9 March 1872

From

Lieut. Colonel A A Roberts R.E.
Superintg Engineer 8 D

To

The Chief Engineer for Irrigation
& Joint Secretary to Government

Sir

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1871, No 2464, I have the honor to
forward herewith for the sanction
of Government an estimate amounting
to Rupees 8400 prepared by Lieut.
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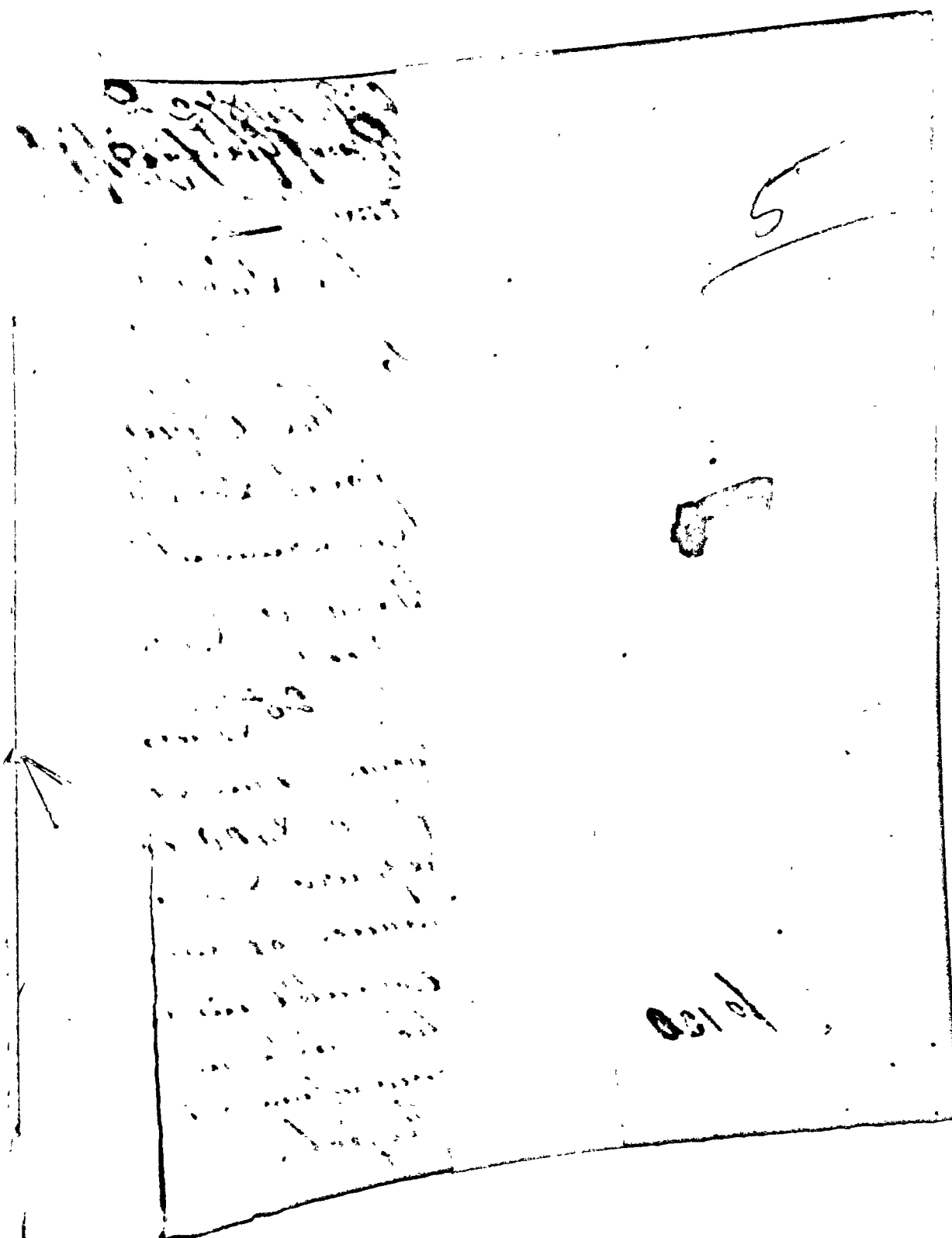
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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
your Most Obedt servant,

Wm. Roberts Lieut. Col. of E
Supermtg Engineer & Dir



Public Works Department
 No 932.
 Proceedings of the Madras Government
 Read the following

The Supg Engineer
 & the Division } S. E. No 4792 d/9th March 1872

Ordered that the
 following letter be sent.

To,
 The Secy: to the Govt of
 India, P. W. D.

Sir No 933.
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 for the maintenance
 of Buildings and of
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 with the Streemur
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I. Supg Engr
 - Contd. to
 Ch. Engr for Div.
 Recd 9/4/72

Rs 8,400

Public Works Dept
 No 932
 11/11/83

The Supg Engr
 & the Division

To The Chief Engr
 & Joint Secretary to
 Government P. W. D.

Dated 9th March/72
 Recd 1/8/72

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our letter of the 12th
Feb 1872. No. 97. A.

A. F. J.

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Desp. 9/4/72 with me
estimate

Forward for Sanction
an estimate for the
maintenance of Railways
and Channels connected
with the Stravignature
Ancient Project.

~~C^o 493~~ 1483.

Govt. of 1872 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To ^{9th} The Superintending Engineer
& 8th Division
To The Secretary to the Govt.
of India

Date:

Re:

10/1

G.O. 8th April 1892-93.

Nos 130-131 & 132

Strivignam Ancient Project.

Passing orders in letter from
the Inspector of the C.D.
forwarding an estimate
for the maintenance of
Buildings & Channels con-
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