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No. 26. Read the following Endorsement of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Fort St. George, 11th December 1872, No. 311:—

From the District Engineer, North Arcot, to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated 10th December 1872, No. 38.

REFERRING to copy of letter from the Officer in charge Wallajah Range, No. 410 of 2nd December 1872, I have the honour to report that I visited the Kaveripak tank on the 7th instant. I found that four slips of the rear slope had taken place; in the worst it had breached the top breadth of the bank for a few yards; in the other cases it was entirely in the slope.

Copy of which was forwarded in No. 15 of 6th December 1872, from this office.

2. The cause of all is, I think, the extreme saturation of the bank; there are many hollows and holes on the top by which rain would largely enter the body of the bank.

3. For the present there is no cause for anxiety. Mr. Smither reports that labour is abundant and easily procured. I desired him to purchase the standing crop on some plots adjacent and to restore the slope, tamping well all that is done.

4. There is no appearance of leakage, and the tank is kept low for the present. After the threatening weather has passed we may raise the level of the water.

5. The tank requires a thorough examination, and will no doubt receive it when the season permits.

SUBMITTED to Government in continuation of No. 308, dated 7th December 1872. The District Engineer should take care that an estimate for all work required to place this large tank in a thoroughly secure and efficient state is prepared as soon as circumstances will permit, and that the repairs are commenced in good time.

(Signed) J. MULLINS, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

No. 27. ORDER THEREON, 6th January 1873, No. 14.

IRRIGATION, No. 2.

ORDERED to be recorded.

2. The Chief Engineer for Irrigation will satisfy himself that his instructions for the guidance of the District Engineer are carried into effect.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
,, District Engineer, North Arcot.
Exd. T. Cartledge.

No 38 District Engrs Office
North West
Madras 10th Dec. 1872.

From,

The District Engineer
North West.

To,

The Chief Engineer
for Irrigation.

Sir,

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No. 410 of 2nd December/72
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which was forwarded with my letter No. 15 of 6 Dec. 1872 from this Office, I have the honor to report that I visited the Haveripak tank on the 7th instant. I found that the slips of the rear slope had taken place, in the worst it had breached the top breadth of the bank for a few yards. In the other cases it was entirely in the slope.

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obed[t] Servant

J. Macaulay Col[l] R.E.
for District Engineer
North Wash

No. 311. 3[+]

Submitted to Government in continuation of No. 308 dated 7th December 1872. The District Engineer should take care that an estimate for all work required to place other large tanks in a thoroughly secure & efficient state is prepared as soon as circumstances will permit, and that the repairs are commenced in good time.

Fort St. George.
11th December 1872

Blenkinsop Lt. R.E.
Chief Engr for Irrigation.

To The Secretary to Govt P.W.D.

From

Col. F. J. Moberly, U. S.
Engineer Dist. Engr's Office
St. A

To, The Chief Eng
for Irrigation.

Dated 10
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No 38

Reports regard
Mc Cannery Park Dam

P. W. 1872 Depart.

Form No. 6153.

The Chief Engr. for Irrigation

To the Secretary

Govt. P.W.D.

No. 311.

Dated 11th Dec. 72

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Submits report of Asst Engr. St. Thos. on the damage to the Cauvery Bank Tank with remarks

Dec. 16. 6" Dec. 1873.

Note on Order

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Dated

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Cauvery Pauk Canl.

Report, submitted by the Chief Engr. for Irrigation, on the damage to the Cauvery Pauk Canal, and suggested Remedies