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No. 356. Read the following letter from R. W. LODWICK, Esq., in charge Accountant General's Office, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 2nd September 1873, No. 274 :—

WITH reference to the Government Order, Public Works Department, No. 1,574, dated 16th June 1873, I have the honour to state that from the enclosed copy of letter from the Acting Collector of Kurnool, No. 894, of 30th ultimo, it appears that the sum of Rupees 2-12-5, alluded to in the above Government Order, is not an excess collection but a collection within the actual demand, and therefore appertains to the Company's revenue and should be brought on the Company's books.

From J. HOPE, Esq, Acting Collector of Kurnool, to the Accountant General, Fort St. George, dated Kurnool, 30th August 1873, No. 894.

IN reply to your letter No. 2,550, dated 25th June 1873, I have the honour to submit the following explanation regarding the excess collections referred to in G. O., No. 1,574, dated 16th June 1873.

2. The correct demand for 1868-69, as given in Statement E.,* forwarded to the Consulting Engineer for the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company, on the 30th April 1869, No. 292, is Rupees 10,000-8-6 water-rate, and Rupees 966 assessment on lands cultivated out of those made over to the Company, or a total of Rupees 10,966-8-6. In a revised statement† submitted to the same officer with letter No. 837, dated 13th September 1870, showing the demand and collections from 1863-64, Rupees 10,000-8-6 as above was entered as the *demand* on account of irrigation for 1868-69, and Rupees 933-8-4 as the *collections* on account of assessment on transferred lands cultivated. The total of these two sums, viz., Rupees 10,934-0-10, appears to have been taken in the Consulting Engineer's Office as the demand, instead of Rupees 10,966-8-6, shown in Statement E., dated 30th April 1869. This accounts for the apparent excess collections noticed by the Officiating Government Examiner, Madras Irrigation and Canal Company's Accounts. If however the correct demand is taken into account, there would be a balance of Rupees 29-11-4 still remaining to be collected, instead of excess collections amounting to Rupees 2-12 4.

* Copy enclosed.

† Extract forwarded.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Erroneous demand	10,934	0	10
Amount collected	10,936	13	2
Apparent excess collections ...	2	12	4
Correct demand	10,966	8	6
Amount collected	10,936	13	2
Actual Balance...	29	11	4

3. As regards the excess of Fie 1, collected for 1867-68, the special Deputy Collector reports that the amount was collected in excess of the demand, probably owing to errors in calculating the amount of water-rate to be charged on fractional parts of an acre.

STATEMENT E.

Season 1868-69, *Fasli* 1270.

Annual Statement showing the full demand remission and net demand for irrigation and water-supply under the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company's Canal.

Description of Irrigation.	Area.		Water-rate.	Full demand.	Remission.	Net adjusted balance of demand for supplies actually received.	Remarks.
	Acres.	Cents.	Rs.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
1st Crop, ordinary ...	921	91	6	5,531 10 9	159 14 1	5,371 12 8	
Do. do. ...	...	85	1	0 13 8	...	0 13 8	
Do. do. ...	151	94	12	1,499 1 5	999 7 11	499 12 6	Lands cultivated with leakage water.
Do. do. ...	3	87	12	46 7 7	33 3 6	13 3 7	
Do. do. ...	3	9	12	56 3 9	...	56 3 9	
2nd Crop do. ...	3	37	6	20 1 4	4 8 0	15 9 4	Lands cultivated without usual application for water.
Do. do. ...	2	25	12	26 12 2	17 13 5	8 14 9	
Sugar-cane ...	4	50	6	27 0 0	...	27 0 0	
Occasional ...	14	13	1	14 2 3	...	14 2 3	
Town supply ...	...	...	...	4,000 0 0	...	4,000 0 0	
Lands cultivated out of those ryots over to the Company ...	967	21	...	966 3 0	...	966 3 0	
Total...	2,093	4	...	12,168 7 5	1,201 14 11	10,966 8 6	

Kurnool,
30th April 1869.

(Signed) T. CHASE,
Collector.

No. 292.

To the Consulting Engineer for the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.

(True Copy.)

Kurnool,
30th August 1873.

(Signed) J. HOPE,
Acting Collector.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) D. TEAGIAH,
Assistant to the Accountant General.

Extract from the Revised Abstract of the E. and F. Returns furnished by the Collector of Kurnool.

Seasons.	Full demand.	Remission.	Net demand.	Actual collections	Balance of Net demand to be collected.	Assessment collected on the transferred lands cultivated.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Season 1868-69...	11,202 7 5	1,201 14 11	10,000 8 6	9,906 9 6	93 15 0	933 8 4	

Kurnool,
13th September 1870.

(Signed) T. CHASE,
Collector.

(True Extract.)

Kurnool,
30th August 1873.

(Signed) J. HOPE,
Acting Collector.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) D. TEAGIAH,
Assistant to the Accountant General.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
23rd September 1873.

No. 357. ORDER THEREON, 23rd September 1873, No. 2,351.

ACCOUNT, No. 21.

COMMUNICATED to the officers concerned.

(True Extract.)

Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Joint Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
,, Examiner of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company's Accounts.
,, Accountant General.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
Spare Copies.

Extract from the revised Abstract of the E. and T. Returns furnished by the Collector of Kurnool.

Seasons	Full demand Rupees	Net demand	Actual Collections	Balance of last demand Collected	Assessment Collected on the transferred lands Collected	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Season 1868-69	11201 7 5	1201 14 11	10000 8 6	7906 7 6	1315. 7 3 3 8 4	

Kurnool
Collectors Office
13th September 1870

(Signed) T Chase
Collector

True Extract
(Signed) J Hope
Acting Collector

Kurnool
30th August 73

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Kurnool Collector's Office
30th August 1873

No 894

From

J. Kope Esquire
Acting Collector of Kurnool

To

The Accountant General
Fort Saint George

Sir

In reply to your letter No 2550 dated 25th June 1873, I have the honor to submit the following explanation regarding the excess Collections referred to in G. O. No 1874 dated 16th

The correct demand for 1868-69, as given in Statement E forwarded to the Consulting Engineer for the Sn. Year 62 on the 30th April 1869, No 292, is Rs 10.000-8-6, under ryle, and Rupees 966 " ", expayment on lands cultivated out of those made over to the Company, or a total of Rs 10.966-8-6.

Enclosed

Now a Revised Statement submitted to the same Officer with letter No 837 dated 13th September 1870, showing the demand and Collections from 1863-64. Rs 10.000-8-6 as alone was entered as the demand on account of Irrigation for 1868-69, and Rupees 933-8-4, as the Collections on account of expayment on transferred lands cultivated. The total of these two sums, viz Rs 10936-" 12, appears to have been taken as the

Recorded

Consulting

(Winters 1868-69 - Tule 1870)

Annual statement showing the public documents examined for this system and water-rights under the Irrigation and Canal Commissioner, Brady and Bridgeford, and Canal Commissioner Stevenson, Superintendent.

Date	Name	Amount	Remarks
1868 Dec 21	Bridgeford & Brady	$5,000.00	Warrant issued for the expenses of Commissioners Brady and Bridgeford and Canal Commissioner Stevenson, Superintendent.
1869 Jan 11

Public Department.

No. 234

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
2nd September 1873

From

The Accountant General,

To the Government of Madras

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

Sir,

With reference to the Government Order Public Works Department Dt. 15th dated 16th June 1873 I have the honor to state that from the enclosed copy of letter from the Acting Collector of [illegible] it appears that the sum of Rupees 5-12-5 collected in the above Government Order is not an excess collection but a collection on the Inland Revenue and therefore appertains to the Company's Revenue and should be brought on the Company's Books.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant

Rutherdutch

In charge Acct. Genl. Office

Received 1873

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DEPARTMENT,

ACCTT. GENL.'S OFFICE, MADRAS.

No. 274 No. 4945.

FROM

THE ~~DEPTY~~. ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MADRAS.

To

The Secretary to Government
Public Works Department

Dated 23 Septr 73
Recd. ——— No. of answer.
Ansd.

Para. 3. Subject.

Informs that the 2-12-5
alluded to G.O. No 1574
of 16 June 1873. P.W.D. Shd
be brought on the Company
books as it is a collection
within the actual demand

Communicated to the officers Concerned.
Inv. 9/10/73

Chief Engr. for I.
Examining Accounts
Accountant General

Rupees noted C.C. 23/9/73

No 356-57.

Date to Acctg 9 Sept 73

No 4945

Govt. of India. Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Chief Engr for Irrigation

Dated

Rec'd. Encl's

23 Sept 1873 2357.

No. 35035

Rc. Hfgs. Letter

Collection, distribution
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Kistna, Cmr.? of
the Works concerned.

From the Accountant
Genl: Submitting Explanation with reference
to sum of Rs. 2-12-5
alluded to in G.O. No.
1574 of 1873 as an Expg