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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
20th May 1874.

No. 415. Read the following letter from Colonel C. H. DICKENS, R.A., Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Account—Irrigation,) to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Fort William, 18th April 1874, No. 120 A.—I. :—

I AM directed to acknowledge receipt of your communication No. 587-A, dated 6th March, 1874, and in reply to convey sanction to the estimates for the Eastern and Western Delta of the Godavery extension scheme being increased, as shewn in the margin, by Rupees 1,91,560, in order to meet charges for tools and plant.

Eastern Delta from Rupees 10,80,800 to Rupees 11,67,000.
Western Delta from Rupees 13,04,640 to Rupees 14,10,000.

2. I am to ask whether the cost of the steamers indented for in the despatch from the Government of Madras, No. 9 of 1874, will be met out of the provision of Rupees 1,91,560 now sanctioned for tools and plant, and whether this sum also provides for the cost of the block and plant transferred from the Godavery Navigation Works.

3. It is of course understood that the value of any tools and plant transferred from the Godavery Irrigation Works to other works, should be credited to the Capital Account of the former.

No. 416. ORDER THEREON, 20th May 1874, No. 1,344.

IRRIGATION, No. 32.
Account.

ORDERED that the sanction accorded in the above letter be communicated to the officers concerned.

2. It is observed, with reference to paragraph 2 of this letter, that it is anticipated that the provision now made for tools and plant, together with a proportionate sum for the Bank Canal estimate, sanction for which will be applied for in due course, and a similar percentage on the Central Delta estimates, when approved, will cover all charges on account of plant obtained for the delta works since the commencement of the improvements now in progress. The cost of two out of the three steamers indented for will so be met, as also the value of the Upper Godavery block and plant, so far as that may be utilized on these works; but, as recently brought to notice by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, a considerable part of the plant transferred from the Upper Godavery is either unsuited to the delta works or in excess of their requirements, and a list of that available for transfer elsewhere has been ordered to be prepared.

Ordered also that the following letter be sent :—

(Here enter No. 1,345 dated 20th May 1874.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. MULLINS, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
Joint Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Godavery.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
OOTACAMUND, 20*th May* 1874.

No. 417. No. 1,345.

FROM

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL J. MULLINS, R.E.,
Joint Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Public Works Department,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
Public Works Department.

IRRIGATION, No. 33.
Account.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 120 A.—I., dated 18th April 1874, conveying the sanction of the Government of India to the estimates for the eastern and western sections of the Godavery extension scheme being increased by Rupees 1,91,560 in order to meet charges for tools and plant, and in reply to forward a copy of Proceedings of Government No. 1,344, dated 20th May 1874, which affords the information required in paragraph 2.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

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

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Proceedings of the Madras Government,

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Read the following :—

From the Govt. of Cudia (P.R. No 120 A.G. of 18 April 74)

Ordered that the sanction accorded in the above letter be communicated to the officers concerned.

2. It is observed, with reference to para 2 of this letter, that it is anticipated that the provision now made for Tools and Plant, together with a proportionate sum for the Basin Canal estimate, sanction for which will be applied for in due course, and a similar

similar percentage on the Central Delta Estimates when approved will cover all charges on account of Plant obtained for the Delta works since the commencement of the improvements now in progress. The cost of 2 out of the 3 steamers indented for will be met as also the value of the Upper Godavery Block and Plant so far as that may be utilized on these works, but, as recently brought to notice by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, a considerable part of the plant transferred from the Upper Godavery is either unsuited to the Delta

To C. Godavery
" Chief Engr. " for Irrigation
" Controller
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Delta works or in excess of their requirements, and a list of that available for transfer elsewhere has been ordered to be prepared.

3. Ordered also that the following letter be sent.

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To

The Secretary to the
Govt. of India

Sir I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 120 R. I. dated 10th April 1874 conveying the sanction of the Government of India to the estimates for the Eastern and Western sections of the Godavery Extension Scheme being increased by Rs. 19,500 in order to

to meet charges for Tools and Plant, and is reply to forward a copy of Prs: of Govt: Rs 1/- by which affords the information required in paragraph 2.

GMW

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Forwarding copy of Proceedings affording information as to whether the cost of the steamers required for the Godavery Canals as well as the Block Plant transferred from the Godavery Navigation works will be met out of the provision Rs. 1,91,560 sanctioned for Tools & Plant in account of the Eastern & Western Delta Systems scheme.

Govt. of India.

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To

The Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal

Dated

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Tools & Plant - Godavery Delta Works. -

Letter from the G. of I. sanctioning an increase to the Estimates for the Eastern & Western Delta & the Godavery Extension scheme on account of Tools & Plant. Send to the Officers concerned. -

Forwarding copy of Proceedings affording information as to the cost of steamers required for the Godavery Canals as well as the Block Plant transferred from the Godavery Navigation works will be met out of the provision Rs. 1,91,560 sanctioned for Tools & Plant in account of the Eastern & Western Delta & the Godavery Extension scheme