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Government of Madras

Public Works DEPARTMENT

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No. 15. 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, (Irrigation—Branch,) dated Fort William, 26th May 1874, Nos. 143—47 A—I :—

In continuation of Public Works Department letter, No. 328 A.—G., dated 7th May 1874, I am directed to request that, with the permission of the Government of Madras, you will be good enough to submit a forecast showing year by year from 1874-75 to 1878-79 the probable revenue receipts and revenue expenses of each of the canals in Madras.

2. The statement should be in the following form :—

——	A.——Canal.			B.——Canal.			And so on for each Canal.	Total.		
	Gross revenue.	Working expenses.	Net revenue.	Gross revenue.	Working expenses.	Net revenue.		Gross revenue.	Working expenses.	Net revenue.
Direct receipts to be brought to account in Public Works Accounts as Irrigation revenue.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1874-75										
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There should also be a subsidiary statement showing merely the indirect or land revenue for each canal for each year.

3. Any new canals that are likely to be brought into operation within the period specified should be entered in the forecast, and in case of canals which are not likely to yield any revenue during the period in question, but which are likely to require a grant for working expenses, the amount so required should be entered year by year.

4. If information respecting the indirect revenue be wanting, the report need not be detained for the subsidiary statement of indirect revenue.

5. The statement called for in this letter should be submitted with as little delay as possible.

No. 16. Order thereon, 1st July 1874, No. 1,770.

IRRIGATION, No. 3.

Account.

His Excellency the Governor in Council observes that there are only two systems of irrigation in this Presidency, the Godavery Delta and the Pennair Delta, for which it is probable that any reliable information, of the kind referred to in the above letter, can be afforded at present, and the District Engineers of the Godavery and Nellore will be

requested, in communication with the Collectors, to prepare a statement in the prescribed form.

2. As yet the revenue particulars for any one year for the Kistna Delta and the Striviguntum Anicut works have not been received, while the Pelandoray Anicut works are not sufficiently advanced to allow of either the revenue or the expenses of any year being determined.

3. These Proceedings will, however, be communicated to the several District Engineers, with a view to early measures being taken to obtain the information desired by the Government of India for all separate systems of Irrigation, under anicuts, the area of which is considerable, say, 25,000 acres and upwards. These one by one should be carefully considered, their probable requirements as regards working expenses determined, and the probable increase of revenue discussed with the Collectors.

4. A copy of these Proceedings will also be sent to the Controller of Public Works Accounts in continuation of those of the 25th June 1874, No. 1,717.

5. Ordered also that the Government of India be informed of the orders issued upon the above letter, and that the Revenue Department be requested to expedite as far as possible the completion of the detailed Revenue Statements of the several systems of Irrigation called for in the orders as per margin.

G. O., No. 2,089, dated 21st August 1873.

(True Extract.)

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

No. 17. (Docket No. 1,771, dated 1st July 1874.)

Copy of the above forwarded to the Government of India.

(True Extract.)

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

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government,

Under date the 187 .

Read the following :—

From

The Government of India

(Home Index No. 1143-47 A. J. 26th May 1874)

His Excellency the Governor in Council observes that there are only two systems of irrigation in this Presidency, the Godavery Delta and the Kurnool Delta, for which it is probable that any reliable information, of the kind referred to in the above letter, can be afforded at present, and the

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Statements of the several
systems of irrigation
called for in the orders
as per margin.

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Copy of the
above forwarded to the
Government of India.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government,

Under date the 187 .

Read the following:—

From

The Govt of India (PE No 163-170 dt 26th May 1870)

To

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(H.S. No dated

To the D.C. Godavery ✓
" " Nellore ✓
" " Kistna ✓
" " Tinnevelly ✓
" " S. Arcot ✓
" Controller ✓
" Revenue Dept ✓
A. Capies despd to all 6/7/74
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Copy of the above forwarded to the Government of India—

My 12/6/74

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H.S. order to the Govt. of India 2/7/74
A. Capies despd to D.C.s 3/7/74.

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Govt. of 1874 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

The Chief Engr.
Irrigation
&
Secy. to Govt. of Madras

Dated

Recd. Encl.

G. O. 1st July 1874, No. 1770
1771

Nos. 1547 & 1771.

Canals &c.

Passing orders on a letter from the Government of India asking for a statement showing for each of 4 years from 1874-75 to 1878-79 the probable receipts working expenses of each Canal in the Madras Presidency.

Forwarding the orders issued & write a view to complying with the requisition contained in letter No. 143-47 P. J. dated 20th May 1874 relative to the preparation of a statement showing for each of 4 years from 1874-75 to 1878-79 the probable receipts working expenses of each Canal in the Madras Presidency