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29th July 1874.*

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No. 627. Read the following letter from Colonel F. J. MOBERLY, R.E., District Engineer, Chingleput, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Guindy, 3rd July 1874, No. 1,100:—

I HAVE the honor to report that I have, agreeably to G. O., No. 1,512, of 9th June 1874, desired the Range Officer to proceed with the work of clearing the Lalakal on the plans submitted by him, which I am exceedingly surprized to find were not sent with my No. 1,774, of 11th October 1873, through some extraordinary mistake in my office.

2. I beg to observe that as in my No. 1,774 I supported the Executive Engineer in his argument that the work was useless, and could not answer, I could scarcely be expected to proceed with it till the Government over-ruled our protest. This is the first reply I have received to my letter.

No. 628. ORDER THEREON, 29th July 1874, No. 2,043.

IRRIGATION, No. 59.

ORDERED to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.  
.. Superintending Engineer, Chingleput.

Exd. S. T. Austin.  
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No. 1100.

CHINGLEPUT DISTRICT ENGR'S OFFICE,

Guindy, 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1874.

From

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER,

Chingleput.

To

Colonel G. M. Walker R. E.

Secretary to Government P. M. D.

SIR,

I have the honor to report that I have agreeably to G. O. No. 1512 of 9<sup>th</sup> June 1874 desired the Range Officer to proceed with the work of clearing the Lala Kall on the plans submitted by him which I am exceedingly surprised to find were not sent with my No. 1774 of 11<sup>th</sup> October 1873 through some extraordinary mistake in my office.

I beg to observe that as in my No. 1774 I supported the Executive Engineer in his argument that the work was useless, and could not answer, I could scarcely be expected to proceed with it till the Government over-ruled our protest. This is the first reply I have received to my letter.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,



Colonel, R. E.,

District Engineer Chingleput.

Public Works Department  
 Proceedings of the Madras Government  
 Read the following  
 2043 3-5  
 From the St Engineer  
 Chingleput (No. 1100 of 3 July 1874)

Not merely record  
 no further instructions  
 or remarks seem called  
 for 13/7 1874

Order to be recorded with the  
 remark that the Lalakal  
 will of necessity be more  
 likely to be efficient when  
 cleared than it has of  
 late years been, and that  
 in G.O. of the 9<sup>th</sup> June 1874  
 No. 1572, the requisite in-  
 structions have been given  
 to the St Engineer, Chingleput  
 regarding such further work  
 as

11/12/74

Mr. 1874 No. 1100  
 From 1000 of 3 July 1874

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER

CHINGLEPUT

To

THE District Engineer

Chingleput

Dated

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Received

3 July 1874

1874

No. 1100

ENCLOSURE

Report of the

has decided the same

appears to proceed with the

work of clearing Lalakal

on the following conditions

being given

G.O. No. 2043 of 25-7-74

Copy of 11/12/74

as may be needed to render  
the channel capable of  
carrying such a supply  
as the Vagavathy may  
from time to time af-

ford.

10/2/71

W.M.

To the Chief Engr for S.E. Co.  
S.E. Whinsiept  
S. Capted despt 5/8/71.

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Govt. of 1874 Madras.  
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The Chief Engr.  
for Irrigation

Dated

Recd.

Encl.

G. O 29 July 1874. No. 2043

No. 627-628

Lalahal Project

Letter from the District  
Engineer Chingleput, reporting  
that he has desired the  
Rank Officer to proceed with  
the work of cleaning the  
Lalahal on the plans sub-  
mitted by him, recorded.