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6th February 1874.*

No. 127: Read the following letter from R. SMITH, Esq., District Engineer, Nellore, to Lieutenant-Colonel J. MULLINS, R.E., Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Camp at Madras, 27th December 1873, No. 127:—

WITH reference to the inquiry conveyed in your No. 855 of 1st instant, regarding the measures taken to work out the allotment sanctioned* for expenditure on the Survapully Project this year, I have the honour to inform you that I do not expect to be able to expend more than Rupees 30,000 advantageously.

2. The short outlay up to date is principally to be attributed to our having been compelled to allow the pitching of the head of the Survapully Channel to stand over for another season. I much regret the delay, but it was absolutely necessary to ascertain, in a very careful manner, the actual quantity of stone pitching executed by Mr. Roscrow. This, however, it was impossible to do until the reaches of the canal from the Kanuparty surplus sluice to the Engineer store-yard at Nellore had been deepened to the full depth to facilitate the discharge of the large amount of filtration that finds its way into the first reach of the Survapully channel. If the lower reaches of the canal had been excavated to the full depth, as they should have been before the pitching was commenced, the foundation of that work might have been laid at the proper level with less difficulty than was apparently experienced in laying it at $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet above that level.

No. 128. ORDER THEREON, 6th February 1874, No. 297.

IRRIGATION, No. 13.

Account.

THE Budget allotment being Rupees 50,000, the Government of India will be informed of the surrender of Rs. 20,000, which cannot be expended

upon improvements to the Survapully Channel, Item 10 of the Budget, during the current year.

(True Extract.)

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

No. 129.

(DOCKET No. 298, dated 6th February 1874.)
COPY of the above forwarded to the Government of India.
(True Extract.)

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

No 127. District Engineer's Office
Camp Madras
27 December 1873.

From

R. Smith Esquire
District Engineer
of Bellore

To

Lieutenant Colonel J. Mullins R.E.
Chief Engineer for Brigation
Fort Saint George
Madras

Sir

With reference to the inquiry
conveyed, in your No. 855 of 1st instant,
x
Budget of 1873-74 Item No. 10
Rs 50000 regarding the measures taken to work
out the allotment sanctioned for
expenditure, on the Surrapally Project
this year, I have the honor to inform
you that I do not expect to be
able to expend more than Rs. 30,000
advantageously.

2. The short outlay up to date, is,
principally, to be attributed to

our having been compelled to allow
the pitching of the head of the
Survapally Channel, to stand
over for another season. I much
regret the delay but it was
absolutely necessary to ascertain,
in a very careful manner, the
actual quantity of stone pitching
executed by Mr. Roscoe. This,
however, it was impossible to do
until the reaches of the Canal,
from the Nampatty surplus sluice
to the Engineer Storeyard at Bellare,
had been deepened to the full depth,
to facilitate the discharge of
the large amount of filtration
that finds its way into the first
reach of the Survapally Channel.
If the lower reaches of the Canal
had been excavated to the full
depth, as they should have been,
before the pitching was commenced,

the foundation of that work
might have been laid, at the proper level,
with less difficulty than was,
apparently, experienced in laying
it at $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet above that level.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obed^t serv^t
Smith
District Engineer
Bellare

A. H. C.

[illegible]

P. M. 1874 Michigan
 No. 171, No. 57.
 From C. L. N. 2267
 the District Sup^r
 of Lake
 To the Chief Engineer
 for the State
 Fort St. Vrain
 Colorado
 dated 27th of Jan^y 1873
 Recd 29th Jan
 Recd 31st Jan
 Inform that the
 30,000 can only be
 about 1-2 and 1/2
 on the same scale
 project in 1873/4.
 under the present
 action within.
 Under fire - there are
 no documents, the
 with an entire

I have made the
 preparation for the
 coming year for the
 school as usual -
 I wish to have the
 school as usual
 changed as usual
 important as the
 work

Op. 57
Govt. of 1874 Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To The District Commr
to the Hon. Secy to the
Govt. of India
Dated
Recd. Encl.

G. O. of Secy 1874. 297.
298.

Nos. 127-128 & 129

Surrapully Channel.

Ordered that the Secy of
India be informed of the
surrender of Rs. 20000 from
the grant for improvements
to the channel.

Reporting the surrender
of Rs 20000 from the grant for

improvements to the
Surrapully Channel.