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No. 527. Read the following letter from Major J. N. HUNTER, R.E., District Engineer, Salem, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Salem, 21st November 1874, No. 159 :—

REFERRING to G. O., No. 3,210, dated 13th November 1874, I have the honor to request that the latter part of paragraph 4 may be reconsidered.

2. It is true that there is an extra officer in the Salem District, but his duties are really those of a sub-divisional officer in the Salem Range, as one officer unassisted cannot, as I have already endeavoured to show, inspect and measure up the works in this very large range.

3. Of the regular staff of executives, I beg to point out that Captain Bailey is employed on special duty on the Yercaud Ghaut, and though I have availed myself of his assistance in preparing the estimates and calculations for tanks above the railway at Vaniembady, which have been already sent to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, still his ghaut absorbs very nearly the whole of his personal attention.

4. It is again true that the ghaut work is nearly finished, but Captain Bailey will then avail himself of his leave, so that I shall still, for three months, be unable to have the advantage of his services for the range work of the district.

5. Under these circumstances, I trust that Government will be pleased to treat this district as the other two, and depute an officer specially to this work of examining the series of tanks above the railway line.

No. 528. ORDER THEREON, 30th November 1874, No. 3,370.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 30.

ONE of the Assistant Engineers lately arrived or soon expected from Cooper's Hill will be placed at the disposal of the District Engineer of Salem for a limited period, which shall be defined by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, to assist him in personally attending to the subject in question.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Salem.
,, Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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No 159

District Engineer's Office,
Salem 21st November 1874.

From

The District Engineer,
Salem.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.

Sir,

Referring to G. O. No 3210 dated 13th November 1874, I have the honor to request that the latter part of para 4 may be reconsidered.

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have availed myself of his assistance in preparing the estimates and calculations for Tanks above the Railway at Vaniem-bady which have been already sent to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, still his Ghaut absorbs very nearly the whole of his personal attention.

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5. Under these circumstances, I trust that Government will be pleased to treat this District as the other two and depute an Officer specially to this work of examining the series of Tanks above the Railway Line.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedt Servant
J. W. Stubbs Major R.E.,
District Engineer.

Encl. C.

G. O. No: 3370 of 30 Nov 74.

One of the Assistant Enquirers lately arrived or soon expected from Cooper's Hill will be placed at the disposal of the District Engineer of Salem for a limited period, which shall be defined by the Chief Enquirer for Irrigation, to assist him in personally attending to the subject in question.

Encl.

Supt Engr Salem
Ch Engineer for Irrign
Despatched C.E. per Express 9/12/74.
M.M. respecting Salem to Do 30/11/74 9/12/74

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To The Asst. Engr. N. Salem

Dated

Rec'd. Encl.

G. O. 30th Nov. 1874. No 3370

Nos. 527-528.

Officer for examining the series of Tanks above Railway Lines

The Dy. Engr. Salem informed that one of the Asst. Engrs. from Cooper's Hill will be placed at his disposal for to assist him in the examination the series of tanks above the Railway Line.

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