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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
23rd February 1874.*

No. 454. 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 Camp at Soonkavar Choultry, 26th January 1874, No. 2,880:—

I HAVE the honour to request that I may be furnished with the plan and estimate of the channel from East Coast Canal to Teruporur which, in G. O., Financial Department, No. 1,695, 20th November 1873, (forwarded with your No. 213, 28th November), it is said were sent to you.

2. This estimate was apparently drawn up and sent without any reference to me. There seems to have been a great deal of direct communication between the East Coast Canal Officer and the Collector as regards salt canals, etc., of which the Superintending and District Engineer was not informed; work has been executed really by us though nominally by the Salt Department, and the Revenue Officers have had all the credit. I am not by any means clear that I am right in executing the work under G. O., No. 75, of 15th December 1873, as I do not know what the conditions really are.

3. I cannot however but remark that the Revenue Department throw on us the difficult and disagreeable task of the salt canals (among which I think this line to Teruporur is to be classed), and take up the road from Chingleput to Surappen's choultry which was clearly under this department.

No. 455. ORDER THEREON, 23rd February 1874, No. 451.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 37.

THE District Engineer is instructed to obtain copies of the plan and estimate he requires from the Range Office

in which they were prepared. No plan appears to have been sent up to Government, and the sanctioned estimate has as usual been made over to the Controller.

2. The District Engineer's remarks as to works being executed by Public Works Agents for which the department gets no credit in its accounts, or payment on account of share of establishments employed, are referred to the Financial Department for consideration.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Chingleput.
,, Financial Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin,
Spare Copies.

N. 2880.

Ching District Engineer's Office
Camp Chonkaiwan Choulung
26th January 1874

From,

Colonel F. J. Moberly R. E.
District Engineer Chinglaput

To,

Colonel L. W. Walker R. E.
Secretary to Government P. W. Dept.

Sir,

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To The District Engineer

6 Chingput Lane

11 Financial Dept.

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The District Engr.

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To The District Engr.
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Channel from East Godavari

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