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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
17th April 1875.*

No. 466. Read the following letter from Major J. O. HASTED, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Kistna, to Lieutenant-Colonel J. MULLINS, R.E., Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Masulipatam, 19th March 1875, No. 163:—

I HAVE the honor to forward herewith an estimate, amounting to Rupees 720, for the conservancy of the Pedda Kuncherla Tank, and to request sanction for the same.

1 Abstract Estimate for Rupees 720.
Return requested when sanctioned.

2. The tank has lately been restored at a cost of Rupees 26,610, and though a fair supply of water was retained throughout the year, the ryots were not prepared to utilize it, and only about 50 acres of dry cultivation have been watered. The estimate having been worked out, and the ryots at present taking little interest in the work, it will be necessary for two or three years I think, until the bank is finally consolidated, to have the work watched and the rain gullies filled; after that it may be possible to hand it over to the ryots, though I am not sure that it would not be good economy to maintain a small conservancy establishment on a work of this kind, if cultivation under the tank is taken up in earnest.

No. 467. ORDER THEREON, 17th April 1875, No. 1,085.

IRRIGATION, No. 55.

THE estimate of Rupees 720 for the conservation of the Pedda Kuncherla Tank is sanctioned, as the work must be kept in good order, and at first there may be more to be done to the tank than afterwards. The charge will be debited to Capital as part of the cost of restoration. It is very unsatisfactory to find that a tank on which a large outlay* has been incurred, and which has retained a considerable supply of water has not been as yet turned to useful account. From the Proceedings as per margin sanctioning the estimate, it appears that the Revenue statement showed that agreements for the cultivation of 719-32 acres had been taken, and that those would yield a revenue (water-rate) of Rupees 2,240, and inquiry will be made in the Revenue Department as to the cause of so little use having been made of the tank water in the past season.

* Rupees 25,486 up to January 1875.

12th December 1870, No. 3,008.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, Kistna,
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts,
" Revenue Department.

Exd. W. J. Lewis.

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Office of the Superintendent
Engineering District
Mauritipatam 19 March 1875

From, Major J. O. Hastel M.E.
Superintending Engineer
District in Mauritipatam
To, Lieut. Col. John Bullins M.E.
Chief Engineer for Irrigation

Sir,
I have the honor to
forward herewith an estimate
amounting to Rupees 720 for
the Conservancy of the Pada
Kancherla Tank, and to request
sanction for the same.

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Your Most Obedt Servt

Wm. Arthur Major, R.E.
Supt Engineer Kistna

Wm. Arthur

Received 1/10/1897
16.10.1897

4012- Dec 7/70 No 231-232.
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P. W. 1875/163
From: P. W. No 560.
To: The Chief Engineer
for Irrigation.
Dated 19 March 75.
Rs 25/-
Rs 3/-
Towards an Estimate
amounting to Rs 720 for
the Conservancy of the
Pedauncherla Tank
for a period of 10 years.

S. D. No. 1085-19-4-75

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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From:

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G. O. No 1085 of 17th April 75

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12th December 1872
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Chief Insp. Kichna with 1 Estimate
Chief Insp. for Kichna
Cont. Mr. Amb.
Rev. Dept.
2nd atty.
Desp. 27/4/75

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Govt. of 1875 Madras.

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To

City Engineer

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G. O. 17 April 1875, No.

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