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No. 653. Read the following letter from T. D. HARRIS, Esq, Officiating District Engineer, Malabar, to Lieutenant-Colonel J. MULLINS, R E, Officiating Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Calicut, 16th July 1875, No. 60:—

I HAVE the honor to inform you that I have inspected the works at Cochin during the last week and went over the Cruz Milagro dam and harbour carefully in every part. I have much pleasure in stating that I found the works in perfect order. The arrangements sanctioned in G. O, No. 835, dated 24th March 1875, for maintaining the dam, providing drainage, &c., has succeeded admirably, and the work has been done very well and carefully by the Assistant Engineer Mr. Grimes. I found the beach much the same as in the last section submitted with this Office No 133, dated 26th September 1874. The monsoon has been mild on the whole, and the heaviest part is over, so that there need be little cause for anxiety regarding the dam after this date. I found the sea wall built around the Vypeen corner to have proved the most successful work ever done in this locality; it has effectually stopped erosion, and the sand is forming behind it shorewards. Forty-two houses are erected on the beach from the Vypeen corner towards the gap or groyne P, and all the piece of land seawards in this direction is being built on, which evidently shows that the people are gaining confidence that there is little danger in future. On the Cochin side I found the work done at groyne A, on the extreme south, a perfect success, and no erosion has occurred to the coast in this part either. I will forward you soundings of the Cruz Milagro dam and levels of the coast after the monsoons are over.

No. 654. ORDER THREON, 26th July 1875, No. 2,126.

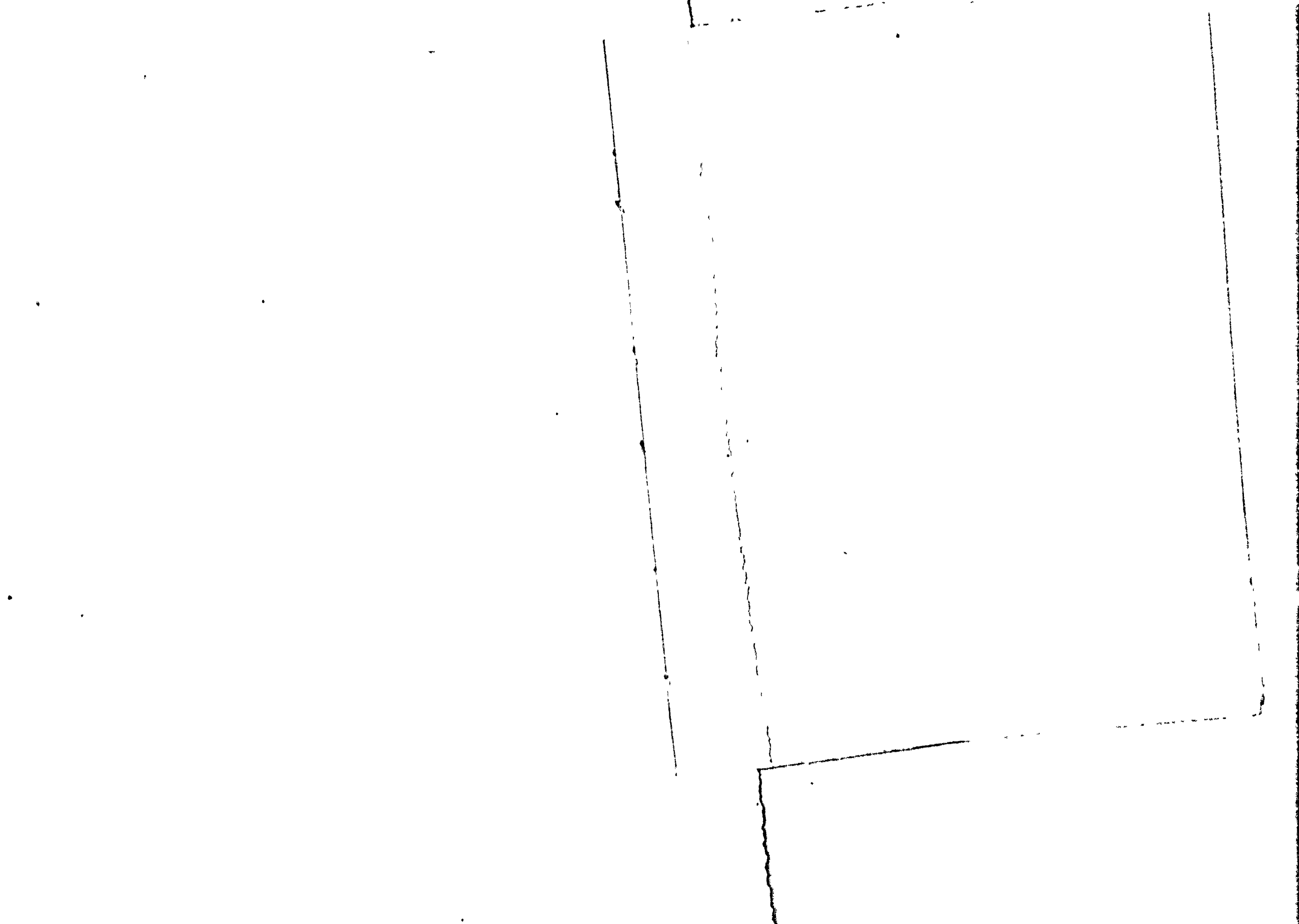
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(True Extract.)

Major, R.E.,
Offg Joint Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Malabar



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From
 The Off District Engineer
 Malabar.

To No: 4658
 The Chief Engineer
 & Mr. Headman

Dated 16th July 1875
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J.E. Headman

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