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No 455 Read the following letter from Colonel C H DICKENS, R A , Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Civil Works— Irrigation,) to the Governments of Madras, Bombay, Bengal, the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab, the Chief Commissioner of Mysore; the Agent to the Governor-General for Rajpootana, dated Fort William. 7th January 1876, No 6—12 I —

It has been observed that the quarterly Progress Reports of Irrigation Works executed from Extraordinary funds are not prepared so as to contain every work for which a grant has been made, or on which outlay has been incurred during the year, whether there was or was not outlay during the particular quarter concerned. If this were done, and if the report were so prepared as to show the charges for establishment and plant, and fluctuations in suspense balances, then the report for the last quarter of the year would show the grant and expenditure for the whole year, and would thus in itself be an annual Progress Report and obviate the necessity for the submission of a separate annual Progress Report for Extraordinary Works.

2 The Governor-General in Council is, therefore, pleased to direct that the submission of the annual Progress Report of Extraordinary Works may be discontinued for the future; the quarterly Progress Reports being prepared in the manner prescribed above.

3 These orders have no reference to the annual Progress Report required by Public Works Code (Chapter XVI) which should be submitted as usual.

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COMMUNICATED to the officers concerned for information and guidance.

(True Extract)

(Signed) G W. WALKER, Major-General, R E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineers concerned
„ Chief Engineer for Irrigation
„ Controller of Public Works Accounts.

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and communicated to
the officers concerned.