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(Here enter No. 2,831, dated 24th October 1876.)
(True Extract.)

Major-General, R.E.,
Secretary to Government,

~~To District Engineer,~~
To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, } with copy of letter.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
FORT ST. GEORGE, 24th October 1876.

No. 350.

No. 2,831.

FROM

MAJOR-GENERAL G. W. WALKER, R.E.,
Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Public Works Department,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
Public Works Department.

IRRIGATION, No. 39.

SIR,—In reply to the Assistant Secretary's letter, No. 429 I., of the 28th ultimo, I am directed to say that, so far as is known, Mr. Molesworth's patent ratchet dredger has not been tried in the Madras Presidency.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Major-General, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

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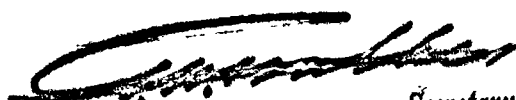
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To District Engineer, ~~Madras~~ with copy of letter.
To the Chief Engineer for Irrigation,

*My dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th inst. regarding the ratchet dredger. I am directed to inform you that the Government of India have been furnished with a report on the result of the working of any such dredgers that may have been made up in Madras.*

*W. Purvis
What is the use
of all this?
Who is answer-
able for this
useless destruc-
tion of life?*

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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~~Wm. C. 9/11/76~~ } with copy of letter.

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To The Chief Eng^r for Madras

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