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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
10th April 1877. No. 1,222.*

No. 234. Read again the Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department, dated 20th March 1877, No. 991 :—

No. 234-A. ORDER THEREON, 10th April 1877, No. 1,222.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 16-A.

THE utilization of the services of Major Chambers and Lieutenant Digby, R.E., attached to the Companies of Sappers and Miners employed on the East Coast Canal, as proposed by the District Engineer of Nellore on a monthly "Field Allowance" of Rupees 120 each from the 1st January 1877, is approved.

2. It is remarked that the District Engineer has now nine Officers and twenty-eight Overseers and Surveyors in addition to two Companies of Sappers and Miners in charge of a length of 105 miles of canal. Of this distance it is reported that 34 miles will be completed in April and 18 more in May, or very nearly half the work, when the District Engineer will be able to strengthen the supervision of the remaining sections to be taken in hand. Under these circumstances, His Grace the Governor in Council is not prepared to sanction any further increase of establishment for the East Coast Canal, and the District Engineer must do the best he can in usefully disposing of the large establishment he is already supplied with.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. A. FOORD, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

To the District Engineer, Nellore.

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