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14th April 1877. No. 1,276.*

Read the following:—

No. 168 W.

No. 332. *Note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.*

The District Engineer, Cuddapah, forwards, with his letter marginally noted, an estimate in connection with the Pyde Calva river channel, situated in the Cuddapah Taluq, Cuddapah Range.

2. The nature of the work proposed for execution and the heads of account to which it is chargeable are as follow:—

ORDINARY AGRICULTURAL.

IRRIGATION.

Repairs.

Repairing the channel and head sluice	RS.	1,240
Total ...		1,240

3. The following particulars of this channel are recorded—

Ayacut area	240	Acres	{	Circar 140	}	Acres.
				Inam 100		
Assessment	1,775	Rupees	{	Circar 1,120	}	Rupees.
				Inam 665		
Average revenue				1,074		"
Highest do.				1,157		"
Expenditure during the previous four years, <i>nil</i> .						

The Pyde Calva river channel is situated in latitude 14° 21' 30", longitude 78° 32' 0", and takes off from the right bank of the Paupugni river, its length is one mile.

The channel has a head sluice which is in need of repairs.

The estimate provides for repairing the channel and head sluice and for raising the face wall of the latter 2 feet.

The work is stated to be "a good one for the employment of destitute coolies," and the estimate, Rupees 1,240, is recommended for sanction.

It has to be noticed, however, that the information given with the estimate is very incomplete.

1st.—It does not appear whether the channel supplies a tank or irrigates direct. If the former, the past expenditure on the tank has to be considered.

2nd.—There are no longitudinal and cross sections of the channel, and without them neither this office nor the District Engineer can judge of the correctness of the estimate, and the check of the work done must be difficult.

3rd.—The amount of the estimate is large for a clearance of a channel a mile long irrigating 240 acres, and the propriety of the average rates allowed, which are high for simple clearing, is incapable of determination without the sections which would demonstrate whether the lifts mentioned are reasonable.

(Signed) G. T. WALCH,
Ag. Dy. Chief Engr. for Irrigation,
for Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Fort St. George,
29th March 1877.
To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.

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No. 333. ORDER THEREON, 14th April 1877, No. 1,276.

IRRIGATION, No. 23.

Account.

THE following estimate from the
Cuddapah Range, forwarded by the
District Engineer, Cuddapah, is sanc-
tioned:—

PYDE CALVA RIVER CHANNEL.

Heads of Service—Irrigation.

Group or Project.—Nil.

Fund.—Ordinary Agricultural Irrigation.

Class.—Repairs.

Name of Tank, Canal or Channel.—Pyde Calva river channel.

Particulars of work.—Repairing channel and head sluice.

Amount.—Rupees 1,240.

To be carried out by the Public Works Department Officer in charge, Cuddapah Range.

2. This sanction has been registered as No. 6—I of 1877-78.

(True Extract.)

Lieut.-Col., R.E.,
Joint Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.,
Irrigation Branch.

To the District Engineer, Cuddapah.
" Collector of Cuddapah.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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Read the following.

From the Chdngs for
Engg }

(H) No 168 Wd 29 Mar 77

THE following Estimate from the
Cuddapah Range forwarded by the
District Engineer, Cuddapah
is sanctioned:—

Pyde Calva river channel
Head of Service Irrigation.

Group or Project.	Fund.	Class.	Name of Tank, Canal, or Channel.	Particulars of Work.	Amount. Rs.
	Ordinary Agricultural Irrigation	Repairs	Pyde Calva river channel	Repairing channel and Head sluice	1240.
					To be carried out by the P. W. Department Officer in charge.

Total Rupees 1240

Collector Cuddapah
Chdngs for S. with 58
S. P. W. D.
Rev. Dept.

2. This sanction has been registered
as No. 6. I. of 1877-78

For

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Pydecabra River Channel
Cuddapah Dist. - The
estimate of Rs 1240 for
repairing the
is returned.

Est. in Rs