

Public Works (1898) Department.

G.O., No. 780 I

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[Despatch Abstract.]

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Letter from the Resident at Hyderabad
Reporting that there does not seem to have
been a violation of the arrangements for opening
closing the Scouring sluices of the ^{on the right bank} ~~on the right bank~~
side of the Ungulhadon. ^{And insuring punctuality}
in the future ^{on the part of the agents of the ~~scouring sluices~~ ^{scouring sluices}} commenced to E. M. Circle.

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FURTHER PAPERS.

No. 5711 OF 1898.

FROM

J. A. Crawford Esquire,

Offg. RESIDENT AT HYDERABAD,

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch,

Madras.

Dated Hyderabad Residency, the 24th September 1898.

SIR,

I have the honour to refer to my letter No.4762, dated the 6th August 1898, regarding the periodical opening of the scouring sluices of the Karoogal anicut on the Hyderabad side of the Tungabadra river.

2. His Highness the Nizam's Minister has now informed me that the Darogah in charge of the sluices opened them on the 15th of January, but that some officials of the Madras Public Works Department visited the place on that day and the day after, and closed the sluices on the evening of the 16th January; that on the 17th January, the officials of the Madras Public Works Department opened the sluices on their side, and those on the Hyderabad side were also reopened. The Minister therefore argues that the sluices were opened on the date fixed, and that there does not seem to have been a violation of the arrangement with the Madras Government.

The Minister adds that in future no objection will be raised by the officials of the Salar Jung Estate to the opening of

of the sluices regularly on the date agreed upon, provided *that*
the officials of the Madras Public Works Department will also
open the sluices, on their side of the river.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

S. S. Woodward

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