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Marine (1898) Department.

G.O., No. 886 J

DATED 11th Nov '98

[Despatch Abstract.]

Sambokulau Lauk

Confirming the sanction accorded
by the S.E. Office to the prosecution of the
notes that obstructed the execution
of certain affairs to ———— Madam D.L. &
directing that the result of the process
be reported to Govt.

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With reference to your No. 1157 dated
11-9-98 forwarding Executive Engineer's No.
1306 S. of 7.9.98 & directing to close the masonry
cut or breach at left end of Sambakulam
Tank, I beg to report that the work was
started yesterday morning with over 75 coolies
and the Datta Nagar of Sambakulam Vil-
lage at the spot.

The bund was made up to 55 feet long, 8 feet average width and 4 feet average height that is nearly to its requirement and 3 feet above F.T.L. and when it was being finished off, a ryot of Peeiya Alau-golau village lower down, by name Sub-ramaniya Thadri, appeared at the spot and questioning how stealthily I dared to do such act of mischief, went back running to bring down the villagers. About 15 minutes after there appeared some 20 men with sickles, mamooties and sticks, subsequently increased to about 50, insulted obstructed me and the coolies from working and assaulted the latter. A scuffle among
them

these are named in the margin.

- (1) Subramania Thiruvu son of Subramania Thiruvu
- (2) Kalyani Thiruvu son of Audi Thiruvu
- (3) Kolandavelu son of Kuppas Thiruvu
- (4) Moockyan son of Palaniyandy Thiruvu
- (5) Arumuga Thiruvu son of Audi Thiruvu
- (6) Saththana Thiruvu son of Palaniyandy Thiruvu

They were very rude and obstinate per-
taining to their "Agambadiya" caste and
they would have done something serious
if there was resistance from other side.

They at once began to cut open the gap
and the new bank was entirely removed
& thrown in the tank bed under water.

I therefore beg to request you will be pleased
to order their prosecution under Government
expense for insulting and obstructing while
on duty, trespassing and assaulting &c.

The following are some selected witnesses:-

- (1) Vadimalai Pillay, Rakkamgar of
Sambakulam Village
- (2) Adayean Mooppau } Ryots of — do —
- (3) Thokkayandi Mooppau }
- (4) Mairicha Krishnaswami Chettyr }
- (5) Thirukkondai Ragswami Chettyr } Pattadar
- (6) Thirukkondai Seshayyan Chettyr }

(7) Kiridinathan Mooppo

(8) Alluchockyan

(9) Sadasivam Pillay

Pattadar

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Brig. S. Sathara Rao

Accountant, Ex. Engrs office

Madura Division.

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26-10-98 O. V. R. D. D. H. H. C. D. C.
Engrs Engineer, 11 Circle

[Signature]

From T. W. S. Smyth Esquire, Executive
 Engineer, Madras Division, to the
 Superintending Engineer, Or Circle, No. 444
 dated 18 October 1898: —

I have the honor to inform you
 that the contribution work of constructing
 an additional weir at the left flank
 of No. 157 Sembakulam tank estimate
 Rs 570, was carried out at the new site
 according to G.O. No. 595 I dated 30
 June 1897. A breach in a trench that
 existed at the old site was ordered
 to be closed. The ryots of Parea Alam-
 -golam tank lower down opposed the
 closing of the breach though the weir
 in question was constructed at their
 own cost. I ordered the Sub-Divisional
 officer, Head Quarter works, to have
 the breaches closed at once despite any
 opposition.

2. From the copy of the Quarter's
 report herewith sent, it will be observed
 that the ryots of Parea Alamgolam tank
 have obstructed the execution of the work
 and assaulted the coolies that were
 working there. The Collector of Madras

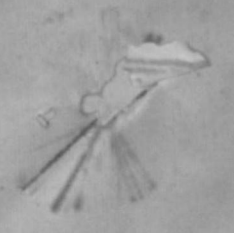
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who was consulted request me to present
a complaint in the Sub Magistrate's Court,
Madura. I request therefore that you will
be good enough to accord sanction to
conduct the case at Government expense.



No. 1439. L.D. dated 26th October 1898.

Sanctioned under G.O. No. 2050 V dated
7 July 1888, Communicated to the Executive
Engineer, with this office No. 952 T.J. dated
23 July 1888. The result of the case should
be reported.

Sd/- C. V. Hooley Lt Col. R.E.
Superintendent, Circle

No. 1440. L.D. dated 26th October 1898.

Copies, with copy of the enclosure, is
submitted to the Chief Engineer for
Irrigation with a request that he will
be good enough to obtain the sanction
of Government to the procedure adopted.

Sd/- C. V. Hooley Lt Col. R.E.
Superintendent, Circle

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