

Public Works (1898) Department.

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Immigration Works

[Despatch Abstract.]

Concerned, ^{and remark,} to arrange for the early submission of the hints
for certain. ^{referred to in the addresses presented}
to and the replies delivered by H.E. the Governor during his
eightth tour.

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Note on the Emigration subjects referred to
in the addresses presented to, and replies
delivered by H.E. the Governor on his
eighth tour.

READ the following

Note by the Chief Engineer
for Irrigation (H.E. N-282. J. 42.11.98)

No. 9005 of 19.11.28.

The Superintending
Engineers concerned
will arrange for the
early submission of the
estimates for items 4),
(2) & (5) referred to above.

2. The reports on items
(3) & (4) will be awaited.

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To
The Chief Engineer for Irrigation
" Supergrange I Circle
" " " " II Circle

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From the Chief Engineer
for Irrigation

Order

No. 282. L.

Dated 2^d Nov 1898.

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SUBJECT.

Irrigation subjects referred
to in the addresses presented
to & replies delivered by
H. E. the Governor on
his eighth tour —
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Note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation

Of the irrigation subjects referred to in the addresses presented to, and replies delivered by H.E. the Governor on his eighth tour, the following appeared to require notice and were referred to the Supg: Engineers concerned for report.

- (1) Extension of the Rushikulya Canal by 2 miles to Chattrapur.
- (2) Proposed branch channel from the Rushikulya canal along the Northern limits of the town of Berhampore.
- (3) Lock at the head of the Bank Canal, western section, Godavari Delta.
- (4) Improving a channel from Mudumbodee village, Nellore Taluk.
- (5) Removal of the spoil banks between the main canal and Krishna river.

2. With regard to (1), the Supg. Engineer reports that it is a branch channel from a distributary of the Rushikulya Canal proposed for the supply of drinking water tanks in Chakrapur. Plans and estimates for this ^{work} have been prepared & the Executive Engineer has been asked to expedite their submission. Regarding work N^o (2) the Supg. Engineer states that it is the B branch channel of Chapur Channel. A part of the work was executed by Famine Labour and that it would cost about Rs 15,000 to complete. He is of opinion that it would certainly be of advantage inasmuch as it would obviate the constant water disputes with the Mohant of Haradakhandi.

The plans and estimates which said to be ready should be submitted to this office as soon as possible. The question of the construction of the lock near the head of the Bank canal is now

now under investigation, and the Supg. Engineer states that as velocity observations have to be taken in the cold weather as well as during the 2^d crop season, a report of any value on the subject cannot be submitted till April next.

3. The Supg. Engineer, Second Circle, states that there are no records in his office referring to work N^o (4) and that he has asked the Executive Engineer, Nellore Division to report on it. For work N^o (5) the Superintending Engineer proposes to call for an estimate. He anticipates that the cost of the work will be heavy and is of opinion that the removal of the bank to a moderate level would no doubt be an aesthetic improvement to the town but does not know that its partial removal would much affect the health of the town. The matter may be considered.

Considered on receipt of the
Supg Engineer's further report
and the estimate for the work.

W. Hughes

Chief Engineer for Irrigation

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The Joint Secretary
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