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Buildings and Roads.
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READ—the following papers :—

From the Executive Engineer, Kistna Northern Division, to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, dated 21st June 1894, No. 70 S.E.

With reference to your No. 744 K.S., dated 14th June 1893, I have the honour to state that I have a great objection to barbed wire fencing on purely humanitarian grounds.

To my own knowledge, if the wire fencing round the Public Works Department compounds at Bezwada had been barbed, three horses would have been cut to bits during the past three years.

Horses are quite unable to see wire until too late and (as happened to myself a few weeks ago) go straight into it before they can be stopped.

District officers must often have to leave their horses standing in the compounds of the civil buildings now being built at Narasaraopet and elsewhere, and, if one gets frightened and breaks loose, it is absolutely certain that he will gallop straight on to the wire. If the wire is barbed the horse is sure to get seriously injured.

On these grounds I request sanction to substitute plain for barbed wire fencing.

No. 721 K.S.

Forwarded to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, with a strong recommendation that the use of barbed wire should not be encouraged.

2. The undersigned a few months ago saw its effects on a valuable horse, the wounds having the appearance of large gashes made with an axe. In this case the barbed wire fencing had no effect in confining the animal, and it is almost certain that plain wire is as effective in keeping out trespassers, while, when an accident does happen, the results are not as serious.

(Signed) W. L. C. BADDELEY, Major, R.E.,
Superintending Engineer, II Circle.

30th June 1894.

ORDER—dated 13th July 1894, No. 1762 W., Public Works.

The Government agrees in the views expressed in the foregoing correspondence, and directs that when wire fencing is provided for Government lands or buildings, it should be of plain, not barbed, wire.

(True Extract.)

A. G. Shelly.

Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To Superintending Engineers.
" the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" the Consulting Architect to Government.
" Departments of the Secretariat.

Exd. S. J. Pereira.
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