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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 27th November 1862.

No. 331. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department, dated 21st November 1862, No. 2,804:—

Sanctioning for entry in the Budget of 1863-64, an estimate amounting to Rupees 10,540 for alterations and improvements to the Aramunda Calingulah in the old Tungabadra Channel in the Kistna District, and for the excavation of a new channel to irrigate land not now supplied with water.

(Vide Public Works Proceedings, 21st November 1862, Nos. 406, 407.)

No. 332. ORDER THEREON, 27th November 1862, No. 2,493.

Communicated to the Board of Revenue for information.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel S. O. E. LUDLOW, R. E., Deputy Chief Engineer, Northern Circle, to Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 5th November 1862, No. 453/Kr 341:—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to submit, for the favorable consideration of Government, an estimate received from the District Engineer Kistna, amounting to 10,540 Rupees, for alterations and improvements to the Aramunda Calingulah in the old Tungabaddra Channel in the Kistna District, and for the excavation of a new channel to irrigate land not now supplied with water. The Tungabaddra water is at present not utilized to the extent it might be, owing to the depth of the channel bed. The project now sent up is for raising the level of this bed at the head of the Aramunda Channel and the level of that channel head also, and forming a new irrigation channel between the two.

1 Letter from District Engineer, Kistna, No. 71 dated 25th September 1862.
1 Estimate.
1 Plan.
1 Sketch.
1 Copy of Board's Proceedings No. 7,093, dated 24th October 1862.
1 Letter from Collector No. 155, dated 22nd August 1862.
1 Abstract of Kararnamahs.
1 Letter from District Engineer No. 95, dated 20th October 1862, with enlcosure.
1 Do. from do. No. 79, dated 2nd October 1862.

2. Owing to the very favorable configuration of the ground this new channel after a course of only one mile will obtain a command for eight or nine miles over a tract of land at present unsupplied, but which the people are very anxious to bring under irrigation.

3. The project has the additional advantage of regulating and when necessary diminishing the supply from the Tungabaddra Channel to the Aramunda Tank, whereby a tract of land well fitted for cultivation will be saved from inundation. This tract may also hereafter be brought under irrigation from the channel when raised.

4. The number of acres which will be brought under wet cultivation by the proposed works is 3,000, and the probable increase of Revenue 9,000 Rupees.

5. I entirely approve of the project now submitted, and think that the works are well adapted for the object in view. I therefore beg to recommend the estimate for sanction, and that the District Engineer be permitted to expend, as he proposes, 3,000 Rupees during the current year, provided that sum should be available through short expenditure on other works, the balance of the estimate being entered for expenditure in the Budget for 1863-64.

P. S.—The project has been submitted for the opinion of the Board of Revenue, in conformity with paragraphs 35 and 37, Chapter V, of the New Public Works Code, and their disposal thereon is herewith forwarded for the information of Government.

ORDER THEREON, 21st November 1862, No. 2,804.

The Governor in Council sanctions the estimate received with the foregoing letter for entry in the Budget of 1863-64. The recent Orders* however from the Government of India preclude this Government from authorizing for immediate execution a portion of the estimate agreeably to the recommendation of the Deputy Chief Engineer, Northern Circle.

* From Government of India, dated 13th October 1862, No. 3,960, recorded in G. O. dated 4th November 1862, No. 2,644.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Deputy Chief Engineer, Northern Circle.
„ Chief Engineer.
„ Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Proceedings of the Indian Govt. in the Public Works Depart.

Dated 21st Novr
Received 24th " 1862.

No. 2804.

Sanctioning proceedings on the Budget of 1863/64 an estimate amounting to Rs 10,540 for alterations and improvements to the Arasanda Kalingulahe on the old Fungabadra Channel in the Kistna District, and for the excavation of a new channel to irrigate land not now supplied with water.

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Fort St. Geo.
27th November 1862.

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