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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
10*th December* 1868.

No. 125. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department:—

Sanctioning estimate of Rupees 950 for the construction of a head sluice in the Poiney Western Channel, near Vellamulli, North Arcot District. } (Here enter 3rd December 1868, No. 3,774.)

No. 126. ORDER THEREON, 10th December 1868, No. 3,071.

Irrigation, No. 6. Communicated to the Revenue Board.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) F. BRANDT,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Public Works Department, No. 3,774.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Govt. of 1868, 3rd Dec.

To

REVENUE.

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated December, 10th.

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G. O., 10th December 1868, No. 3,071.

DECEMBER

Nos. 125-126.

Sluice for the Poiney Western Channel.—Order sanctioning estimate for its construction, communicated to Revenue Board.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 3rd December 1868.

No. 77. Read the following Endorsement of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Fort St. George, 16th November 1868, No. 93:—

Read the following letter from the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division, to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation and Joint Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 13th November 1868, No. 4,003:

1 Sketch.
1 Plan.
1 Estimate.
1 Ayacut Statement.

1. I have the honor to forward, for the sanction of Government, an estimate amounting to Rupees 950, illustrated by a plan and a sketch, for constructing a sluice in the Poiney Western channel, at a point near Vellamulli, in Chittoor talook, Chittoor Range, North Arcot District.

2. It will be seen that there are no means at present of shutting off, when occasion arises, the drainage of the Permalcuppum, the Vellamulli, and other lands, which enters and flows down the irrigation channel, depositing a large quantity of silt in its course, and sometimes, by its very great volume, endangering the banks of several tanks to which the channel leads. The proposed sluice will obviate this danger by assisting in turning off the drainage waters (when they are not required) over the surplus calingula into the Poiney river.

3. The Acting Collector of North Arcot has approved of the estimate, and it appears that there will be an increase of revenue of Rupees 655, which is nearly sixty-nine per cent. on the intended outlay.

4. The amount being small, I would advocate the work being immediately [illegible] of a provision of funds later in the year from savings.

The proposed work appears to me to be very necessary, and I would recommend the estimate for sanction under the following head:—

Regulating Works.

Main channels and branches... ... ... Rupees 950

(Signed) J. C. ANDERSON, Colonel, R. E.,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

No. 78. ORDER THEREON, 3rd December 1868, No. 3,774.

IRRIGATION, No. 6.

Under the circumstances explained in these papers, and seeing that the construction of the proposed head sluice will tend to improve the utility of the channels, and add to their remunerativeness, the Government sanction the estimate of Rupees 950, and grant authority for the work being proceeded with pending the adjustment of the outlay hereafter.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Accountant General.
" Revenue Department.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Comd. to the Revenue Board—

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,

4TH DIVISION.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated December, 3rd.

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G. O., 3rd December 1868, No. 3,771.

DECEMBER.

Nos. 77-78

Sluice.—Estimate of Rupees 950 for the construction of a head sluice in the Poiney Western channel, near Vellamulli, North Arcot District, sanctioned.

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