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No. 119. Read the following Endorsement of the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Fort St. George, 3rd February 1874 :—

Read the following letter from G. H. TREVOR, Esq., Officiating First Assistant Resident, Hyderabad, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, dated Hyderabad, 28th January 1874, No. 3,291.

WITH reference to the correspondence ending with this office letter, No. 661, dated 5th June 1873, on the subject of the water-rate claimed from His Highness the Nizam's Government by the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company on account of water supplied from their canal to the lands of Sultanpur and Realampad, I have the honour, under instructions from the Resident, to forward, for transmission to the Collector of Kurnool, an Ahkam or order from His Highness' Minister on the Taluqdar of the Raichur District, directing the payment to the Collector of the sum of Rupees 1,632 in adjustment of the Company's claim.

2. From the enclosed translation of a letter on this subject received from Sir Salar Jung, No. 233 of the 19th instant, which gave cover to the above Ahkam, it will be perceived that, with the view of obviating future disputes and complaints in the matter of this water-rate, His Highness' Government are desirous either of effecting an exchange with the British Government of the villages above referred to for other Cis-Tungabudra British villages, or, in the event of that being impracticable, of having the claim for water-rate averted altogether by the issue of orders on the part of the Madras Government prohibiting the supply of water in future to the lands of Sultanpur and Realampad.

3. I am desired by Mr. Saunders to request that this matter may be submitted for the orders of His Excellency the Governor in the proper department.

From His Highness the Nizam's Minister, to the Resident at Hyderabad, dated 19th January 1874, No. 233.

WITH reference to your letter, No. 1,328, dated 3rd June 1873, and two subsequent reminders, forwarding copy of a letter from the Secretary to Government of Madras, Public Works Department, with enclosure showing the result of the joint investigation by the Chief Engineer, Madras Irrigation Company and Mr. Mills, the officer deputed by this Government, into the claim preferred by the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company on account of water supplied to the lands of Sultanpur and Realampad, etc., (here follow contents of Resident's letter in full,) I beg to state that the raiats still adhere to their statements, and refuse to pay the amount claimed, denying the fact of the water having been used on their lands. But as the matter has been settled conjointly by both the officers appointed by the two Governments, and as I can say nothing against their decision, I beg to enclose an Ahkam addressed to the Taluqdar, Raichur District, directing him to pay the amount. In order, however, to similar disputes being avoided in future, it appears to me advisable that the villages in question, which are trans-Tungabudra, may be taken by the British Government, and other Cis-Tungabudra villages given in exchange for them to His Highness the Nizam's Government. If this arrangement be not feasible, I request that water from the canal may not be supplied to the villages referred to, and that no claim may hereafter be advanced for the water-rate.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
11th March 1874.

REFERRED, with previous correspondence, to the Revenue Department.

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

No. 120. ORDER THEREON, 11th March 1874, No. 333.

Irrigation, No. 6.

IT is observed that arrears have been paid up. In accordance with the Minister's suggestion no further supply of water should be issued to these villages. The Government are not prepared to give British territory in exchange as an alternative.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Public Works Department.
,, the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Govt. of {1874} Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated March 11th.

Read.

Encl.

G. O., 11th March 1874, No. 333.

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Nos. 119-120.

Water-rate claimed by Madras Irrigation and Canal Company on account of certain villages in Nizam's Territory.—Notices payment of arrears of —; prohibits further supply of water: and declines an exchange of villages.

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No. 3291 of 1873-74.

From,

The Offg. First Assistant Resident

Hyderabad

To,

The Secretary to the Government of Madras

Public Works Department

Hyderabad Residency 28th January 1874.

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Your most obedient Servant

W. Sleeman

Offg. 1st Assistant Resident

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(Translation)

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Amount

Education 1874 No pamphlet

No 338.

From

The Superintending Assistant Collector Pattukottah Mr. Wilkes

G.O. No 333 - 11th March 1874

Received 28th March 1874

Main Line 2½ — 0 — 8 — 1-2

Branch 2½ — 0 — 8 — 1-2

Assessment for fasli 1283

Referred with previous correspondence to the Revenue Board: Pantulu Ct.

Commissioner Coll. Rajahmundry to Govt. Pub. Dept. Fort St. George. 30th July 74.

Memorandum

No. 333

110-120 Rs. is

Mahanadi Tank Amount has been paid up - No assistance made by Mahanadi irrigation in further supply of water to the Ryots - The Ryots are not prepared to pay Basket Assessment - The Ryots are willing to pay an enhancement -

St. 572.

11th March 1874.

20 of Pattukottah Taluk 13 Dist. Godavari

Rs. 333 Rs. 110-120

Rs. 223 Rs. 80-100 Rs. 303 Rs. 190-220

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/True Translation/

No. 5962

Dated 28th/31st
A.S. (Revd) Mr. Bruce
Dr. Bellary 19-12-20.