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No. 98. Read the following endorsement of the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated O mund, 17th June 1875:—

Read the following Proceedings of the of Revenue, dated 11th June 1875, Miscellaneou o. 5,232.

Read the following letter from R. J. MELVILLE, Esq., Acting Collector of the Chingleput District, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Saidapet, 4th J ne 1875, No. 312.

I HAVE the honor to request that the Board will obtain sufficient funds to meet the compensation claims in connection wi the Chembrumbaukum Project, as the funds now available for the purpose seem ite out of proportion to the requirements of the year.

2. The balance of claims settled last ear, and remaining to be satisfied on the 1st April last, amounted to Rupees 3,045 -9, and since then the Special Deputy Collector has disposed of further cla amounting to Rupees 7,481-1-6, or Rupees 10,526-4-3 in all. On my asking he Superintending Engineer as to what funds were available in the Budget allotme for compensation under the project this year, he stated, in his No. 522, dated 12th ultimo, (copy herewith sent,) that a sum of Rupees 5,838-9-10 is all that is ava ble for expenditure this year. I have already sent bills for Rupees 3,045-2-9 which leaves only a small balance of Rupees 2,793-7-1. But as this sum is qu insufficient to meet the claims already settled, and as I understand from a statem lately furnished by the Special Deputy Collector that a sum of at least Rupees 4 000 will be required for disbursement during the remainder of the current officia ear, I have the honor to request that the Board will take steps to obtain a further t for Rupees 40,000 to meet the claims already settled and those which may be se l hereafter.

From Colonel F. J. MOBERLY, R.E., tending Engineer, Chingleput, to R. J. MELVILLE, Esq., Collector of gleput District, dated Guindy, 12th May 1875, No. 522.

IN continuation of my letter No. 349, dated th ultimo, I have the honor to observe that the Executive Engineer in charge of the Chembr mbaukum Lake Project reports that a sum of Rupees 5,838-9-10 is available for disbursemer during the current official year, on account of compensation for lands taken up for the waters ead of the above lake.

SUBMITTED for the of Government.

(True Cop Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

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(S A. MACGREGOR,
Acting Secretary to Government.

No. 99. ORDER THEREON, 31[st] July 1875, No. 1,879.

IRRIGATION, No. 9.

Account.

G. O., No. 2,808, dated 20th November 1873.
" " 2,270, " 17th August 1874.
" " 66, " 11th January 1875.
" " 1,042, " 15th April "

THE Government observe that under the orders marginally noted bills and registers for land compensation, countersigned by the Superintending Engineer, should be sent to the Controller for adjustment under the rules, and it will then be the duty of that officer to report to Government what arrangements are necessary to the provision of funds. It is to be noticed further that the Chembrumbaukum Tank Project expenditure on this account for the year should have been provided for by the Superintending Engineer, Chingleput, in communication with the Collector, distinctly in his Budget estimates, whereas there is no entry whatever for land compensation in the Budget, Part III., against this project, and according to the details there given no expenditure on this account had been or was expected to be incurred up to the 31st March last. Colonel F. J. Moberly will explain the omission.

2. It being probable that application will have to be made to the Government of India for a special grant under Ordinary, it is necessary that a very careful estimate of the probable outlay of the year should be prepared, especially as there has been great delay in the settlement of land compensation, and funds available in former years have lapsed in consequence.

(True Extract.)

John Actual. Major, R.E.,
Ag. Joint Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, Chingle
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" Controller of Public Works Accov

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G. O., 3rd July 1875, No. 1,879.

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Chembrumbaukum Tank, Chingleput District.—Passing orders on endorsement in the Revenue Department on Board's Proceedings submitting a letter from the Collector of Chingleput requesting an additional grant to meet the compensation claims in connection with the —. No. 1471

Comm.r Lotts
Board of Revenue
15 July/75