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No. 171. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th March 1875, No. 546:—

Read the following letter from W. D. HORSLEY, Esq., Collector of Cuddapah, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Bukkayapally, 6th February 1875, No. 36:—

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2. The new rules for the distribution of canal water were published in the District Gazette on the 19th September 1874. The Deputy Collector on this special duty of the canal has made every endeavor to make known, by means of his Tahsildars, the nature of the new rules to the officers of villages commanded by the canal. Copies of the rules are suspended on the walls of the Deputy Collector's office and of my office. Printed copies of application forms are being printed, or have been supplied, and the village officers have, in the meantime, been directed to receive applications in manuscript. I am under the impression that the subject of the new rules for the distribution of water are known in the villages concerned.

3. The Deputy Collector reports that no case of dilatoriness on the part of the Curnams has been brought to his notice, but I have not the least doubt that Curnams are frequently obstructive. I know that they are so when Government they are rather more obstructive when water, the property of an independent company whose paid servants the Curnams are not, is the subject of the application. There is a continued rivalry to improper claims between the Curnams and the underlings of the Company, and this state of things is not conducive to the Curnams doing their duty. The difficulties in getting ordinary Government work out of the Curnams are numerous, but the difficulties are magnified when we have to deal with them in canal matters.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government with reference to G. O., dated 26th October 1874, No. 186, Revenue Department.

2. The Collector will use his best endeavors to check the dilatoriness and irregular conduct of Curnams which he believes to exist, but which have not been complained of.

(A True Copy and Extract.)

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

No. 172. ORDER THEREON, 13th March 1875, No. 415.

Miscellaneous.

COMMUNICATED to the Public
Works Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

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

Exd. J. W. Fischer.

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H. E. Stokes

Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
Copy to the Collector of Cuddapah.

Exd. J. W. Fischer.

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THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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Recd. March 18th.

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G. O., 13th March 1875, No. 416.

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No. 171-172.

English Company's Canal.—Communicating to the Public Works Department Proceedings of Board of Revenue regarding the dilatoriness and irregular conduct of Curnams in matters connected with the —

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Irrigation and Canal Company's Canal.
Report of Collector of Cuddapah that new rules for the distribution of the water of — were published in District Gazette, and their nature explained to the officers of villages concerned, and that the Curmans are usually very dilatory with regard to canal matters, submitted to Government. Collector to use his best endeavors to check the irregularity on the part of Curmans.

Committee
Public Works Dept.
18 March 1875

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