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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 6th March 1875.

No. 170. Read the following endorsement of the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Fort St. George, 18th December 1874 :—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 9th December 1874, No. 3,563.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 12th November 1874, No. 75, Revenue Department.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating Proceedings in the Public Works Department, passing orders on a letter and memorandum from the Government of India, respecting arrangements for keeping proper Capital and Revenue Accounts of the Irrigation works in Madras for report.

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† Eastern Delta works.
† Central do.
† Western do.

Kistna.

Eastern Delta works.
Western do.

Nellore.

Pennair Delta Works.
Channel from Venkatagherry River to Cheyleor Tank.

Chingleput.

Palar Anicut Project, Kambuncal Channel.
Corattoor and Cusoveram Anicut and Bungaroo Channel.
Anicut across the Neyvel Madugu.
Madras Water-supply Project.
Chembrumbakum Tank Project.
Hadmanaikanal Tank Project.

North Arcot.

† Pillar Anicut.
† Poiney Anicut.
† Allavadad Dam and Channel.
† Cheyar Project and auxiliary works.
† Theeruvalacoopum Tank and Kaleyanadurg Tank.

South Arcot.

Pallandray Anicut Project.
Lower Coleroon Anicut.
Vellaur Anicut.
Ragavoor Channel, Toomur Anicut, and Pomparipay Channel.
Tirvadi Anicut.
Vidiyarpatty Anicut and Channel.
Vanapuriatty Anicut.
Anicut across the Manimuttanadhy River near Virudhachellum.
Anicut across the Manimuttanadhy River near Mukundanur.

Tanjore.

Upper Anicut in Coleroon.
Lower do. in do.
" do. in Vennar.
† Mannargoody Anicut.

Carnatic.

Grandpully Channel.
Chittagroyan do.
Chittarpoottanoor do.
Arkeroottah do.

The information required by the Government of India cannot be supplied from the records in the Board's office; but at the requisition of the Controller of Public Works Accounts, the Board have already called for it from the districts for the works noted in the margin. Statements containing the information for the works marked with an obelisk in the margin, having been received from Collectors, have been forwarded to the Controller, and copies thereof are herewith submitted with the instructions issued for preparing them.

From the statements received, it will be observed that it has not been found possible in each case to obtain the revenue for ten or fifteen years previous to the constructions, and that in some cases it could not be ascertained if the land irrigated under the work was formerly dry cultivated or waste.

2. The Board think that the employment of a special officer to undertake [illegible] all the information that can be collected will be collected by the District Officers.

3. With reference to paragraph 14 of the memorandum printed with the Government Order, the Board observe that it is useless to endeavour to estimate the collections under each work of irrigation. As a rule, the assessments of irrigated lands is fully collected, and for all practical purposes, the demand, after allowing for remissions, may be taken as the receipts. Any estimate of collections

Proceedings of the Minute Government, Public Works Department,
8th March 1873.

Read

Letter from

Forest

Superintendent Ajmer Forest

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. GIBBONS,
Secretary.

To Government in the Public Works Department, with reference to the G. O.,
Marine department, dated 19th October 1872, No. 1213.

(Signed) H. MASTER,
Acting Secretary to Government.

No. 1468. Office memorandum, 6th March 1873, No. 1357.

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Secretary.

The Secretary the Government
Financial considers that it will be desir-
able to employ a special Revenue Officer
to look the information required for
entry in the Revenue Accounts of India.
The services of the Heads of Deputy Collectors would suffice.
Special Revenue
Officers would be paid as Deputy Collectors and Deputy Controller.
Such Officers would be appointed under Deputy Controller.
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Colonel R. H.,
Secretary to Government.

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