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No. 409. Read the following endorsement of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Fort St. George, 9th April 1877, No. 179 W:—

From Lieutenant Colonel H. L. PRENDERGAST, R.E., District Engineer, North Arcot, to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Vellore, 5th March 1877, No. 2729.

I have the honor to submit a comparative statement of the work of repairing the bund and reconstructing a sluice of Meadi large tank, and to request sanction for an excess of Rupees 172 one hundred and seventy-two.

2. When the estimates were originally submitted for sanction, the Range Officer was authorized by the District Engineer, in March 1875, to put the work in hand in anticipation of sanction. Estimates, amounting to Rupees 135, were sanctioned in G.O. No. 2,090, of the 23rd July 1875, viz., Rupees 250, for new works and 115 for repairs. On subsequent explanation being given by the District Engineer, Rupees 1,100 were sanctioned for repairs, in addition, in G.O. No. 2,850, of the 1st October 1875, but somehow, in the application for sanction then made, there was an omission of an item of Rupees 150 for rebuilding the sluice.

3. The late Lieutenant Bevan reported in November 1875 that the sluice work had been completed, being absolutely necessary to make the tank efficient, and having been included in his original estimate; the Range Officer at the same time quoted the District Engineer's authority of the 6th March for his carrying on the work. The correspondence then dropped, and the subject was revived recently by a contractor making a claim for payment.

4. The estimates sanctioned for repairs amount to Rupees 1,615, and if the further amount of Rupees 150 for the sluice had been added the total would have been Rupees 1,765. The sluice work has cost just the amount estimated, but there has been an excess expenditure of Rupees 21-12-0 on earthwork, and the result is that the total excess, Rupees 172, includes the value of the sluice work, not sanctioned, Rupees 150, and a small *bona-fide* excess of Rupees 22.

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Comparative Statement showing the difference between the Original Estimate and work executed for Repairing the Mandi Large Tank and reconstructing State in
Wallool Taluk.

Description of work.	No. and Date of Sanction.	By whom sanctioned.	Original Estimate.		Revised Estimate.		Remarks.
			Quantity.	Rate.	Quantity.	Rate.	
Earthwork	C. Yd.		5,115	0 1 6	3,457	0 1 6	Due to Correction in Estimate of 1st item, viz. 1,658 C. Yd. at 0 1 6 each = Rs. 1,658 40 0
Reconstructing and repairing masonry	C. Yd.		2,000	0 8 0	2,000	0 8 0	For work of 1st item = Rs. 1,600 40 0
Shed for							
Work in masonry	C. Yd.						
Planting	Sq. Ft.						
Cost stone	C. Ft.						
Digging foundation for							
Total							

Sanctioned by the Government, No. 1,317, dated 17th April 1877.

Approved.

18th February 1877

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Sanctioned by Government with the recommendation that the excess outlay be sanctioned.

The difference between the original and revised estimate is as shown below:

Part of Work.	Original Estimate.	Revised Estimate.	Increase in Revised Estimate.
Mandi Large Tank	Rs. 1,825	Rs. 2,007	Rs. 172

Signed JOHN MULLINS, Lieut. Col., R.E.,
Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

No. 1,317. Order dated, 17th April 1877, No. 1,317.

IRRIGATION, Nos. 26 & 27.

Approved.

The following revised estimate is sanctioned:

IRRIGATION BRANCH
Madras Agency
Irrigation

Name of Tank.	Particulars of Estimate.	Class.	Amount.	Irrigation Register Number.	Number and Reference of previous Sanction.
Mandi Large Tank	Repairing land and repacking revetment.	Repairs	Rs. 1,657	1)	G.O. Nos. 2,090 and 2,850, dated 23rd July and 4th Oct. 1875, respectively.
	Additional surplus es- cape...	Original works	220	2)	G.O. No. 2,090, dated 23rd July 1875.
	Reconstructing an irri- gation share	Repairs	150	3)	

2. The previous sanctions are cancelled.

(True Extract)

John Mullins

Lieut. Col., R.E.,
Joint Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.,
Irrigation Branch.

To the District Engineer, North Arcot.
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Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
Revenue Department.

Edw. S. T. Austin.

Superintendent

Reverend Board of Directors
No 2381

11-27-1907

6 May 1907

Respectfully
Committed to the
Board of Directors

5 May 1907