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No. 455. Read the following letter from Major J. O. HASTED, R.E., Superintending Engineer, Kistna District, to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Masulipatam, 22nd March 1877, No. 187 :—

With reference to your memorandum No. 10 K.S., dated 14th instant, I have the honor to submit, herewith, estimates for Survey Establishment required next year in supersession of that referred to.

Two Estimates. Return requested when sanctioned.

2. The estimate for river survey, amounting to Rupees 1,000, I am unable to give details for, and therefore I have entered a sum of Rupees 20 for each mile to be surveyed. This year I was able to employ an officer for a time on Survey duties, and he completed 10 miles of river survey; I was also able to provide lascars from the permanent establishment. The only charges therefore were providing a boat and crew, fixing stations, &c. Next year I shall, if possible, employ the permanent establishment, but, in addition to sundry charges, I may have to provide lascars at times, and as I am unable to estimate the necessary outlay accurately, I have simply asked for 20 Rupees a mile of river to be surveyed.

3. The other estimate, amounting to Rupees 840, is for the delta project work. I find that although the project may be considered completed, there are frequent references made, and as works are taken up there will be a great deal of work to do in copying sanctioned plans and estimates and altering or revising them in accordance with instructions, which the permanent establishment is quite unable to do, and I am therefore compelled to ask for assistance.

No. 456. ORDER THEREON, 19th April 1877, No. 1,342.

IRRIGATION, No. 43.

Establishment.

THE following sanctions are given against the provision for temporary Survey Establishment in the Budget of 1877-78, Preliminary Issue :—

Ordinary Agricultural.

River Conservancy.

Survey of Kistna River below Anicut.

Estimate Rupees 1,000:

By Department Public Works.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
19th April 1877. No. 1,342.

Irrigation.

Capital Ordinary.

Kistna Delta System—

Establishment for work connected with the completion Estimates.

Estimate Rupees 840.

By Department Public Works.

(True Extract.)

W. L. L. L.

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

To the Superintending Engineer, Kistna, with two Estimates.
" Collector of the Kistna District.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.

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To

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The SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
KISTNA
&c. &c. &c.

Dated April 19th.

Received

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L. O., 19th April 1877, No. 1342.

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Survey Establishments for the Kistna
District during 1877-78, sanctioned.

27th May 1877 Revenue 12-1-77.