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GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

*Revenue* DEPARTMENT

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No. 609. Read the following endorsement of the Deputy Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Fort St. George, 20th December 1876, No. 312 W.:—  
From Major J. BEATTY, R.E., Officiating Superintending Engineer, Godavery, to Lieutenant-Colonel J. MULLINS, R.E., Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Dowlaishweram, 7th December 1876, No. 2,554.

I HAVE the honor to bring to your notice that the work noted in the margin was sanctioned in June last by Lieutenant Campbell when in charge of the district during my absence on privilege leave under the impression that the work, though classed under the head "Extensions and Improvements," should be treated as one of repair, and funds provided from the repair grant.

2. As all works classed under the head "Extensions and Improvements" are now treated as Original Works, and have been so exhibited in the Final Issue of the Irrigation Budget, and as the amount of the estimate of the work sanctioned by Lieutenant Campbell is in excess of the sum that can be sanctioned by District Engineers, the Examiner of Public Works accounts states that formal sanction of Government to the estimate is necessary.

3. Under these circumstances I submit the estimate, and request you will be good enough to obtain the orders of Government.

SUBMITTED to Government.

2. The District Engineer sanctioned the work under "Revenue"—"Extensions and Improvements," but, under a misappropriation of existing orders, treated it as a Repair work, under which latter head the District Engineer has power to sanction up to one-fifth of the average revenue of the last five years. But, as the estimate is one for *improvements* (classed as Original Works), it cannot be sanctioned locally. The District Engineer now solicits the sanction of Government, which is accordingly recommended.

(Signed) A. DEC. SCOTT, Major, R.E.,  
Dy. Chief Engineer for Irrigation,  
for Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.

No. 610. ORDER THEREON, 28th December 1876, No. 3,556.

IRRIGATION, No. 45-A.

Account.

THE estimate is sanctioned and the outlay will be debited as shown below:—

REVENUE.

(1) Extensions and Improvements.  
GODAVERY DELTA SYSTEM.

(2). Main Canals and Branches.  
MUNDAPETTA CANAL.

L. E. Rs.

Sloping and gravelling cattle crossings ... .. Rs. 1,845

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,  
28th December 1876. No. 3,556.*

2. This sanction is registered as No. 255-I. of 1876-77.

(True Extract.)

*Commence*

Major-General, R. E.  
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, Godavery.  
" Collector of do.  
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.  
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.  
" Revenue Department. ✓

Exd. E. C. ShunKer

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To  
The SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,  
GODAVERY.

Dated December 28th.

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DECEMBER

Nos. 809-810.

Little crossings on the Mundapetta Canal,  
Godavery District—Estimate of Rupees  
1,845 for sloping and graveling the  
sanctioned.

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*For the Boarding Dec 24 1876*