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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

8th June 1877, No. 65 I.

Irrigation.

Read the following paper:—

No. 23. Endorsement of the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated 15th May 1877.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 7th May 1877, No. 2,105.

From R. W. BARLOW, Esq., Collector of Chingleput District, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Sydapett, 30th April 1877, No. 304.

REFERRING to the correspondence noted in the margin, I have the honor to request that the Board will be good enough to address Government in view to orders being passed, in the Public Works Department, for the early preparation of an estimate for the Cortelliar embankment, as employment is urgently required for the distressed poor in this district.

G.O., dated 18th April 1877, No. 1,472.

20th " " 2,245.
Public Works Department No. 1,061, dated 28th March 1877.

Board's Proceedings, dated 21st April 1877, No. 1,831.

2. The railway works between Ammaloor and Arconum are approaching completion and the Temporary Deputy Collector telegraphs from Conjeveram that it will take another fortnight to make over sufficient land to the South Indian Railway Company, to enable them to begin work on the branch line between Chingleput and Conjeveram, and even then the Consulting Engineer states only about 10,000 men can be employed.

3. I may add that the Tahsildar of Ponnery reports that he is at a loss to find work for able-bodied in need of employment, and the Assistant Engineer states that the Naranaveram river embankment under the Public Works Department is nearly completed.

SUBMITTED to Government.

2. It is observed that in the order first quoted by the Collector Government have stated that they will not allow the Cortelliar embankments to be commenced until the plans and estimates have been completed and well considered. It is hoped that instructions may be given to expedite them.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Secretary.

To the Additional Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

TRANSFERRED to the Public Works Department, with a request that the submission of plans and estimates for the Cortelliar embankment may be ordered to be expedited.

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Secy. to Govt., R.D.

No. 24. ORDER THEREON 8th June 1877, No. 65 I.

COMMUNICATED to the Superintending Engineer, Chingleput, and to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation. The revised estimate for the Cortelliar embankments should be submitted with the least possible delay.

(True Extract.)

W. H. Garstin

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

To the Superintending Engineer, Chingleput.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" Revenue Department.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.

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To

THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
CHINGLEPUT.
&c., &c., &c.

Dated June 8th.

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