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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

13th July 1877, No. 417 W.

Buildings and Roads.

Civil Works.

Read the following papers:—

No. 169. From J. O'SHAUGHNESSY, Esq., District Engineer, Nellore, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Nellore, 25th June 1877, No. 1,053.

In reference to G.O., dated 16th June 1877, No. 256 W, I have the honor to inform you that I have already issued a notification (copy enclosed) changing the name of the canal; headings of forms and returns have also been changed, and to go back again to the old name will cause very great inconvenience and be a great disappointment to all connected with the canal.

2. The Examiner of Accounts will have to alter the nomenclature of what is called the "East Coast Canal" Division to that of the "Koratur" Division, and I do not anticipate that he will raise any objection to this trifling change.

3. I am sorry if I have been too precipitate in this matter, but I had no idea whatever there could be any reason for delay, and as the question of opening 80 out of the 105 miles of the canal is only a question of a few weeks, in the case of many miles only of days, I respectfully request the Government to reconsider the order under reference, and I trust the arrangements I have made will be allowed to stand.

No. 169-A. From the same Officer, dated Nellore, 5th July 1877, No. 1,169.

In reference to your memorandum No. 1,790, dated the 28th ultimo, I regret you consider my arrangements in naming the Buckingham Canal "somewhat hasty," my principal object in naming the canal so soon was to enable me to use the new name on the plans and estimates now under preparation in my office, and to go back again to the old name will, as I have already informed you, cause inconvenience. I therefore venture to request you will have the goodness to place my letter No. 1,053, dated the 25th ultimo, and this letter before Government, in the hope that my explanation of the matter may induce His Grace in Council to be pleased to reconsider their Order, dated the 16th June 1877, No. 256 W.

No. 170. ORDER THEREON, 13th July 1877, No. 417 W.

UNDER the circumstances now reported the Government sanction the change of name, which has been already notified in the district.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

To the District Engineer, Nellore.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.

Exd. S. T. Austin.

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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of 1877 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER.

NELLORE.

&c. &c. &c.

Dated July 13th.

Issued

Recd. 20 July

Encl.

G. O., 13th July 1877, No. 417, W.

See Memo

JULY.

Nos. 168-170.

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The Buckingham Canal.—The change of name of the East Coast Canal to sanctioned.

Comm. to the Board of Revenue
20 July 77
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