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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

6th November 1878, No. 894 I.

Irrigation.

Account.

Read the following papers :—

No. 26. From J. D. GRANT, Esq., Officiating District Engineer, Tinnevelly, to the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated Nannagaram, 10th August 1878, No. 74.

I HAVE the honor to resubmit for sanction an estimate, amounting to Rupees 650, for repairing the bund of the Vagaikolam Nedoongolam tank in the Sankaranainarkoil Taluk of the Northern Division and for constructing a surplus weir in it.

2. The estimate is one of those returned with your memorandum No. 24 TN, of 4th April 1877, for reconsideration, and is now prepared so as to provide for the entire wants of the tank.

3. A sum of Rupees 220 was spent for famine relief in 1877-78, and is included in the present estimate.

No. 299 I.

No. 26-A. *Note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.*

THE District Engineer, Tinnevelly, forwards, with his letter marginally noted, an estimate in connection with the Nedoongolam tank situated in the Sankaranainarkoil Taluk, Northern Division.

No. 74, dated 10th August 1878.

2. The nature of the work proposed for execution and the heads of account to which it is chargeable are as follow :—

ORDINARY AGRICULTURAL.

IRRIGATION.

Original Works.

	RS.
Constructing a masonry surplus weir	170
Repairs.	
Sectioning and levelling the bund	480
Total ..	650

3. The following particulars of this tank are recorded :—

Ayacut area	46 Acres.
Assessment	Not stated.
Average revenue	104 Rupees.
Highest do.	222 do.
Expenditure during the previous four years	Nil.

The area of the catchment basin is two square miles, the maximum flood supply is calculated at 504 cubic feet per second, for discharging which as surplus there is no proper surplus work. The surplus is apparently discharged round the ends of the bund. It is now proposed to construct a masonry weir 79 feet in length in order to relieve the tank, which has three high lying zemindari tanks surplusing into it during floods.

In 1877-78 the bund was repaired, almost throughout, from Famine Relief Funds at a cost of Rupees 220, which amount is included in the estimate under review, but the bund needs to be sectioned and brought to a uniform level.

6. The tank has two irrigation sluices; one is out of order and can be dispensed with as it is not required, the other appears to be a new structure recently constructed and is in good order.

7. It is shown that the high lying zemindari tanks are deficient in surplus works. If steps have not been taken to have them provided with adequate surplus arrangement it should be done at once.

The following statement shows the proposed distribution of the outlay recommended for sanction to the debit of the several heads of account involved:—

Head of Service—IRRIGATION.
Fund—ORDINARY AGRICULTURAL.

Name of System or Group.	Distinguishing Number or Letter of Group.	Name of Tank or Channel.	Description of Work.	Main Head.	Class.	Amount of each Item.	Amount to be separately accounted for.
						Rs.	Rs.
Not specified.	No. 4 ..	Nedoongolam ..	Constructing a masonry surplus weir	Irrigation.	Original Works.	170	170
			Sectioning and levelling the bund		Repairs ..	480	480

(Signed) P. MONTGOMERIE, Major, R.E.,
Ag. Dy. Chief Engineer for Irrigation,
for Ag. Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
22nd October 1878.

To the Joint Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch.

No. 27. ORDER THEREON, 6th November 1878, No. 894 I.

THE following estimates from the Northern Division, forwarded by the District Engineer, Tinnevelly, are sanctioned:—

HEAD OF SERVICE—IRRIGATION.
Nedoongolam Tank.

1. *Work.*—Constructing a masonry surplus weir—Original Works ... Rs. 170
Total ... 170

2. Sectioning and levelling the bund, Repairs 480
Total ... 480

To be carried out by the Public Works Department Officer in charge Northern Division.

2. These sanctions have been registered as No. 216 I of 1878-79.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintending Engineer, Fifth Circle.
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
" Examiner of Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.
" Collector of Tinnevelly.

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IRRIGATION.
ACCOUNT.

No 5089.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER,
FIFTH CIRCLE.
&c., &c., &c.

Dated November 1878.

Dated

Each

G. O., 6th November 1878, No. 894 L.

NOVEMBER.

Nos. 26-27.

Tank Repairs, Tiruvelly District.—Estimates amounting to Rupees 650 for certain sanctioned.

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