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# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

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## Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 2699 (6) Press Mis.

260. 261

Dated 15 — 11 — 1867

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 15th November 1867.*

No. 260. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 5th November 1867, No. 7,232.

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Trichinopoly, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 19th June 1867, No. 150:—

1. The Government in their Proceedings, as per margin, sanctioned the employment of an establishment, at a cost of Rupees 51 per mensem, for the conservancy of the Ponnary channel in this district.

Public Works Department, No. 292, dated 30th January 1867.

2. The ryots concerned presented a petition to the late Collector, stating that the above establishment was quite inadequate to the requirements of the channel; that a more efficient system of conservancy should be organized; and that towards meeting this additional expenditure, they would contribute at the rate of six annas per acre of land irrigated from the channel.

3. This request of the ryots was referred to the Deputy Collector on general duties, for inquiry and report. In the communication now received from him he strongly advocates the proposition of the ryots, and states that they have tendered a Moochilka expressing their willingness to pay a sum of Rupees 1,277-12-0, at the rate above specified, towards the maintenance of the additional establishment noted in the margin.

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| 2 Corumboo Maistries, at 4 Rupees each | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| 28 Coolies at 3½ Rupees each ... ... ... | 98 | 0 | 0 |
| Total... | 106 | 0 | 0 × 12 = 1,272. |

4. The additional establishment now proposed, for the conservancy of the Ponnary channel in the Woodiarpolliem talook, is similar to that already in existence in the Trichinopoly talook, sanctioned in the Government Order, No. 1,623, dated the 13th August 1861.

5. I request, therefore, that the sanction of Government may be obtained for its entertainment, and that to start the arrangement, I may be authorized to make an advance from the Land Revenue collections of one year's estimated income from the cess.

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1. In the letter above recorded, the Acting Collector represents that the ...lishment of Rupees 51 per mensem, sanctioned in the Proceedings of Govern... dated 30th January 1867, No. 292, Public Works Department, for the ...ancy of the Ponnary channels in the Woodiarpolliem talook, is inadequate ... the requirements of the channel, and proposes the organization of a more efficient system of conservancy, at the instance of the ryots, who are willing to pay a cess of six annas per acre for land irrigated from the channel to meet the necessary expenditure.

2. The receipts from the cess are calculated to yield an annual income of Rupees 1,277-12-0, and the Collector proposes an additional establishment of Rupees 1,272 per annum, as noted in the margin, and requests that he may be authorized to make an advance from the Land Revenue collections of an amount equal to one year's estimated income from the cess to commence operations.

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| | 12 |
| Per annum ... | 1,272 |

3. The establishment applied for is similar to that sanctioned for the Conad talook in the Proceedings of Government, dated 13th August 1861, No. 1,623. The Board, therefore, recommend the Collector's proposal, for the levy of the cess and the entertainment of the establishment, for the sanction of Government. They also solicit that the Collector may be authorized to make an advance of six months' salary of the establishment from the Land Revenue collections on the understanding that it will be reimbursed from the proceeds of the cess.

4. The receipts from the cess to be levied in the Woodiarpolliem talook should be credited to "Irrigation Cess" under Local Funds, and the cost of the establishment should be defrayed from it.

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No. 261. ORDER THEREON, 15th November 1867, No. 2,699.

Irrigation, No. 8.

1. The Government sanction the levy of the voluntary cess in question, and its employment in the manner proposed.

2. The Collector will take an agreement from the parties concerned to pay the cess, and is authorized to advance the amount required to pay the establishment for six months, the advance to be re-imbursed from the collections of the cess.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
*Secretary to Government.*

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.
,, the Department Public Works

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Refer to Executive
the Engineer for the voluntary
cess in question and
his employment in the manner
proposed.

Refer to the Board
the agreement from the
parties concerned. They
to note. He is authorized
to advance the amount required
by the Collector for
six months &c. The advance
to be reimbursed from
the collections of the cess.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

13/9/68 ✓
21-10-27 ✓

Dated 5th November 1867.
Dept & Revn
Date 7/11/67

No 7,232

Recommending proposal made by Collector of Trichinopoly for the entertainment of an additional establishment for the conservancy of the Ponnary channel, and for the levy of a cess on land irrigated from the channel, and requesting that Collector may be authorized to make an advance of six months salary of the establishment on the understanding that it will be re-imbursed from the proceeds of the cess.

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