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Revenue (1898) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 3173

DATED 28th July 98

[Despatch Abstract.]

Approving the proposal to sink a new well in the Compound of the Collector's residence at Anantapur and stating that orders will issue in the P. W. Dept for the preparation of necessary estimate.

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Revenue (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 4470.

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Order Mis. No. 3173 dt 28th July 1898 From

The Board of Revenue, Land Revenue, Madras.

No. 727 REF.

Dated 2nd. July 1898

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SUBJECT.

Submitting with remarks to Govt. the proposal of the Collr. of Anantapur for sinking a new ~~kit~~ well in the compound of his residence and requesting the Collr. to report further in the matter of putting up a water pump to the existing well.

In the circumstances reported, the proposal to sink a new well in the Compound of the Collector's residence at Anantapur is approved. Orders will issue in the P.W.D. for the early preparation of an estimate, ~~in respect of the proposed work~~.

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To the P.W.D.

" Board's Rev. L.R. with enclosures } 20/7/98

Note. Mr. Macleod's letter of 13th May 1898 explains the necessity for sinking a new well.

Whether Sood water will be found in the spot proposed Perhaps a trial boring should be first made!

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE MADRAS

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue).

NO.1208 Misc.Dated 6th May 1898.

Read letter from Bannatyne Macleod Esq.,M.A.,Barrister-at-Law,Collector of Anantapur,R.C.No.707,dated 14th April 98.

Resolution

The Collector's residence at Anantapur has been in use for several years-but so far as the Board is aware no complaints regarding the water supply have been made before.

Mr.Macleod is accordingly informed that the Board ~~Board~~ will not move in the matter without detailed reasons for the measures proposed and a statement of ~~xx~~ the extra expenditure involved.It should be stated whether good drinking water cannot be procured within easy reach of the bungalow and whether a cheap picotta or bucket and wind-lass cannot be put up instead of the water pump which it is proposed to fix to the existing well in the compound.Information is also required as to whether the sinking of a new well at the site proposed is likely ~~to prove~~ to prove successful.

(True Extract)
(sd) Lionel Davidson
Ag.Secretary.

To the Collector of Anantapur.

(True Copy)
Lionel Davidson
Ag.Secretary.

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Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

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To

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OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(LAND REVENUE),

Madras, 2nd July 1898.

READ— the following papers:-

(1) Again Board's Proceedings No.1208 Misc.Dated 6th May 1898.

(2) Letter from Bannatyne Macleod Esq.,M.A.,Barrister-at-Law,Collector of Anantapur to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue,Madras,R.C.No.707,dated 13th May 1898.

(3).Also letter from the same officer,R.C.No.707,dated 10th June 1898.

(4) Also letter from the same officer,R.C.No.707,dated 27th June 1898.

Reference No. 727 dated 2nd.July 1898.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

2. In his letter No.707,dated 14th April 1898,Mr.Bannatyne Macleod,the Collector of Anantapur requested sanction for:-

(1) fixing a suitable water-pump to the well in his compound, the water of which is reported to be unfit for domestic consumption, and

(2) sinking a new well in front of the bungalow in order to provide a supply of proper drinking water.

The Board declined to move in the matter without detailed reasons for the measures proposed and some estimate of the extra expenditure involved.The Collector has since reported that both himself and his predecessors have much ~~regt~~ felt the want ~~of~~ of a convenient supply of good drinking water.The only well at present in existence is situated about a hundred yards from the house in the immediate neighbourhood of the stables,and the water found in it lies far below the ground level,and is too brackish to drink.As a consequence,it has been the practice of the Collector to send to other compounds,in order to obtain drinking water, and it is the inconvenience and extra expense involved by this practice,which gave rise to the present reference.It is reported

that

that there is every probability of finding good drinking water in a well sunk in front of the main building, as there is already in existence lower down on the same slope a well which receives an excellent supply.

3. The pump is apparently required, in order to facilitate the irrigation of the Collector's garden. It is reported that the well is too deep to admit of a bucket and wind-lass or a picotta being put up instead of a pump, and the Collector quotes the case of the local officers of the Public Works Department, as a precedent for the supply of a pump. The Board doubts whether any pump worked by hand would be efficacious, if the lift is great, and it is desired to raise a large quantity of water. The Collector will accordingly be requested to report further on this point, and to obtain an opinion from the Executive Engineer in the matter.

4. The cost of complying with the Collector's demands is estimated at from four to six hundred rupees, and though further information is necessary in regard to the one matter, the Board sees no reason to defer addressing Government with the recommendation that orders may be at once issued in the Public Works Department for the preparation of an estimate for the construction of the proposed well.

Lowe Dawson
Ag. Secretary.

To the Secretary to Govt., R.D., with Collr's. letters in original to be retd. & copy of B.P.No.1208 dated 6th May 1898.
-- the Collector of Anantapur.

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