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OF

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-A Post-Barrage Investigation

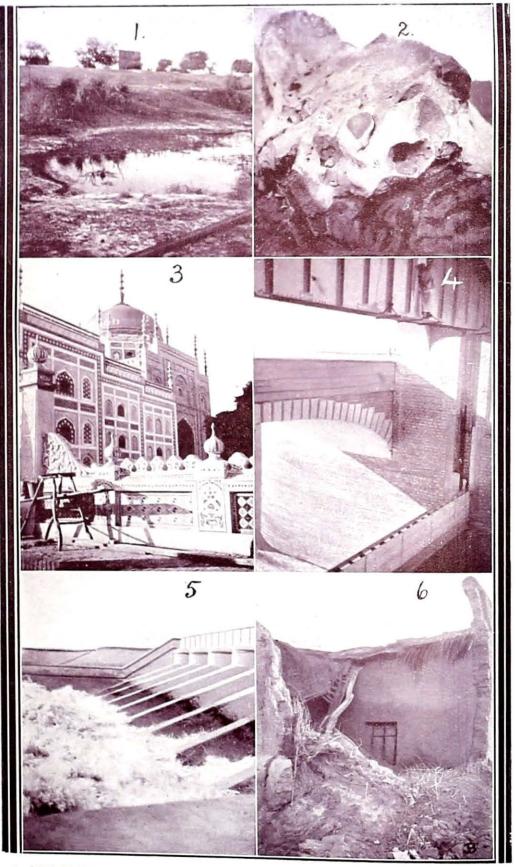
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- 1. SEEPAGE (Khairpur Mirs) Surface pools.
- 4. SUKKUR BARRAGE (10 ft. diff. in Level in Winter.) 5. TANDO MUSTIKHAN (8 feet Fall.)
- 2. FLINTS IN LIMESTONE (Ghar Hills.)
- 6. SEEPAGE (Lukman) House collapse.
- 3. PIR-JO-GOTH (Khairpur.)

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#### FOREWORD.

This is the first of a Series of Geographical ((Regional) Studies of the important Native States of India, under contemplation, and is reprinted from the Journal of the Sind Historical Society (Vol. I Part IV). It forms part of my forthcoming publication on the LOWER INDUS BASIN of SIND, which was commenced by me at the University of London under the able guidance of Professor E. G. R. Taylor, D.Sc., F.R.G.S., in 1932-33.

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I hereby cordially invite collaboration of students of geographical research for the publication of the whole Series, which will be a useful and instructive one. It will, no doubt, be an aid to the acquisition of comprehensive knowledge of the physical and economic conditions of vast areas of land, covering the Native States, and will prove to be a groundwork for their historical studies.

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