

Rangay

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. *398*

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Dated *11. 8.* 18*00*

B. No 32-33

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
11th August 1860.*

No. 32. Read the following letter from Mr. J. G. FERRAND, 1st Uncovenanted Assistant, to Colonel H. MARSHALL, Military Secretary to Government, dated 7th August 1860.

I beg to submit the enclosed Petition through you, and to request that you will be so good as to lay the same before the Honorable the Governor in Council.

To the Honorable the Governor in Council of Fort Saint George.

The humble Petition of JOHN GEORGE FERRAND, 1st Uncovenanted Assistant in the Military Department of the Government Secretariat.

SHREWETH,

That a deduction of four per cent. has been made from his salary for July last under the instructions of the Government of India, contained in a Telegram published by the Chief Secretary to the Madras Government, under date the 31st July. It is intimated in this Telegram, as well as in the Proceedings of the Legislative Council published in the newspapers, that the Income Tax Act comes into operation from and after 31st July, and yet the Government of India declare that it is applicable to Official salaries for July, *i. e.* salaries earned and due for a prior period.

Your Petitioner begs respectfully to appeal against the hardship,

1st.—Of Government servants being thus subjected to the Income Tax before all other classes ;

2nd.—Of a deduction being made under the provisions of an Act which has not yet been published at this Presidency ;

3rd.—Of a deduction being made from his pay for July by an order issued at the very end of that month, based upon an Act which, it is stated, has not effect until from and after the last day of that month.

And Your Petitioner prays that your Honor in Council will be graciously pleased to solicit the Government of India to reconsider the order issued in their Telegram, under which the deduction against which he appeals has been made.

MADRAS,

(Signed) J. G. FERRAND.

7th August 1860.

Referred to the Financial Department.

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Colonel,
Secretary to Government.

8th August 1860.

No. 33. ORDER THEREON, 11th August 1860, No. 398.

Resolved that Mr. Ferrand be informed that the Government cannot comply with the request submitted in his Memorial.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Order thereon 11th August 1860. No. 398.

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be informed that the Govt
cannot comply with the
request submitted in his
Memorial.

Mr Ferrand. (Ship 14th)
Military Departt. 15th

Memorial
Secretary 1860 Sept.

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No. 37403

From Mr. G. Ferrand
re Unconquered Abolition

24th 23 August
1860

No. 392
Appealing
against the hardship
of the Income Tax being
levied from Government
servants before other classes.

Appt. to Ferrand 1860 Sept 18

With an Order

Referred to the
Financial Department.

Fort St. George

8 August 1860

To The Financial Department
With an Enclosure

Mr Marshall of
Secy to Govt.

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