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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
14th August 1861.

No. 32. Read the following letter from C. H. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department; to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Fort William, Council Chamber, the 19th June 1861, No. 8,204.

Financial Department.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 201, dated 26th April last, on the subject of the discontinuance of the supply of stores to the Civil Department by the Madras Commissariat; and in reply to annex for your information copy of a report from the Auditor General of India, No. 174, dated 13th ultimo.

2. With reference to the 1st paragraph of this report, I am desired to intimate that the Auditor General has been requested to issue the necessary orders to the Heads of all Departments, as suggested by him.

3. As regards the 2nd paragraph thereof, I am to request that you will issue the necessary instructions in respect to the places and Departments which are now in the Madras Circle, and at the same time inform the Deputy Auditor General at Madras that the supplies to the Irregular Troops at Nagpore, &c., are subject to Military Audit and Account, as Military expenditure, and not as Civil charges.

Report of the Auditor General of India, No. 174, dated 13th May 1861, to docket from Financial Department of Government of India, No. 5,012, dated 2nd May 1861.

The undersigned has the honor to report that the only arrangements necessary to be made for the supply of stores to the Civil Departments of other Governments which now obtain their supplies through the Madras Government, appear to be the issue of orders to the Heads of all the Departments concerned to the effect, that in future stores are to be procured from the market, or if to the advantage of Government, through the Commissariat Department of Madras on the usual indents, but that in either case *cash* must be paid for the supplies for which due provision must be made by the Heads of Departments.

2. It is to be observed that many of the places and Departments mentioned in the enclosures as being supplied with stores from the Commissariat Department, are now in the Madras Circle, and subject to instructions from thence, the supplies to the Irregular Troops, however, at Nagpore, &c., are subject to Military Audit and Account, as Military expenditure, and not as Civil charges, under the orders of Government communicated to the Military Finance Department in No. 1,929, dated 26th February last.

(True Copy.)
(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Copy of the foregoing letter sent to the Auditor General of India, for information and guidance, with reference to his report therein adverted to.

Copy also sent to the Deputy Auditor General at Madras, for information.

Copy of the correspondence forwarded to the Military Department and to the Military Finance Department, for information.

No. 33. ORDER THEREON, 14th August 1861, No. 430.

It is observed that a copy of the foregoing letter and its enclosure has been sent direct to the Deputy Auditor General at Madras, who will note that the supplies to the Irregular Troops at Nagpore, &c., are subject to Military Audit and Account, and Military expenditure, and not as Civil charges.

The Sub-Treasurer.
,, Superintendent of the Government Gazette Press.
,, Commissioner of Police at Madras.
,, Officer in charge of the Convicts at Cannanore.
,, Superintendent of Marine.
,, Inspector General of Jails.
,, Revenue Department.
,, Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland.
,, Acting Archdeacon, Madras.

2. Ordered that the letter from the Government of India and the report of the Auditor General be communicated to the Heads of the Departments named in the margin for information and guidance, with reference to the orders, dated 20th April 1861, No. 200, and also to the several Departments of the Secretariat and Authorities noted below.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

REPORT of the Auditor General of India, No. 174, *d.* 13*th May* 1861, *to docket from Financial Department of Government of India, No.* 5012, *d.* 2*nd May* 1861.

THE undersigned has the honor to report that the only arrangements necessary to be made for the supply of stores to the Civil Departments of other Governments which now obtain their supplies through the Madras Government, appear to be the issue of orders to the Heads of all the Departments concerned to the effect, that in future stores are to be procured from the market, or if to the advantage of Government, through the Commissariat Department of Madras on the usual indents, but that in either case *cash* must be paid for the supplies for which due provision must be made by the Heads of Departments.

2. It is to be observed that many of the places and Departments mentioned in the enclosures as being supplied with stores from the Commissariat Department, are now in the Madras Circle, and subject to instructions from thence, the supplies to the Irregular Troops, however, at Nagpore, &c., are subject to Military Audit and Account, as Military expenditure, and not as Civil charges, under the orders of Government communicated to the Military Finance Department in No. 1929, dated 26th February last.

[Exd. E. C. Doss.]

(True Copy)

Secretary to the Govt of India

No. 8264

From C. H. LUSHINGTON, Esquire,

Secretary to the Government of India,

Financial Department;

To the Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George.

Fort William, Council Chamber, the 19th June 1861.

Financial Department.

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 201, dated 20th April last, on the subject of the discontinuance of the supply of stores to the Civil Department by the Madras Commissariat; and in reply to annex for your information copy of a report from the Auditor General of India, No. 174, dated 13th ultimo.

2. With reference to the 1st paragraph of this report, I am desired to intimate that the Auditor General has been requested to issue the necessary orders to the Heads of all Departments, as suggested by him.

3. As regards the 2nd paragraph thereof, I am to request that you will issue the necessary instructions in respect to the places and Departments which are now in the Madras Circle, and at the same time inform the Deputy Auditor General at Madras that the supplies to the Irregular Troops at Nagpore, &c., are subject to Military Audit and Account, as Military expenditure, and not as Civil charges.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Secretary to the Government of India.

Copy of the foregoing letter sent to the Auditor General of India, for information and guidance, with reference to his report therein adverted to.

Copy also sent to the Deputy Auditor General at Madras, for information.

Copy of the correspondence forwarded to the Military Department and to the Military Finance Department, for information.

[Exd. E. C. Doss.]

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Financial Depart.

Proceedings of the Madras Govt.

Read the following
letter from the Secretary
to the Govt of India
Financial Depart.

dated 19th June 1861 - No 2044

Ordered Thursday 14th August 1861, No 430.

It is observed that
a copy of the foregoing
letter and its enclosures
has been sent direct to
the Deputy Auditor Gene-
-ral at Madras - who
will note that the Sup-
-plies to the Irregular
Troops at Nagpore &c are
subject to Military audit
& account, as Mili-
-tary expenditure, and
not as Civil charges.

Ordered that the let-
-ter from the Govt of
India

Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Govt of India Financial Department dated 19th June 1861 - No 2044

Ordered Thursday 14th August 1861, No 430.

It is observed that a copy of the foregoing letter and its enclosures has been sent direct to the Deputy Auditor General at Madras - who will note that the Supplies to the Irregular Troops at Nagpore &c are subject to Military audit & account, as Military expenditure, and not as Civil charges.

Ordered that the letter from the Govt of

India and the extract of the Auditor General be communicated to the Heads of the Departments named in the margin for information and guidance with reference to the Orders dated 20th April 1861 No 200 and also to the several Departments of the Secretariat and Authorities noted below.

The Sub Treasurer
" Supt. of the Govt Gazette Press.
Commissioner of Police at Madras.
" Officer in charge of the Convicts at Cannanore.
" Superintendent of Marine.
" Inspector General of Jails
" Revenue Department
" Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland.
" Acting Archdeacon, Madras.

To the Military Department
" Public Department
" Ecclesiastical "
" Judicial "
" Marine "
" Genl Staff
" Commissariat "
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" Public Works "

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Dated 14th August 1861.

Communicate to the Officers concerned the letter from the Supreme Govt. relative to the discontinuance of the practice of issuing supplies to the Civil Depts. under that Govt.

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