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Financial DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
11th August 1862.*

No. 33. To the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, dated Fort Saint George, 11th August 1862, No. 594.

I am directed by the Governor in Council to request that that part of the Resolution of the Government of India in the Financial Department, dated the 31st May last, No. 3,835, which prescribes that Ministerial Officers and menials in the service of Government who draw less than Rupees 50 a month, should, when required to travel by rail, be furnished with 3rd class accommodation in addition to any daily travelling batta to which they may be entitled under the rules, may be re-considered. I am to observe that in this Presidency there is a very considerable number of Native officials in positions of respectability and entrusted with responsible duties of a Ministerial character, who draw salaries less than Rupees 50 per mensem, but who cannot be ranked in the same class with menials, and who would esteem it a serious grievance to be required to travel in a 3rd class Railway carriage.

2. The Governor in Council would suggest that the limit be fixed at Rupees 10 at all events for this Presidency. A rule to this effect, of which a copy is annexed, was passed by this Government, on the 8th February last, and it appears to them better adapted to the circumstances than that contained in the Resolution now under notice.

Proceedings, Revenue Department, No. 236-

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Sept. 12th

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Financial Department.

No. 594

To

The Secretary to the Government
of India.

Financial Department.

Sir,

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Pro. Revenue Dept. No 236.

Fort St. George,
11th August 1862
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Subordinate travelling by rail

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At
the Secretary to the
Board of Indian
Affairs
11 August 1862

Request a reconsideration
of that part of the Resolution of
the Board of India in the 11th Dec.
1861, 31st May last No 3835,
which prescribed that ministerial
Officers and Menials in the service
of Govt who draw less than Rs
50 a month should when required
to travel by rail be furnished
with 3 days accommodation
in addition to any daily travelling
allowance to which they may be
entitled under the rules-

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