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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
16th October 1863.

Read the following papers :—

No. 44. From R. W. LODWICK, Esq., Acting Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, Madras; to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Fort Saint George, 25th September 1863, No. 207.

I have the honor with reference to the Revenue Board's Proceedings annexed, No. 5,323, dated 25th ultimo, to request that the sanction of the Government of India may be obtained to the transfer of Rupees twelve thousand from the head of "B I, 4 Salt" to that of "B I, Land Revenue," in order that the deficiency in the grant under Land Revenue may be met from the same.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 25th August 1863, No. 5,323.

Read letter from H. MORRIS, Esq., Acting Collector of the Godavery District; to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cocanada, 10th July 1863, No. 188.

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Land Revenue.		
Assistant Collector...	....	345
Fixed Tentage and House rent allowance	.....	53
Huzur establishment	40	.....
„ Treasury Guard	.....	107
„ Saderward ..	151	.....
„ Contingencies...	26	.....
Taluq establishment...	6,250	47
„ Saderward ...	284	.....
„ Contingencies ...	14	.....
Temporary establishment	.....	3,033
Travelling charges...	588	.....
Office rent...	6	.....
Hire of Carts for conveying records	58	.....
Income Tax...	25	.....
Sea Customs.		
Temporary establishment	.....	5
Saderward...	14	.....
Office rent...	12	....
Land Customs.		
Saderward...	1	.....
Salt.		
Police Guard...	.....	165
Saderward...	48	....
Contingencies...	8	.....
Temporary establishment	28	.....
Manufacturing Contingencies	13	.....
Travelling charges...	5	.....
Stamps.		
Contingencies	2	.....
IV, Miscellaneous.		
Charges for remitting Treasure within the District...	130	.....
Service Telegrams.	6	.....
Tappal establishment...	70	.....
Total...	7,791	3,755

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department, 16th October 1863.

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4. I have, therefore, to request that the Board will be pleased to take early measures for supplementing the grant under that head. I would mention that a transfer of the required funds, is feasible from the provision made on account of the purchase of salt, the quantity actually manufactured having considerably fallen short of the estimate. The estimated amount to be thus transferred to "1 Land Revenue" from "4 Salt," is Rupees 12,000, there will be a much larger saving than that amount available under the latter head."

Ordered to be communicated to the Acting Accountant General, with the request that he will inform the Board, how the deficiency in the grant under Land Revenue can be met. If the transfer of funds from the head of Salt, in which the Collector points out, there is likely to be a large saving is allowable, the Board wish to know whether the authority of the local Government is sufficient for the purpose.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary.

To R. W. Lodwick, Esq., Acting Accountant General.
Copy to H. Morris, Esq, Acting Collector of the Godavery District.

Referred to the Revenue Department.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
1st October 1863.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 45. Proceedings of Government in the Revenue Department, dated 8th October 1863, No. 1843.

With reference to Proceedings in this Department, dated 1st October 1863, intimating that application will be made, if necessary, when the year is further advanced, to the Government of India for the transfer of a certain sum from the head of B I, 4 Salt, to that of B I, Land Revenue.

(Vide Proceedings Revenue Department, dated 8th October 1863, Nos. 98 and 99.)

No. 46. ORDER THEREON, 16th October 1863, No. 670.

The Order in the Revenue Department above recorded will be communicated to the Acting Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, with reference to his letter of the 25th ultimo, No. 207.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. T. McMootry.

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No. 207 FORT SAINT GEORGE.

DEPUTY AUDITOR AND ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
September 25th 1863.

From THE ACTING DEPUTY AUDITOR AND ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,
Madras.

To Chief
THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF
Madras

SIR,

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Ag. Dy. Audr. and Acct. General.

№ 5323.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 25th August 1863.

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(A true Copy and Extract)
(Signed) W. Huddleston
Secretary.

To R. W. Sodwick Esqre
Ag: Accountant General
Copy to H. Morris Esqre,
Ag: Collector of the Godavery District.

Tappal Establishment	6.	"
	70.	"
Total		

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
8th October 1863.

No. 98. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Financial Department :—

Referring a letter from the Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, requesting that the sanction of the Government of India may be obtained to the transfer of certain sum from the head of Bl 4 Salt to that of Bl Land Revenue. } (Here enter 1st October 1863.)

No. 99. ORDER THEREON, 8th October 1863, No. 1,843.

Application will be made if necessary when the year is further advanced.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Financial Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

List of my Circ.

Revenue 1865 Sept.

From
Asst. Secy. to Govt.
Genl. Dept.

No. 670
Dated 23rd
Rec'd 29th } Sept. 1865.

No. 659

Requesting sanction for the transfer of Rs 12,000 from the Head of "Bl. 4 Salt" to Bl. Land Revenue in order that the Collector of Tanjore may draw Tanjore Civil Pension Establishment Charges for the ensuing year.

Referred to the Revenue Department.

Dy. Auditor & Accountant General.

Referred to the Revenue Department.

Chief Secretary to Govt.

1st October 1865.

By the Revenue Department.

Dy. Secy. to Govt.

Read 2nd Oct. 1865.

Asst. Secy. to Govt.

Revenue

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Pros. of Govt in the Rev. Dept. for 1863

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Ry 10th } Oct.

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No 685.

With Ref. to Pros. in this Dept. dy 7th Oct. 63; intimating that Application will be made if necessary when the Year is further advanced, to the Govt. of India for the transfer of a certain Sum from the head of 31 4 Salt to that of 31 Land Revenue.

Write an Order

Read the following papers.

From Ag. Sy. to Govt. by Accts. Genl.
(Dated 25th Sep. 63. No 209)

Pros. in the Revenue Deptt.
(— " — 8th Octr. — " — 1863)

Order — No 670 dy 16th Oct. 1863.

The Order in the Revenue Department above recorded will be communicated to Ag. Deputy Auditor & Accountant Genl. with reference to his letter of the 25th Ultimo. No 209.

30 Sy. to Govt. by Accts. Genl. dispd. 22.

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