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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department, 7th May 1864.

No. 12. Read the following letter from T. PEACHEY, Esq., Principal Asst. Secretary to the Government of India; to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Fort William, the 5th April 1864, No. 1822.

In continuation of this office letter, No. 528, dated 27th January 1864, I am directed to forward to you copy of an office Memorandum from the Home Department, No. 1916, dated 18th March 1864, and to convey to you the sanction of His Excellency the Governor General in Council to the following charges.

Revenue Statement of charges sanctioned in November 1863, by the Government of Madras.

Judicial Statement of do. do.
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2. Charges as per item No. 2 in the Statement noted in the margin relative to Postal establishments for Jeypore.

3. Charges as per item No. 3 of the marginal Statement regarding the continued retention of an Additional Principal Sudder Ameen at Tanjore.

Copy forwarded to the Civil Paymaster and the Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, Madras, in continuation of communication from this Department, No. 528, dated 27th January 1864.

FORT WILLIAM, HOME DEPARTMENT, THE 18TH MARCH 1864, No. 1916.

In reply to office Memorandum from the Financial Department, No. 529, dated the 27th of January, referring for the Home Department's opinion two items of fresh charges sanctioned by the Madras Government, the undersigned is directed to intimate with regard to the *Judicial* charge, that this Department has no other information than that shown in the Extract forwarded by the Financial Department. The ground there given, however, for the expenditure seems reasonable.

2. In respect of the *Postal* charge, the undersigned is directed to state that Mr. Carmichael's Report on the condition of the Hill Zemindaries, published in the Supplement of the *Calcutta Gazette*, for the 30th of May 1863, describes a general condition of affairs which renders it clearly desirable that good postal communication should be kept up between Vizagapatam and Jeypore; but that this Department has not sufficient information to say whether any portion of the sum by which the cost of the line apparently exceeds its receipts should or should not be borne by the Rajah of Jeypore. As being a part of the Postal establishment, which includes only Postal lines established primarily for the Government service and not for the service of the general public, the line is not under the Director General of the Post office. The undersigned has only to add that the letter referred to by the Madras Government (No. 2583, dated 11th December 1862), was a Report on the revision of the District Postal establishments throughout the Madras Presidency in connection with a proposal for absorbing the whole of the District Postal establishments in the General Post Office of India, a measure which it has not yet, however, been thought desirable to sanction.

(Signed) J. W. S. WYLLIE,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

(A true Copy.)
(Signed) R. H. HOLLINGBERY,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 13. ORDER THEREON, 7th May 1864, No. 249.
Communicated to the Revenue and Judicial Departments.
(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
„ Judicial do.
Exd. J. Tulloch,

№ 1916

Fort William

Home Department

The 18th March 1864

In reply to Office Memo: from the Financial Department № 529 dated the 27th of January referring for the Home Department's opinion two items of fresh charges sanctioned by the Madras Government, the undersigned is directed to intimate with regard to the Judicial charge, that this Department has no other information than that shewn in the Extract forwarded by the Financial Department. The grounds there given however for the expenditure seems reasonable.

2 In respect of the Postal charges the undersigned is directed to state that Mr. Cramichael's Report on the condition of the Hill Zemindaries published in the Supplement of the Calcutta Gazette for the 30th of May 1863 describes a general condition of affairs which renders it clearly desirable that good postal communication should be kept up between Vizagapatam and Jeypore but that this Department has not in—

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Dft J. W. S. Wyllie
Under Secy to the Govt. of India.

(A true Copy)

A. B. Wilkinson
Apistt Secy: to the Govt of India

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No. 1822

To,
The Chief Secretary to the Government
of Madras

Jud. Departt.

Sir,

In continuation of this Office letter No. 522 dated 27th January 1864 I am directed to forward to you copy of an Office memo: from the Home Department No. 1916 dated 8th March 1864 and to convey to you the sanctions of His Excellency the Governor General in Council to the following charges.—

Rec'd Statement of charges sanctioned with No. 1822 by the Govt of Madras.

2 Charges as per Item No. 2 on the Statement noted in the margin relating to Postal Establishments for Peypore.—

ent of 8th Dec. 3 Charges as per Item No. 3 of the marginal
— Do. — Statement regarding the continued retention of an additional Principal Sudder Ameen at Tanjore.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
your most obedient Servant

Fort William
The 5th April 1864

Thomas Peacock
Apistt Secy to the Govt of India

Copy forwarded to the Civil Pay Master

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Financial Dept Debts
from.
The Dpl Assistant Secretary
to the Govt of India Fin Dept
No 1822

Victory Jury

Dated 5th April
Rec'd 3d May } 1862.

Rec.
No 222

Communicates Sanction
of the Govt of India to certain
Charges incurred by the
Madras Govt during short
last by it on account of the
Postal Establishment for Support
and the retention of the
Principal Sub Collectorate
Cuddalore.—

Writes an Order

and the Deputy Auditor & Accountant Genl.
Madras in continuation of Communication
from this Department No 528 dated 24th January 1862.—

No. 249 7th May 1862.
Communicated to the
Revenue & Judicial Depts.
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