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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department, 27th May 1864.

No. 69. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Financial Department, dated 19th April 1864, No. 2094.

Acct. Pro., December 1863, Nos. 61 and 62.

Read the following letter from the Commissioner for the Affairs of Coorg, No. 23, dated 16th February 1864, and the report of the Accountant General to the Government of India thereon, No. 2500, dated 28th March 1864, on the subject of the audit of the Coorg Pay Abstracts and Contingent Bills by, and the submission of the Coorg Treasury Accounts to the Accountant General through, the Deputy Auditor and Accountant, Mysore:—

From the Commissioner for the Affairs of Coorg, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, dated 16th February 1864, No. 23.

The Acting Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, Madras, having requested that, in accordance with the Proceedings of Government, in the Financial Department, No. 6285 of 15th December 1863, the Treasury Accounts of the Coorg Territory may be furnished direct to the Accountant General to the Government of India, and not to Madras, I have the honor to bring to the notice of Government that, in giving effect to the instructions of the Resolution referred to, it will in every respect be desirable that the Coorg Accounts should be forwarded in future through the Deputy Accountant for Mysore at Bangalore.

2. It also appears advisable that the audit of Coorg Pay Abstracts and Contingent Bills should pass through the same channel, instead of being performed at Madras, as has hitherto been the case.

Endorsed by the Government of India, Financial Department, dated 15th March 1864, No. 1421.

Forwarded to the Accountant General to the Government of India, for an early expression of his opinion, and its return requested.

From R. P. HARRISON, Esq., Accountant General to the Government of India; to E. H. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, dated 28th March 1864, No. 2500.

I have the honor to return herewith the original letter to your address from the Commissioner for the Affairs of Coorg, dated the 16th ultimo, forwarded to me for report with your docket, No. 1421 of the 15th instant.

2. The Commissioner's proposal, as I understand it, is that the Treasury Accounts of Coorg should be forwarded to this office through the Deputy Auditor and Accountant at Mysore, in order that they may, in the first instance, be examined and checked by that Officer. This arrangement appears to be a desirable one, provided that no undue delay takes place in the transmission of the accounts to this office.

3. With reference to the 2nd paragraph of the Commissioner's letter, I am of opinion that the Pay Abstracts and Contingent Bills of Coorg may be audited by the Deputy Auditor at Mysore, Bills passed by him being accepted as sufficient vouchers by this office.

Resolution by the Government of India, Financial Department.

His Excellency the Governor General in Council concurs with the Accountant General, and directs that his recommendations be carried into effect from the 1st May 1864.

Ordered that copies be sent to the Accountant General to the Government of India, Commissioner for the Affairs of Coorg, Deputy Auditor and Accountant, Mysore, and Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, and Civil Paymaster, Madras.

Ordered, also, that a copy be sent to the Government of Madras.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) T. PEACHEY,
Prinl. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
27th May 1864.

No. 70. ORDER THEREON, 27th May 1864, No. 287.
To be recorded.
(True Extract.)
A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

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Endorsed by the Govt. of India, Finl. Dept.

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RESOLUTION,—By the Govt. of India, Finl. Dept.

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Ordered, that copies be sent to the Accountant General to the Government of India, Commissioner for the Affairs of Coorg, Deputy Auditor and Accountant, Mysore, and Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, and Civil Pay Master, Madras.

Ordered, also, that a copy be sent to the Government of Madras.

(A true Extract)

Thomas Beachey

Principal Assistant Secretary to the Government of India.

[Exd. N. C. Coar.]

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Reds of Govt of India in the
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Communicate Resn directing
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countant Genl at Bangalore
& the Accountant Genl & Navy Govt of
India - also that the audit of the
Coorg Pay Abstracts & Contingent
Bills [illegible] pass thro' the
Treasury Examiner.

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