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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department, 10*th July* 1866.

No. 13. Read the following letter from the Accountant General, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George ; dated Fort Saint George, 28th June 1866, No. 79.

Post Audit Department.

Mr. Banbury, officiating as Government Agent at Tanjore, has drawn the full salary attached to that post, and therein is borne out by precedents in the same office. As I could not but think questionable the grant to an Acting Officer of the full salary of the post temporarily filled, I sought elsewhere for any orders which might have issued from authority on like cases ; and now have the honor to submit a repeated order of Government of India in a precisely similar case, *i. e.*, where an officer is acting in a post to which is annexed a minor office on a small salary of Rupees 250. This order assigns half the pay of the minor post to the Acting Officer, and I submit that it applies in the case under reference. I may note that Mr. Morris, on his return, will claim half the pay of the post.

From the Secretary to the Government of India, to the Officiating Civil Paymaster, North Western Provinces ; dated Fort Willam, 31st July 1861, No. 9476.

Financial Department.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. $\frac{3}{9}\frac{9}{1}$, dated 21st ultimo, with its enclosures, on the subject of the deputation allowance of Mr. T. J. Becher, for officiating as Agent to the Governor General at Benares, and, in reply, to inform you that the Governor General in Council directs that Mr. Becher's case be dealt with in accordance with the course followed in 1858 in the case of Mr. Gubbins, viz., that a moiety of the allowance of the appointment of Agent, Governor General, Benares, be passed to him, for the period he officiated in it.

No. 14. ORDER THEREON, 10th July 1866, No. 258.

The Governor in Council concurs in the view taken by the Accountant General, that Mr. Banbury, as Acting Government Agent, is not entitled to more than a moiety of the salary attached to the office.

(True Extract).

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant General.
,, Government Agent, Tanjore.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Copy.-

N°. 9476.-

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From,

C. H. Lushington, Esqre.
Secy. to the Government of India.-

To,

The Officiating Civil Pay Master
North Western Provinces.-

Finl. Dept. Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter N°. 30/91 dated 21st. Ultimo with its enclosures, on the subject of the Deputation allowance of Mr. J. J. Becher for Officiating as Agent to the Governor General at Benares, and in reply to inform you that the Governor General in Council directs that Mr. Becher's case be dealt with in accordance with the course followed in 1868 in the case of Mr. Gubbins Viz. that a moiety of the allowance of the appointment of Agent Governor General Benares be passed to him for the period he Officiated in it.-

I have &c.
Signed/ C. H. Lushington
Secy. to the Govt. of India

Fort William
The 31st. July 1861.

(True Copy.)
Signed/ J. Eede
Offg. Dy. Accountt. Genl.-
North Western Provinces.-

(True Copy.)
H. H. Morell
Ag. Chief Asstt.-

POST AUDIT DEPARTMENT.

No. 79

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
28th June 1866. –

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THE ~~DEPUTY~~ ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MADRAS.

THE Chief Secretary to Government
Madras. –

~~With reference to your~~ ~~No.~~ ~~dated~~

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant
F. Lushington
Accountant General. –

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Financial 1866 Dept.

From

The Accountant General
Fort St George

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government

Dated 28
Rec'd 30 } June 1866

No. 79

Enclosure

No. 233

Being to receive the acting Allowances drawn by Mr Bunbury as 1st Agent Tanjore & states that in Offices similarly held in another Presidency only a moiety is allowed.

10 July 1866 No. 258-

The Govt concurs in the view taken by the Accountant General that Mr. Bunbury, as Actin Govt. Agent, is not entitled to more than a moiety of the Salary attached to the Office.

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To the Accl Genl,
a Govt Agent Tanjore } dated 13/7