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No. 26. Read the following letter from the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay, to the Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Bombay Castle, 6th June 1871, No. 799 :—

I am directed by the Right Honourable the Governor in Council to forward, for the information of the Government of Madras, the accompanying copy of the Proceedings of this Government, No. 798, dated this day, prescribing the procedure to be followed in adjusting the payments made here to officers of other Presidencies proceeding on leave to England.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of Bombay in the Financial Department, dated 6th June 1871, No. 798.

Read the following papers :—

From the Accountant-General, to the Secretary to Government, Financial Department, dated 16th May 1871, No. P. L.-197.

I have the honour to forward copy of a letter from this Department to the Comptroller-General of Accounts, Calcutta, and his reply thereto, and solicit the early orders of Government as to the procedure to be followed in adjusting the payments made here to officers of other Presidencies proceeding on leave to England.

Letter from the Deputy Accountant-General, Bombay, No. 125, dated 29th April 1871.
Reply by the Comptroller-General, No. 136, dated 8th May 1871.

If Government considers that such payments should be debited to the Governments concerned, I would suggest that due intimation of the change of practice, so far as the Provincial Services are concerned, be given to the Governments of other Presidencies and Provinces.

From the Officiating Deputy Accountant-General, to the Comptroller-General of Accounts, Calcutta, dated 29th April 1871, No. P. L.-125.

It has always been the rule to debit, as a final charge in the accounts of this office, the payments made here to officers of other Presidencies proceeding on leave to England, such charges being shown in the monthly abstract of disbursements under a distinct detailed head under the major head of service to which the charges appertain. But I have the honour to inquire whether the same rule is to be applied in respect to payments that may be made on account of the heads transferred to "Provincial Services." It would seem unfair to debit Local Provincial Services with charges provided for under the same head of other Governments, who would thus take credit for savings of the expense of the assignment that have been allowed for the Bombay Government.

From the Officiating Comptroller-General, to the Accountant-General, Bombay, dated 8th May 1871, No. 136.

Referring to your letter, No. P. L.-125, dated 29th ultimo, I have the honour to state that the recovery of payments made at your Presidency to officers of other Presidencies proceeding on leave to England should, as regards the departments forming the Provincial Serviees, be left to the option of the Local Government, and the payments debited to the Government concerned in the monthly Exchange Account Current with it, in the event of recovery being desired.

Resolution.—The payments made to officers of other Presidencies and Administrations, whose allowances are borne by Provincial Services, are no longer to be brought to account as final charges, but debited to the Governments concerned in the monthly Exchange Accounts Current.

Ordered that copies of the above be forwarded to the Accountant-General.

(Signed) F. S. CHAPMAN,
Chief Secy. to Govt., Bombay.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
16th June 1871.

No. 27. ORDER THEREON, 16th June 1871, No. 234.

Communicated to the Acting Accountant-General, who will adopt the same principle in regard to payments made at Madras on account of other Governments.

(True Extract.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Acting Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of Madras.

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To

THE ACTG. ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

Dated June, 16*th*.

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G. O., 16th June 1871, *No.* 234.

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Communicating Proceedings of the Bombay Government prescribing the procedure to be followed in adjusting the payments made at Bombay to officers of other Presidencies proceeding on leave to England, in view to the adoption of the same principle in regard to payments made at Madras on account of other Governments.

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Ordered that copies of the above be forwarded to—

The ACCOUNTANT GENERAL.

F. S. CHAPMAN,
Chief Secretary to Government.

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No. 799 of 1871.

Financial Department.

Bombay Castle, 6th June 1871.

To

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

For Chief Secretary to Government.

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