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No. 8. Read the following letter from the Assay Master in charge of Bullion Department, dated 12th December 1870.

No. 9. ORDER THEREON, 6th January 1871, No. 5.

The Budget Estimate of the Assay Office for 1871-72 amounts to Rupees 24,250. In it, provision has been made for a higher* rate of salary for the Superintendent and Accountant than that sanctioned in G. O., dated the 14th September last, No. 384, as well as for two office servants under "Bullion Office," and for warder, gollah, and servants under "Gate Establishment."

* Rupees 200.
Rupees 100.
Rupees 168.
Rupees 732.

2. The Government resolve to admit the higher rate of salary for the Superintendent and Accountant until he can be otherwise provided for, or until the question of the abolition of the Assay Office is definitively determined upon. But they are not prepared to admit the charges for office servants under "Bullion Office," and for warder, gollah, and servants under "Gate Establishment," nor do they see the necessity for an assignment of Rupees 500 for contingencies under "Gate Establishment."

Rupees 168.
„ 732.

3. The estimate will be revised as follows:—

	Rs.
1 Assay Master	1[illegible]
1 Superintendent and Accountant...	2,400
1 Writer	360
4 Muster Weighers and Fireman	924
7 Office Servants	666
Contingencies	500
Total...	22,850

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Assay Master.
„ Accountant-General, with the estimate.

Exd. J. Wright.

Financial Department

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Assay Master in charge of Bullion dept^t dated 12^th Dec^r 70.

Order thereon

I do not agree in the reduction of the establishment of this department. The Accountant - his Deputy - his Rs. 200. Clerk - his Rs. 100. two Peons - the Police Peon has a good deal to do and has been Rs. 168. substituted by a Peon @ Rs 200 per month. Rs. 732. I think that the entire reduction of this salary should be carried out. It appears to me a very harsh measure. I have already written to this effect on the Budget memorial. [illegible] J. D-L.

The Budget Estimate of the Assay Office for 1871-72 amounts to Rs. 21,250. In it provision has been made for a higher rate of salary for the Superintendent and Accountant, than that sanctioned in G.O. dated the 14th Sept^r last No. 384, as well as for two Office servants under "Bullion Office", and for warder, gollah and servants under "Sale Establishment."

2. The Govt are not prepared to admit these

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To

The ASSAY MASTER, &c., &c., &c.

Dated January, 6th.

Read.

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G. O., 6th January 1871, No. 5.

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these additional provisions.
They also do not see the
necessity for an allotment
of Rs. 500 for "Contingencies"
under Gate "Establishment"
and direct that the estimate
be revised as follows.

1. Assay Master	Rs.	18,000
1. Supdt. & Accountant	"	1200
1. Writer	"	360
4. Master Wrighers and Firemen	"	924
7. Office Servants	"	666.
Contingencies	"	500.
Rupees		21,650.

PM

To
The Assay Master
" Accountant General
with Estimate

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Assay Master in charge of Bullion Department, dated 12th December 1870

Order thereon 6th January 1871 No. 5—

The Budget Estimate of the Assay Office for 1871-72 amounts to Rupees 24,250. In it, provision has been made for a higher rate of salary for the Superintendent and Accountant, than that sanctioned in G. O. dated the 14th September last No. 384: as well as for two Office Servants under "Bullion Office," and for warder, gollah and servants under "Gate Establishment"

Rs. 200

Rs. 100

Rs. 168

Rs. 732

2. The Government resolve to admit the higher rate of salary

salary for the Superintendent and Accountant until he can be otherwise provided for, or until the question of the abolition of the Assay Office is definitively determined upon. But they are not prepared to admit the charges for Office Servants under "Bullion Office," and for Warder, Jollah and Servants under "Gate Establishment," nor do they see the necessity for an assignment of Rupees 500 for Contingencies under "Gate Establishment".

+ Rs. 168
+ Rs. 732.

3. The Estimate will be reviewed as follows.

1 Assay Master	— Rs.	18,000
1 Supt & Acct	"	2,400
1 Writer	"	360
4 Master Weighers & Firemen	"	924
7 Office Servants	"	666
Contingencies	"	500
Rupees		22,850

Chief Secretary

Assay Master
Acct General with
the Estimate

Govt. of {18 71} Madras.

Fuel.

To

The Assay Master

Dated Janry. 5 } 18 71, No. 5

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