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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1324 Press / Mis.

Dated 4-10- 1872.

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Read the following papers:—

No. 35. From the Acting Collector of the Godavery District, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Cocanada, 2nd September 1872, No. 38.

Government in their Order, No. 107, dated April 12th, 1871, gave a sum of Rupees 120 a month towards the support of the Seamen's Hospital at Cocanada. The Municipal Commission have taken charge of this hospital together with the Civil Dispensary. These two institutions cannot well be separated. They are under the same roof, and the accounts are kept together.

2. It seems but right that Government should give something for the support of the hospital.

3. The amount has been paid for 1871-72 to the Municipal Commission from Port Funds, but the Accountant-General now wants this Rupees 1,440 to be refunded.

4. I have the honour to request that Government will not only cancel the Accountant-General's instructions, but will continue the payment of this sum to the Municipality.

5. I beg to refer Government to the following Orders:—

Order of Government, Financial Department, 23rd January 1872, No. 79.
Do. do. do. do. 13th March 1872, No. 305.
Do. do. do. do. 8th April 1872, No. 481.

Referred to the Accountant-General for explanation as to the reasons for requiring a refund.

OOTACAMUND,
11*th September* 1872.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

No. 36. From the Accountant-General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 26th September 1872, No. 382.

Treasury Account Department.

With reference to letter* from the Collector of Godavery, referred to me for explanation, under docket dated 11th instant, I have the honour to state that the refund to which the Collector objects was demanded under the following circumstances.

* No. 38, 2nd September 1872.

2. Under G. O., dated 12th April 1871, No. 107, Marine Department, the grant of 1,440 Rupees was adjusted in this office, in twelve monthly instalments of 120 Rupees, to debit of "Port Fund," and credit of "VI., Medical," in Provincial Service Abstracts. The Collector accepted these adjustments by deducting the several sums from the balance at credit of "Port Fund."

3. In April 1872, however, he paid to the Municipality the sum of 1,440 Rupees on account of 1871-72, debiting "Port Fund" again, and it is on account of this latter debit that he has been asked to refund the amount in question, which was thus twice charged to "Port Fund."

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
4th October 1872.

No. 37. ORDER THEREON, 4th October 1872, No. 1324.

It appears from the explanation furnished by the Accountant-General that the grant for the Seamen's Hospital for 1871-72 has been drawn twice over. The Collector of the Godavery District must, therefore, arrange for the refund of the amount drawn in excess.

(True Extract.)

Acting Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Collector of the Godavery District.
" Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1872} Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To

THE COLLECTOR OF THE GODAVERY DISTRICT, &c., &c., &c.

Dated October, 4th.

Read.

G. O., 4th October 1872, *No.* 1324.

OCTOBER.
Nos. 35—37.

Directing the Collector to arrange for the refund of the amount drawn in excess of the grant for the Seamen's Hospital at Cocanada for 1871-72.

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Memo: for Orders.

On the 12th April 1871, Government directed that the Port Funds should be debited during 1871-72 with the Estimated cost of the Medical Establishment of the Seaman's Hospital at Cocanada, and this order was repeated on the 17th April 1871.

On the 23d January 1872, the Government awaited the report of the Notification of the intention of Government to transfer the Cocanada Civil Dispensary

to

to the Municipality and remarked in para 2 "the Government believe that the Seaman's Hospital at Cocanada is distinct from the Civil Dispensary. If so there will be no contributions from Port Funds towards the cost of the latter. These funds pay the charges hitherto borne by Government for the Seaman's Hospital."

On the 13th March 1872 the Government considered a report to the effect that the Seaman's Hospital was not distinct but formed a part of the Civil

Dispensary, and passed an Order notifying the transfer of the Cocanada Dispensary to the Municipality.

The Acting Collector of the Godavery District now reports that the Commissioner General called upon the Municipality to refund the Rs 1440 paid from Port Funds to the Seaman's Hospital for 1871-72, and requests that the Accountant General's Order may be cancelled and instructions given

given for the continuance
of the payments from
Port Funds.

A copy of the Ac-
-countant Generals com-
-munication has not
been forwarded nor does
the Collector state what

demanding the Refund.

From the portion of L.C.
dated 13th March 1872 which
I have underlined, it would
appear that in the event
of the Seamans Hospital
not being distinct from
the Dispensary it was
the

the intention of Government
that the contribution from
Port Funds should be pa-
to the latter institution on
account of the Seamans
Hospital.

J.H.

Remit proceeds
regarding contri-
bution from
Port Funds to the
Sea men's hospital
at Cocanada —

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No. 38. Godavery District
Collectors Office
Cocanada 2nd September 1872

From
W. S. Foster Esquire
Ag Collector

To
The Honorable R. A. Ellis C.B.
Chief Secretary to Government
of Fort St. George

Sir,

Government in their Order No 107 dated April 12th, 1871, gave a sum of Rupees 120 a month towards the support of the Seamen's Hospital at Cocanada. The Municipal Commission have taken charge of this Hospital together with the Dispensary. These two Institutions cannot well be separated. They are under the same roof, and the accounts are kept together.

2nd It seems but right that Government should give something for the support of the Hospital.

3 The Amount has been paid for 1871-72 to the Municipal Commission from Port Funds, but the Accountant General now wants this Rupees 1440 to be refunded.

4. I have the honor to Request that Government will not only cancel

D/E

the Accountant General's instructions,
but will continue the payment of
this sum to the Municipality -

5. I beg to refer Government to
the following orders -

Order of Gavernment Financial Dpt
23rd Janry 1872 No 79.
Do Do 13 March 1872 No 305
Do Do 8 April 1872 No 481 -

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
W Foster
Application

Ed Ramachandrum
P.O. Clerk

Treasury Account

~~Audit~~ Department. No. 382

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Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
26th September 1872.

From The Accountant General, Madras,

To The Chief Secretary to Government,
Ootacamund.

Sir,

No. 38 - 2d September 1872 - Herewith returned -

With reference to letter from the Collector of Godavery, referred to me for explanation, under docket dated 11th Instant, I have the honor to state, that the refund to which the Collector objects, was demanded under the following circumstances.

2. Under Government Orders dated 12th April 1871, No. 107, Marine Department, the Grant of 1440 Rupees was adjusted in this Office, in 12 monthly instalments of 120 Rupees, to debit of "Port Fund," and credit of "VI Medical" in Provincial Service Abstracts. The Collector accepted these adjustments by deducting the several sums from the balance at credit of "Port Fund."

3. In April 1872, however, he paid to the Municipality this sum of 1440 Rupees on account of 1871-72, debiting "Port Fund" again, and it is on account of this latter debit, that he has been asked to refund the amount in question,

which

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which was thus twice charged to "Port Fund".

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
[illegible]
Offg. Accountt. General

Encld. to 1.

Read Nos 1748 & 1924
Attached & Cert. 1872 No 1324.

It appears from the explanation furnished by the Accountant General that the grant for the Seamen's Hospital for 1871-72 has been drawn twice over by the Collector of the Godavery District but that provision exists for the refund of the amount drawn in excess.

To the Collector of the Godavery District
Accountant General

Encl. 1324

DEPARTMENT.

ACCTT. GENL.'S OFFICE, MADRAS.

No. 382

FROM

THE DEPT. ACCOUNTANT GENERAL, MADRAS.

To

The Chief Secretary to Govt.
Colaccamund

Dated 26th September 1872
Recd. 29th. } No. of answer
Answd.

Subject.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith the enclosed letter with which this Office transmitted the grant for the Madras Seamen's Hospital for 1871-72 and to request that the Collector of Godavery may be informed that the amount drawn in excess

Govt. of {1872} Madras.

Financial

To The Collector of the Godavery District.

Dated Octr 4th
Recd. Encl

G. O. 4th October, 1872, No. 1824

Nos. 35-37.

Directing the Collector to arrange for the refund of the amount drawn in excess of the grant for the Seamen's Hospital at Cocanada for 1871-72.