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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
9th February 1872.

No. 43. Read the following letter from the Acting Accountant-General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 23rd January 1872, No. 511 :—

Book Department.

With reference to the orders of Government of the 16th instant, No. 37, Financial Department, sanctioning Rupees 400 on account of the additional establishment required by this office in connexion with the Local Fund Accounts, I have the honour to submit the following observations, and to solicit a re-consideration of these orders.

2. The increase of work will not be confined to the audit of vouchers sent in support of payments, but in the case of every account it will have to be ascertained whether the receipts and charges have been exhibited under proper heads, and whether all adjustments to Provincial Funds have been correctly made, after which a result statement of the examination of each account will have to be sent out.

3. After this examination, the work of compilation in detail books follows, and, on its completion, the abstracts for the Government are prepared.

4. I have already brought to the notice of Government that, as the accounts of each month are required to be posted by the 24th of the following month, it becomes necessary to secure the services, not only of efficient men, but of a proper number of hands, to bring up the work to date.

5. I would also observe that, while one general abstract only for imperial accounts was prepared up to March 1871, four abstracts are now required to be prepared, viz., for General, Provincial, Special, and Local Funds, each of which has to be separately balanced, and requires, therefore, a separate consolidated statement. There are also to be two sets of ledger and journal in the place of the one set heretofore rendered.

6. Under these circumstances, I trust that the Government will be pleased to sanction the establishment originally asked for.

No. 44. ORDER THEREON, 9th February 1872, No. 146.

The Government consider the sum allowed in G. O., 16th January 1872, No. 37, sufficient.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant-General.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Gobt. of {1872} Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To

THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL.

Dated February, 9th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G. O., 9th February 1872, *No.* 146.

FEBRUARY.

Nos. 43-44.

Considering the sum allowed in G. O., 16th ultimo, No. 37, on account of the additional establishment required by the Accountant-General, in connexion with the Local Fund Accounts, to be sufficient.

G. O. 16 Jan 1872 No. 37

The sum allowed in G. O. 9 Feb 1872 No. 146

Accountant General

Treasury 1872 DEPARTMENT.

FROM THE ACCTT. GENERAL

TO THE GOVT. OF MADRAS.

Dated - 23 / Received 23 January 1872

No. 571.

ENCLOSURES.

Referring to the orders of the 16th instant on the Local Fund Establishment of the Civil Courts.

Govt. of {1871} Madras.

Financial

To

The Accountant General.

Dated Feby. 9.
Recd

Encl.

G. O. 9 Feby. 1872 No 45.

Nos. 43-44.

Considering ~~officials~~ the sum allowed in G.O. 15th Ultimo No. 34 on account of the additional Establt required by the Accountt Genl. in connection with the Local Fund Accounts, to be sufficient—