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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
7th December 1872.

No. 62. Read the following letter from the Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 1st November 1872:—

I have the honour to request that you will submit, for the sanction of the Right Honourable the Governor in Council, the accompanying estimate of expenditure in connexion with the Church of Scotland Establishment for the year 1873-74.

2. You will observe that I have again entered salary and Presidency house-rent for our second Assistant Chaplain. And I am encouraged to hope that the amount (Rupees 7,560) will be sanctioned, as it is not improbable that the existing vacancy in our establishment, caused by the retirement of the Rev. Stewart Wright, will be filled up long before the expiry of the year now estimated for. The Government have acknowledged in their Order, dated 4th April 1872, No. 54, that it is impossible to keep up three stations for any considerable length of time with only three men, and I have little doubt that the recommendation to the Government of India, therein referred to, will lead to the appointment of our fourth Chaplain. I, therefore, trust my making provision for his salary and house-rent will meet the approval of the Government.

3. I propose a slight increase (Rupees 210) in the amount of travelling allowance, to enable our Chaplain at Bangalore to visit the planters in Munzerabad.

4. Last year the small sum of 6 Rupees was deducted from the amount of lighting expenses on the ground that all the money sanctioned for this purpose had not been drawn. The absence of a Chaplain for any short period, with no one to officiate for him, may lead to this during any year, but I cannot well take it into account when making out the estimate. I have, therefore, ventured to re-enter the small sum.

5. With these exceptions that I have here noticed, the estimate for 1873-74 is the same as the one for the current official year, and I trust the reasons I have given for the additions will be satisfactory to His Excellency the Governor in Council.

Forwarded to the Accountant-General with the view to the actuals for 1871-72 being inserted in the estimate.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
9th November 1872.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Officiating Chief Secretary.

No. 490

No. 62-A. OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

With reference to the docket upon the accompanying letter of the Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, the undersigned has the honour to return the Budget Estimate which accompanied it, the actuals of 1871-72 having been duly inserted therein as requested.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
16*th November* 1872.

(Signed) F. LUSHINGTON,
Accountant-General.

No. 63. ORDER THEREON, 7th December 1872, No. 1632.

The charges for the Church of Scotland, for the year 1873-74, are estimated at Rupees 41,706, the actuals for 1871-72 being Rupees 27,453, and the estimate for 1872-73 Rupees 33,930, as sanctioned in G. O., dated the 5th December 1871, No. 748.

2. The charges are distributed under the following heads, viz.:—

	RS.
Pay and Allowances—	
For Chaplains	36,120
,, Establishment	2,031
Contingencies	3,555
Total ...	41,706

3. Under the first head is included a sum of Rupees 7,560, being the pay and house rent for a Chaplain who, the Senior Chaplain assumes, will be appointed before the close of the current financial year. The Government have no assurance of this, and cannot, without the previous sanction of the Government of India, provide for the charge in the estimate for 1873-74.

4. The charge under the second head calls for no remark.

5. That under the third head shows that, while the actuals during 1871-72 amounted to Rupees 2,144, the estimate for 1873-74 exceeds it by Rupees 1,411.

6. The addition of Rupees 6 to the charge for lighting expenses will be again deducted, as the expenditure during 1871-72 did not exceed Rupees 970. The provision of Rupees 1,000 appears ample.

7. So will also the addition of Rupees 210 under travelling allowance, seeing that the amount actually expended in 1871-72 was only Rupees 746. The allotment of Rupees 1,500 is, in the opinion of Government, sufficient to meet any additional expense which may be incurred by the Chaplain at Bangalore for travelling to Munzerabad.

8. The Governor in Council resolves to fix the estimate for 1873-74 at Rupees 34,000, viz.:—

	RS.
Pay and Allowances—	
For Chaplains	28,560
,, Establishment	2,031
Contingencies	3,409
Total ...	34,000

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, Madras.
,, Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1872} Madras.

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To

THE SENIOR CHAPLAIN OF THE
CHURCH OF SCOTLAND,
Madras,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated December, 7th.

Recd. *Encl.*

G. O., 7th December 1872, *No.* 1632.

DECEMBER.
Nos. 62-63.

Reviewing the Budget Estimate of expenditure in connexion with the Church of Scotland, Madras, for the year 1873-74.

dated 4th April 1872, No 54, that it is impossible to keep up three Stations for any considerable length of time with only three men, and I have little doubt that the recommendation to the Government of India therein referred to will lead to the appointment of our fourth Chaplain. I therefore trust my making provision for his salary and house rent will meet the approval of the Government.

3. I propose a slight increase (Rs 210) in the amount of Travelling Allowance, to enable our Chaplain at Bangalore to visit the Planters in Munjenabad.

4. Last year the small sum of Six Rupees was deducted from the amount of Lighting Expenses, on the ground that all the money sanctioned for this purpose had not been drawn. The absence of a Chaplain for any short period, with no one to officiate for him, may lead to this during any year, but I cannot well take it into account when making out the Estimate, I have therefore ventured to re-enter the small sum.

5. With these exceptions that I have here noticed the Estimate for 1873-4 is the same as the one for the current Official year, and I trust the reasons I have given for the additions will be satisfactory to His Excellency the Governor in Council.

I have the honor to be
Your Obedient Servant

A Walker

Senior Chaplain
Church of Scotland
Madras.

Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Senior Chaplain Church of Scotland, Madras dated 1st November 1872.

Order thereon 7th Decr 1872 No. 1632.

The charges for the Church of Scotland for the year 1873-74 are estimated at Rs. 41706, the actuals for 1871-72 being Rs. 27453 and the estimate for 1872-73 Rs. 33930 as sanctioned in G. O. dated the 6th Decr 1871 No. 748.

2. The charges are distributed under the following heads.

Viz.	Rs.
Pay & Allowances for Chaplains	36,120
Establishment	2031
Contingencies	3555
	41,706

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Financial Report

Read Recd 10/12/72

To the Senior Chaplain Church of Scotland Madras

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 1st November 1872 and to request that the amount of the Establishment and Contingencies for the year 1873-74 may be submitted in the Estimate of 1873-74 being the actuals of 1871-72 as per Abstract enclosed.

I am Sir
Your obedient Servant
Secretary to Government
15th November 1872

To the Chief Secretary to Government Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward the accompanying letter of the 1st inst. from the Senior Chaplain of Scotland, the undersigned has the honor to solicit the Budget Estimate which accompanies the Budget Estimate of 1873-74 being framed at the actuals of 1871-72 being duly recorded thereon as requested.

I am Sir
Your obedient Servant
Acting Chaplain
1st November 1872

To the Chief Secretary to Government Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward the accompanying letter of the Senior Chaplain of Scotland, the undersigned has the honor to solicit the Budget Estimate which accompanies the Budget Estimate of 1873-74 being framed at the actuals of 1871-72 being duly recorded thereon as requested.

I am Sir
Your obedient Servant
Acting Chaplain
1st November 1872

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Forwarded to the Accountant General, with the view to the actuals for 1871-72, being inserted in the Estimate.

Fort St. George
9 Novr. 1872

E. Thurston
Offg Chief Secy

To the Accountant General with the Estimate.

Rec'd 11/11/72

Rec'd 11/11/72 Dept. from the Senior Chaplain Church of Scotland Madras

S.O. No. 1632

For Decr 72 No. 1632
Rec'd 6th Decr

No 2235

Rec'd

Submitting for sanction the Estimate of expenditure in connection with the Church of Scotland establishment for the year 1873-74

Fort St. George 6th Decr 1872

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Rec'd 6th Decr

No 2235

Rec'd

Submitting for sanction the Estimate of expenditure in connection with the Church of Scotland establishment for the year 1873-74

Fort St. George 6th Decr 1872

3. Under the first head is included a sum of Rs. 7560 being the pay & House rent for a Chaplain who, the Senior Chaplain assumes, will be appointed before the close of the current Fin.l year. The Govt have no assurance of this, and cannot, without the previous sanction of the Govt of India, provide for the charge in the estimate for 1873–74.

4. The charge under the second head calls for no remark

5. That under the third head shows that while the actuals during 1871-72 amounted to Rs. 2,144, the estimate for 1873-74. exceeds it by Rs. 1411.

6. The addition of Rs. 6. to the charge for Lighting Expenses will be again deducted, as the expenditure during 1871-72 did not exceed Rs. 970. The provision of Rs. 1000, appears ample.

7. The necessity for providing a sum of Rs. 350 on account of furniture, in 1873-74, in addition to the amount (Rs. 350) sanctioned for that purpose during the current year is not apparent. The amount will be removed from the Estimate.

8. So will also the addition of Rs. 210 under Travelling allowance, seeing that the amount actually expended in 1871/72 was only Rs. 746. The allotment of 1500 Rupees is in the opinion of Govt sufficient to meet any additional expense which may be incurred by the Chaplain at Bangalore for travelling to Munzerabad.

9. Deducting the items above adverted to The Governor in Council resolves to fix the estimate for 1873-74 at Rs. 34,000.

Viz

Pay & Allowances	Rs.	
For Chaplains —	28560	
" Establishment	2031	
" Contingencies	~~2989~~	3409.
Rs.	~~33,580~~	34,000.

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To
The Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland
" Accountant General

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Govt. of {1872} Madras

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To the Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland

Dated Dec^r 7 } 1872, No. 1032.
Recd. }

Nos. 62. 63.

Reviewing the Budget Estr. of Expenditure in connexion with the Church of Scotland Institution for the year 1873-74