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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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No. 97. Read the following letter from the Rev. A. WALKER, Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, to the Hon. W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 29th October 1873 :—

I have the honour to forward, for the sanction of Government, the accompanying estimate of expenditure in connexion with the Church of Scotland Establishment for the year 1874-75.

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Forwarded to the Accountant-General with the request that he will fill up the column of "Actuals," and return the estimate.

OOTACAMUND, (Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
31*st October* 1873. *Chief Secretary.*

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No. 98. ORDER THEREON, 12th November 1873, No. 1671.

In the Budget Estimate of Charges for the Church of Scotland for 1874-75 is again included a sum of Rupees 7,560, being the pay and house-rent for an additional Chaplain, although the Senior Chaplain was informed in G.O., dated the 7th December 1872, No. 1632, that this Government could not, without the previous sanction of the Government of India, provide for this charge in the Budget Estimate. That sanction has not yet been given, and the charge must, therefore, be omitted from the estimate for 1874-75.

2. The estimate for the year will accordingly be reduced from Rupees 41,151 to Rupees 33,591. It exceeds the actuals for 1872-73 by Rupees 1,390-8-0, but falls short of the grant for the current year by Rupees 339, owing to the charge, hitherto incurred, for "Rent of public rooms" at Secunderabad, having ceased since the grant-in-aid of Rupees 2,500, sanctioned in G.O., dated the 21st March 1873, No. 61, towards the cost of enlarging the Church of Scotland Mission Chapel at the station, so as to afford accommodation for the Presbyterian Congregation.

3. Under "Contingencies—Punkah Pullers," an increase of Rupees 21 occurs in the estimate for 1874-75 for additional punkah pullers for extra service performed in St. Mary's Church for Presbyterians. The increase is passed. The charge for "Postage Stamps" is Rupees 30, for "Furniture Repairs" Rupees 350, and for "Travelling Allowance" Rupees 1,500. The items correspond with the provision made in the current year's estimate, but are in excess of the actuals* for 1872-73 by Rupees 22, Rupees 338, and Rupees 596. The actuals for Secunderabad, it is observed, are only for eleven months, but even making allowance for the charges for another month, the estimate for 1874-75 is considerably in excess of actual requirements. The Governor in Council resolves, therefore, to reduce the provision for "Postage Stamps" from Rupees 30 to Rupees 20, and for "Travelling Allowance" from Rupees 1,500 to Rupees 1,000. The charge for "Furniture Repairs" will be struck out, as the grant of Rupees 350 for the purpose during 1873-74, if employed, ought to provide for putting the furniture in such order as to preclude the necessity for repairs in the ensuing year.

* Rupees 8, 12, and 904.

4. The estimate, modified as above referred to, will be reduced to Rupees 32,731, which amount will be included in the Civil Budget Estimate under "19, Ecclesiastical."

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland.
" Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.

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To

The SENIOR CHAPLAIN of the
CHURCH of SCOTLAND,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated November, 1873.

Read, &c.

G.O., 12th November 1873, No. 167.

NOVEMBER.
Nos. 97-98.

Budget Estimate of the Church of Scotland for the year 1874-75, received and passed.

Estimates Annual Source for the

Presidency Bengal

Grant XIX
Ecclesiastical

	Number	Actuals 1812-13.	Estimates 1813-14.	Estimates 1814-15.	Number	Actuals 1812-13.	Estimates 1813-14.	Estimates 1814-15.
Ecclesiastical Salaries and Allowances of Chaplains								
Senior Chaplain	1	11400 —	11400 " "	11400 " "				
Chaplains					1	9600 —	9600 " "	9600 " "
Assistant Chaplains	" "	1	6000 " "					
House Rent		1560 —	1560 " "	3120 " "				
Establishment								
Precentors	1	252 —	252 " "	252 " "	1	210 —	210 " "	210 " "
Beadles	1	168 —	168 " "	168 " "	1	126 —	126 " "	126 " "
Peons	4	336 —	336 " "	336 " "	1	84 —	84 " "	84 " "
Sascars	1	84 —	84 " "	84 " "	2	168 —	168 " "	168 " "
Gardeners	3	189 —	189 " "	189 " "				
Mate					1	84 —	84 " "	84 " "
Stationery Allowances	33 —		36 " "	36 " "				
Contingencies								
Fixed Contingencies	—		57 " "	57 " "				
Lighting Churches	406 —		400 " "	400 " "		360 —	360 " "	360 " "
Rent of Public Rooms								
Punkah Pullers	50 "		42 " "	63 " "				
Postage Stamps	5 —		18 " "	18 " "		1 —	6 " "	6 " "
Furniture Repairs	12 —		200 " "	200 " "		" —	100 " "	100 " "
Travelling Allowances	" "		288 " "	288 " "			252 " "	252 " "

To the Chief Secretary to Govt
Public Department

the Financial year ending 31st March 1875.

Secunderabad				Total.				Explanations for variations between the Estimates of 1874-75 and 1873-74
Number	Actuals 1872-73.	Estimates 1873-74.	Estimates 1874-75.	Number	Actuals 1872-73.	Estimates 1873-74.	Estimates 1874-75.	
				1	1	1	11,400	— 11400 " " 11400 — "
				1	1	1	9600	— 9600 " " 9600 " "
1	1	1	5422	— 6000 " " 6000 " "	1	1	2 5422	— 6000 " " 12000 — " 2 Assistant Chaplains entertained in hope of present vacancy being filled up before the end of the current 1 year. House Rent for 2 Chaplains for same period
				1560	—	1560 " "	3120	" —
4	1	1	1928	" 210 " " 210 " "	3	3	3 6548	" 672 " " 672 " "
				2	2	2	294	— 294 " " 294 " "
4	1	1	77	— 84 " " 84 " "	6	6	6 497	— 504 " " 504 " "
				3	3	3	252	— 252 " " 252 " "
				3	3	3	189	— 189 " " 189 " "
				1	1	1	84	— 84 " " 84 " "
				33	—		36	" " 36 " "
				—	—		54	" " 54 — "
155	—	" 240	" " 240	" "			921	— 1000 " " 1000 — "
330	—	360	" "				330	— 360 " " — Vide G.O. of 7th March 1861.
				40	—		42	" " 63 " " 21 Rs additional Stay Purkah pullers for extra Services in Bks. Nursery for Presbyterian & 1st Fusiliers.
2	—	6	" " 6	" "			8	— 30 " " 30 — "
"	—	50	" " 50	" "			12	— 350 " " 350 " "
904	—	960	" " 960	" "			904	— " 1500 — — 1500 " "
				Total Rupees	32200	8 "	33930	" " 41157 " "

A. Moultrie
Senr. Chaplain
Church of Scotland

Abstract of Establishments for Secunderabad and Bolarum for the Financial year ending 31st March 1875.

Madras.
29th October 1873.

From The Reverend A. Walker
Senior Chaplain
Church of Scotland

To The Honorable H. Sudlertm.
Chief Secretary to Government.
Ootacamund.

Sir.

I have the honor to forward for the same time of Government the accompanying Estimate of Expenditure in connection with the Church of Scotland Establishment for the year 1874/5.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
A. Walker
Senior Chaplain

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Forwarded to the Secretary
General with the request that in the
usual Column "Retd." and return
the Estimate.

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Chief Secretary

The Secretary General
Ootacamund

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Entered 31st
Despatched 31st

Financial Department.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Senior Chaplain of the Church of Scotland, dated 29th October 1874.

Order thereon - Communicated 12 Nov. 1873. No. 1671.

In the Budget Estimate of charges for the Church of Scotland for 1874-75, is again included a sum of Rs 7560 being the pay and house-rent for a Chaplain, although the Senior Chaplain was informed in G.O. dated the 7th December 1872, No. 1632, that this post could not, without the previous sanction of the Govt. of India, be made for the charges on the Budget Estimate

Estimate. That sanction has not yet been given, and the charge must therefore be omitted from the Estimate for 1874-75.

2. The estimate for the year will accordingly be reduced from Rs 41,151 to Rs 33,591. It exceeds the actuals for 1872-73 by Rs 1390-8-0, but falls short of the grant for the current year by Rs 339, owing to the charge, hitherto incurred, for "Rent of Public Rooms" at Secunderabad, having ceased since the grant-in-aid of Rs 25-00 sanctioned in G.O. dated the 21st March 1873, No. 61, towards the cost of enlarging the Church of Scotland Mission Chapel at the Station, so as to afford accommodation for the Presbyterian Congregation.

3. Under Contingencies, "Punkah Pullers" an increase of Rs 24 occurs in the Estimate for 1874-75, for additional Punkah Pullers for extra service performed in Saint Mary's Church for Presbyterians. The increase is passed. The charge for "Postage Stamps" is Rs 30: for "Furniture Repairs"

Repairs" Rs 350 and for "Travelling Allowance" Rs 1,500. The items corresponding with the provision made in the current years estimate, both are in excess of the actuals for 1872-73, by Rs 22,— Rs 338, and Rs 596. respectively

The actuals it is observed are only for 11 months, but even making allowance for the charges for another month, the estimate for 1874-75 is considerably in excess of actual requirements.

The Governor in Council resolves

× Rs 8, 12, and 904

resolves therefore to reduce the provision for "Postage Stamps" from Rs 30 to Rs 20, and for "Travelling Allowance" from Rs 1500 to Rs 1000. The charge for "Furniture Repairs" will be struck out as the grant of Rs 350 for the purpose during 1873-74 ought to provide for putting the furniture in such order as to preclude the necessity for repairs in the ensuing year.

2. The estimate, modified as above recommended, will be reduced to Rs 32,731 which

which amount will
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Civil Budget Estimate
under "19. Ecclesiastical".

The Senior Chaplain of the
Church of Scotland.
Accountant General.

Govt. of {1873} Madras.

Financial

To

The Senior Chaplain Church of Scotland

Dated Rec.d 2/2 / Read 1873, No. 691.

Nos. 97-98

Budget Est. of the Church of Scotland for the year 1874-75 Received & table.