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Government of Madras.

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No. 102. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 2nd May 1873, No. 2659 (Miscellaneous):—

Read the following letter from A. WEDDERBURN, Esq., President of the Local Fund Board, Coimbatore, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Coimbatore, 17th April 1873, No. 17:—

In November 1872, the Superintending Engineer brought forcibly to notice the necessity for the appointment of an Overseer to look after Local-Fund works in the Collegal Range; after full discussion of the subject, the Local Board recorded the following resolution under date the 19th March 1873, viz.:—

"23. Read memorandum from the Collector, No. 25, of 30th January 1873.

"The Collector has inspected the road-making and traces above ghaut in the Collegal Range, the expenditure on part of which was the subject of discussion before the Local Board in December last.

"2. The Collector has come to the conclusion that, for the proper expenditure of the money, additional superintendence is requisite as conducive both to economy and efficiency of work.

"3. There are special difficulties in the way of both labour and supervision; the population apparently available is scanty. Villages distant and climate unhealthy, and dreaded by the low-country people.

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"5. The Collector would advise that a superior Maistry or Overseer, on Rupees 60 a-month, should be appointed to the range.

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"Resolved that a Local Fund Overseer on Rupees 60 per mensem, with Rupees 20 horse allowance, be appointed."

2. I have the honour, accordingly, to solicit sanction for the entertainment of the additional Overseer with a Lascar on Rupees 6 a-month for his establishment. The cost would be as follows:—

	RS.
1 Local Fund Overseer, pay	60
Horse allowance	20
1 Lascar	6
Total ..	86

a-month = Rupees 1,032 per annum, which can be met from the Reserve of the current year.

3. The existing Local Fund Petty Establishment is shown in the margin; it was sanctioned in Revenue Board's Proceedings, No. 445, of 23rd January 1869. There were then only three ranges in the district, while there are now four ranges. The additional establishment now proposed is within the uniform scale of one Overseer and two Maistries to a range. A Maistry who was detailed for the Collegal Range out of

	RS.
Three Range Maistries, at Rupees 45 each per mensem	135
Three Taluq Maistries, at Rupees 25 each per mensem	75
Four Taluq Maistries, at Rupees 20 each per mensem	80
Total ...	290

the existing establishment has not worked well ; hence the necessity of a subordinate with powers to make payments under the Collegal Range Officer.

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Submitted for the sanction of Government.
(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

No. 103.

ORDER THEREON, 9th May 1873, No. 616.
Sanctioned.
(True Extract.)

Acting Under Secretary,
for *Chief Secretary.*

To the Board of Revenue.
" Accountant-General.
" Public Works Department "

Exd. J. Wright.

Misc. No. 2659. Revenue Department

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Dated 2d May 1873.
Read the following:—
No. 17.

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President, Local Board,
Coimbatore

To

J. Grose Esquire
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras.

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To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated May, 9th,

Read.

Encl.

G. O., 9th May 1873, No. 616.

MAY.
Nos. 102-103.

Sanctioning an application from the President, Coimbatore Circle, for permission to entertain an additional Overseer and Lascar for the Collegal Range of the District.

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"should be appointed to the Range"

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Resolved that a Local Fund Overseer
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on

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3 Salaries at Rs. 25- do. — do. " 75-
4 — Do. — at Rs. 20 — do. — do. " 80
" 290

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on Rs. 6a month, for his establishment.
The cost would be as follows:—

1. Local Fund Overseer, Pay — Rs. 60
Horse allowance - -20
1 Lascar - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 6
Total - - 86 a

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powers to make payments under the
Collegal Range Officer

I have &c.
(Signed) A. Wedderburn
President

Coimbatore
Local Fund
Board's office
17th April 1873

Submitted

Submitted for the Sanction of
Government.

(True copy & Extract)

J Grote
Secretary.

To
The Chief Secretary to Government
Financial Department.

P Humphrys
Copyist & Translator

Govt. of Madras.

Financial.

To the Board of Revenue.

&c. &c.

Dated 2d May.

Read. 3rd.

G.O. No. 616, dated 2nd May, 1873.

Nos. 102. 103.

Transmitting for sanction proceedings of the President Coimbatore recommending for certain reasons the establishment of an additional peon at Rs. 6 per mensem in addition to the Circle peon for communication between the Collegal Range and the Taluk Cutcherry of Udumalpet.

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Financial Dept.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 2d
Desp.d " 2d } May 1873.
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Miscellaneous No. 2659.

Subject

Submitting for the sanction of Government, letter from the President, Local Fund Board, Coimbatore, recommending for certain reasons the establishment of an additional peon at Rs. 6 per mensem in addition to a Peon and a Lascar for the Collegal Range of the District.

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