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Provincial Services.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 1737.

FROM

THE HON. D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Officiating Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

In acknowledging your letter, No. 1593, of 23rd June last, on the charges for Agricultural Exhibitions in this Presidency, I am directed to enclose copy of the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue on the reference, and to state that His Excellency in Council is unable to give any reason why Madras should be exceptionally treated in the matter. At the same time he is of opinion that a small assignment for this purpose, to the extent indicated, will result in extinguishing such exhibitions altogether.

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

OOTACAMUND,
28th August 1875.

Officiating Chief Secretary.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 10th August 1875, No. 2235.

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 8th July 1875, No. 1448, Financial Department:—

ABSTRACT.—*Provincial Services.*—Letter from Government of India inquiring whether agricultural exhibitions cannot be made self-supporting, and, if not, whether the charges cannot be transferred to Provincial with a small assignment communicated to the Board of Revenue for their opinion.

THE Board see no prospect of agricultural exhibitions in this Presidency being made self-supporting. No receipts have been derived from the Addanki and Nellore Shows, and at the Madras Agricultural Exhibition of 1874 they amounted to only Rupees 314 against a total expenditure of Rupees 8,890.

2. The Board see no objection to the transfer of the charges on this account to Provincial from Imperial revenues, provided an adequate assignment from the latter is made. Provincial revenues have as good a claim to a contribution for

this purpose as for model farms, but the assistance proposed by the Government of India will be merely nominal. The grants for the last five years have been as shown in the margin, and the Board would suggest that the average for that period, say Rupees 10,000, might be taken as a fair allotment.

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1875-76	21,000

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

Exd. J. Wright.

1875.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

From

The Offg. Chief Secretary to Govt.,
Fort St. George.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department.

Dated 28th August 1875.

Issued

Recd.

No. 1737.

Enclosure.

Provincial Services.—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue stating that there is no prospect of Agricultural Exhibitions in this Presidency being made self-supporting, forwarded to the Government of India with remarks.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 3208

From B^d of Rev.

Dated 10 August 1875.

FOR ORDERS.

I am unable
to concur in
opposing the transfer
of this charge to Bd^s
& to a grant towards
Establishment
Exclusive
The thing is "played
out" I think.

FOR ORDERS.

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No. 2,235.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 10th August 1875.

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 8th July 1875,

No. 1,448, Financial Department:—

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Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department.

Copy to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Exd. J. W. Fischer.

Financial Department.

No. 1916. 6M

From The Board of Revenue.

Dated 16 August 1875.

FOR ORDERS.

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Financial Department.

1875.

Board of Revenue,

MADRAS.

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Proceedings, 10th August 1875, No. 2,235.

Dept 12 Aug 75

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2 Sc.

Received 16 Aug 75

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No. 2,235.

Agricultural Exhibitions—in Madras Presidency.—Government informed that Board see no prospect of — being made self-supporting, but that there is no objection to the transfer of the charges on this account to Provincial from Imperial revenues, provided adequate assignment from the latter is made.

No 206.

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obtain useful Results.

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No 1737 of 28 Augt

FOR ORDERS.

To
The Secy to the Govt of India
Fmil Dept

Despe [illegible] 7/9/75.
5 Oct/75.

Sir,

I am acknowledg to letter No 1543 of 23d June last, on the charges for Agricultural Exhibitions in this Presy, & am desired to enclose copy of the Regs of the Bd of Revenue for reference & to state that the Govt of India will be glad any reasons why charges should be made for Agricultural Exhibitions should be carefully treated in the Minutes of the same time he is of opinion that a small assignment for this purpose, to the extent indicated, will result in extinguishing such Exhibitions altogether.

I am &c.
27/8/75.
Colonel

Ord.
28 Aug 1875.

With Boards Proceedings
& follows 157

Govt. of {1875} Madras.

Genl

G.O. 28th August, 1875, No. 1737

Nos. 206-207

Provincial Services – Proceedings of the Board of Revenue reporting that there is no prospect of Agricultural Exhibitions in this Presidency being made Self-Supporting, forwarded to the Government of India with remarks.