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SUBJECT.

Passing orders on B.P. re: the grant of till allowance to Rev. subordinate establishment of the Nilgiri Dt.

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H.S. to warn Please Send 16 Ans for mustrs revised to these.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following papers—

1. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Land Revenue, Nos. 161 Misc. dated 18th January 1898 and 316 Misc. dated 2nd February 1898.
2. Official Memorandum No. 129 dated 14th June 1898.
3. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, Land Revenue, Misc. No. 1615 dated 22nd June 1898.

Order thereon, Press No. 459 dated 18th August 1898.

The papers read above relate to the grant of local allowances to the subordinate Revenue establishments on the Nilgiris in consideration of the cost of living at a hill station. The proposals under the various heads will be dealt with below:-

2. Huzur Sarishtadar.- It is proposed to grant a local allowance of Rs.25 per mensem to the Huzur Sarishtadar. In view however of the facts that the extra cost of living on the hills was taken into account when the pay of this official was fixed at Rs.200, that the pay of the corresponding officials on the plains was reduced in 1888 from Rs. 250 to Rs. 225 in some and to Rs. 200 in other districts, and that his work is very much lighter than that of the same officials in the plains, the Government considers that the Sarishtadar's pay should be fixed at Rs. 175 per mensem plus a local allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem.

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3. Deputy Tahsildars.- The Board of Revenue supports the Collector's recommendation to grant an allowance of Rs. 50 each to the Deputy Tahsildars of Coonoor and Ootacamund. The Government is however of opinion that it will be sufficient to sanction an allowance of Rs.25. The Collector proposes an increased allowance of Rs. 75 per mensem to the Deputy Tahsildar of Gudalur on the ground that a difference should be made between the Deputy Tahsildars serving in the Wynaad and those stationed on the plateau, but the Government agrees with the Board that the present allowance of Rs. 50 per mensem is sufficient.

To improve the prospects of promotion of these Deputy Tahsildars the Board suggests that ~~ad~~ after 5 years' approved service in the Nilgiris, a Deputy Tahsildar should, on the occurrence of a vacancy be considered to have a preferential claim to be posted to a fifth grade Tahsildari in any of the four districts of Malabar, Coimbatore, Salem and Trichinopoly. To this list the Government would add South Canara and make it a rule that the Collector of the district selected by the Board in any particular case should appoint the Deputy Tahsildar unless he can satisfy the Board that there is a valid objection. The Government also considers that the Huzur Sarishtadar should have a similar claim to a Tahsildari in the plains.

4. Clerks, Revenue Inspectors and Shroff.- The grant of a local allowance at the rate of one-fourth of their pay for officials of those classes, drawing more than Rs. 50 and one-third of the pay for those drawing Rs. 50 and less is recommended on the ground that the salaries sanctioned for the office establishments in the Nilgiris are in several cases actually less than those paid on the plains. It is not proposed however to grant any local allowance to the establishments in the Head Assistant Collector's office and the Gudalur Deputy Tahsildar's office, as the Wynaad allowance of 50 per cent of the pay now drawn by these establishments is considered sufficient. The Government considers that the rate of local allowance on account of additional expense of living on the hills should be the same for all officials of certain classes and should not vary entirely according to their pay. The following scale

scale will be adopted except in the case of Revenue Inspectors:- and the Forest Branch

	Amount of local allowance.
For clerks on Rs. 75 and up to 100	Rs. 20
do 50 and below 75	15
do above 25 and below 50	10
For clerks (including shroff) on Rs.25 and below	5

As regards Revenue Inspectors, it is observed that their pay is already higher than that of Revenue Inspectors on the plains. No change is therefore necessary. Separate orders will issue as to the Forest Branch of the Collectors office.

5. Muchi and attenders of the Collector's office.- In the case of these inferior servants, it is proposed to grant a local allowance of one-third of their pay. The Government considers that an allowance of Rs. 2 is enough for the muchi. As regards attenders, it is observed that those in the Nilgiris are paid at Rs. 14, 12 and 10, while the corresponding rates on the plains are Rs. 10, 8 and 7 respectively. No local allowance is therefore called for in the case of these men; on the other hand, the pay proper of the appointments should, on the present incumbents' vacating them, be reduced to the rates allowed on the plains, an additional allowance of Rs. 3 being granted in each case. The Collector should report whether a similar course may be adopted in the case of the peons and masalchis in the various establishments who are not included in the Collector's proposals.

6. The grant of allowances as approved above will be given effect to from the 1st August 1898.

7. The proposition statement submitted by the Board will be revised and ~~transmitted~~ transferred to the Financial Dept.

(True Extract.)

H. Macpherson Smith
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, Land Revenue, Land Revenue, with enclosures.
,, Financial Department.

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NOTE FOR THE C. A.

~~It~~ will be observed that the In Come Tax Establishment stated to be temporary in the proposition Statement attached to the Current, has been made permanent. Please see L.O. C. 830 Finl 25 July 98. and the proposition Statement attached thereto flagged. B

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Revenue may be asked n.o. to rectify this

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To Rev. n.o

To The Und Secretary.

The word "temporary" before the words "Income tax establishment" has been deleted.

Yes Mc
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