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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
for the month of May 1860.*

No. 61. Read the following letter from R. P. HARRISON, Esq., Accountant General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 18th May 1860, No. 29.

With reference to paragraph 9 of the Order of Government, No. 439, dated the 14th ultimo (received on 26th idem), in the Judicial Department, I have the honor to state that on the 24th June 1856, a sum of Rupees 45,000 was deposited in the General Treasury by the Administrator General under Section 4 Rule III of the "Rules for the Office and duties of the Administrator General," and the interest thereon at 4 per cent. per annum, namely Rupees 1,800, was regularly paid half-yearly to the Administrator General under the orders of Government, which have been issued twice annually up to the 20th September 1858. On that date the sum of Rupees 7,000, was withdrawn under the Rule III Section 5 by the Administrator General. Whether this amount Rupees 7,000 was withdrawn in order to liquidate some claim existing in respect of an estate in deposit or not, does not appear. But the amount in deposit was thereby reduced to Rupees 38,000, the interest upon which was regularly disbursed half-yearly to the Administrator General up to the close of the last half-year ended 23rd December 1859. It would therefore appear that the Audit Fund which consists entirely of the interest accruing upon Estates in Deposit, has been sensibly diminished in income, and on the 23rd proximo, when the usual half-yearly interest falls due, the assets of the Fund will amount to Rupees 760 only: the whole of this sum as there are no liabilities against the Fund, will be available to meet the expenses of the last Audit of the Administrator General's accounts.

No. 62.

ORDER THEREON, 30th May 1860, No. 668.

To be recorded.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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