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G.O., No. 231

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[Despatch Abstract.]

POUND-KEEPERS IN VIZAGAPATAM AGENCY

Approving the proposal to appoint the local Station-house officer as pound-keeper in the villages in the Vizagapatam Agency where the headman is not sufficiently educated to hold the post and considering the remuneration recommended by Colonel Porteous, viz., Rs 2 per mensem to be sufficient.

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Jud DEPARTMENT.

FROM

THE COLLECTOR OF VIZAGAPATAM,

TO

Co. 5724 of 1894 +
182 of 1895.

For orders.

The Chief Secretary to Government.

Judicial Department

Madras

Dated 14th January 1895.
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CHIEF SECRETARY
17 JAN 1895
Re. C. No. 20
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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Subject.

submitting remarks on the proposal
to appoint station house officers in
the agency tracts as pound keepers.

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For orders

R. C. No. 24
Disposal.

CURRENT No. 182

VIZAGAPATAM COLLECTOR'S OFFICE

Dated 14th January 1895

From

F. D'A. O. WOLFE-MURRAY ESQ^R.

Ag. Collector,

Vizagapatam District.

To

The Honorable J. J. Price,

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Judicial DEPARTMENT,

MADRAS.

SIR,

Referring to G. O. No. 2504 dated 16th October 1894, I have the honor to report that the cattle trespass Act of 1871 is already in force in the Agency tracts of this District and several pounds have been established in the Agency villages. Under Section 6 of the Act the village heads are ex-officio keepers of the pounds in their villages. The pound keepers have to maintain several registers and submit accounts to the Taluk officers every month. In the Agency tracts, the village heads are generally too illiterate to keep the registers and prepare the monthly accounts. Much difficulty is therefore experienced in these tracts especially in the Special Assistant Agents' Division in securing proper accounts of receipts and charges. The other Divisions have comparatively small areas of Agency and the present system in force there need not be disturbed. I am therefore of opinion that in the Special Assistant Agents' Division

Division alone where the heads of villages having cattle pounds are illiterate, Station House Officers may be appointed as pound keepers wherever there is a Police Station. The Inspector General of Police also seems to be in favour of the proposals.

2. With regards to the remuneration to Station House Officers placed in charge of pounds, I entirely concur in the remarks made by Government in para 2 of its order. A fixed pay of Rs 3 per mensem will I think be quite sufficient.

3. The enclosures of the G. O. under reply are herewith returned.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
N. S. S. S. S.
for Dy Collector.

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Department.

No. 6212

CURRENT NO 5724
CHIEF OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE,
Madras, 24th October 1894.

FROM

Colonel C.A. Fortescue

INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE,

TO

THE Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George.

SIR,

Enclosures.

With reference to G.O. No 2504 dated 16th October 1894, I have the honor to state that the suggestion of Government that Station House Officers in Agency Tracts, if appointed pound keepers, should receive a fixed salary is preferable to granting them a percentage on collections from fees. As the work is comparatively light I would suggest Rs 2 per mensem as sufficient remuneration.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedt. Servt.

MA S. Fortescue
Colonel.
Inspector General of Police.

MA S.

July (1894) DEPARTMENT.

No 2504: 16.10.94 mis + piper
Police pound keepers, m. H. H.

FROM

Col. C. A. Portman
INSPECTOR GENERAL
OF POLICE.

No.

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Dated

24th

Received

25th

October 1894.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
25 OCT. 1894

SUBJECT.

Suggesting Rs 2 p.m. as
sufficient remuneration
for Station House officers
in Agency Tracts, if appointed
as pound keepers.

To await the Agent's
reply to No. 2504 mis

16.10.94

H.H.

For orders.

It will be seen that the Agent practically
ignores the legal difficulty, as long as
Sb of Act. I of 1891 is in force, it is
illegal to appoint station house officers to
be pound keepers in villages where there
are headmen. It is not worth while legislating
about the matter, so presumably there is no thing
for it but to sanction the appointment as pound keepers
of P.S.O.s in villages where there are no
headmen. The remuneration suggested by
Col. Portman (Rs 2 per mensem) may perhaps be
approved.

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If Govt. decides to adhere to the law which
is suggested above is the only course
to follow. No one in the Agency
is however likely to question the
legality of appointing P.S.O.s
as pound keepers in Govt. District
tracts. The farming I heard
of villages are manifestly incapable
of performing the duties of the
Office.

25/1/95

Where there are no heads of
villages, any one may be appointed
pound keeper, I suppose. Where there
are no heads of villages, the legal
difficulty may, I should say, be over-
come by appointing P.S.O.s as pound
keepers. But after all it doesn't
much matter. As the C. I. says, no one
in the Agency is likely to raise any
question. Sanction the proposal &
let the pay be Rs 2 p.m.

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Read again G.O. of 16 Oct 1894.

No 2504

C. 5724 of 1894 - from J.G. Police 724.105

C. 182 of 1895 - from Agent, Vizagapatnam

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The proposal to appoint the
local station house officer - village
pound keeper - in villages in the Vizag.
Agency where the headman is not
sufficiently educated to hold the
post, will be approved. The
remuneration recommended by
Col. Portman - viz Rs 2 per
mensem - will be sufficient.

(From order)

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The Agent, Vizagapatnam

The J.G. of Police
and General.

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Pound keeper
 Visapapalam Agency

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