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6TH FEBRUARY 1895, No. 9, LEGISLATIVE.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From H. MAUDE, Esq., Junior Secretary to the Government of the Punjab, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Lahore, the 30th January 1895, No. 44.

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 128, dated 13th December 1894, requesting the following information in respect of the tax on menial and domestic servants levied in certain municipalities in this province under section 42 (1) (A) (e) of the Punjab Municipal Act of 1891 :—

- (1) The localities in which the tax has been imposed.
- (2) The mode in which it is levied.
- (3) The receipts therefrom.
- (4) Whether the realization of the tax has proved difficult or given rise to complaints.

2. In reply, I am to forward copies of the notifications noted on the margin, imposing taxation of this class in the hill municipalities of Simla, Kasumpti, Dharamsala, Dalhousie and Murree. The tax is payable by the employer of the servant liable thereto, and is recoverable on such dates as the committee may, with reference to section 50 of the Act, direct.

3. The receipts from the tax in the year 1893-94 were as follows :—

	RS.
Simla	13,845
Kasumpti	126
Dharamsala	160
Dalhousie	1,159
Murree	3,736

4. No reports have been made to the Punjab Government as to the realization of the tax being attended with difficulty or having given rise to complaint.

ENCLOSURES.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 532.—It is hereby notified that, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, the Municipal Committee of Simla, in accordance with section 42, clause (7), of Act XIII of 1894, has directed the imposition of the following taxes, which shall come into force on the 1st January 1886 :—

B. Under section 39 (1) (A) (e)—

A tax, payable by the master or employer, on menial and domestic servants residing or working for gain as such within the limits of the municipality, of Rs. 2 per annum.

(By order, &c.,)

(Signed) H. MAUDE,
Under Secy. to Govt., Punjab.

23rd December 1885.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 124.—It is hereby notified that the Deputy Commissioner of Simla, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, under section 47 of Act XIII of 1884, has made the following rule in the matter of the dates on which the house, ground, frontage, vehicle, animal, and servants' taxes shall be payable in the Municipality of Kasumti:—

The imposition of taxes in the Municipality of Kasumti having been sanctioned by the Punjab Government, it is hereby notified that the said taxes will be payable on the following dates:—

Tax of Rs. 2 on every menial or domestic servant—1st August.

The above rule has been confirmed by the Lieutenant-Governor, and shall come into force on the 1st March 1886. In accordance with the directions of the Lieutenant-Governor given in this behalf, it is hereby published in the *Punjab Government Gazette* during the interval between the date aforesaid and the date of the publication of this notification.

17th February 1886.

NOTIFICATION.

BOARDS AND COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT—Committees.

No. 170.—It is hereby notified that, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, the Municipal Committee of Dharmasala, in the Kangra district, in accordance with section 45, clause (7), of Act XX of 1891, has directed the imposition of the following tax with effect from the 1st July 1892:—

Under section 42 (1) A (e) a tax on menial and domestic servants at the rate of 8 annas for each servant per annum.

This notification has no application to Jhampanis the tax on whom is leviable under the provisions of Punjab Government Notification No. 212 of 21st July 1883.

12th April 1892.

(Signed) R. G. THOMSON,
Offg. Revenue Secy. to Govt., Punjab.

GAZETTE NOTIFICATION.

No. 945.—It is hereby notified that, with the previous sanction of the Local Government, the Municipal Committee of Dalhousie, in accordance with section 42, clause (7), of Act XIII of 1884, has directed the imposition of the following taxes, which shall come into force on the 15th April 1889:—

III.—Under section 39 (1) (A) (e) a tax on menial and domestic servants, to be recovered from their employers, as follows:—

Four annas for each servant for residence not exceeding one month.

Eight annas for each servant for residence exceeding one month, but not exceeding three months.

One rupee for each servant for residence exceeding three months.

(By Order, &c.,)

21st December 1888.

(Signed) C. L. TUPPER,
Secretary to Government, Punjab.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 2.—The Hon'ble the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to sanction the levy, with effect from the 1st March 1880, in the Municipality of Murree, of a conservancy tax on servants at the following rates:—

For a period not exceeding 30 days	Free.
For a period exceeding 30 days and not exceeding 90 days	Rs. 1 per servant.
For a period exceeding 90 days	Rs. 2

(By Order, &c.,)

LAHORE,
5th January 1880.

(Signed) LEPEL GRIFFIN,
Secy. to Govt., Punjab.

ORDER—dated 6th February 1895, No. 9, Legislative.

Communicated to the Select Committee on the Bill to amend Act IV of 1884.

(True Extract.)

W. H. Butterworth

Under Secy. to Govt.

To the Select Committee.

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