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No. 161, FINANCIAL, 12TH MARCH 1896.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From the Accountant-General, No. 291, dated 1st February 1896.

ORDER—No. 161, Financial, dated 12th March 1896.

The total charges on account of the move of Government to the Hills in 1895 amounted to Rs. 29,163 against Rs. 31,296 in 1894. Excluding from 1894 the cost of the Military Secretariat, which has now disappeared from the statement, the figure for that year stood at Rs. 26,698. Deducting again the amount recovered as house-rent from clerks and savings arising from the undrawn Presidency allowance and house-rent of the Joint and Under Secretaries to Government, Public Works Department, the expenditure stands at—

										RS.
1894	::	::	::	::	::	::	::	::	::	24,589
1895	::	::	::	::	::	::	::	::	::	27,587

Though there was an excess in 1895, the total charges on account of the Secretariat departments compare on the whole favourably with the expenditure in previous years, as will be seen from the following table:—

	Chief Secretariat.	Revenue Secretariat.	Public Works Secretariat.	Total.
	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
1891	13,686	9,288	8,160	31,134
1893	10,341	8,274	8,076	26,691
1894	9,937	7,763	7,580	25,280
Total	33,964	25,325	23,816	83,105
Average	11,321	8,442	7,939	27,702
1895	10,905	8,147	8,096	27,148

* Note.—The year 1892 has been excluded, as the stay of Government on the Hills was then abnormally short.

The charges on account of travelling allowance to assistants and clerks are still higher in the Revenue and Public Works Departments than in the Chief Secretariat, whilst those on account of Hill allowance in the Public Works Department exceed either of the other departments. The attention of the Secretaries concerned will again be drawn to paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 218, Financial, dated 16th March 1894.

2. The return will be forwarded to the Home Government.

(True Extract.)

W. D. Sullivan
for Chief Secretary.

To the Departments of the Secretariat.
" Accountant-General.

Exd. C. M. Brisson.

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APPENDIX.

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STATEMENT showing the expenditure incurred on account of the move of Government Offices to the Hills in 1895.

Details of expenditure.	Chief Secretariat.	Revenue Secretariat.	Public Works Secretariat.	Total.
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Travelling Allowance—				
Members of Council	965 8 0	.. .. .	.. .. .	965 8 0
Secretaries	127 12 0	127 12 0	318 12 0	574 4 0
Under Secretaries and Assistant Secretaries	255 8 0	127 12 0	255 0 0	638 4 0
Total ..	1,348 12 0	255 8 0	573 12 0	2,178 0 0
Assistants and Clerks—				
Travelling Allowance	1,528 0 0	2,272 11 3	1,706 0 0	5,506 11 3
Hill Allowance	2,961 3 8	2,691 12 1	3,230 5 8	8,883 5 5
Total ..	4,489 3 8	4,964 7 4	4,936 5 8	14,390 0 8
Telephone Clerk—				
Travelling Allowance	44 5 4	44 5 4	44 5 4	133 0 0
Hill Allowance	53 11 2	53 11 2	53 11 3	161 1 7
Total ..	98 0 6	98 0 6	98 0 7	294 1 7
Servants and Peons—				
Members' Peons—				
Travelling Allowance	352 0 0	.. .. .	.. .. .	352 0 0
Hill Allowance	434 11 3	.. .. .	.. .. .	434 11 3
Other Servants—				
Travelling Allowance	636 10 0	367 10 0	418 6 0	1,422 10 0
Hill Allowance	736 1 11	464 6 8	481 4 3	1,681 12 10
Temporary Peons and Clerks	178 13 4	294 5 9	14 9 11	487 13 0
Total ..	2,338 4 6	1,126 6 5	914 4 2	4,378 15 1
Contingencies—				
Service Postage	740 0 1	820 0 0	848 11 6	2,408 11 7
Do. Telegrams	77 3 0	15 3 0	224 10 0	317 0 0
Peons' Clothing	608 1 7	60 13 16	113 0 0	781 15 5
Carriage of Records	831 14 0	527 7 0	317 9 9	1,676 14 9
Other Contingencies	373 3 1	279 2 7	70 6 3	722 11 11
Total ..	2,630 5 9	1,702 10 5	1,574 5 6	5,907 5 8
Total, Secretariats ..	10,904 10 5	8,147 0 8	8,096 11 11	27,148 7 0
Personal Staff of His Excellency the Governor including				
Private Secretary .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	1,062 2 0
20. Police—Special Police—				
Travelling Allowance .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	150 6 0
Hill Allowance .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	226 12 5
Contingencies—				
Service Postage .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	110 0 0
Do. Telegrams .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	14 2 0
Carriage of Records .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	80 2 0
Other Contingencies .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	9 1 6
24. Medical—Medical Establishment—				
Surgeon to His Excellency the Governor .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	361 14 0
Grand Total ..	10,904 10 5	8,147 0 8	8,096 11 11	29,162 14 11

STATEMENT of recoveries and savings in connection with the move of Government to the Hills in 1895.

Amount of savings effected on account of Presidency allowance and house-rent undrawn by the Joint and Under Secretaries of the Public Works Department ..	..	..	..	752 2 1
Amount recovered as house-rent for clerks' quarters at Ootacamund	195 6 3	220 2 10	408 0 10	823 9 11
Total ..				1,575 12 0

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