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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
20th August 1867.*

No. 478. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Revenue Department:—

Requesting the issue of orders in the Public
Department for the debit to "23, Medical
Services" of all charges connected with the
Sattiamungalam Hospital in the Coimbatore
District, and for the employment in that
Institution of a menial servant on Rupees 6
per mensem. (Here enter 15th August 1867, No. 1,895.)

No. 479. ORDER THEREON, 20th August 1867, No. 2,549.

ACCOUNT, No. 60.

Communicated to the Superintend-
ing Engineer of the 7th Division and
the Controller of Public Works Ac-
counts.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, Major, R. E.,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department.
13th July 1867.

Read the following papers:—

No. 215. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd May 1867, No. 2,725.

Read the following letter from the Assistant Inspector General of Police, for Inspector General of Police, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madras, 27th March 1867, No. 529.

From the Superintendent of Police, Coimbatore, No. 496, dated 15th November 1866.
To the Superintendent of Police, Coimbatore, No. 1,976, dated 29th November 1866.
From Civil Surgeon, Coimbatore, No. 22, dated 26th February 1867.
From Superintendent of Police, No. 76, dated 26th March 1867.

1. Referring to the Proceedings of the Board, No. 4,855, dated 25th July 1862, I have the honour to forward correspondence, as per margin, relative to the employment of a menial servant, at Rupees 6 per mensem, at the Suttimungalum Hospital, in the Coimbatore District.

2. The Police Department is prepared to pay a share of one-third of the charge.

3. I have the honour to request you will, in communication with the Department of Public Works, be so good as to obtain the sanction of Government for the entertainment of the menial in question.

From Captain W. C. DUNN, Deputy Inspector General, for Superintendent of Police, to the Assistant Inspector General of M. Police, dated Coimbatore, 15th November 1866, No. 496.

* To be kindly returned.

1. You will observe from the enclosures* that the Accountant General has now declined to pass the Contingent charges for the Police Hospital at Suttimungalum from June 1866, because Suttimungalum was not named in the Government of India Order, No. 1,995, dated 14th April 1864.

2. How the omission arose I am quite at a loss to explain, but I need scarcely point out to you that in no part of the district is there greater sickness amongst the Police force than in this most feverish talook, and I have, therefore, the honour to solicit that you will obtain the requisite sanction for the entertainment of a menial for the Hospital at Suttimungalum, and for contingent charges which may be found necessary.

3. The Police have received medical aid at Suttimungalum from the Joint Revenue and Department of Public Works Dresser since 1862.

From the Assistant Inspector General of Police, to the Deputy Inspector General of Police, Western Range, in charge of Coimbatore, dated Madras, 29th November 1866, No. 1,976.

1. With reference to your letter, No. 496, of the 15th instant, applying for sanction for a menial attendant for the Hospital at Suttimungalum, I have the honour to forward the accompanying correspondence, † (to be returned,) and request you will be good enough to inform me

whether the menial is required for the service of the Police alone, or for the use of the three Departments, namely, Revenue, Police, and Public Works Department, for all of which the Dresser has been stationed, as mentioned in the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 4,855.

2. The Objection Memorandum of the Accountant General, dated 15th October 1866, to the address of the Deputy Inspector General of Hospitals, Southern Division, is herewith returned.

† No. 149, dated 26th August 1862, from the Collector to the Superintendent of Police, with its enclosures.
Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 4,855, dated 25th July 1862.

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From W. H. ROBERTS, Esq., M. D., Civil Surgeon, to the Superintendent of Police, Coimbatore, dated 26th February 1867, No. 22.

1. I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your No. 67, of the 16th instant.
2. The reply received from the Suttimungalum Dresser, regarding the menial employed at the Hospital there, is as follows:—"A house has been rented at Rupees 1-8-0 per mensem to keep the Dispensary, and to treat the Department of Public Works, Police, and Revenue officials; a cooly for Hospital, at Rupees 6 per mensem, has hitherto been employed."
3. From this, I infer that both Hospital and cooly are common to Police, Revenue, and Department Public Works servants.
4. I would remind you that the Contingent Bills, referred to in my former letters, are still unsettled, and I am in danger of having every bill for every other Hospital stopped till the retrenchment is made.

From Captain A. BALMER, Superintendent of Police, to the Assistant Inspector General of Police, Madras, dated Coimbatore District, 22nd March 1867, No. 76.

With reference to your letter, No. 1,976, dated 29th November 1866, with its enclosures, as per margin, herewith returned, I have the honour, herewith, to enclose the original letter, No. 22, dated 26th February 1867, from the Zillah Surgeon, Coimbatore, stating that one man will suffice for the use of the three Departments, namely, Police, Revenue, and Department of Public Works, at Suttimungalum.

Submitted to Government, Revenue Department. The Board observe that it is hardly worth while to distribute the trifling sum of 6 Rupees among three different departments. They accordingly request that the Government will be pleased to authorize the pay of the menial in question, (viz., 6 Rupees monthly,) to be debited to Medical charges under Land Revenue. Under this arrangement the whole pay will be included in the Zillah Surgeon's bill forwarded to the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department.

No. 216. From the Acting Controller of Public Works Accounts, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 22nd May 1867, No. 511.

In reply to your Official Memorandum No. 61, dated 20th instant, I have the honour to state that the Medical Subordinate employed at Sattiamungalum draws a monthly pay of 20 Rupees, and rice compensation money at an average of 4 Rupees, also travelling allowances at 10 Rupees per month for the days actually spent in travelling on public duty, all of which is paid from the allotment of Rupees 1,80,000 set apart for Petty establishments in the Public Works Department.

No. 217. Official Memorandum from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 5th July 1867, No. 713.

In reply to the Official Memorandum of the Revenue Secretary to Government, dated 20th May 1867, No. 60, the undersigned has the honour to state that, as a special case, an enhanced rate of 6 Rupees per mensem was proposed to the menial

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servant attached to Sattiamungalum Hospital, in consideration of the very feverish nature of that locality, and in consequence also of the same sum having been hitherto allowed to the cooly employed in that Hospital.

By order,

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Secretary.

No. 218. ORDER THEREON, 13th July 1867, No. 1,559.

Miscellaneous.

Resolved that these papers be communicated to the Accountant General, and that he be requested to submit to Government his opinion as to whether all the charges connected with the Sattiamungalum Hospital cannot be debited to one Department, and if so, against which Department they can most properly be brought to account. The present arrangement, under which the salary and allowances of the Medical Subordinate are paid by the Public Works Department, and the cost of medicines supplied to him are alternately defrayed for a year by the Public Works, Police, and Revenue Departments, coupled with the Board's proposal that the menial attached to the Hospital be paid by the Revenue Department and debited to Medical charges under "Land Revenue," is cumbrous in the extreme.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Accountant General.
.. the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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15th August 1867.*

No. 293. Read the following letter from the Acting Accountant General to the Government of Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Fort Saint George, 8th August 1867, No. 160:—

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Order of Government, No. 1,559, dated 13th ultimo, requesting an expression of my opinion as to whether all the charges connected with the Sattiamungalam Hospital cannot be debited to one Department, and if so, what Department is to bear them; and in reply to state that, under the Orders of the Government of India, in the Financial Department, No. 3,362, dated 16th December 1865, copy of which was forwarded to the Madras Government, the whole of the charges of the Hospital in question can be taken under "23, Medical Services," instead of, as at present, being borne by the Public Works, Police, and Revenue Departments.

No. 294. ORDER THEREON, 15th August 1867, No. 1,895.

Miscellaneous.

Orders will accordingly be issued from the Public Department for debiting all the charges connected with the Sattiamungalam Hospital to "23, Medical Services," as also for employment of a menial servant, at Rupees 6 per mensem, at that Hospital.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Public Department, with Proceedings No. 1,559.
.. the Board of Revenue.
.. the Accountant General.
.. the Public Works Department, with Proceedings No. 1,559.

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