

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
19th March 1868.*

No. 312. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 20th February 1868, No. 1,245:—

Read the following letters:—

From the Collector of Madras, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Sydapet, 4th December 1867, No. 403.

1. With reference to paragraph 8 of the Board's Proceedings No. 7,041, I have the honor to forward a letter* in original from Mr. Smith, the Deputy Collector in charge of the Salt Department, and under the circumstances therein stated to support his recommendation that the 100 Rupees, proposed to be allotted as increase to the pay of the Superintendents and Assistant Superintendents, and which the Board have excluded from their recommendation to Government, may now be included in any tabular statement of establishment that may be under preparation in the Board's Office.

2. Mr. Smith points out that Rupees 50 of the 100 have already been sanctioned by Government, and as the remaining 50 form but an inconsiderable amount in comparison with the expected revenue, I trust that the Board will be pleased to sanction the extra amount applied for, in consideration of the additional labor and responsibility which will devolve on the Superintendents and their Assistants.

3. The additional 50 abovementioned is proposed to be allotted as follows:—

	Rs.
Vullur Superintendent	15
Attiput do.	10
Pulidivakum do.	10
Voyalur do.	15
	50

From the Deputy Collector in charge of Salt, to the Acting Collector of Madras, dated 18th November 1867, No. 256.

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt this day of the Board's Proceedings, regarding the extension of manufacture in the north.

2. I regret to observe that the Board have not been pleased to recommend for the sanction of Government the 100 Rupees proposed to be allotted as increases to the salaries of the Superintendents and Assistant Superintendents, whose labor and responsibility will be considerably enhanced by the contemplated extension.

3. This is the more to be regretted, as out of the abovementioned sum of Rupees 100, Rupees 50 had already been recommended by the Board and sanctioned by Government in the Proceedings and Order noted in the margin.

4. The sum of Rupees 50 already sanctioned consists of certain increases to the pay of the undermentioned individuals, and is exhibited in the margin of paragraph 6 of the Board's Proceedings, where it is distinctly referred to as an "increase of pay for the additional duties of supervision that will devolve upon the Superintendents under the proposed arrangements;" and again in paragraph 11 it is included in the annual charge of Rupees 2,380 recommended for the sanc-

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tion of Government, with the Board's remark that the additional establishment proposed "amounts to less than one-eighth per cent. of the increase".—

	Present pay.	Proposed pay.	Increase.
	RS.	RS.	RS.
Vullur Superintendent	50	70	20
Attiput do.	60	70	10
Voyalur do.	50	60	10
Kattupally Assistant do.	25	35	10
Proposed increase			50

5. Accordingly, the entire establishment proposed, including the increase, was approved and sanctioned by Government. * who further desired that a tabular statement might be laid before them for submission to the Government of India.

* Order, 13th November 1866, No. 3,105.

6. The remaining 50 Rupees included a further increase to the pay of the three Divisional Superintendents already referred to, of one Superintendent not included in the former arrangement, and of two Assistant Superintendents; the additions having been proposed in consequence of territorial changes in the extent of their respective charges, caused by a revision of the original scheme under the orders of the Board noted in the margin.

Proceedings, 9th April 1867, No. 2,242.
Do., 2nd July .., 4,129.

7. It will thus be seen that in their Proceedings under acknowledgment the Board have inadvertently excluded the former sum of Rupees 50 which they had themselves previously recommended, and which, in conformity with their recommendation, had received the approval and sanction of Government.

8. This oversight needs now to be rectified, and in repeating you to be so good as to address the Board on the subject, I venture to hope that you will also be pleased to suggest the desirability of their granting the entire increase of Rupees 100 recommended by you, inasmuch as it forms but an insignificant item of expenditure in comparison with the large revenue expected to be realized by the proposed extension of manufacture.

9. Independently of this, I venture in conclusion respectfully to submit if 50 Rupees per manson is a fair salary, say for example for the Vullur Superintendent, whose future charge will extend over an area yielding upwards of 8,00,000 of maunds, and who has also the care of a depot where nearly two lacs of maunds are annually stored and exported under his supervision? The Honorable Mr. Pelly, it is well known, fixed the salaries of the Superintendents in reference to the quantity of salt made under their supervision at the time of his revision of salaries. Since then the manufacture has nearly doubled. Is the same pay to be given for double the amount of supervision? The Superintendents are but men, subject to the same influences which stimulate the exertions of their fellows all over the world; and so long as this is the case, can it be fairly expected that they will willingly, carefully, and with an eye to the interests of Government, nerve themselves to the performance of additional work in the absence of those encouragements which men in general naturally look for, and which, in the cases under reference, it seems desirable to afford? If not as a matter of common fairness, as a move at least in the right direction in the interests of the State.

From the Collector of Madras, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Sydney, 21st December 1867, No. 416.

As directed by the Board in their Proceedings of the 2nd instant, No. 7,809, I have the honor to forward herewith for submission to Government the tabular statement of additional establishment required for the Salt Department.

Division.	Present number of man.	Proposed number.	Total.	Total quantity of salt at 7 manson per man.
Vullur.	1,013	530	1,543	12,346,000 lbs.

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Statement of additions and alterations in the Salt Establishment of the Madras District, for the sanction of Government.

PRESENT SCALE.		PROPOSED SCALE.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
Rank.	Salary.	Rank.	Salary.	Revenue.	Police.	Revenue.	Police.
	RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
<i>Vullur.</i>		REVENUE ESTABLISHMENT.					
		<i>Vitchur.</i>					
		1 Assistant Superintendent ..	35 0 0				
		1 Do. do.	20 0 0				
		2 Peons, at 7 Rupees each ..	14 0 0				
		6 Vetties, at 5 Rupees each ..	30 0 0				
			99 0 0				
		<i>Vullur.</i>					
		1 Superintendent ..	70 0 0				
		Establishment unaltered ..	177 0 0				
			246 0 0	119 0 0			
		Police Establishment.					
		<i>Vitchur.</i>					
		8 Constables, at 7 Rupees each ..	56 0 0		56 0 0		
		Revenue Establishment.					
		<i>Attiput.</i>					
		1 Superintendent ..	70 0 0				
		1 Assistant do.	20 0 0				
		1 Do. do.	15 0 0				
		1 Peon ..	7 0 0				
		4 Vetties, at 5 Rupees each ..	20 0 0				
		Establishment as altered ..	222 0 0				
			354 0 0	52 0 0			

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Statement of additions to and alterations in the Salt Establishment of the Madras District, for the sanction of Government. — (Concluded.)							
PRESENT STATE.		PROPOSED SCALE.		INCREASE.		DECREASE.	
Rank.	Salary.	Rank.	Salary.	Revenue.	Police.	Revenue.	Police.
<i>Pulicat.</i>							
1 Assistant Superintendent for Katu- pally	Es. A. P. 25 0 0	<i>Police Establishment.</i>	Es. A. P. 28 0 0	Es. A. P. ...	Es. A. P. 28 0 0	Es. A. P. ...	Es. A. P. 28 0 0
Establishment unaltered	171 0 0	Revenue Establishment.					
<i>Pulicat.</i>							
1 Assistant Superintendent for Katu- pally	25 0 0	<i>Police Establishment.</i>	35 0 0				
Establishment unaltered	171 0 0	Revenue Establishment.	7 0 0				
		1 Peon	5 0 0				
		1 Vethi	171 0 0				
		Establishment as altered					
	196 0 0		218 0 0	22 0 0			
<i>Pulicat.</i>							
2 Constables, at 7 Rupees each		<i>Police Establishment.</i>	14 0 0	...	14 0 0		
		Revenue Establishment.					
<i>Vengal.</i>							
1 Superintendent	60 0 0	<i>Police Establishment.</i>	60 0 0				
Establishment unaltered	136 0 0	Revenue Establishment.	15 0 0				
		1 Assistant do.	7 0 0				
		1 Peon	15 0 0				
		3 Vethies, at 5 Rupees each	136 0 0				
		Establishment unaltered					
	186 0 0		233 0 0	47 0 0			
<i>Vengal.</i>							
6 Constables, at 7 Rupees each		<i>Police.</i>	42 0 0	...	42 0 0		
		Total					
				250 0 0	140 0 0		

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(Signed) E. G. R. FANE,
Collector.

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1. Resolved that the foregoing letters be submitted to Government, with reference to their Order, dated 16th November 1867, No. 2,711. In submitting to Government the proposal of the Collector for increasing the Salt Establishment on account of opening new pans, the Board have excluded a sum of Rupees 100 for raising the salaries of the Superintendents. It is however now found that out of this a sum of Rupees 50 was on a former occasion recommended to Government on the ground of increasing work. The Board would add to this a sum of Rupees 20 to raise the salary of the Palidivak Superintendent from 50 to 60 Rupees, and that of Voyalur from 50 to 70 Rupees, and would disallow the further increase recommended by the Deputy Collector to the other Salt Superintendents. The Board also consider the employment of two Peons in Vitchur station of the Vallur division unnecessary, as six Vettians have been provided, and the cost of Rupees 14 will accordingly be struck out. The cost of the increase finally recommended would thus be Rupees 241 per month, or Rupees 2,892 a year, for which a tabular statement in the prescribed form is herewith submitted for transmission to the Government of India.

2. The Collector proposes Preventive Establishment at a monthly cost of					Rupees 140 as particularized in
Vallur and Vitchur.	8	Constables at 7 Rupees each...	56	ns.	the margin, and the Board
Attiputty	4	do. 7 do. do...	28		request that the sanction of the
Pulidivak...	2	do. 7 do. do...	14		Supreme Government may be
Voyalur	6	do. 7 do. do...	42		obtained for this charge also.
				140	It has not been included in the

tabular statement now submitted, as it is chargeable to the Police Department.

No. 313.

ORDER THEREON, 19th March 1868, No. 712.

Separate Revenue, No. 9.
<i>Salt.</i>

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<i>Salt.</i>

2. The tabular statement submitted with the Board's Proceedings will be forwarded to the Supreme Government, who will be requested to sanction the Preventive Establishment recommended by the Board at a monthly cost of Rupees 140, or Rupees 1,680 per annum.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
the Accountant General.

Exd. F. R. Gentleman,

Tabular Statement showing the increase proposed in the Salt Establishment for the District of Madras.

Number.	Date.	Extract from Home Department of Government of India.	Office to which the proposition referred.	Nature of Charge.		Proposition.				Grounds of proposition.	Local Government's recommendation.	Orders of the Government of India.	
				Present scale.	Proposed scale.	Permanent.		Temporary.				Remarks.	Orders.
						Increase per month.	Decrease per month.	Increase per month.	Decrease per month.				
				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Period.	Period.				
				Central Division.		Central Division.							
				Establishment	139 0 0	Establishment (amended)	159 0 0						
				Tamil Nadu Division.		Tamil Nadu Division.							
				1 Superintendent	50 0 0	1 Superintendent	75 0 0						
				2 Assistant do. on 20 and 15 Rs. each	85 0 0	2 Assistant do. on 20 and 15 Rs. each	90 0 0						
				1 Clerk	15 0 0	1 Clerk	15 0 0						
				2 Peons at 7 Rs. each	14 0 0	2 Peons at 7 Rs. each	24 0 0						
				18 Peons at 5 Rs. 65	105 0 0	18 Peons at 5 Rs. 65	105 0 0						
				160 0 0		243 0 0	57 0 0						
				Palnadu Division.		Palnadu Division.							
				1 Superintendent	50 0 0	1 Superintendent	80 0 0						
				2 Assistant do. on 20 and 15 Rs. each	85 0 0	2 Assistant do. on 20 and 15 Rs. each	95 0 0						
				1 Clerk	15 0 0	1 Clerk	15 0 0						
				2 Peons at 7 Rs. each	14 0 0	2 Peons at 7 Rs. each	24 0 0						
				9 Peons at 5 Rs. 65	45 0 0	9 Peons at 5 Rs. 65	45 0 0						
				160 0 0		165 0 0							
				Kanyakumari Division.		Kanyakumari Division.							
				1 Assistant Superintendent	25 0 0	1 Assistant Superintendent	30 0 0						
				1 Peon	5 0 0	1 Peon	5 0 0						
				36 0 0		35 0 0							
				106 0 0		93 0 0							

Tabular Statement showing the increase proposed in the Salt Establishment for the District of Havdars. — (Continued.)

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1 Do. for Europe		1 Do. for Europe	
Depot.....	15 0 0	Depot.....	15 0 0
2 Pains at 7 Rs. each.....	14 0 0	2 Pains at 7 Rs. each.....	14 0 0
6 Vetties, at 6 Rs. for Europe.....	36 0 0	6 Vetties, at 6 Rs. for Europe.....	36 0 0
2 Do. at 6 Rs. each.....	12 0 0	2 Do. at 6 Rs. each.....	12 0 0
10 Vetties, at 5 Rs. each.....	50 0 0	10 Vetties, at 5 Rs. each.....	50 0 0
227 0 0		227 0 0	
<i>Police Station.</i>		<i>Police Station.</i>	
1 Assistant Superintendent.....	35 0 0	1 Assistant Superintendent.....	35 0 0
1 Do.....	20 0 0	1 Do.....	20 0 0
6 Vetties, at 5 Rs. each.....	30 0 0	6 Vetties, at 5 Rs. each.....	30 0 0
85 0 0		85 0 0	
<i>Madras Depot.</i>		<i>Madras Depot.</i>	
Establishment.....	944 0 0	Establishment (unallotted).....	341 0 0
<i>Home's Garden Depot.</i>		<i>Home's Garden Depot.</i>	
Establishment.....	185 0 0	Establishment (unallotted).....	153 0 0
<i>Madras City Depot.</i>		<i>Madras City Depot.</i>	
Establishment.....	34 0 0	Establishment (unallotted).....	34 0 0
<i>Coastal Depot.</i>		<i>Coastal Depot.</i>	
Establishment.....	155 0 0	Establishment (unallotted).....	156 0 0
<i>Coastal Depot.</i>		<i>Coastal Depot.</i>	
Establishment.....	150 0 0	Establishment (unallotted).....	150 0 0
Grand Total.....	2,526 0 0	Grand Total.....	2,527 0 0

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The Board's scheme for the distribution of the
increased charges to be incurred in the Salt
Settlement in the Madras District, amounting
to Rs 241 per mensem or Rs 2892 per annum,
is approved.

2. The Tabular Statement submitted with the
Board's Proc. is to be forwarded to the
Supreme Government who will be requested
to sanction the proposed Settlements
recommended by the Board at a monthly
cost of Rs 140, or Rs 1680 per annum.

183/1000 To the B^d of R^g.-D^g.-S^g.
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19th March/08.

Enclosed in the Proceedings
of the Board of Revenue
is the Statement to Revenue
of the District of Madras
for the year 1907-08
February 1908 at Rs 1245.

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Tabular Statement
showing the increased
charges in the Salt
Settlement for the
District of Madras.

183/1000 To the B^d of R^g.-D^g.-S^g.

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