

# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

*Pension* DEPARTMENT.

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Read the following papers :—

No. 72. From C. PELLY, Esq., Member of the Board of Revenue, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Chepauk, 29th July 1861, No. 1,019.

SIR,

1. The Huzúr and Táluq Revenue Establishments in every District, have, as you are aware, been revised, with the exception of the Establishment required for the town of Madras, I have now the honor to submit for the consideration of Government the manner in which I propose to treat this part of the general scheme.

2. At present there are four separate Departments for managing the revenue duties of Madras, (independently of the Income Tax Commission, with which it is no part of my plan to interfere, though possibly Government may hereafter desire to amalgamate some of the duties of the Income Tax Commission with the general duties of the town). The four Departments alluded to are as follows :—

|                                                                   |       |    |    |                                                                                                               |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|----|----|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                                                   | rs.   | A. | P. | (1.) The Registering Department under the control and management of the Deputy Collector stationed at Madras. |
| Cost of Establishment per month.....                              | 235   | 13 | 0  |                                                                                                               |
| Do. ....                                                          | 781   | 8  | 0  | (2.) The Quit-rent Department under the Amildár.                                                              |
| Do. ....                                                          | 103   | 0  | 0  | (3.) The stamping of weights and Measures' Department.                                                        |
| Do. ....                                                          | 1,634 | 0  | 0  | (4.) The Ábkári Department under the management of the Ábkári Superintendent.                                 |
| Inclusive of the temporary Establishment amounting to Rupees 263. |       |    |    |                                                                                                               |

The cost of the whole is Rupees 2,804-4-0.

3. It is not my intention to interfere much with the Ábkári Establishment, I have dispensed with a head Peon who seemed superfluous, and made a few trifling changes in the amount of salaries, and altered the denomination of the servants, so as to preserve, as far as may be convenient, the nomenclature and rates of salaries adopted in the revised Establishments generally.

4. The Ábkári Department requires the undivided attention of a distinct Establishment; Government Order, 26th July 1860, a very large revenue of about 11 lacs is under its control; No. 1,246. the Department has only lately been re-organized and placed on a more efficient footing, and much improvement in its management has resulted.

5. But the salary of the Superintendent, Rupees 105, is quite inadequate for this responsible office; and the Collector has strongly urged that it should be increased to Rupees 200. In this proposition I concur, and recommend the following Establishment for the Ábkári Department. At present a temporary Establishment of 263 Rupees is maintained on annual sanction, but as it appears that this is required permanently I have included it in the proposed Establishment :—

|                                 | Rs.     |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| 1 Superintendent ... ..         | 200     |
| 1 Deputy do. ... ..             | 55      |
| 2 Gumáshtas at 20 Rupees ... .. | 40      |
| 4 Do. at 15 ... ..              | 60      |
| 7 Do. at 12... ..               | 84      |
| 29 Curnums at 10 ... ..         | 290     |
| 1 Shroff ... ..                 | 15      |
| 4 Inspectors at 15 ... ..       | 60      |
| 4 Assistant do. at 12 ... ..    | 48      |
| 1 Cooper ... ..                 | 10      |
| 1 Dafterband... ..              | 7       |
| 1 Daffádár ... ..               | 10      |
| 103 Peons at 7 ... ..           | 721     |
| 5 Lascars at 7 ... ..           | 35      |
|                                 | — 1,635 |

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| Distillery.             |     | rs.   |
|-------------------------|-----|-------|
| 1 Gumáshta              | ... | 15    |
| 1 Maistry               | ... | 12    |
| 1 Head Laborer          | ... | 8     |
| 19 Laborers at 7 Rupees | ... | 133   |
| 6 Sepoys at 4           | ... | 24    |
|                         |     | 192   |
|                         |     | 1,827 |

6. As respects the other three Departments, viz., the Registering, quit-rent and Stamping Departments, it seemed to me that they might be amalgamated and placed under a Tahsildár; and that there would not be any necessity for a Deputy Collector at Madras, because the Tahsildár would do all the work of the registering of certificates now performed by him, and be the deciding officer in all matters in the first instance, and all appeals would go direct to the Collector, whose office is at Home's Gardens on the Mount Road. An outline of my plan was sent to Mr. Cunliffe for his opinion, and I have personally considered the proposition with him and others. But the Collector is so strongly opposed to my scheme, that I hesitate to recommend it in its completeness for the sanction of Government. The Collector's objections are stated in his letter; and these objections, in detail, are noticed in a Memorandum\* which accompanies this report.

Letter to Collector, dated 20th June 1861.

\* From Collector, dated 29th June 1861.  
Enclosure No. 1.

7. Mr. Cunliffe's chief objection is to the removal of the Deputy Collector and to placing the important duty of Registration of certificates of property under the charge of the Tahsildár. In deference to Mr. Cunliffe's opinion I have modified my scheme; and I propose to leave the Deputy Collector at Madras with the general control over all the Departments and with the special duty of preparing certificates; but I have transferred to the Tahsildár part of the executive work connected with this branch, such as the issuing of notices, measuring lands, and certifying the payment of the quit-rents, which may very properly be performed, as similar work in any other District is done, by the Tálúq Establishments.

8. I believe the work of the Deputy Collector is not, and will not be, by any means heavy. But if the Collector had not an Officer of his rank in the town, he fears he would be much inconvenienced, and would not be able with satisfaction to attend to the work himself, which is now done by the Deputy Collector. But though I am strongly of opinion that if the Deputy Collector were put in charge of two other Tálúqs in the District, where he would have more suitable employment, the Collector, being relieved from the charge of those Tálúqs, would have time to attend himself to the more important work at Madras; yet as the Collector is so much opposed to my plan I do not press it.

9. The scheme, therefore, resolves itself into a simple revision of the Establishments, and placing the Tahsildár and others in a proper position, and making Madras a complete Tahsildári Tálúq, without depriving the Collector of the services of a Deputy Collector in Madras, where Mr. Cunliffe would prefer to have such an Officer to placing him in charge of other Tálúqs of his District.

10. I recommend that the limits comprised in the town of Madras, (27 miles) be designated the Tálúq of Madras, and that the Establishment be as follows:—

|                      |     |     |
|----------------------|-----|-----|
| 1 Tahsildár          | ... | rs. |
| 1 Sarishtadár        | ... | 150 |
| 1 Gumáshta           | ... | 50  |
| 3 Do. at 20 Rupees   | ... | 25  |
| 3 Do. at 15          | ... | 60  |
| 1 Shroff             | ... | 45  |
| 1 Dafterband         | ... | 15  |
| 1 Revenue Inspector  | ... | 7   |
| 1 Do. do.            | ... | 50  |
| 1 Do. do.            | ... | 30  |
| 1 Daffadár           | ... | 20  |
| 12 Peons at 7 Rupees | ... | 10  |
| 1 Masalchee          | ... | 84  |
| 1 Sweeper            | ... | 5   |
| 1 Iron Smith         | ... | 5   |
| 1 Do. do.            | ... | 10  |
|                      |     | 6   |
| Total...             |     | 572 |

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11. The Tahsildár has no Police or Magisterial duties in Madras. His work is purely Revenue. He will be the Collector of the Land Revenue quit-rents, amounting to 78,600 Rupees, and manage all the duties connected with them, such as, issuing notices, ordering attachments and distrains, and disposing of all questions connected with the land, except questions regarding the granting, altering or renewal of certificates, which will be examined into and disposed of by the Deputy Collector. The work of the Tahsildár is apparently not heavy, but I understand in this large town there is required a constant supervision to protect Government lands from encroachment, and a deal of work has to be done out-doors in settling disputes on the spot, and such like matters, which occupy much of the time of the head of the office. He will also receive into his Treasury not only the payments of rent, but various other payments of small amounts which are now carried direct to the General Treasury in the Fort and which measure is found to be attended with inconvenience and delay. But the work of the Tahsildár of Madras will not equal, either in extent or responsibility, that of other Tahsildárs; but I consider he should not have less than the pay of a lowest class Tahsildár, viz., Rupees 150, the sum now recommended by me.

12. To gather the collections from the 50,000 payers of Land Revenue, the Tahsildár will have 15 Conacapillies of divisions, into which Madras is at present divided for this purpose. These men whose pay is 15 Rupees will correspond with village Curnums. They will be assisted by assistant Curnums, on 8 Rupees each which I prefer to Peons now allowed them; and I have no doubt but that, as pointed out in the Memorandum (paragraph 12), they will be able, not only to make the collections of their respective divisions, but also to write the quit-rent Bills themselves, a duty they should perform, rather than that it should, as at present, be given to four or five Gumáshtas in the Amildár's Office. But on this point I am not so happy as to have the concurrence of the Collector, who thinks it will be impossible for these Curnums to do more than collect the petty rents payable by so large a number of persons. But after fully considering the matter, I feel satisfied that the work may be performed by them, and it is desirable they should do it, in their respective divisions; and to them frequently, if not generally, should be entrusted the warrants for distraint of property for the most petty sums, which would then probably be more speedily paid up than they are now. As this point is more fully noticed in the Memorandum (paragraph 14), I need not dwell on it here.

13. There are three Revenue Inspectors allowed. These men will take the place of the Maistries and Distraining Officer, and do such work in measuring and attaching of property as it may not be convenient to entrust to the Curnums of Divisions. I have given them higher rates of pay than those allowed to similar Officers in other Tálúqs, in consideration of the classes of persons with whom they continually come in contact, and the delicate nature of their duties, and also because the fees hitherto paid to them for measuring lands will be discontinued hereafter, as recommended in a subsequent part of my letter. I consider these three Officers will be more effective than a single officer at present employed on 70 Rupees, exclusively for distraining properties.

14. The present Stamping Department is merged into the general Tálúq Establishment, and the necessary hands are allowed for doing the work, which is all paid for by fees, as is also the entire cost of the Registers' Department.

| Deputy Collector's Establishment. |     | rs. |
|-----------------------------------|-----|-----|
| 1 Head Clerk                      | ... | 50  |
| 2 Clerks @ 15 Rupees              | ... | 30  |
| 1 Dafterband                      | ... | 7   |
| 2 Peons @ 7                       | ... | 14  |
| 2 Do @ 6 Rupees                   | ... | 12  |
| 1 Lamplighter and Sweeper         | ... | 5   |
|                                   |     | 118 |

15. As the Deputy Collector has a separate Establishment of his own, and very little work for them to do, beyond that in the Registering Department, I propose that with that Establishment he should conduct the work that he will now have to perform in that Department, which will consist in examining, preparing, registering and issuing certificates of grants, and investigating claims and settling disputes in it.

\* Enclosure No. 2.

16. Enclosed\* is a complete list of the Establishments as at present standing, and as now proposed, for the Tálug of Madras. The result is as follows:—

|                                            | Monthly Cost. |           |        |
|--------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------|--------|
|                                            | Present.      | Proposed. |        |
| 1 Deputy Collector's establishment... ..   | 118           | 118       |        |
| 2 Ábkári do. ....                          | 1,684         | 1,827     |        |
| 3 Tálug or Tahsildár's Establishment, viz, |               |           |        |
| Present Register's Department...           | 235           | 12 0      | .....  |
| Quit-rent do. ....                         | 781           | 8 0       | } 572  |
| Stamping do. ....                          | 103           | 4 0       |        |
| Establishment of Division Curnums ...      | ...           | ...       | 345    |
| Yaumia Writer... ..                        | 17            | 8 0       | .....  |
| Gumáshta for postage labels... ..          | 10            | 8 0       | .....  |
| 2 Extra Peons for the Deputy Collector     | 14            | 0 0       | .....  |
| Total Establishment per month              | 2,964         | 8 0       | 2,862  |
| Do. do. per annum                          | 35,574        | 0 0       | 34,344 |

17. The following are the collection of fees, which amount, on an average of five years from Faslis 1264 to 1268, to

|                             | RS.   |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| In the Register's office... | 3,220 |
| In the Stamping.....        | 4,153 |
| Total annual...             | 7,373 |

These are carried to the credit of Government, with the exception of a moiety of Maistries' fees, which are paid to them for measuring land or premises. But as I propose to pay the public servants a proper salary, I would beg to recommend that all the fees leviable be carried to the credit of Government.

18. My present scheme effects a saving of Rupees 102-8-0 per month, or 1,230 Rupees per annum, while placing the Establishment on a better and more efficient footing than before. The moiety of Maistries' fees may be assumed at 500 Rupees a year, which if carried to account, the entire saving will be 1,730 per annum.

No. 73. From B. CUNLIFFE, Esq., Collector of Madras, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Sydapet, 5th August 1861, No. 25.

SIR,

1. Mr. Pelly having been good enough to send me a copy of his report to the Government upon the future Establishment of the Madras Office, for the purpose, as I suppose, of my urging any objection I may entertain to his proposal, I beg to forward these remarks direct to the Government, in the absence of Mr. Pelly from Madras.

2. My observations shall be general, as I do not wish to enter again into the particulars, which will be found in my letter to Mr. Pelly of the 29th June, No. 23.

3. I have at least the advantage in this discussion of five years' experience of the Madras Office, a fact to which the Government will attach due weight, and will add to it, I am sure, the conviction of a desire on my part of not unnecessarily increasing the State expenditure.

4. The Deputy Collector at Madras was formerly its Sarishtadár; and the Government will equally give him credit for fixing the Tálug agency at no higher scale than his daily observation supposed requisite.

5. In communication with him, I have proposed the Establishment which Mr. Pelly would reduce.

6. The only Officer at Madras in addition to myself and Deputy, with personal knowledge of the duties to be performed, is Mr. Ellis, who was for some months Assistant to Mr. Hudleston, and was in reality the Collector for the period. With him I have not spoken on the subject, nor do I know his opinion. I requested Mr. Pelly to obtain it, but he has not apparently done so. It seems to me strange that where I have proposed reduction, Mr. Pelly has not agreed. The Amildár in future to be styled Tahsildár, had 40 Rupees which was raised to 70 Rupees at my recommendation, and I have now suggested 100 Rupees, as an ample remuneration. Mr. Pelly would, however, have 150 Rupees.

7. I declared that I could dispense with two Division Curnams, but Mr. Pelly wishes to retain them. The larger the number, the larger the divisor in distributing over them, as Mr. Pelly proposes, the duty of preparing the quit-rent and ground-rent bills, shown to be about 53,000.

8. The work of the Deputy Collector is stated to be both now and in future "not by any means heavy."

9. I am not aware that either Mr. Pelly or his coadjutor, Jeyaram Chetty, ever visited the Office to ascertain the ordinary work; but putting aside the Vernacular work, I give in the margin\*, the English correspondence carried on by the Deputy Collector since he took charge. He has three Clerks, as I believe, fully employes, but Mr. Pelly proposes to hand over to them the greater portion of the registration work also.

\* From 18th May 1860, to 31st July 1861.

| Letters.                                                |       |
|---------------------------------------------------------|-------|
| To Government ... ..                                    | 1     |
| Public Works ... ..                                     | 1     |
| Civil Auditor... ..                                     | 3     |
| Superintendent of Stamps... ..                          | 807   |
| Collector of Madras and his Deputy in charge of         |       |
| Treasury ... ..                                         | 296   |
| Miscellaneous ... ..                                    | 223   |
| Commissioner of Police and Municipal Commissioners. 248 |       |
| Total..                                                 | 1,079 |

10. A portion of it goes to the quit-rent Department, which is already 78 Takeeds and 133 Endorsements in arrear, and it must be remembered, has not the power of the Tahsildári in the provinces. Neither the Amildár nor the Collector can enforce the attendance of a single party in any investigation before them. Mr. Pelly asks, what has the Amildár to do with the population? and confines his communications to the rate payers, amounting to about 50,000. I will leave any person perusing the Memorandum to answer this question for himself, as I am sure that the reply will be, that; were a rate only to be collected we have two officers in each division to demand it and a distraining officer to enforce it, and could dispense with an Amildár, were there not numerous questions arising out of revenue, and increasing with the population, which required such an Officer.

11. The Memorandum has evidently been prepared by Jeyaram Chetty, and there is an assurance of the sufficiency of the Establishment and of its future practical working to which few would attain.

12. The three Maistries in the Registration Department, whose work is now in arrears, and the single Distraining Officer, (the Municipal Department have two, and do not notice property under 16 Rupees annual value) are to be converted into three Revenue Inspectors, who are to measure lands and distraint property. The Lascars hitherto employed in carrying the measuring chains are to be "dispensed with," and Peons to carry and assist in using a measuring tape are to be substituted. But I fail to see that any thing is dispensed with here. In measuring and attaching property the Revenue Inspectors are to be assisted by the Division Curnums, who have hitherto attended solely to the collections, but they have now to prepare the quit-rent bills, and by this arrangement, it is positively declared that the business will be more systematically and expeditiously done.

13. We found that the discontinuance of one of the two Peons formerly attached to the Divisional Curnum, and the Sub-Treasurer requiring that the daily collections should be carried to his Office by 2. P. M. have increased the arrears on the average by 2,000 Rupees. But the Curnums now are to prepare 3,500 bills, and occasionally to distraint property, so that I anticipate a material increase in the arrears.

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3. The Government are willing to give the Superintendent Rupees 200 monthly; the Office being one of trust, requiring ability, energy and integrity. To the Deputy Superintendent they would give Rupees 70, and in all the other respects also they would adopt the Collector's scheme.

4. The total charge of the Department will thus be Rupees 1,817 monthly; this, though higher than the present expenditure, is only 2 per cent. on the Revenue.

The other Departments affected by Mr. Pelly's plans are the Registry, Quit-rent, and Stamping.

5. Mr. Pelly originally proposed that the whole of these should be united under one Tahsildár, and that the services of the Deputy Collector of Madras should thus be rendered available for employment in some other part of the District. To the removal of the Deputy Collector Mr. Cunliffe strongly objected and Mr. Pelly has yielded the point. In the expediency of having a Deputy Collector at Madras the Government quite concur with Mr. Cunliffe.

6. As regards the Registry Department the Collector is in favor of its being maintained as at present. His reasons are given in paragraph 19 of his letter to Mr. Pelly; and considering the importance of the Department to the public, and the fact that its expenses are more than covered by the fees charged on private documents, the Government consider that it should not be blended with any other branch of the office, and that the Deputy Collector's control over it and responsibility for its operations should not in any way be lessened. Mr. Cunliffe proposes a net reduction of Rupees 22-12, and with this the Government are satisfied.

7. The Stamping Department now comprises eleven servants receiving in the aggregate Rupees 103½. Like the Registry office it is more than paid for by fees levied from the public, and should, in the opinion of Government, be kept distinct from the other branches of the Madras office. The Registry and Stamping Departments are in fact Local rather than Imperial offices, and the receipts from the public considerably exceed the disbursements.

8. The Land Revenue of Madras is small, though its collection causes much trouble. The Tahsildár now gets Rupees 70, and Mr. Cunliffe proposes Rupees 100, while Mr. Pelly would give him 150. His pay was lately raised from 40 to 70, and the Government consider Rupees 100 quite sufficient. There is now a Deputy Amildár on Rupees 50, but Mr. Cunliffe says the appointment which was made at his suggestion, has not answered his expectation, and he, therefore, proposes to dispense with it. Mr. Pelly, however, would continue the office under the designation of Sheristadár. The Government do not see the advantage of this, experience having shown the inutility of the office.

9. The main points on which the Collector and Mr. Pelly are at issue are the preparation of the quit-rent bills and the arrangements for distraint. At present the bills are prepared by Gumáshtas and occupy several months in preparation. Mr. Pelly thinks the Conicopillais or Curnums as he proposes to term them, should prepare their own bills, while Mr. Cunliffe maintains that this is impossible, the bills numbering about 53,000. The Quit-rent in Madras is collected in arrear after the close of the Fusly, but there are also other collections to be made in the course of the year. The bulk of the bills have apparently to be prepared within a brief period, and it is obvious that a difficulty of this kind must be met by special arrangements.

10. The Government consider that the preferable course is to limit the number of Conicopillais to that actually required for the purpose of collecting the Revenue and to attach a belted peon to each. The bills should be prepared by trained writers whose number should be fixed with reference to the regular work of the office, provision being made in the Establishment list for a certain number of temporary writers to meet the press of work at particular times.

11. As regards the means of distraining, the Collector has one officer on Rupees 70 with a horse allowance of Rupees 15. The duty is, as the Collector remarks, one requiring care, intelligence and respectability. A single distrainer certainly does not seem sufficient, and the propriety of having two such officers on suitable allowances merits further consideration.

12. The Government consider that a Yaumia writer cannot be dispensed with. The work is heavy, there is much room for fraud, and it is desirable to throw the responsibility on a particular officer.

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13. The Government do not see why the pay of the seller of postage labels, if the work cannot be done by the Yaumia writer and a separate person is necessary for the duty, should not be charged to the postal revenue.

14. Mr. Pelly is requested to consider the questions noted in paragraphs 10, 11 and 13 of these Orders in communication with the Collector, and report further on them at an early date. The Government are of opinion that the town of Madras must continue to have Establishments suited to its peculiar wants and cannot be placed on the footing of an ordinary Taluq.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from C. PELLY, Esq., Member of the Board of Revenue, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Chepauk, 10th January 1862, No. 1,141:—

SIR,

1. In their Order, dated 7th November 1861, Government desire me to consider certain points therein noticed regarding the Establishment of the Town of Madras, in communication with the Collector, and report further on them; I have accordingly the honor to submit the Collector's reply on the subject, and to state my views on the several points.

2. *Firstly.*—The Ábkári Department. In sanctioning the higher rates of Rupees 200 and 70 respectively, for the salaries of Superintendent and his Deputy, Government state that in all other respects also they would adopt the Collector's scheme. By this the Government would seem to suppose that there has been some material or unnecessary alteration in my scheme; but I beg to observe this is not the case. In ordering the Revenue Establishments, one of the objects Government had in view was, that the nomenclature of the Offices, and the rates of pay, should, as far as possible, be uniform, and regulated on the same principle. In revising the Ábkári Establishment, nothing more was aimed at than to carry out, as far as practicable, the principle laid down by Government; because, as I stated to the Collector, the Ábkári Establishment had been but lately revised, and I did not propose any great changes in it; and the only alteration made was in the pay of a few Gumáshtas, that they might be put on the same footing as similar servants in other Táluqs; and I changed the designation of "Pass Writer" into a "Gumáshta." From the enclosed statement the Government will be able to see that there is no material difference between the two schemes proposed by me and by the Collector; and I would beg to recommend that this Establishment, as thus slightly revised, and costing 1,827 Rupees, may receive the sanction of Government.

Letter to Collector, dated 20th January 1861, paragraph 17.

3. *Secondly.*—Registry and Stamping Departments. Government direct that both these Departments be kept distinct from the other branches of the Madras Office, and observe, that they are in fact Local rather than Imperial Offices. In reference to this latter observation, it occurs to me to state that the Offices are now viewed as Imperial and accordingly included in the fixed Revenue Establishment. The fees collected on both accounts are now carried to the credit of the General Revenues of the State and included in the Land Revenue. If the Establishments are to be treated as "local" the receipts should then, I conceive, be carried to the credit of a distinct head of the Local Fund, as lately ordered with respect of the collections of the Village Cesses and in other cases; and then the Establishments maintained from those funds should not be included in the General Revenue Establishments. On this point the instructions of Government are solicited.

4. In paragraph 30 of his report, dated 29th June 1861, the Collector agreed to abolish the Stamping Department, retaining only the ironsmith and his assistant, and to place it under the 3rd Gumáshta of the Táluq Establishment; and he accordingly brought the whole amount under decrease in his statement; but with reference to the observations of Government in paragraph 7 of their Order, Mr. Reade proposes to effect only a saving of Rupees 26-4 per month.

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I have therefore provided in my statement, Establishments for both Departments according to the wishes of the Collector, making only some slight alterations in the rates of pay and in the nomenclature.

5. The Stamping Department will be under the general control of the Tahsildár, and therefore entered as a part of the Táluq Establishment. The Registration Department will be under the entire control and management of the Deputy Collector, and should therefore be included as part of the Collector's Házúr Establishment.

6. *Thirdly.—Quit Rent Department or rather Táluq Establishment.* The Government observe that the preparation of bills for the collection of Quit Rent must be met by special arrangements, and that it should be done by a certain number of trained writers, necessary provision being made in the Establishment list. It has not been usual to provide for temporary aid in the fixed Establishments. If such aid is required the Collector obtains sanction annually. In his former proposition the Collector retained four Gumáshtas for this work, and it would appear that their time is taken up for nearly seven or eight months in the preparation of bills. I conceive that it will scarcely be possible to procure a large number of trained writers every year for short temporary employment, nor should irresponsible parties be employed on such work. Unless a large number is employed the work would not be done soon. It was on these considerations that I suggested that the bills could be much better prepared by the Conicopillays. The bills are all printed, and it would not be difficult for those well acquainted with all the facts, to fill up the name and amount. Each Conicopillay would have to prepare only 3,000 or 3,500 bills in a year for his division, and the work, being thus distributed among 15 Conicopillays, would be done within a month or two after the close of the Fasli, as I explained in my Memorandum on Mr. Cunliffe's letter, dated 29th June 1861. The Collector did not, however, assent to the plan, and as the Government are of the same opinion, I proceed to show how the work is now proposed to be done without the necessity of employing temporary Establishments for writing the bills.

7. In his present letter, Mr. Reade the Officiating Collector, while agreeing that extra hands can be called in as required, states that the opinion of the Deputy Collector is that as long as the License Act is in operation the present Establishment of the Quit-rent Department should be retained without reduction. It will not, therefore, be necessary to provide for any temporary Establishment for the preparation of bills as the present Establishment is to remain undisturbed.

8. The Government also desire that the number of Conicopillays should be limited to that actually required for the purpose of collecting revenue. The Collector on a former occasion intimated the practicability of reducing their number from 15 to 13, but under the opinion now expressed by the Deputy Collector above adverted to, this reduction also cannot be made. I have therefore retained the whole Quit Rent Establishment as it is, making, however, slight alterations in the nomenclature and in the rates of pay for the sake of uniformity. The Yaumia Gumáshta has been included in this Establishment, with reference to paragraph 12 of the order, and a Shroff also has been provided, on the understanding that a Treasury be established under the Tahsildár, as in other Táluqs, for receiving the collections and making payments, as already proposed. In paragraph 11 of my report to Government, dated 29th July 1861, I alluded to the inconvenience of the present practice of carrying the collections direct to the General Treasury in the Fort, and of having all the payments made there. The Government have passed no orders on this point, and I therefore beg to be informed whether the present practice is to be continued, or a Treasury established in the Madras Táluq. If the former is decided on, no Shroff will be necessary for the Madras Establishment.

9. In reference to paragraph 11 of the Order, I beg to state that the Collector himself does not want a second Distrainer. He would be content if horse allowance of 15 Rupees is granted to the present Distrainer. I have accordingly raised his pay from 70 to 85 Rupees to meet the wishes of the Collector.

|                      |     |
|----------------------|-----|
| PAY.....             | RS. |
| Horse allowance..... | 70  |
|                      | 15  |
|                      | 85  |

10. In respect to paragraph 13 the Collector states that a separate person is necessary for the sale of Postage labels. As this charge, however, is properly debitable to the Postal Department, and should be met by the allowance of discount or otherwise be charged to the Postal Department, it need not be included in the Revenue Establishments.

11. It will be observed that I have changed the name of the Office from "Quit Rent Department" to "Táluq Kacheri." The duties are not confined to the collection of "Quit Rents," but the collection of all branches of the Revenue, Land Rents, Ground Rents, Trade duties, and other sources of extra Revenue.

12. The cost of the whole Madras Establishment, as now proposed, with reference to the order of Government will be as follows, as compared with the existing cost:—

|                                 | Present. |    | Now proposed.              |
|---------------------------------|----------|----|----------------------------|
|                                 | RS.      | A. | RS.                        |
| Ábkári Establishment...         | 1,684    | 0  | 1,827                      |
| Registry Department ...         | 235      | 12 | *213                       |
| Quit Rent Department...         | 781      | 8  |                            |
| Yaumia do. ...                  | 17       | 8  | Táluq Establishment... 816 |
| Gumáshta for Postage labels ... | 10       | 8  |                            |
| Stamping Department ...         | 103      | 4  | *77                        |
|                                 | 2,832    | 8  | 2,933                      |
|                                 |          |    | Increase... 100½           |

\* Note.—If charged in Local Establishments these two sums will have to be excluded.

Statement showing the Establishment for Madras as proposed by the Collector with the necessary revision.

| Proposed by the Collector.                    |         | Proposed finally by Mr. Pelly.      |         |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| <b>ÁBKÁRI DEPARTMENT.</b>                     |         | <b>ÁBKÁRI DEPARTMENT.</b>           |         |
| 1 Superintendent.....                         | 200 0   | 1 Superintendent .....              | 200 0   |
| 1 Deputy do. ....                             | 70 0    | 1 Deputy do. ....                   | 70 0    |
| 1 Pass Writer .....                           | 20 0    | 2 Gumáshtas at 20 Rupees .....      | 40 0    |
| 1 Gumáshta .....                              | 20 0    | 4 Do. at 15 Rupees .....            | 60 0    |
| 1 Do. ....                                    | 10 0    | 6 Do. at 12 Rupees .....            | 72 0    |
| 2 Do. at 12 Rupees .....                      | 24 0    | 1 Shroff .....                      | 15 0    |
| 1 Do. ....                                    | 15 0    | 29 Conicopillays at 10 Rupees ..... | 290 0   |
| 2 Do. at 10 Rupees .....                      | 20 0    | 1 Cooper .....                      | 10 0    |
| 1 Do. ....                                    | 15 0    | 2 Draw out men at 7 Rupees .....    | 14 0    |
| 1 Do. ....                                    | 10 0    | 1 Dafterband .....                  | 7 0     |
| 21 Curnums at 10 Rupees .....                 | 210 0   | 4 Inspectors at 15 Rupees .....     | 60 0    |
| 1 Gumáshta .....                              | 14 0    | 4 Deputy do. at 12 Rupees.....      | 48 0    |
| 1 Shroff .....                                | 15 0    | 1 Daffadar .....                    | 10 0    |
| 4 Curnums at 10 Rupees .....                  | 40 0    | 103 Peons at 7 Rupees.....          | 721 0   |
| 1 Gumáshta .....                              | 14 0    | 4 Lascars at 7 Rupees .....         | 28 0    |
| 1 Dafterband .....                            | 7 0     |                                     |         |
| 4 Curnums at 10 Rupees .....                  | 40 0    |                                     |         |
| 1 Cooper .....                                | 10 0    |                                     |         |
| 2 Draw out men at 7 Rupees.....               | 14 0    |                                     |         |
| 4 Lascars at 7 Rupees.....                    | 28 0    |                                     |         |
| 4 Inspectors at 15 Rupees .....               | 60 0    |                                     |         |
| 1 Daffadar .....                              | 10 0    |                                     |         |
| 4 Do. at 12 Rupees .....                      | 48 0    |                                     |         |
| 103 Peons at 7 Rupees .....                   | 721 0   |                                     |         |
| <b>DISTILLERY.</b>                            |         | <b>DISTILLERY.</b>                  |         |
| 1 Curnum .....                                | 15 0    | 1 Gumáshta .....                    | 15 0    |
| 1 Maistry .....                               | 10 0    | 1 Maistry .....                     | 10 0    |
| 1 Head Laborer .....                          | 8 0     | 1 Head Laborer.....                 | 8 0     |
| 19 Laborers at 7 Rupees .....                 | 133 0   | 19 Laborers at 7 Rupees .....       | 133 0   |
| 4 Watching Sepoys at 4 Rupees..               | 16 0    | 4 Watching Sepoys at 4 Rupees..     | 16 0    |
| 190                                           | 1,817 0 | 190                                 | 1,827 0 |
| <b>REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.</b>               |         | <b>COLLECTOR'S HOOZOOR KACHERI.</b> |         |
| 1 Head Registrar .....                        | 50 0    | Registration Department.            |         |
| 1 Deputy do. ....                             | 30 0    | 1 Registrar.....                    | 50 0    |
| 1 Assistant do. ....                          | 15 0    | 1 Gumáshta .....                    | 30 0    |
| 2 Curnums at 10 Rupees .....                  | 20 0    | 1 do. ....                          | 15 0    |
| 3 Maistries at 14 Rupees .....                | 42 0    | 2 Conicopillays at 10 Rupees .....  | 20 0    |
| 3 Lascars at 7 Rupees .....                   | 21 0    | 3 Maistries at 14 Rupees.....       | 42 0    |
| 5 Peons at 7 Rupees .....                     | 35 0    | 3 Lascars at 7 Rupees .....         | 21 0    |
| 16                                            | 213 0   | 5 Peons at 7 Rupees .....           | 35 0    |
| <b>QUIT-RENT ESTABLISHMENT.</b>               |         | 16                                  | 213 0   |
| Proposed by the Collector now to be retained. |         | <b>TALUQ ESTABLISHMENT.</b>         |         |
| 1 Head Writer .....                           | 35 0    | 1 Tahsildár .....                   | 100 0   |
| 3 Writers at 17½ Rupees .....                 | 52 8    | 1 Head Gumáshta.....                | 35 0    |
| 1 Do. ....                                    | 14 0    | 4 Gumáshtas at 20 Rupees .....      | 80 0    |
| 1 Head Amildar .....                          | 100 0   | 3 Do. at 15 Rupees .....            | 45 0    |

Statement showing the Establishment for Madras, &c.

| Proposed by the Collector.               |             | Proposed finally by Mr. Pelly.                                              |          |
|------------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| <b>ÁBKÁRI DEPARTMENT.</b>                |             | <b>ÁBKÁRI DEPARTMENT.</b>                                                   |          |
| 1 Distrainer .....                       | 70 0        | 2 Gumáshtas at 12 Rupees .....                                              | 24 0     |
| 2 Royasums at 10½ Rupees .....           | 21 0        | 1 Shroff .....                                                              | 15 0     |
| 1 Gumáshta .....                         | 10 8        | 1 Distrainer .....                                                          | 85 0     |
| 1 Head Sumprathy.....                    | 17 8        | 1 Dafterband .....                                                          | 7 0      |
| 1 Deputy do. ....                        | 14 0        | 1 Duffadar.....                                                             | 10 0     |
| 1 Ground-rent Conicopillay .....         | 10 8        | 15 Conicopillays at 14 Rupees .....                                         | 210 0    |
| 1 Múchí .....                            | 7 0         | 3 Do. at 10 Rupees .....                                                    | 30 0     |
| 1 Inserting Conicopillay.....            | 14 0        | 25 Peons at 7 Rupees, 15 for Conicopillays and 10 for ordinary duties ..... | 175 0    |
| 15 Collecting do. at 14 Rupees ...       | 210 0       |                                                                             |          |
| 1 Daffadar .....                         | 10 8        |                                                                             |          |
| 25 Peons at 7 Rupees .....               | 175 0       |                                                                             |          |
| <b>YAUMIA DEPARTMENT.</b>                |             | <b>POSTAGE LABELS.</b>                                                      |          |
| 1 Yaumia Writer .....                    | 17 8        | 1 Gumáshta .....                                                            | 10 8     |
|                                          |             | 58                                                                          | 789 8 58 |
|                                          |             |                                                                             | 816 0    |
| <b>STAMPING DEPARTMENT.</b>              |             | <b>STAMPING DEPARTMENT.</b>                                                 |          |
| 1 Darogah .....                          | 28 0        | 1 Gumáshta .....                                                            | 25 0     |
| 1 Writer .....                           | 10 8        | 1 Do. ....                                                                  | 12 0     |
| 1 Conicopillay.....                      | 8 12        | 2 Conicopillays at 10 Rupees.....                                           | 20 0     |
| 1 Examiner of weights and measures ..... | 10 8        | 1 Iron Smith.....                                                           | 6 0      |
| 1 Iron Smith .....                       | 5 4         | 2 Peons at 7 Rupees .....                                                   | 14 0     |
| 2 Peons at 7 Rupees .....                | 14 0        |                                                                             |          |
| 7                                        | 77 0        | 7                                                                           | 77 0     |
| 271                                      | 2,896 8 271 |                                                                             | 2,933 0  |

Revenue Board Office,  
Chepauk,  
January 1862.

(Signed) C. PELLY,  
Member.

From C. W. READE, Esq., Acting Collector of Madras, to C. PELLY, Esq., Member of the Board of Revenue, Chepauk, dated Sydapet, 2nd December 1861, No. 29.

SIR,

1. In reference to the Proceedings of the Madras Government, No. 2,122, under date the 7th November last, I have the honor to submit the views of the Collector, as required, on paragraphs 10, 11 and 13 of those Proceedings.

2. Prior to the receipt of your Endorsement No. 1,092 of the 19th November, the orders of Government had reached this Office, and I am able consequently to give you the opinion of Mr. Cunliffe the Collector, on the points noticed, as that gentleman has left a pencil Memorandum in anticipation of your call on him, I have likewise obtained the views of the Deputy

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Collector, who is so immediately connected with the collection of the Quit Rent Revenue of Madras proper.

3. Mr. Cunliffe approves the proposal here made. He thinks that "enough writers for the ordinary work should be kept, and for the preparation of bills, that extra hands can be called in" as required. But the Deputy Collector on this subject writes, "as long as the License Act is in operation, the present Establishment of the Quit Rent Department should be retained without reduction." He goes on, "the license taxation involves the preparation of about 50,000 cases, the issue of bills to the same extent, and of processes of distraint in cases of default. All this work can, by no means, be performed by the single writer allowed for the License Tax Department, but will require the unremitting attention of the entire Quit Rent staff as it at present exists, and when Mr. Cunliffe undertook to work out the License Tax through my agency, it was on the understanding that the services of the entire Quit Rent staff would be available for the work." The Deputy Collector closes his remarks on this head with, "any possible reduction which experience may suggest, will of course be proposed hereafter."

Paragraph 11. 4. In regard to the suggestion in this paragraph, that a second distrainer be appointed, Mr. Cunliffe notes that such addition would be of value no doubt; he observes that with a horse allowance for the present distraining officer which would enable the man to get over the ground quickly, he would not press the necessity of a second distrainer. The Deputy Collector on this subject thinks with Mr. Cunliffe.

Paragraph 13. 5. Both Mr. Cunliffe and the Deputy Collector consider a separate Gumáshta for the sale of Postage labels positively necessary, to whatever Department his salary be charged. The proposition of Government to debit this officer's pay to the Postal Revenue, would seem unobjectionable and only reasonable.

Paragraph 7. 6. In reference to the observations of Government in paragraph 7 of their orders, Mr. Cunliffe and the Deputy Collector agree in the opinion, that the services of one Conicopillay, two Peons and one Bellow's boy may at once be dispensed with, without impairing the efficiency of the Department to which they are attached, effecting as noted in the margin,\* a saving of Rs. 26-4-0 per mensem.

|                               | RS. | A. | P. |
|-------------------------------|-----|----|----|
| * One Conicopillay .....      | 7   | 0  | 0  |
| Two Peons at Rupees 7 each... | 14  | 0  | 0  |
| One Bellow's boy .....        | 5   | 4  | 0  |
| Total Cost...                 | 26  | 4  | 0  |

#### ORDER THEREON, 15th February 1862, No. 337.

1. In this letter Mr. Pelly reports on the several points connected with the revision of the Revenue Establishment of the Town of Madras, which were specially noticed by Government in their Order of the 7th November last, No. 2,122.
2. The Government sanction the revised Establishments now proposed by Mr. Pelly and which are assented to by the Acting Collector and Collector.
3. The Government did not intend that the Registry and Stamp Departments should be kept separate from the regular Office Establishment.
4. The approaching abolition of the General Treasury in the Fort will probably render it necessary to establish a Tálúq Treasury and the provision of a Shroff is approved.
5. As a separate writer is required exclusively for the sale, &c., of Postage Labels, his salary should be provided by the Postal Department. The subject will be referred, through the

Public Department, to the Post Master General, and during the rest of the current year no change will be made. Next year the Post Master General will be expected to provide the necessary funds and the officer will be removed from the Land Revenue List.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To C. Pelly, Esq.  
To the Board of Revenue.  
" Accountant General.  
" Civil Paymaster.  
" Public Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,  
22nd December 1865.*

No. 228. Read the following letter from the Honorable C. PELLY, Member of the Board of Revenue, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Madras, 22nd November 1865 :—

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Proceedings of Government, dated 26th September 1865, No. 2,311, in which I am desired to report whether any further increase is needed in the pay of any of the classes of servants in the Revenue Department drawing not more than 10 Rupees monthly. The Government are aware that much has already been done in improving the salaries of the lower classes of servants in the Revenue Establishments. I am of opinion, however, that some further modifications may, with advantage, be made. No servant should, in the present days, be remunerated at a rate less than 6 Rupees per month, and if prices continue to rise, it will be necessary, I fear, to raise the minimum to 7 Rupees.

2. The salaries of the Peons in the Hoozoor Cutcherries of the Collectors and their subordinates have lately been raised from 6 and 7 Rupees to 7 and 8 Rupees respectively. The pay of the Masaljees and Sweepers employed in those Cutcherries has also been increased from 5 to 6 Rupees. In the Sea Custom Department the salary of Peons was fixed at 5 Rupees, when the revision was sanctioned three years ago in 1862; but there is no reason why these servants should not also have their salaries raised to 6 Rupees as in the case of Peons in other Departments: and the Masaljees also in that Department should also receive 6 Rupees. The increase will be for 234 Peons and 28 Masaljees 262 Rupees per month. On the same principle, the salaries of the Talook Masaljees, 480 in number, who now receive only 5 Rupees each should be raised to 6 Rupees. The four watching sepoys in the Madras Abkary Department should also have their pay raised from 4 Rupees to 6 Rupees each. The pay of Police Constables is 7 Rupees, 6½ Rupees, and 6 Rupees. In the Salt Department there are some servants, Vettyans, who receive less than 6 Rupees; these also should have their salaries raised to that sum; but as the Salt Establishment has to undergo further revision, the question of the salaries of these servants may be deferred for the present.

3. In the Marine Establishment attached to the Collectors in the Maritime Districts, which was revised by me so far back as 1862, the pay of some of the Peons was fixed at 5 Rupees a month. The number of persons drawing this rate of pay is only twelve, whose pay should also be raised to 6 Rupees. In a letter addressed to me by the Superintendent of Marine on the 16th October 1865, he stated that some of the Peons of the Maritime Establishment at Cochin drawing 6 Rupees a month petitioned him for higher salary, and he enquired of me whether there was any probability of some addition being made generally to the salaries of the lower classes of Government servants in the Revenue Department. I was unable to give him any assurance that the rate of 6 Rupees would be increased.

4. The accompanying list shews all the classes of servants whose salaries do not exceed 10 Rupees a month now entertained in the several branches of Revenue Establishments.

5. I have lately obtained the sanction of Government for raising the salary of all Clerks and Gumashtas in the Land Revenue Establishment to a minimum of

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15 Rupees, on the ground of the increased cost of living. In reply to the present reference of Government, it would be proper to recommend an increase for the same reason to the Office Attenders, who should be ranked somewhat above the Peons who now receive 7 and 8 Rupees, which is the rate first allowed to Attenders, except those attached to the Record Department, who draw 10 Rupees. These Attenders should, perhaps, therefore, be raised some to 8 and others to 10 Rupees. The increase will be for

|                                                      |         |
|------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| 179 Attenders now drawing 8 Rupees, at 2 Rupees each | Rs. 358 |
| 152 Attenders do. do. 7 Rupees, at 1 Rupee each      | 152     |
| Total                                                | 510     |

6. I have noticed all the servants in the list drawing less than 6 Rupees a month, with the exception of the District Postal servants. The Postal Establishment has only lately been revised by me, and obtained the sanction of Government. The salaries of the Gumashtas and Delivery Peons of this Department has been fixed as low as possible, viz:—

Gumashtas on 10 and 7 Rupees.  
Delivery Peons on 5 "

The work of the Gumashtas generally will be easy and not occupy much time, but the salary is nevertheless very low. The Runners also are paid at 5 Rupees, except very few who are paid at 6 and 7 Rupees. The rate of 5 Rupees, however, is a considerable increase above the old rate; but it is the lowest that should be allowed, and it may eventually prove to be too low, but it cannot conveniently be raised higher, seeing that it is the rate to which the pay of the Runners in the General Post Office has only been recently (I believe with some reluctance) raised by the Director General. The rates allowed by me for the District Post Runners will, I believe, prove sufficient for the class of people that will be employed, and it is not improbable that the whole Postal Department will shortly be taken under the direct superintendence of the General Post Office Officials. But I would, however, recommend that the pay of the Delivery Peons be altered from 5 to 6 Rupees, the lowest Peon rate. The extra cost will be for 386 Peons 386 Rupees, which sum if approved of will have to be added to the Tabular Statement lately submitted to Government of India. There is no immediate necessity for disturbing the rates allowed the Gumashtas.

7. The increase that will require sanction, if the above suggestions are adopted, are as follow:—

|                                                                                     |         |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| 1. 234 Peons in the Sea Custom Establishment at the rate of 1 Rupee each per mensem | Rs. 234 |
| 2. 28 Masaljees in do. at do.                                                       | 28      |
| 3. 12 Peons in the Marine Department at the rate of 1 Rupee each per mensem         | 12      |

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|                                                                                         |         |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| 4. 179 Attenders in the Land Revenue Department at the rate of 2 Rupees each per mensem | Rs. 358 |
| 5. 152 Do. in do. at 1 Rupee each do.                                                   | 152     |
| 6. 480 Masaljees in the Talook Establishment at 1 Rupee each                            | 480     |
| 7. 4 Watching Sepoys in the Madras Abkary Department at 2 Rupees each per mensem        | 8       |
| 8. 386 Delivering Peons in the District Postal Establishment at 1 Rupee each per mensem | 386     |
| Total                                                                                   | 1,658   |

8. The first, second, and third items will require the special sanction of the Government of India; the fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh items if sanctioned will be included in the Tabular Statement now under preparation, and the eighth item if approved will have to be included in the Tabular Statement lately submitted to Government.

No. 229. ORDER THEREON, 22nd December 1865, No. 3,097.

**Miscellaneous.**

1. Mr. Pelly's proposals are that on the score of rise in prices of food, &c., the pay of  
234 Sea Custom Peons,  
28 Do. Massalchis,  
12 Marine Department Peons,

Total... 274 Sea Customs and Marine Department  
be raised from Rupees 5 to Rupees 6 at a cost of Rupees 274 with the sanction of the Supreme Government who sanctioned the present rates in the above Departments in 1862.

2. That for the same reason the pay of 480 Talook Massalchis should be similarly raised from Rupees 5 to Rupees 6, and that of four watching Peons in the Madras Town Abkary Department from Rupees 4 to Rupees 6 at a cost of Rupees 480 + 8 = Rupees 488 with the sanction of the Local Government in the revision of the Revenue Establishment now under consideration.

3. That the Supreme Government, who now have under consideration the proposals for the District Tappal Establishments, should be requested to allow Rs. 36 instead of Rupees 5 to the 386 Delivering Peons therein provided, the additional cost being Rupees 386.

4. And that in order to maintain the relative position of Office Attenders and the Peons whose pay has lately been raised to Rupees 8 from Rupees 7, and to Rs. 7 from Rupees 6, the pay of

|                                                                |         |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| 179 Attenders be raised by Rupees 2 from Rupees 8 to Rupees 10 | Rs. 358 |
| and 152 Do. by Rupee 1 from Rupees 7 to Rupees 8               | 152     |
| Total                                                          | 510     |

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5. The general result of the proposals is as follows:—

Increase proposed—

With sanction of Supreme Government:

|                        |     |
|------------------------|-----|
| Sea Customs and Marine | 274 |
| District Post          | 386 |

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With sanction of Local Government:

|                    |     |
|--------------------|-----|
| Talook Massalchis  | 480 |
| Madras Town Abkary | 8   |
| Office Attenders   | 510 |

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1,658

6. The Government consider that no sufficient reason is shewn for increasing the pay of the Office Attenders or Massalchis, and they are not at present prepared to recommend to the Supreme Government an increase to the pay of all Peons from Rupees 5 to Rupees 6, while the Judicial Establishments are still under enquiry.

7. They do not consider that they could reasonably ask the Supreme Government to modify a scale of establishment so recently submitted to them as was that for the District Post.

8. Mr. Pelly's proposal to raise the pay of the four watching Peons in the Madras Town Abkary from Rupees 4 to Rupees 6 is approved and sanctioned for in his general Statement.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Honorable C. Pelly.  
the Board of Revenue.  
the Accountant General.

Ed. T. O'Connor.

*Recd 4/13/71.  
19 June 1871*

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*Memo:*

*Submitted with reference*

*to concluding paper of report  
from the Dep. Secy. to Govt. 1871*

*For the Secy. to Govt.  
7 June 1871.*

*Blagden*

*Offy Assistant to  
Accountant General*

*To the Chief Secretary to Govt. of  
Civil Service.*

N<sup>o</sup> 385  
N<sup>o</sup> 18  
Madras Deputy Collector's Office  
25<sup>th</sup> May 1871

From  
The Deputy Collector of Madras.

To,  
The Acting Collector of Madras

Sir,  
With reference to your despatch N<sup>o</sup> 214 of the  
23<sup>rd</sup> instant, forwarding copy of Cheesman's  
General's Letter N<sup>o</sup> 1161 of the 19<sup>th</sup> idem, and  
calling for an explanation of delay in the  
submission of gratuity lists in favor of the guard  
establishment at the Distillery, I have the  
honor to inform you that under Government  
order dated 13<sup>th</sup> October 1869 N<sup>o</sup> 2486, the  
services of the guard establishment were  
dispensed with on the 6<sup>th</sup> December of the same  
year. On the 9<sup>th</sup> February following, the  
matter was submitted to the collector of the  
late Madras District with a detailed list  
of the guard's services; but the papers were received  
late on the 11<sup>th</sup> October 1870, with a request that  
the application for gratuities may be prepared  
and forwarded from this office, which was  
accordingly done on the 1<sup>st</sup> December 1870.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,  
Rajagopal Rao  
Deputy Collector

Forwarded

N<sup>o</sup> 266

Forwarded to the off<sup>r</sup> Assistant to the  
Accountant General with reference to his  
Memorandum N<sup>o</sup> 1160 of 19<sup>th</sup> instanc,  
Audit Department.

Madras Collector's office }  
2<sup>d</sup> June 1871. } *W. H. M. M. M.*  
off<sup>r</sup> Collector of Madras

*R. J.*

Accountant General's Office  
Recd 5  
Ans'd 6 1871

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Madras Deputy Collector's Office  
14<sup>th</sup> February 1871

N<sup>o</sup> 119.

From

The Deputy Collector of Madras.

To,

The Collector of Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your letter N<sup>o</sup> 38 of the 30<sup>th</sup> ultimo on the letter from the Accountant General N<sup>o</sup> 29 of the 24<sup>th</sup> idem to your address, I have the honor to furnish the information called for in connection with register of application for gratuity.

N<sup>o</sup> 6. Of the three applicants for gratuity, Aman Khan was first entertained in service on the 28<sup>th</sup> November 1857, Mothoo Veram on the 1<sup>st</sup> February 1858 and Mahomed Sali on the 1<sup>st</sup> June 1860, and these dates appear to be correct as shown by the records. With regard to their subsequent service the office copies of Pay abstracts from and after February 1858 to December 1869 contain their names, except for a few months in the years 1858 to 1861, the pay abstracts for which months are missing and an extract of them is forwarded for the Accountant General's perusal.

12 & 13. The requisitions made under these numbers are complied with.

22 The services of the three applicants for gratuity being proved from the records no corroborative evidence is obtained and forwarded

28 and 39 The records of this office being in a confused state, the orders of Government under which

which the Guard Establishment was at first,  
temporarily sanctioned and subsequently made  
permanent, cannot be traced up.

I have the honor to be.

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

Major R. Raghunatha Rao  
Deputy Collector.

/ True copy /

J. Hunter Blair

Collector of Gulabgarh.

R. R.

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To The Collector. Madras

The Undersigned has the honor to return the papers connected with the

Pension..... } case noted in the Margin, received with letter  
Gratuity..... } Memo.  
Compassionate Allowance.. }

*24th* for want of Nos. *6522 12 13*

date on the "Voluntaries" for want of Nos. 6 or 22, 12, 13, 28 & 39

It is particularly requested that an EARLY reply may be sent, and that this Memo. be re-transmitted.

Respectfully to the  
Examiner of Claims.

1. Detail, with dates, of local posts. } Vide paras. 133-134-135 and 141, of chapter III of the  
of pay. } Civil Auditor's Manual.
2. " "
3. " of leaves enjoyed other than Privilege or preparatory, during the whole period of Service, vide Government Notification, published at page 540, 2nd Volume of the Gazette for 1863.
4. Full name in item 1 of the Register of application.
5. Certificate of age attested by Head of Department.
6. " that alleged services from *of the three applications as shown in this*
7. " are proved from the records.
8. " of past character, vide page 99, 2nd Volume of the Official Gazette for 1862.
9. Explanation of apparent breaks.
10. " " degradation.
11. Insertion of desired place of payment.
12. Printed form of application for *under the new Rules published at page 631, of*  
*the 2nd Volume of the Gazette for 1866.*
13. Printed form of application for gratuity under the old Rules, which can be had from the Superintendent of Stationery *as per Capt. Abbott's letter to the present form*
14. One Register (printed) of all applications for gratuity should be sent to this Department, as required under the recent Orders of Government, instead of the separate ~~registers~~ Registers for each individual, herewith returned.
15. Insertion in item 15 of the Register of all descriptive marks agreeably to Notification published at page 802, of 2nd Volume of the Gazette for 1866.
16. Insertion in the Leave Statement, of the period of absence with loss of full and half pay, respectively, during the period of
17. Insertion (in red ink) in the detailed Statement of service, of the period during which the applicant without employ by

17. Insertion in  
of Gratitude

18. Information as to whether the applicant received any gratuity for past service in consequence of the abolition of his Office on the \_\_\_\_\_  
if so, a Copy of the order sanctioning such gratuity must be furnished.  
\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ at foot of the Register, if the applicant did not receive any gratuity.

19. For deletion of Remarks at foot of the Register, if the applicant did not receive any gratuity. For the deletion of grounds of retirement, &c., other than those required under N. B. at foot of the Register.

Discharge Certificate from the Superintendent of Police shewing the period of the applicant's employment in the new Police, and why his services were dispensed with.

13 Ref. letters of Application  
for Mathematical Institute, from  
H. H. & H. H. H. H. H. H.  
of Acad. 87 29 & H. H. H. H. H. H. 190

Respectively Ref. 1. 7.  
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22. Testimonials of character or Certificates given to applicant by the Head of an Office, or, (in the absence of such Certificates,) an affidavit signed before a Magistrate, in support of the applicant's services, as shown in their respective registers.
23. Explanation of the cause of delay in submission of application until when the applicant appears from the statement of service to have ceased to do duty on the
24. Explanation why the applicant was retained in Government service from to when the Medical Certificate was dated vide Government Notification, published at pages 603 and 473, 1st and 2nd Volumes, respectively of the Official Gazette for 1866.
25. Explanation why the applicant was recommended in Register, for a gratuity of Rupees equal to of the salary, when he is eligible to the gratuity of Rupees equal to months salary under the

26. Medical Certificate in prescribed form shewing the applicant's inability to serve longer.
  - a. Vide Government Notifications, published at page 740 and 632, Volume 1 of Gazette for 1858 and 1863, respectively.
  - b. Agreeably to the Orders of Government, dated 14th June 1866, No. 224, as the applicant's service exclusive of the periods amounts to
  - c. Vide Government Notification, published at page 705, 1st Volume, and page 450, 2nd Volume of the Official Gazette for 1865 and 1866, respectively.
27. Explanation why Medical Certificate is dated the applicant ceased to do duty, instead of on, or before, his retirement from Government service.
28. Transmission of the true Copy of the order of establishment, under which the applicant was at first temporarily employed, and subsequently made permanent.
29. Translation of the orders of applicant as the cause of shewn in this Office report to Government.
30. Explanation as to whether the applicant applied for during his life, if so, when he applied, and when he died.
31. Explanation as to whether the applicant's heirs applied for the arrears of due to the applicant up to the date of decease, together with date of application for
32. Insertion in the 1st and 2nd sides of the Register, of the correct periods of years as pencilled, instead of years.
33. Insertion in the Register of application as to whether the applicant for Compassionate allowance has been employed since the date of the abolition of Office in , and whether holds any employment
34. English Translation of affidavit to be given, on the back of the same (herewith returned,) so as to enable this Department to report its tenor to Government.
35. Signature of the applicant, to be affixed at foot of affidavit in
36. Transmission of the Printed Memo, from this Department dated as required therein, as the cannot be disposed of without it.
37. Insertion in Clause 3 of item No. 7 in the 1st side of the Register, of the date, and No. of the Order of Government, under which the applicant was thrown out of employ by reduction of Establishment.
38. For deletion of the applicant's service of years before 22 years of age in item No. 9 of the 1st side, and at foot of the 2nd side of the Register, as the entire service rendered by up to

are required to be shewn in the case of Compassionate allowance.

*of Contemporary employees  
supplaining at the same  
time what efforts have  
been made to verify  
these services & why  
they are not forth  
coming in the records.*

*2. Copies of the printed form referred to in No. 12 have been already furnished to the Depy Collector.*

*3. The Collector's Office is closed on 30th January 1871.*

*4. The Collector's Office is closed on 30th January 1871.*

*5. The Collector's Office is closed on 30th January 1871.*

*39. Explanation under what circumstances the applicant's services were at first taken as temporary & how they were made permanent.*

*Extract from the Register of Pay Abolition in the Madras Collector and Deputy Collector's Office from and after February 1858*

| Date             | Names         | Designation | Salary      | Stoppages   | Net amount payable                | Signatures |
|------------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------------------|------------|
| 1858<br>February | Iman Khan     | Guard       | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Iman Khan                    |            |
| Do 8.6.28        | Moothoo Veran | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 1 . . . . . | 3 . . . . . (Sd) Moothoo Veran    |            |
| March            | Iman Khan     | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Iman Khan                    |            |
| Do               | Moothoo Veran | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Moothoo Veran                |            |
| 1860<br>July     | Iman Khan     | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Iman Khan                    |            |
| Do               | Moothoo Veran | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 2 . . . . . | 3 14 . . . . . (Sd) Moothoo Veran |            |
| Do               | Mahomed Rajah | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | The marks of Mahomed Rajah        |            |
| Do               | Mahomed Sail  | Ag Do       | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | The marks of Mahomed Sail         |            |
| October          | Iman Khan     | Guard       | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Iman Khan                    |            |
| Do               | Moothoo Veran | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Moothoo Veran                |            |
| Do               | Mahomed Sail  | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | The x mark of Mahomed Sail        |            |
| November         | Iman Khan     | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Iman Khan                    |            |
| Do               | Moothoo Veran | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Moothoo Veran                |            |
| Do               | Mahomed Sail  | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | The x mark of Mahomed Sail        |            |
| 1861<br>January  | Iman Khan     | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Iman Khan                    |            |
| Do               | Moothoo Veran | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Moothoo Veran                |            |
| Do               | Mahomed Sail  | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | The x mark of Mahomed Sail        |            |
| April            | Iman Khan     | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Iman Khan                    |            |
| Do               | Moothoo Veran | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Moothoo Veran                |            |
| Do               | Mahomed Sail  | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | The mark of Mahomed Sail          |            |
| May              | Iman Khan     | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Iman Khan                    |            |
| Do               | Moothoo Veran | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Moothoo Veran                |            |
| Do               | Mahomed Sail  | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | The mark of Mahomed Sail          |            |
| September        | Iman Khan     | Do          | 4 . . . . . | 4 . . . . . | (Sd) Iman Khan                    |            |

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| 1861 | September | Mothos Ueran  | Guard | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | 4 | . | Rs 4 | Mothos Ueran             |
|      | Do        | Mahomed Saib  | Do    | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | 4 | . | Rs 4 | The mark of Mahomed Saib |
|      | October   | Iman Khan     | Do    | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | 4 | . | Rs 4 | Iman Khan                |
|      | Do        | Mothos Ueran  | Do    | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | 4 | . | Rs 4 | Mothos Ueran             |
|      | Do        | Mahomed Sahib | Do    | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | 4 | . | Rs 4 | The mark of Mahomed Saib |
|      | December  | Iman Khan     | Do    | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | 4 | . | Rs 4 | Iman Khan                |
|      | Do        | Mothos Ueran  | Do    | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | 4 | . | Rs 4 | Mothos Ueran             |
|      | Do        | Mahomed Sahib | Do    | 4 | . | . | . | . | . | 4 | . | Rs 4 | The mark of Mahomed Saib |

The names of these guards are shown in the Pay Abstracts for all the months from January 1862 to 5 December 1869, to the date of their dispensation, as having drawn Rs 4 each every month, and afterwards Rs 6 each.

Masoor Dyp Collectors Office  
14<sup>th</sup> February 1871

R. Majumdar  
Dyp Collectors

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Recd 4/13/71

Madras 4 April 1871

My dear Sir

The Govt are confirming the  
Mandstabbis' account at the distillery  
cannot still be - The Labb  
compensation certificate which you  
said in the letter as having been returned  
has not been returned and you person  
who brought the letter says it was not  
given to him - You may however return  
it along with E. M. P. at your convenience  
I sent you a long letter this forenoon  
hope you will comply with  
conveyed in it -

Yours faithfully  
C. Munro

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Madras Collectors' Office  
12 May 1871

From,

To,

The Collector of Madras

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The Assistant Accountant General

Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to your Memorandum  
dated 24<sup>th</sup> January 1871, Pension Report Depart-  
ment, I have the honor to forward copy of a  
letter from the Deputy Collector of Madras furnishing  
the information so called for.

2. With reference to para 4 of the Deputy  
Collector's letter I beg to state that the orders of  
Government under which the Distillery and  
Establishment became permanent, as well as  
those under which the pay of the guards was  
afterwards raised from Rupees 15 to 6 have been  
since discovered and are herewith forwarded.  
Hence the delay.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Arthur Hall  
Collector of Madras.

Copy Order of the 18th March 1871 at 2/22

15<sup>th</sup> February 1872 - 334

22<sup>nd</sup> December 1865 - 3094



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## Report of the Accountant General

The services of the withinmentioned individuals having been fully verified from the records of this Office and entirely from those of the Collector, they are eligible to the amounts of gratuity under the old rules, set opposite to their respective names in Column II of the register.

The applicants are not entitled by the Collector to have drawn any acting allowance when they were thrown out of employ.

The Collector's explanation which has been called for regarding the delay in the submission of the register of application until 29<sup>th</sup> November 1870, will be submitted to Government when received.

Beaciah  
Offs Asstt to the Account Genl

FORT SAINT GEORGE,  
Account Genl's Office,  
28<sup>th</sup> May 1871.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,  
Civil Pension Department.

Beaciah  
19<sup>th</sup> June 1871

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Register of an Application for Gratuities under the old Rules from

the Establishment of the Deputy Collector of Madras

| Name of the persons for whom the gratuities is applied.                                     | STATEMENT OF TOTAL PERIOD OF SERVICE.                            |                        |      |    |    |                  |                  |      |     |      | Total period of service of each person. | How long unemployed, and under what circumstances, and under what authority reinstated. | Explanation of any degradation. | Abstract of the grounds of application. | Remarks by the Heads of the Office on the past character and conduct of the applicants. | Proposed amount of gratuity. |     |      | Accountant General or Controller of Military Accounts' Remarks. |     |
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|                                                                                             | Establishment.                                                   | Post.                  | Pay. |    |    | Period.          |                  |      |     | Yrs. |                                         |                                                                                         |                                 |                                         |                                                                                         | Ms.                          | Ds. | Yrs. |                                                                 | Ms. |
|                                                                                             |                                                                  |                        | Rs.  | A. | P. | From             | To               | Yrs. | Ms. |      | Ds.                                     | Yrs.                                                                                    | Ms.                             | Ds.                                     |                                                                                         |                              |     |      |                                                                 |     |
| Moothos Venu<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Class Pensioned<br>copy certificate<br>N <sup>o</sup> 35252 | Division of Ordnance<br>Bombay District<br>My Collector's Office | Temporary Guard        | 4    | .  | .  | 12 February 1858 | 18 December 1859 | 1    | 10  | 18   |                                         |                                                                                         |                                 |                                         |                                                                                         |                              |     |      |                                                                 |     |
|                                                                                             |                                                                  | Permanent Guard        | 4    | .  | .  | 19 December 1859 | 31 December 1860 | 6    | .   | 13   |                                         |                                                                                         |                                 |                                         |                                                                                         |                              |     |      |                                                                 |     |
|                                                                                             |                                                                  | Asst                   | 6    | .  | .  | 1 January 1860   | 5 December 1867  | 3    | 11  | 5    |                                         |                                                                                         |                                 |                                         |                                                                                         |                              |     |      |                                                                 |     |
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| Mahomed Said<br>2 <sup>nd</sup> Class Pensioned<br>copy certificate<br>N <sup>o</sup> 37070 |                                                                  | Acting Temporary Guard | 4    | .  | .  | 1 June 1860      | 6 November 1860  | .    | 5   | 6    |                                         |                                                                                         |                                 |                                         |                                                                                         |                              |     |      |                                                                 |     |
|                                                                                             |                                                                  | Temporary Guard        | 4    | .  | .  | 7 November 1860  | 23 February 1861 | 1    | 3   | 23   |                                         |                                                                                         |                                 |                                         |                                                                                         |                              |     |      |                                                                 |     |
|                                                                                             |                                                                  | Permanent Guard        | 4    | .  | .  | 1 March 1861     | 31 December 1865 | 3    | 10  | .    |                                         |                                                                                         |                                 |                                         |                                                                                         |                              |     |      |                                                                 |     |
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Madras By Collector Office,  
14 February 1891.  
The Madras

It is hereby certified that no gratuity was drawn by the applicant on reduction of Establishment in the year. It is certified that gratuity having been granted was refunded to the amount of Rs. A. P. Order sanctioning payment of gratuity was Amount of gratuity granted was Rs. P. Refund of gratuity was credited to the account for the month of

R. Raghunath R.  
Deputy Collector

PENSION 1867 DEPARTMENT.

From the *Off. of the Asst. Secy.*  
*General*  
 Fort Saint George.

**To the Chief Secretary to Government,**

**Civil Pension Department.**

11.

Dated 20 }  
Received 22 } *Gray*  
1891.

**Enclosures**

Verifies the service of *three*  
individuals borne on the establishment  
of the *24* collector *Madras*

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PENSION 186 DEPARTMENT.

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To the Accountant General, or  
Controller of Military Accounts.

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186

**Register of an application for Grants in behalf of individuals borne on the establishment of the**

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ORDER OF GOVERNMENT. 19 June 1874. 2-300

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2. The Superintendent of the Collector on the 19th  
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The delay appears to have  
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in the Office of the Chinese Agent  
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by the Officer. H.C.

To the Editors of *Madras District*  
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