

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
8th November 1867.*

No. 67. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th October 1867, No. 6789.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Tinnevely, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue; dated Tenkasi, 13th September 1867, No. 507.

I have the honor to forward an application, from the Reverend W. P. Schaffter, for assistance to maintain a Dispensary and Hospital in a part of the District, far from medical aid.

2. Mr. Schaffter undertakes to pay the Dresser and provide a suitable building, and merely asks for tiles for the roof and medical stores. I have ascertained that tiling the roof will cost 300 Rupees, and the medical stores for a small Dispensary about 250 Rupees. I, therefore, request sanction for furnishing the assistance required.

From the Reverend W. P. SCHAFFTER, to the Collector of Tinnevely; dated Courtallam, 9th September 1867.

I have the honor to bring to your notice that at Suvisashapuram, and the villages round about, the people have greatly felt the want of having a Dispensary established there, as, in case of sickness, they are entirely helpless, and left to the mercy of a number of native quacks. Especially during the cholera and small-pox season do they feel the want of a Dresser being near at hand, to whom they could apply in cases of emergency.

2. Palamcottah, situated about thirty miles from Suvisashapuram, is the nearest place to which people can resort in case of sickness.

3. I, therefore, beg to propose that a small Dispensary be opened at Suvisashapuram, in charge of a Native Dresser, and that the house to be used as a Hospital be provided by myself, and the Dresser's salary, fixed at Rupees 20 per mensem, be paid by myself, or that I should be the responsible party for it, Government undertaking to provide all the medical stores.

4. The house I intend to give up for the use of a Dispensary is built of stone and chunam, and has a roof prepared to have tiles put on. If Government would kindly undertake the expense of tiling it, the place would answer well for the purpose of a Dispensary.

5. As long as the Dispensary is kept up, this building will be kept exclusively for that purpose; but as soon as it is given up, the building will be reclaimed by the Mission whose property it is.

6. Having made this proposal, I now would beg of you kindly to take this matter into your consideration, and grant my request, thus conferring a great benefit upon thousands of people of that part of Tinnevely.

Submitted for the favorable consideration of Government.

(True Copies and Extract).

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,

Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Transferred to the Public Department.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government, R. D.

24th October 1867.

No. 68. ORDER THEREON, 8th November 1867, No. 1406.

With the view of providing for the wants of the sick at Suvisashapuram and the surrounding villages in Tinnevely, the Reverend W. P. Schaffter proposes to

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open a Hospital and Dispensary in a building belonging to the Church Mission Society, adapted for the purpose, and solicits pecuniary aid from Government, to meet the expense of tiling the roof of the building, and of providing medical stores. It has been ascertained by the Collector that Rupees 300 will suffice for the roofing, and Rupees 250 for medicines, &c.

2. Grants to the above extent are accordingly sanctioned.
(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue.

” Inspector General, Medical Department.
” Collector of Tinnevelly.
” Accountant General.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

No. 6,789.

ORDERS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 18th October 1867.

Letter from R. K. PUCKLE, Esq., Collector of Tinnevelly, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Tenkasi, 13th September 1867, No. 507:—

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He undertakes to pay the Dresser and provide a suitable building, and merely roof and medical stores. I have ascertained that tiling the roof will cost 300 rupees for a small Dispensary about 250 rupees. I therefore request sanction and assistance required.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

and W. P. SCHAFFTER, to the Collector of Tinnevelly, dated Courtallam, 9th September 1867.

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Itah, situated about thirty miles from Suvisashapuram, is the nearest place to which they can go in case of sickness.

I beg to propose that a small Dispensary be opened at Suvisashapuram, in charge of a Dresser, and that the house to be used as a Hospital be provided by myself, and the Dresser's salary 20 per mensem be paid by myself, or that I should be the responsible party in undertaking to provide all the medical stores.

As I intend to give up for the use of a Dispensary is built of stone and chunam, and to have tiles put on, if Government would kindly undertake the expense of tiling and answer well for the purpose of a Dispensary.

As the Dispensary is kept up, this building will be kept exclusively for that purpose; if it is given up, the building will be reclaimed by the Mission whose property it is.

I made this proposal, I now would beg of you kindly to take this matter into your consideration and grant my request, thus conferring a great benefit upon thousands of people of that District.

Submitted for the favourable consideration of Government.

(True Copies and Extract.)

W. P. Schaffter
Secretary.

Copy to Government, Revenue Department.

Collector of Tinnevelly,
with enclosure.

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Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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of the Board of Revenue.

Here enter 18 Oct. 1867 No. 6789.

Order thereon 8 Nov. 1867 No. 1405.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

No. 2867.

1867.

Department.

Dated 18th October 1867.

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No. 6,789.

Submitting for favorable consideration of Government letter from Collector of Tinnevely, forwarding application from Reverend W. P. Schaffter, for assistance to maintain a Dispensary and Hospital at Surisashapuram.

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Transport of
the sick
to the sick
house
at Surisashapuram

roof of the building and
of providing medical
Stores. It has been as-
certained by the Collector
that Rupees 300 will
suffice for the roofing
and Rupees 250 for
medicines &c.

2. Grants to the
above extent are accordingly
granted.

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To the Board of Revenue
" Sd/- Secy to Govt.
To the Collector of Tanjore }
Account General. 15/6

Edw. M.
1867. Department.

No. 1406

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT.

Dated 8th of January 1867.

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