Recensement Départemental

N° 70

Janvier 18 — 1 — 1859

No. 41. Read the following letter from J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue; to W. H. BAYLEY, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, R. D.; dated Fort St. George, 11th December 1858, No. 4591.

SIR,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the information and orders of Government the accompanying Report from the Superintendent of Stamps on the operations of his Department for Fusly 1267, A. D. 1857-58.

2. From No. 3 of the four Statements enclosed in the above communication, it appears that the gross receipts for the year amounted to Rupees 8,19,155-3-11 under the following heads:—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Paper and Cadjans sold including additional fee Rs. (326-14-6) for Europe paper..	7,54,401	6	6
Penalties under Regulation II. of 1825.	58,936	14	2
Recoveries on Pauper cases, Regulation VII. of 1818	5,636	9	2
Stamp duty erroneously paid on Certificates under Act XVII. of 1848, and subsequently credited by Collectors.	112	8	0
Other items...	67	14	1
	8,19,155	3	11

3. The charges consisted of:—

Refunds under order of Sudder Adawlut ...	9,067	0	0	
„ „ Act XVII. of 1848... ...	77,381	0	0	
				86,448 0 0
Value of Paper plundered by Rohillas, Juggiapett...				43 8 0
Establishment, Commission to Venders, Purchase of Paper and Cadjans and Contingent charges.				64,752 2 0
				1,51,243 10 0

Making a total expenditure of Rupees 1,51,243 10 0

which deducted from the gross revenue shewn above leaves a surplus of Rupees 6,67,911-9-11, which sum is in excess of the net revenue of Fusly 1266 by Rupees 34,934-12-1 and of that of Fusly 1265 by Rupees 84,023-15-1.

4. Inclusive of the balance at the commencement of the Fusly, the stock of Papers and Cadjans in the Superintendent's custody during the year was 4,59,576 Rolls of the value of Rupees 9,44,497-7-6. Of this quantity 4,58,424 Rolls (=Rupees 9,31,568-2-0 were issued to Collectors and 101 Rolls (=Rupees 184-9-0) written off to Profit and Loss under the authority of Government as damaged, &c. leaving on hand 1051 Rolls; which balance is stated by the Superintendent to consist of 1049 Rolls returned by Collectors as damaged in stock and consignments, and of two Rolls reported deficient.

5. As requested by the Superintendent the Board recommend that he be authorized to destroy the 1049 rolls valued at Rupees 12,743-8-6 writing the same off to Profit and Loss, and to take credit for the remaining two rolls valued at one Rupee and a quarter.

6. The Statement No. 5 shewing the quantity of paper counterstampt at the General Treasury was duly received through the Sub Treasurer, and bears his signature.

7. The following Abstract shews the transactions of the last five years:—

Years.	Total Receipts.			Disbursements.												Net Revenue.		
				Refunds under Act XVII. of 1848.			Charges.			Refunds to Appellants under order of S. U. &c.			Total Disbursements.					
	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P	Rs.	A	P
1853-54	6,02,854	9	4	53,879	0	0	53,597	1	9	6,405	13	10	1,13,881	15	7	4,88,972	9	9
1854-55	5,90,198	12	9	56,544	10	0	51,495	4	10	6,197	0	0	1,14,236	14	10	4,75,961	13	11
1855-56	7,15,469	3	5	70,326	8	0	57,391	0	7	3,864	0	0	1,31,581	8	7	5,83,887	10	10
1856-57	7,76,250	9	2	74,706	8	0	61,639	15	4	6,927	4	0	1,43,273	11	4	6,32,976	13	10
1857-58	8,19,155	3	11	77,381	0	0	64,752	2	0	9,110	8	0	1,51,243	10	0	6,67,911	9	11

8. The decrease of Rupees 13,010-11-10 in the net revenue of 1854-55 compared with that of the preceding Fusly was ascribed by the Superintendent to the alteration of the last day of the Fusly from 11th July to 30th June, by which the sales of 11 days were excluded from the accounts of 1854-55.

9. The progressive increase in the charges arose chiefly from the greater sale of Stampt Paper which has necessarily involved the purchase of larger quantities of paper and other material and also increased the amount of commission to Venders.

10. It will be seen that the amount of Refunds under Act XVII. of 1848, has annually risen.

No. 42. ORDER THEREON, No. 70 ; dated 18th January 1859.

1. The Board of Revenue submit a report, with statements, from the Superintendent of Stamps, showing the operations of his Department for Fusly 1267, or from 1st July 1857 to 30th June 1858.

2. The gross Revenue of the year amounted to Rupees 8,19,155-3-11, and was composed of the following items :—

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Other items.	67	14	1
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Deducting Rupees 64,752-2-0 on account of Establishment, &c., Rupees 86,448-0-0 on account of refunds, and Rupees 43-8-0 the value of paper plundered by Rohillas, or Rs. 1,51,243-10-0 in all, the net Revenue Rupees 6,67,911-9-11 was Rupees 34,934-12-1 in excess of that of Fusly 1266.

3. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the Superintendent of Stamps to destroy the damaged Stamp papers noted in the margin, writing off to Profit and Loss their value Rupees twelve thousand seven hundred and forty three, annas eight and pice six, and to take credit for the two rolls of paper of the value of one Rupee and a quarter, reported to have been found deficient.

		Rs.	A.	P.
219	*Rolls damaged from stock of Collectors and returned*.....	1,219	8	6
830	*Damaged in consignment*.....	11,524	0	0
		12,743	8	6

4. It is satisfactory to observe from the Statement given by the Board in para. 7, that notwithstanding an annual increase in the amount of refunds and of charges during the last five years, there has also been a progressive increase in the net Revenue, which has risen from Rs. 4,88,972 in Fusly 1263 to Rupees 6,67,911 in the Fusly under review.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

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No. 70.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 18th January, 1859.

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Letter from the Secretary to
the Board of Revenue

/Here enter 11th December 1858 No. 4591/

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Other items -

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of Refunds, and Rupees 43-18-"
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Rupees 1,88,972 in Fusly 1263 to
Rupees 66,911 in the Fusly
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W. H. S.

3 Copies to the Bd of Revs. Dated 19th Oct. with the Accts
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Authorizing the Supt of Stamps to destroy certain damaged stamp papers writing off to Profit & Loss their value Rs 16. 743-8-6 & to take Credit for the 2 rolls of paper of the value of one Rupee and a quarter reported to have been found deficient.

No 41 & 42.