

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 12th April 1859.

No. 33. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 24th March 1859, No. 1042.

Read Extract Minutes Consultation, dated 22nd March 1859, No. 379, R. D., calling for some additional explanation respecting the arrangements for the employment of the new Uncovenanted Deputy Collectors.

(In Con. 23rd March 1859, No.—.)

With respect to p. 4, the Board wish to correct the observation that they recommended that the Officer who superintends the Salt Department in Madras should be placed in the 3rd Class "on the ground that his present pay is Rupees 300." They referred not to Mr. Underwood's present pay, but to "the pay of the Office" which is Rupees 300, and considering the expense of living in Madras and the advisability of preventing frequent changes in this Office, they are of opinion that it is for the interest of Government to increase that salary by Rupees 50 instead of decreasing it to that extent. This however is a point for the decision of Government. They will only add that Mr. Underwood has just applied to be examined in Tamil and that his predecessor, Mr. Campbell, was allowed to draw the full salary, directly he passed in that language and with arrears from the date of his appointment.

2. With respect to the remarks in p. 9, the Board beg to explain that the Additional Sub-Collector in Canara has no Serishtadar. They recommended that two of the four Assistant

**In Malabar only 2 Goomashtas were provided—in Tanjore no servants at all were given.*

Serishtadars should be given to the Special Assistants in Tanjore and Malabar, because no adequate Establishments* were provided for these Officers and the Collectors have had difficulty in supplying them with servants. It was to relieve

the Collector's Establishment, and make the administrative agency more efficient in the Provinces which have these extra Officers, that the Board made their suggestion.

3. The remaining points adverted to by Government will receive immediate attention and be reported on separately hereafter.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Sub-Secretary.*

No. 34.

ORDER THEREON, No. 492; dated 9th April 1859.

On a reconsideration of Mr. W. E. Underwood's case, that gentleman was placed in the third class of Deputy Collectors, by an order in the Gazette of the 29th March, as recommended by the Board.

2. Under the explanation in the second para. of their Proceedings, the Government authorize the Board to assign one of the Assistant Sheristadars to each of the two Special Assistant Collectors, pending a general revision of the Revenue Establishments.

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

The Board to assign

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No 492.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 9th April 1859

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