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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1430 Press ~~Mis.~~

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Dated 24-8- 1869.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 24th August 1860.

No. 299. Read the following letter from W. J. RAYNOR, Esq., Acting Civil Auditor, to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Madras, 14th August 1860, No. 852 :—

SIR,

1. With reference to the 2nd paragraph of the Order of Government in the Revenue Department, dated 13th instant, No. 1,350, I have the honor to state that I arranged on receipt of the Order of Government, dated 31st ultimo, No. 1,272, to pass the revised Abstracts of the Collectorate Establishments, if found to be within the amount for each District shown in the Statement given in that Order, and some of the Abstracts have already been audited, or are in course of audit after comparison with the extracts taken from the detailed Lists subsequently obtained from the Government Office; while in regard to some it has been found necessary to require explanation from the Collector, as the total sum drawn for (including amount previously passed for such portion of the Establishment as had not been affected by the revision) appeared in excess of the proposed cost, and these will be disposed of on receipt of the requisite explanation.

2. Having shown that the Order of 31st July has been duly attended to, I would beg to add that considerable difficulty has been experienced in this Office in dealing with the Abstracts in question, from want of detailed Lists of the revised Establishments of the different Districts, which it is necessary should be furnished, on such occasions, to the Audit Department for *guidance and record.*

No. 300. ORDER THEREON, 24th August 1860, No. 1,430.

1. It will be pointed out to the Civil Auditor that the Order of the Government of India, dated 8th February 1856, No. 663, quoted in the Order of 6th July 1860, No. 1,117, does not restrict the alterations permitted to be made by this Government in the mode which, as appears from paragraph 1 of this letter Mr. Raynor supposed. In the revision of the Collectors' Establishments the cost in some Districts has been raised above their former amount as shown in the statement appended to paragraph 2 of the Order of 31st July last; but under the Order of February 1856 all should be passed, because the total of the whole scheme is not exceeded.

2. The Government would remind the Acting Civil Auditor that great inconvenience is caused by the delay to pay the Establishments.

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

Rev. Dept.

№ 1430.

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Under date the 24th August 1860.

Read the following

Letter from the Acting Civil

Auditor.

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Pro: of the Madras Govt
Dy 24 August 1860

Reminding the
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by the delay to pay the
revised Collectorate
establishments.

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