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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 2287 — Press / Mis.

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Dated 1 - 12 - 1860.

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No. 3. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 20th November 1860, No. 5,406:—

Read the following letter from J. FRASER, Esq., Collector of South Canara, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort Saint George, dated Mangalore, 8th November 1860, No. 186.

SIR,

1. With reference to the last paragraph of the Board's Income Tax Circular and Circular No. 4,872 of 23rd October, I have the honor to report the ministerial servants which I propose to entertain to aid in the levy of the Income Tax in this District, and my reasons for fixing the amount proposed.

2. The whole number of people liable to taxation in South Canara has been roughly estimated at 962 divided as follows:—

Town of Mangalore	350
Táluq of do.	157
Do. of Cassergode	111
Do. of Ooperangadi	25
Do. of Udipi	319
	962

For each of these Divisions I propose to allow as follows:—

1 Clerk 20 Rupees...	20
2 Peons, at 5 Rupees each	10
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except in the Ooperangadi Táluq, where the number of payers being small, two Peons for distributing Income Tax return forms will only be required.

3. The Establishment which I propose, I consider to be the smallest that can possibly be entertained for the duties required, I believe they will be found sufficient, but if not, they can be increased; I wish to incur no more expense at first than is absolutely indispensable.

4. For my own Office I propose to entertain one Head Clerk on Rupees 50
and one Copyist on ... ... „ 20
Rupees...70

The whole monthly cost for the entire District will therefore amount to Rupees 200, or from 8 to 9 per cent. on the expected revenue.

1. Ordered to be submitted to Government with the Board's recommendation that the Collector be authorized to employ the proposed Establishment for his own office.

2. The Board are not aware that Government are prepared to sanction any Táluq Establishments, and Peons in any case they consider unnecessary. Notices and forms can be sent through the Táluq post, and the collection of tax must be made by the same machinery as is provided for the Land Revenue.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Acting Secretary.*

No. 4. ORDER THEREON, 1st December 1860, No. 2,287.

The Government concur in the views of the Board of Revenue as expressed in paragraph 2 and sanction the Establishment recommended in paragraph 1.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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Submitting a letter
from the Collector of South
Canara with the Boards
recommendation that he be
authorized to employ the proposed
Establishment on account
of the Income Tax for his
own office.—

With an order

No 3406

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No. 2287.

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ment recommended in
para 1.

J. D.

Fort St. George
1st December
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Note. There are great
variations in the Establish-
ments & rates of pay pro-
posed by the different Collrs
but perhaps matters of the nature
had better be left for after-ad
justment on some definite basis

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