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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 2196 Press ~~Mis.~~

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Dated 21— 11— 1861.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 21st November 1861.

No. 217. Read the following letter from W. BALMAIN, Esq., Officiating Sub-Treasurer, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 29th October 1861, No. 545 :—

SIR,

1. With reference to the Proceedings of Government, No. 2,050 of October 26th, I have the honor to state that the objection to make the advances in question, was not founded on the Order of the Government of India, May 3rd 1861; but on the general instructions contained in Proceedings No. 3,545 of March 15th 1861, requiring the Sub-Treasurer to make advances on account of Civil charges, only on a Treasury Order, to be issued by Government.

2. The orders of the Government of India of May 3rd and of July 1st 1861, were not communicated to this Office, but these orders had, I understand, reference only to advances made on bills audited by the Civil Paymaster, in accordance with the orders of the Madras Government, No. 475 of April 1856, and did not refer to Treasury advances before audit, under orders of November 12th 1860.

3. If the bills of the advances had been previously audited, they would of course have been discharged. If the sums are to be paid before audit, I have the honor to request authority for considering all such advances as excluded from the operation of the Order of the Government of India No. 3,545 of March 15th.

No. 218. ORDER THEREON, 21st November 1861, No. 2,196.

1. Ordered that the bills of the Superintendent of Revenue Survey for advances to be paid to his Subordinates, be audited by the Civil Paymaster before they are paid by the Sub-Treasurer.

2. This is the practice followed in regard to advances paid to the Subordinates of the Public Works and Educational Departments.

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

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Fort St George
21st Nov 61
Sub Treasurer £1 22
Supt of Revenue Survey £1
Director of Revenue Settlement £21
Civil Paymaster £22

Pte 2 April 1856 No 21-22
Pte 12 November 1860 No 192 193
Pte 26 April 1861 No 430 431
Pte 11 June 1861 No 29-30
Pte 6 August 1861 No 109-110
Pte 26 Oct 1861 No 319-320

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(10) Pro: of Govt for Nov.
No: 2571
from
The Sub Treasurer
to
The Chief Secretary
to Govt.

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Dated 29 C.
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No 2196. 21st November
With an Order.
Dated with reference
to Pro: of Govt.
of Ccon. 26 Ino. 2050
Thus Re objection
to make the Advance
in question was
sanctioned on the general
instruction contained
in Pro: No. 3645 of
March 18 C. 1861.