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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Dated 28. 5. 1862.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 28th May 1862.

No. 532. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 26th May 1862, No. 1,898 :—

Sanction Rupees 90, the pay of the Military Pension Establishment at Nellore for March and April 1862. (Vide Military Proceedings, 26th May 1862, Nos. 518, 519.)

No. 533. ORDER THEREON, 28th May 1862, No. 1,193.

Forwarded to the Board of Revenue for communication to the Collector of Nellore, with reference to his letter dated 24th April 1862, No. 84.

(Signed) P. P. HUTCHINS,
Acting Deputy Secretary to Government.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

d the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 2nd May 1862, No. 2,820.—
d the following letter from J. W. B. DYKES, Esq., Collector of Nellore, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Kishnapatnam, 24th April 1862, No. 84.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Board's Proceedings, under date the 3th instant, No. 2,321, communicating the sanction of the Controller of Military Finance for a evised Establishment for the payment of Military Pensioners in this District, and to state for ie information of the Board that measures have been adopted for the revised Establishment ing brought into force from the 1st proximo.

2. And in requesting that the Board will be pleased to obtain sanction for the payment of 90 Rupees to the existing Establishment of Military Writers for the months of March and April 1862, at 45 Rupees per month, I have the honor to enclose a copy of a letter from the English Head Clerk, in charge of the Treasury, explaining the previous practice in regard to the Receipts and Disbursements of the allowance drawn in the Military Department for Writers and Stationery.

3. From paragraph 4 of the said letter, the Board will observe that notwithstanding the Orders of Government, the late Deputy Collector Cornelius Pillai paid the salaries of the Military Writers for January and February 1862, without consulting me, out of the balance of the allowance drawn prior to 1st January 1862, which was in deposit in the Treasury. Cornelius Pillai having left the District, I have not called on him for an explanation of this irregularity.

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1. Ordered to be submitted to Government with the Board's recommendation that sanction be recorded for the payment of the Military Pension Establishment at Rupees 45 per mensem, for the months of March and April, as it is presumed that the charge can be met from the Military Budget Estimate of 1861-62.

2. The Government will observe that the Deputy Collector has most improperly on his own authority paid this Establishment for the months of January and February, meeting the charge from a sum which appeared in deposit in consequence of the system followed in keeping the accounts connected with disbursements for the Military Pension Department. The Board are willing to believe that the Deputy Collector was not intentionally guilty of thus exceeding his authority, but his conduct is deserving of censure.

3. With reference to the report from the Head Clerk, signed "in charge of the Treasury," the Board observe that they have already informed Mr. Dykes that his placing any person not appointed by Government in charge of his Treasury was contrary to rule.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL, *Sub-Secretary.*

ORDER THEREON, 17th May 1862, No. 1,088.

1. Orders will be passed in the Military Department regarding the payment of the Establishment.

2. The Board will censure Cornelius Pillai for his improper conduct in this matter.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Military Department.
" Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Proceedings of the
Madras Govt. in the
Military Dept.

Dated 26th May
Received 26th 1862.
No. 1898.

Sanction to
the pay of the Military
Pension Estabt. at
Nellore for March
and April 1862.

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No. 1192 — 28 May
With an order

Military Department

No. 1898.

The Governor in Council sanctions the payment of the Military Pension Establishment at Nellore, at Rupees (45) forty five per mensem, for the months of March and April last, and authorises the Controller of Military Finance, to adjust the same.

Fort St. George
26th May 1862

A. Maunsell Lt.
Secretary to Govt.

To
The Controller of Military Finance
—"— Military Accountant
—"— Revenue Department

Forwarded to the Board of Revenue for communication to the Collector of Nellore in the case to this letter of 24th April 1862 & 84.

Fort St. George
28th May 1862
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