

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1344	Press Mis.
273-274		
Dated	18	6 — 1862.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
18th June 1862.*

No. 273. Read the following letter from W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to J. D. SIM, Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 6th June 1862, No. 3,639:—

SIR,

With reference to the Order of Government, dated 15th March 1862, No. 580, requesting the Board to report what reductions of Establishments are feasible in consequence of the abolition of the License tax, I am directed by the Board to state for the information of Government that no special Establishments were either sanctioned or entertained for the collection of the Trades duty, and that consequently no reductions can be effected. A few of the Collectors applied for some assistance for the purpose of collecting the tax, and they were instructed to meet the charge wherever necessary out of the 3 per cent. commission. Only in the case of Kurnool was a Gumastah on 40 Rupees a month sanctioned by Government on the Collector's application in their Order, dated 8th February 1862, No. 234; but the orders of the Supreme Government abolishing the Trades duty having been communicated to all the Collectors with the Board's Circular, dated 8th March 1862, No. 1,570, any Establishment entertained specially for the purpose must have been discontinued with it.

Ordered that the following letter be despatched.

No. 274. From J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, dated Fort Saint George, 18th June 1862, No. 1,344.

SIR,

1. With reference to the latter part of the Financial Resolution of the Government of India, dated 21st February 1862, No. 26, I am directed by His Excellency the Governor in Council to inform you that no special Establishments were either sanctioned or entertained for the collection of the License Tax, and that therefore no reductions can be effected in the Establishments of this Presidency in consequence of the abolition of that Tax.

2. The provision made in the Budget for 1862-63 for the collection of the tax, amounted to Rupees 52,541,* but the greater portion thereof, viz., Rupees 48,744 was the authorized commission of 3 per cent. on the collections, which as a matter of course ceased to be charged simultaneously with the abolition of the tax. The sum entered for contingencies will also not be required.

	RS.
* Commission.....	48,744
Contingencies.....	3,800
Total ..	52,544

Revenue Board Office
Madras

6th June 1862.

From

W. Huddleston Esq.

Secretary to the Board of Revenue

To

J. P. Sim Esq.

Secretary to Government

Revenue Department

Sir,

With reference to the Order of Government dated 15th March 1862 No 586 requesting the Board to report what reductions of Establishments are feasible in consequence of the abolition of the License Tax, I am directed by the Board to state for the information of Government that no special Establishments were either sanctioned or entertained for the collection of the Trades duty, and that consequently no reductions can be effected. A few of the Collectors applied for some assistance for the purpose of collecting the Tax, and they were instructed to meet the charge wherever necessary out of the 3 per Cent

Commission

commission, Only in the case of Karnool...
was a Gumastah on 10 Rupees a month.
Sanctioned by Government on the Collector's
application in their order dated 8th February
1862 N^o 231, but the orders of the Supreme
Government abolishing the Trade duty having
been communicated to all the Collectors
with the Board's Circular dated 5th March
1862 N^o 1570, any Establishment entertained
specially for the purpose must have
been discontinued with it.

Revenue Bd. Office, } I have the honor to be
Madras } Sir
6th June 1862. } Your most obedient servant

James
Secretary

To
J. C. Sim Esq.
Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

L. P. Amphlett
C^o P^o W^o M^o T^o W^o W^o

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Siri

With reference
to the latter part of the
Financial Resolution of
the Govt of India dated
21st February 1862 No 26,
I am directed by His
Excellency the Governor
in Council to inform you
that no special establish-
ments were either sanc-
tioned or entertained for
the collection of the Pioneer
Tax (an) that therefore
no reductions can be
effected in the establish-
ments ^{of the Presidency} in consequence
of the abolition of that
Tax -

2 The provision
made in the Budget
for

W. C. Smith
D. C. Smith
L. C.

Box: 8: L 260/62 500/143 - 144

Dec = 1862 (1) 1/4
 Dec of Govt for Anne
 17 = 1613.

The Secretary to the
Board of Directors

Wm. H. Heyburn Esq.
Cincinnati

Handy

Oxford Co. }
 (Book 6 }
 Dec. 42 }
 1862

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J. D. B. - 1344 - 18 June

stating that no

reduction of establishedments
can be effected, in consequence
of the ~~decrease~~ abolition
of the ~~House~~ House too, and
no special establishments
were either demanded
or undertaken for the
collection of the tax in

question.

With much love

Confused

Ordered that the following

Letter to Aunt

My
Dear Sir

There can be

9/13/04

Original No. 1

for 1862/63 for the
collection of the Lac
amounted to \$52,544, commission - 4,874.4
but the greater portion contingencies - 3,800.
thereof vizt. \$48,744 Total - 52,544.
was the authorized com-
mission of 3% on the
collections which as a
matter of course ceased
to be charged simulta-
neously with the abolition
of the Lac. The same
rules for contingencies
will also not be ^{renewed} ~~discontinued~~.

L.D.S.

Fort St. George
18th June 1862

To, The Secy to Govt of India:
License Tax Statutebook.

Permu 1862 Depantt.
Dro: of Govt for Licence.

21/3/44.

To The Secretary to the
Govt of India
Financial Deptt
1st June 1862.

With reference to your letter
intimating that no special
statutebooks were
entertained for the collection
of the license tax, and that
therefore no reductions
in the schedule in the
statutebooks consequent
on the abolition of that
tax.

21/3/44 + 2/4.