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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 30th January 1862.

No. 286. Read the following letter from H. NEWILL, Esq., Director of Revenue Settlement, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 4th January 1862, No. $\frac{6}{2}$:—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to submit for the consideration of Government the question of charging the Settlement Department with the pay of Officers belonging to it, when temporarily transferred to the Revenue line.

2. The question arises out of the case of Mr. T. Pritchard, a Probationary Assistant in my Department, who stood appointed also as a Second Assistant with the view to his taking up that post in the Kurnool party, and who was gazetted on the 19th July last to act as a Deputy Collector during the absence on sick certificate of the permanent incumbent, or until further orders.

3. Mr. Pritchard, not having taken up his appointment as a Second Assistant, drew, while in his acting appointment, a moiety of his pay as a Probationary Assistant, or Rupees one hundred per mensem, which has been charged to the Settlement Department without any advantage of his service, but, on the contrary, with the inconvenience of the Department being deprived of him just as he became acquainted with his duties.

4. In the case of an Officer* transferred from the Revenue line to fill a temporary vacancy in the Settlement Department, the latter has been charged with the whole amount of salary and allowances drawn by him, no portion whatever being drawn out of the salary of his permanent [illegible] and it appears only consistent that if the Settlement Department is made fully chargeable with the pay of Officers temporarily transferred to it from the Revenue line, it should be relieved of the charge of the pay of any Officer temporarily transferred from it to the Revenue line.

*Mr. Stuart, Deputy Collector, appointed to act as Deputy Director of Revenue Settlement in Wainád. Proceedings of Government, dated 5th October 1860, No. 1,804.

5. It may be observed that the funds of the Settlement Department are separate and distinct from those of the Revenue Department, and that the case in question is very different from that of a Revenue Officer being transferred from a situation in one District, to act in another District, both being in the same Department.

6. I beg therefore that the Government will be pleased to grant sanction, that the moiety drawn by Mr. Pritchard out of a Probationary Assistant's pay during the time he was acting in the Revenue line, may be made chargeable to the Revenue Department, and that the Settlement Department may be relieved of the same.

No. 287. ORDER THEREON, 30th January 1862, No. 145.

Referred to the Civil Paymaster for report.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

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The Director of Revenue
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To The Secretary to Govt
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Letter and Order

Submitting for the consideration of Government the question of charging the Settlement Department with the pay of Officers belonging but when temporarily transferred to the Revenue Line, and requesting for reasons stated that the monthly salary drawn by Cheer Pulchand as Rohatsuay Assistant Director of Revenue Settlement while acting as Dep'y Collector in South Arcot may be made chargeable to the Revenue Department

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