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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 13th September 1862.

No. 225. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 5th September 1862, No. 3,085 :—

Communicating orders directing Civil Authorities to retain charge of the Pensioners at Guntoor and Condapilly pending the appointment of a Military Officer to that duty.

(Vide Military Proceedings, 5th September 1862, Nos. 162A. 162B.)

No. 226. ORDER THEREON, 13th September 1862, No. 1,966.

Communicated to the Board of Revenue, with reference to Government Order in the Revenue Department, dated 28th August 1862, No. 1,833.

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

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 25th July 1862, No. 4,844.

Read the following letters:—

From G. THORNHILL, Esq., Collector of the Kistna District, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Masulipatam, 12th July 1862, No. 146.

SIR,

1. Adverting to the Board's Standing Circular of the 25th ultimo, No. 4,089, communicating Order of Government relieving the Civil authorities at certain Stations from the duty of paying Military Pensioners, I have the honor to state for the information of the Board, that in the list of Stations in which the Civil authorities have been relieved from the duty in question, Guntur is not entered.

2. With Guntur, Condapally is joined, and there are 1,667 pensioners to be paid at the two Stations. This duty was formerly performed by the Invalid Officer at Guntur, and has now devolved on the Sub-Collector.

3. The Sub-division of this District is one of the largest in the Presidency, and the proper duties of the Sub-Collector occupy his full time. I trust therefore that the Board will apply to Government to have Guntur also included in the list, and that arrangements may be speedily made to relieve the Sub-Collector of this duty.

From H. G. SMITH, Esq., Acting Collector of South Arcot, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Cuddalore, 15th July 1862, No. 136.

SIR,

1. In reading over the Proceedings of Government, dated 21st June 1862, No. 2,217, in which they order, for reasons assigned, by various Revenue authorities (all of which are nearly the same), that the Pension Establishment of the places named in the margin shall be re-placed on their old footing, or rather that the Revenue authorities shall no longer be burdened with the work of superintending them, I regret to observe that Cuddalore is left out, the only reason for which that I can imagine is that the case has never been represented to Government.

Chicacole.	Arcot.
Vizagapatam.	Arnee.
Vizianagrum.	Trichinopoly.
Rajahmundry.	Mount.
Ellore.	Berhampore.
Samulcotta.	Bellary.
Masulipatam.	

2. Offering then without here recapitulating them the same reasons as those assigned by other Revenue authorities, I beg most strongly to recommend that South Arcot may be included in the abovementioned list.

3. There are upwards of 900 pensioners to be paid, and the work has hitherto occupied nearly fifteen days of my Assistant's time, which renders him almost useless to the Collector, a matter of no little importance when the paucity of Revenue Officers in the District is considered.

Ordered to be submitted to Government, with the Board's recommendation that Guntur and Cuddalore be added to the list of excepted stations, as the large number of pensioners to be paid at them respectively* renders it highly desirable that the Civil Department should not be burdened with this extra duty.

	Rs.
* Guntur and Condapilly combined...	1,667
Cuddalore, upwards of.....	900

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary.*

ORDER THEREON, 28th August 1862, No. 1,833.

1. Looking to the number of pensioners payable at Guntur and Condapillay, and to the fact that Guntur is one of the largest Sub-Collectorates in the Presidency, having only lately been reduced from a separate Collectorate, the Governor in Council resolves to add those stations to the list of places to be exempted from the operation of the Military Order dated 27th November 1861, No. 4,306.

2. With regard to Cuddalore the Government consider that sufficient reason has not been shown for altering the rule in its favor. They do not understand why the work is not performed by the Deputy Collector in charge of the Treasury. It must be very inconvenient to the Collector to have his Assistant occupied in pension work for fifteen days in each month.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Military Department
,, Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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With an Order

Military Department.

Nº 3085.

Communicated to His Excellency the Commander in Chief and Departments concerned.

2. The Civil Authorities will retain charge of the Pensioners at Guntoor and Condapillay, pending the appointment of a Military Officer to the duty in question.

3. Ordered that the following G.O. by G.G. be published G.O. by Government - Home Dept. 5th Sept. 1862 Nº 352

5th September/62

R. Maxwell Lt Col
Dy: Secy: to Govt.

To the Revenue Dept.
" Adjutant General
" Supt. of Pensions and Family Payments
" Controller of Military Finance
" Accountant General
" Military Accountant