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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 29th June 1863.

No. 431. Read the following letter from J. MAYER, Esq., Secretary Medical Fund, to J. D. SIM, Esq, Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Fort Saint George, 2nd May 1863, No. 213:—

SIR,

In acknowledging the receipt of your Official Memorandum of date the 30th ultimo, I have the honor, by desire of the Trustees of the Medical Fund, to forward to you the annexed correspondence with the Accountant General, in reference to the Proceedings of Government dated 17th January last, No. 114, and to request that you will have the goodness to place yourself in communication with the Accountant General, as to the cause of his not having called for the List of Pensioners and Annuitants from 1st August 1860 to 31st December 1861, which the Trustees promised him to furnish in the event of his requiring it.

From J. L. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Acting Accountant General, to the Secretary to the Medical Fund, Madras, dated Fort Saint George, 28th January 1863, No. 5,791.

SIR,

1. With reference to the Order* of Government No. 114, dated 17th instant, Revenue Department, forwarding copy of a letter from the Financial Secretary to the Government of India, to the address of the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay, No. 1,411G, dated 24th December 1862, in which it is directed that the Lists of Pensions and Annuities from the different funds, should be submitted on the 1st August of each year, commencing from 1860, the year in which the Income Tax was introduced, I have the honor to request that you will have the goodness to inform me, whether Income Tax has been recovered from the pensioners and annuitants of your Fund, for the years 1860 and 1861, and if recovered, by whom, and how disposed of?

* Which was communicated to you.

2. If the pensions and annuities for the years abovementioned have not been assessed, you are requested to state, whether there is any objection to my instructing the Secretary and Treasurer of the Bank of Madras, and Collector of Income Tax, to assess the tax for those years now, in addition to that to be realized by them for this year, on the said pensions and annuities, on lists being furnished to them by you, through this Office.

3. You will be good enough also to inform me of the period to which your list, furnished to me last year, has reference.

4. Your future lists should be made to embrace the period of the Income Tax year, that is, from 1st August to 31st July.

From J. E. MAYER, Esq., Secretary Medical Fund, to J. L. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Acting Accountant General, dated Fort Saint George, 3rd February 1863, No. 87.

SIR,

1. In acknowledging the receipt of your letter dated 28th ultimo, I have the honor, by desire of the Trustees of the Medical Fund, to state that they believe that Income Tax on half yearly Pensions and Annuities due from 1st July 1860, has been deducted from the orders presented for payment at the General Treasury on or after 1st January 1861. This fact can be correctly ascertained by referring to the accounts of the Sub-Treasurer for January 1861 to February 1862, and to those of the Bank of Madras after the last named month. Should it appear that no such deduction has been made by the Sub-Treasurer a list of Pensioners and Annuitants who drew their allowances in India, from 1st July 1860 to 31st December 1861, will be furnished to you should you require one.

2. In reply to your 2nd paragraph, I am directed to state that the easy mode of recovering the tax for 1860 and 1861 is by deduction from the orders which will be presented for payment at the Madras Bank, instead of realizing the same through the Collector of Income Tax, who will have to undergo some difficulty both in correspondence and in collecting the money. The Trustees see no objection to your instructing the Secretary and Treasurer of the Bank of Madras to assess the arrears of tax should this not have been done already.

3. In conclusion I am directed to add that all pensions from the fund are paid half-yearly in arrears, *i. e.* from 1st July to December and from 1st January to 30th June of each year. So that if the tax on the pension for July of the first year (say 1860) has been recovered, there will be no necessity for you to realize the same on the pension for the same month of the year in which the tax will cease to exist.

No. 432.

ORDER THEREON, 29th June 1863, No. 1,110.

Transferred to the Accountant General for disposal, with reference to the orders of the Government of India, recorded in the Proceedings of this Government, 21th December 1862 and 17th January 1863, Nos. 2,372 and 114.

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

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