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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1684

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Dated 12—9—~~19~~1860

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, *12th September* 1863.

Read the following papers:—

No. 168. From W. T. BLAIR, Esq., Acting Inám Commissioner, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Coimbatore, 17th August 1863, No. 47.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to submit for the sanction of Government a Supplemental Budget Estimate for the current official year for Rupees 16,000, which has been necessitated by circumstances unforeseen at the time the Budget was drawn* up.

2. In the Budget provision was made for eight Deputy Collectors, five for the whole year and three for six months only. There are at present nine at work, with little probability of the services of any of them being dispensed with much before the end of the official year.

3. It had been arranged at the time the Budget was framed that A. Sudarsana Rau's services should be transferred to the Revenue Settlement Department, and hence no provision was made for him for any portion of the current official year. Subsequently, however, his services not being required in that Department, they were re-transferred to this, but no corresponding alteration was made in the estimate of expenditure. The late transfer of Paptaiya to Vizagapatam would have been a set off against this, but for his services being still required by this Department, to complete the Inám Settlement of that District.

4. When it was proposed to retain three of the Deputies for six months of the year only, it was not expected that the work in Madura and Tinnevelly would be so considerable as it was afterwards found to be on Mr. Taylor's actually visiting those Districts. There was in fact no accounts whatever of the number and extent of Ináms in the large Zamindaries of Rámnád and Sivagunga, which subsequent inquiry has shown to be sufficiently extensive to take up the time of a Deputy Collector for a whole year.

5. The settlement of Tanjore which it was hoped would have been completed before this, is still in progress, and likely to occupy several months more, on account of the peculiar intricacy of the work of Registration in that District.

6. The work in the Salem and Coimbatore Districts is drawing to a close, but the exact date when it will be completed cannot be precisely stated. But as soon as these Districts are finished, the services of the two Deputies now employed there will probably have to be transferred to Trichinopoly and Tinnevelly, which have not yet actually been taken up.

7. The settlement of Madura is now fairly progressing under three Deputies, one settling the Zamindaries, and the others the Government Talooks, but it will be several months before the whole District is finished.

8. One Deputy Collector is now completing the work in the Madras District, which will probably occupy him four months longer, after which his services will be transferred to Nellore to finish what remains undone in that District in consequence of the transfer of Chentsal Rau's services to the Central Office.

9. From the above sketch of the present state of work in the Department, the Government will observe that the services of all the nine Deputies will be required for nearly, if not, the whole of the current official year.

10. It becomes, therefore, necessary to supplement the Budget amount by the cost of one Deputy Collector with his establishment for the whole year, and that of three with their establishments for the remaining six months of the year. It may happen that the whole of this sum will not require to be spent, but to guard against all chances of a deficiency it will be desirable that sanction should be granted for the full amount.

11. I do not anticipate savings to such considerable extent under any of the heads of the sanctioned Budget, as would go far towards meeting the proposed additional expenditure. Small sums which may be saved under some minor heads will be fully required to meet sundry unforeseen contingencies, which are not unlikely to occur at the close of a large undertaking.

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Comm^r in preparing the Estimates, and the Govt. [illegible]
me as it wishes to pass [illegible]
[illegible] neglect [illegible]

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* October 1862.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
12th September 1863.

Supplemental Estimate of charges against income, Revenue Department, Inâm Commission, for the year ending 30th April 1864.

	Amount.		
	RS.	A.	P.
3 Deputy Collectors. Salary for six months at 250 Rupees each per mensem.	4,500	0	0
1 Do. Salary for the whole year at 250 Rupees per mensem.	3,000	0	0
3 Do. Fixed travelling allowance for six months at 3 Rupees per diem	1,638	0	0
1 Do. do. for the whole year at 3 Rupees per diem ...	1,095	0	0
Establishment of three Deputy Collectors for six months	2,965	0	0
Contingencies of do. for do.	450	0	0
Establishment of one Deputy Collector for the whole year	1,977	0	0
Contingencies of do. for do.	300	0	0
	15,925	0	0
Or in round numbers...	16,000	0	0

COIMBATORE,
17th August 1863.

(Signed) W. T. BLAIR,
Acting Inâm Commissioner.

No. 169. From R. W. LODWICK, Esq., Acting Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, to the Government of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 1st September 1863, No. 177.

1. Your Memorandum No. 186, dated 27th August 1863, enclosures returned.

2. The amount of the supplemental Estimate of the Inâm Commissioner, Rupees 16,000, could be met from savings in his Budget as per Memorandum from the Civil Paymaster hereto annexed.

No. 1,213.

At the rates now being passed monthly in this Office for the Inâm Commissioner's Department, about Rupees 1,26,000 will be required to the close of the current year out of the Budget Grant of Rupees 1,47,096, an unexpended balance of about 21,000 may thus be expected at the close of the year.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
31*st August* 1863.

(Signed) W. J. RAYNOR,
Officiating Civil Paymaster.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) T. MURRAY,
Acting 2nd Assistant Accountant General.

No. 170. ORDER THEREON, 12th September 1863, No. 1,684.

Ordered that a copy of the Accountant General's letter be furnished to the Acting Inâm Commissioner for his information. Such extra charges as may be incurred during the rest of the year will be paid out of savings.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Inâm Commissioner.
" Acting Accountant General.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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11. I do not anticipate savings to such considerable extent under any of the heads of the sanctioned Budget, as would go far towards meeting the proposed additional expenditure. Small sums which may be saved under some minor heads will be fully required to meet sundry unforeseen contingencies which are not unlikely to occur at the close of a large undertaking.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant
W T Blair
Ag. Inâm Commissioner

10 December/62 No 139/141.

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Revn. 1863 Septr.
Procs. of Govt. for Septr.
No. 1960.
From
The Ag. Inam Commr.
To The Secretary to Govt.
Revenue Dept.
Fort St. George
Dated 17th August 1863.
Received 2 Sept.
No. 47.
Enclosure - 1.
S. C. No. 1584. 12 Septr.
Submits, for Sanction
for reasons assigned,
a supplemental
Budget-Estimate for
Rs 1600 for the Official
year 1863/64.

No. 768.

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Budget & Finance DEPARTMENT.

No. 177

FROM Ag.
THE DEPUTY AUDITOR AND ACCOUNTANT GENERAL
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

To
THE Chief Secretary to Government.

dated Madras the 1 September 1863.

Your ~~letter~~ Memo. No. 186. dated 27 August 1863. Enclosures Returned.

The amount of the Supplemental Estimate of the Inam Commissioner Rs 1600. could be met from Savings in his Budget as per Memo from the Civil Paymaster hereto annexed.

W. A. Goodrich
Ag. Dy. Audr. & Acct. General.

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No. 1213.

At the rates now being passed monthly in this office for the Inam Commissioner's Department about Rs. 126,000 will be required to the close of the current year out of the Budget grant of Rs. 147,096. an unexpended balance of about 21,000 may thus be expected at the close of the year

Civil Paymaster's Office
Fort St. George
31st August 1863.

(Signed) W. J. Raynor
Offg. Civil Paymaster.

No. 169

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True Copy

Ths. Murray
Actg. 2d Asstt. Acctt. General.

Revenue 1863 No. 177
Recd. from Budget for Septr.
Comm. No. 2088.
The Actg. Dy. Audr. and Accountant Genl.
To
The Chief Secretary to Govern.
Dated 1st Septr. 1863
Recd. 3rd do. 1863

G.O. No. 1684, 12 Septr.

Informs that the Supplt. Estimate of the Inam Commr. for Rs. 16,000 could be met from savings in his Budget.

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Revenue Department
No. 1684

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 12th Septr. 1863

Read the following papers.

From the Ag. Inam Commissioner

Submits, for Sanction for reasons assigned, a Supplemental Budget Estimate for Rs. 1600 for the Official year 1863/64. } (Here enter 17th Augt. 1863 No. 47.)

From the Ag. Dy. Aud. and Accountant General —.

Informs that the Supplemental Estimate of the Inam Commissioner for Rs. 16,000, could be met from savings in his Budget. } (Here enter 1st Sepr. 1863 No. 177.)

Ordered that a copy of the Accountant General's letter be furnished to the Ag. Inam Commissioner for his information. Such extra

extra charges as may be incurred during the rest of the year will be paid out of ~~the~~ savings. –

J. D.

W. H. B.

To
5 The Ag Indian Commr – Dept 15th Sept
3 The Acctt General –

Revenue 1863 Deptt.
Pro: of Govt. for Septr.

No 1684

Pro: of the Madras Govt.
Dd 12th Septr/63.

From Inam Commissioner
24 Sept/63 No 2320.

From Inam Commissioner
2 Novr. 63 No 2681 in Pro.

Letter from the
Inam Commissioner
submitting supple-
-mental Budget for
1863/64, for sanction,
with orders thereon.

No 168 @ 170.