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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 4th November 1863.

No. 29. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd October 1863, No. 6,781:—

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Read also the following letter from the same Officer, dated 24th September 1863, No. 134.

1. With reference to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 5,114 of 17th August 1863, requesting to be informed whether the sum of Rupees 1,500, recommended for the purpose of Talook Exhibitions, can be met from the surplus which may remain out of the sanctioned Budget, I have the honor to state that the charge can be defrayed out of the items specified in the accompanying Memorandum.

2. The amount available for the purpose in question has been calculated with reference to the actual expenditure of the previous year, *i. e.*, 1862-63.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

ABSTRACT.—Memorandum showing the items from which the charge of Rupees 1,500 can be met.

1. Ordered that the above letters be submitted for the orders of Government with reference to paragraph 1 of their Proceedings, No. 1,001, dated 9th June 1863, in which they observe that they will be prepared to place a moderate sum at the disposal of the Acting Collector of Bellary, for the prizes at the proposed Talook Agricultural Exhibitions, on being informed how the expenditure can be met from the Budget grant for 1863-64.

2. In the first letter recorded above, Mr. Wedderburn submitted a list of the prizes to be competed for, amounting in all to Rupees 1,500, which charge he suggested might be incurred out of the Local Fund, "as a matter of improvement," because the provision made in this Budget Estimate, for unforeseen Revenue charges, amounting to Rupees 6,000 had been struck out of the passed Budget for 1863-64.

3. The Board approved of the list of prizes, but objected to the charge being defrayed from the Local Fund which is devoted to other special purposes, and suggested that it might be met from the surplus, which it is probable will remain from the total amount of the sanctioned Budget.

4. The Acting Collector has accordingly submitted a Memorandum of the expected balances from which the charge can be met, which, however, embraces major heads other than that (B IV Miscellaneous,) under which provision has been made in the Districts of Nellore and Tinnevelly for the expenses of similar Exhibitions; and the Board are disposed to believe, looking at the Statement now in their Office, showing the actual disbursements in comparison with the Budget Estimate of 1863-64 in the District of Bellary for August 1863, that a balance sufficient to cover the proposed expenditure will remain under the single head of B IV Micellaneous, the total amount of which is Rupees 13,925, out of which only Rupees 1,948 had been expended during the five months the transactions of which are included in the Statement.

5. It thus appears that there will be no difficulty in meeting the charge in question, which the Board recommend the Acting Collector may be authorized to incur from the balances that may remain under any heads in the passed Estimate.

No. 30. ORDER THEREON, 4th November 1863, No. 1,979.

Sanction is accordingly granted for Rupees (1,500), one thousand and five hundred, to be debited to the savings under B IV "Miscellaneous."

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
" Acting Accountant General.
" Acting Civil Paymaster.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 5,114.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 17th August 1863.

Read the following letter from A. WEDDERBURN, Esq., Acting Collector of Bellary, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 27th July 1863, No. 113 :—

1. In reply to the order of the Board of Revenue, dated 12th June 1863, requesting me to state from what source the sum of Rupees 1,500 recommended for the purpose of Taluk Exhibitions, should be defrayed, I have the honor to suggest that the charge be incurred out of the Local Fund, as a matter of improvement, because the provision made in the Budget Estimate, forwarded from this Office, for unforeseen Revenue charges, amounting to Rupees 6,000, has been struck out of the passed Budget for 1863-64.

2. Enclosed is a Memorandum of the prizes I would recommended for distribution.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

List of Taluk Exhibition prizes to be adjudged by the Collector, Sub, Head Assistant, and Deputy Collectors during the settlement of Fasli 1273 *(1863-64) in the District of Bellary.*

Names of Taluks.	Names of Articles.	Quantity of articles to be exhibited.	Amount of prize.	Remarks.
			RS.	
Hospet.	*Western Taluks.*			
	Paddy...	25 Seers. ...	25	In addition to the specified quantity of grain, bundles of straw with ears must also be produced.
	Jaggery...	2 Maunds...	10	
	Tobacco...	1 do. ...	10	
	Ape fibre	1 do. ...	10	
	Wild aloe fibre	1 do. ...	15	Specimens of gunny and other cloth or rope, &c., made of the fibres should be produced.
	Date do.	1 do. ...	10	
	Dying stuff (Muddichucka)... ...	1 do. ...	10	
	Iron with specimens of iron stone...	2 do. ...	10	
		Total...	100	
Kudligi.	Cocoanuts	100 in No...	10	A lot containing not less than 50 cocoanuts to be exhibited.
	Best American Cotton from Dharwar acclimatized seed.	Not less than one bale of 250 lbs.	60	
	Iron with specimens of iron stone.	2 Maunds....	10	The Cumlies should be of the best kind and seven yards by two yards or more.
	Black Cumblies...	3 in No. ...	20	
		Total...	100	
Huvinhadgali.	Best American Cotton from Dharwar acclimatized seed.	Not less than one bale of 250 lbs.	60	
	Country Hemp...	1 Maund. ...	15	Specimens of gunny and other cloth or rope, &c., made of the fibres should be produced.
	Gogu fibre	1 do. ...	15	
	Date fibre...	1 do. ...	10	
		Total...	100	
Harpanhalli.	Best American Cotton from Dharwar acclimatized seed.	Not less than one bale of 250 lbs.	60	
	Country Hemp...	1 Maund ...	15	Specimens of gunny and other cloth or rope, &c., made of the fibres should be produced.
	Gogu fibre...	1 do. ...	15	
	Date fibre...	1 do. ...	10	
		Total...	100	

List of Taluk Exhibition prizes, &c. (Continued).

Number of Taluks.	Names of Articles.	Quantity of articles to be exhibited.	Amount of price.	Remarks.
	Eastern Taluks.		RS.	
Gutty.	Best indigenous Cotton.	Not less than one bale of 250 lbs.	50	
	Indigo...	1 Maund. ...	50	
		Total...	100	
Taudpatry.	Best indigenous Cotton.	Not less than one bale of 250 lbs.	50	
	Indigo...	1 Maund. ...	50	
		Total...	100	
Anantapur.	Paddy...	25 Seers. ...	25	See remark opposite to Paddy in Hospet Taluk.
	Horse gram...	50 do. ...	10	
	Ragulu	100 do. ...	10	
	Whild aloe fibre	1 Maund. ...	15	
		Total...	60	
	Southern Taluks.			
Raidrug.	Paddy...	25 Seers ...	25	
	Gogu fibre...	1 Maund ...	15	Do.
	Ape fibre...	1 do. ...	10	
	Wild aloe fibre...	1 do. ...	15	Specimens of gunny and other cloth or rope, &c., made of the fibres should be produced.
	Cocoanut do.	1 do. ...	15	
	Date do.	1 do. ...	10	
	Earth salt...	2 do. ...	10	
		Total...	100	
Dharmavaram.	Paddy...	25 Seers ...	25	
	Ralugu...	100 do. ...	10	Vide remark opposite to Paddy in Hospet Taluk.
	Horse gram...	50 do. ...	10	
	Earth salt...	2 Maunds ...	10	
	Gingely oil...	½ do. ...	10	
	Wild aloe fibre...	1 do. ...	15	
	Date fibre	1 do. ...	10	
	Dying stuff (Muddichucka) ...	1 do. ...	10	
		Total...	100	
Penkonda.	Paddy...	25 Seers ...	25	
	Ragulu...	100 do. ...	10	Do.
	Jaggry...	2 Maunds ...	10	
	Country Hemp...	1 do. ...	15	Specimens of gunny and other cloth or rope, &c., made of the fibres should be produced.
	Ape fibre...	1 do. ...	10	
	Wild aloe fibre...	1 do. ...	15	
	Date fibre...	1 do. ...	10	
	Anoomooloo...	25 Seers. ...	5	
		Total...	100	

List of Taluk Exhibition prizes, &c. (Concluded.)

Number of Taluks.	Names of Articles.	Quantity of articles to be exhibited.	Amount of prize.	Remarks.
			RS.	
Hindupur.	Turmeric...	1 Maund ...	10	
	Jaggery	2 do. ...	10	
	Country Hemp...	1 do. ...	15	Specimen of gunny and other cloth or rope, &c., made of the fibres should be produced.
	Wild aloe fibre	1 do. ...	15	
	Gogu fibre...	1 do. ...	15	
	White sugar...	1 do. ...	10	
	Sugar candy...	1 do. ...	15	
		Total...	90	
Maduksira.	Plantains...	2 Bunches...	5	A bunch containing not less than 300 fruit should be produced.
	Cocoanuts...	100 in No...	10*	* A lot containing not less than 50 cocoanuts to be exhibited.
	Turmeric...	1 Maund.	10	
	Country Hemp	1 do. ...	15	Specimens of gunny and other cloth or rope, &c., made of the fibres should be produced.
	Date fibre...	1 do. ...	10	
	Gogu fibre...	1 do. ...	15	
	Wild aloe fibre...	1 do. ...	15	
		Total...	80	
	Northern Taluks.			
Alur.	Wheat...	25 Seers. ...	15	
	Bengal gram...	25 do. ...	15	
	White Javary...	25 do. ...	15	
	Best indigenous Cotton.	Not less than one bale of 250 lbs.	50	
	Corralu...	50 Seers. ...	6	
		Total...	100	
Adonie.	White Javary	25 Seers. ...	15	
	Best indigenous Cotton.	Not less than one bale of 250 lbs.	50	
	Gogu fibre...	1 Maund. ...	15	
	Dying stuff (Muddichucka)... ...	1 do. ...	10	
	Cotton Carpets	20 Square yards each.	10	
		Total...	100	
	Centre Taluk.			
Bellary.	Coffee seed...	10 lbs. ...	20	
	Gingely oil...	½ Maund ...	10	
	Caster oil...	½ do. ...	10	
	Cocoanut oil...	½ do. ...	10	
	White sugar	1 do. ...	10	
	Best indigenous Cotton.	Not less than one bale of 250 lbs.	50	
	Saltpetre...	2 Maunds. ...	10	
	Earth salt...	2 do. ...	10	
	Cocoanut fibre...	1 Maund ...	15	
	Cotton carpets...	20 Square yards each.	10	
	Woolen do.	Do.	15	
		Total...	170	
		Grand Total...	1,500	

(Signed) A. WEDDERBURN, Acting Collector.

Com. the Orr of the Bd of Rev. & the Secy to Govt. &c &c dated 23 October 1863 No 6781.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 17*th August* 1863.

No. 5,114.

Approving of the List of Taluq Exhibition prizes to be adjudged by the Collector, and requesting to be informed if the charge cannot be met from the surplus remaining from the amount of the sanctioned Budget.

Rec'd in Sec's Office 29-8-63

Copy of a Letter to Govt
dated 4th Dec 1863 No 732

1. The Board approve of the List of Prizes forwarded by the Acting Collector, amounting to Rupees 1,500, but cannot recommend that the charge should be defrayed from Local Fund which is specially intended for the formation of roads in the District.

2. The Acting Collector will state whether the charge cannot be met from the surplus, which, it is probable, will remain from the total amount of the sanctioned Budget.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary.

To A. Wedderburn, Esq., Acting Collector of Bellary.

Exd. J. Wright.

No. 6,781.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

Secretary.

ary to Government, R. D.

n, Esq., Acting Collector of Bellary.

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Copy in a Letter to Engr
2/21st Decr 1863 No 232

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No. 257.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE

Sanction is accordingly granted for Rs 1,500 One thousand and five hundred, to be debited to the savings under B IV "Miscellaneous."

Dated 23rd October 1863.
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No. 6,781.

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To Accountant General 1
" Civil Paymaster 1

Submitting with remarks letters from the Collector of Bellary regarding the source from which the charge for the Taluk Exhibitions may be met

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