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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 18th April 1863.

No. 163. Read the following letter from Captain R. H. BEDDOME, Officiating Conservator of Forests, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Camp Ootacamund, 27th March 1863, No. 471 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to enclose a copy of letter No. 231, dated 30th June last, from the Deputy Collector of Salem to the address of the Assistant in charge of my Office. From this you will perceive that my late Assistant, Lieutenant Ouchterlony of the Salem forest, had, by some mistake, refunded to the Collector of Salem, a sum of Rupees 915-4-0, being a portion of the cash balance on hand on the 30th April last.

2. The Acting Accountant General informs me that this sum having once been credited to Government cannot be re-paid without their orders, and as this transaction will cause much inconvenience in closing the accounts of the Department for this official year, and as the sum so refunded is only a portion of the fund drawn from the estimate sanctioned for the past official year, and in no way connected with sale proceeds, I therefore request that you will be so good as to obtain the sanction of Government for the Collector of Salem to re-imburse the sum, under notice, to the Officer in charge of that forest.

No. 164. ORDER THEREON, 18th April 1863, No. 684.

Sanctioned.

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

Subsistence Commutation
in charge of office.

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No 2161

Salem Dy Collectors office
30th June 1862.

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I Durmarooja Moodu
Deputy Collector of Salem.

To.

The Assistant Conservator of Forests.

Sir

In reply to your letter of this day's date I have the honor to inform you, that the amount in question once refunded cannot be redrawn without the special permission of the authorities as it is brought to account and the necessary adjustment made in the Treasury Account. Moreover as it is a portion of Amount of 5,000 Rupees sanctioned for the official year 1861-62. I do not think I am authorized to disburse it for the Forest Dept for the succeeding official year without the requisite Sanction of the Authorities. Any refund made, we will be too glad to receive, it will not inconvenience us the least in making the necessary adjustment in the Account but undoubtedly it will, if you constantly mix one sanctioned sum with another, as also continually draw & refund.

I have the honor &c
Sir
Your Most Obed. Servant
(Signed) T. Durmarojahoo
Dy Collector,

True Copy.

T. Cundasawmy Pandia
Sub Assistant Conservator
In charge of office.

Sanctioned.

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Rs. 1/4.-684.

Copy of a letter from the officiating Conservator of Forests to the Secretary to Government Revenue department No 471 dated 27th March 1863.

Copy of a letter from the Deputy Collector of Salem requesting to reimburse the balance of Rs. 915-4-11- paid by mistake by the late officiating incharge of Salem Forests.

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Rec: of Govt. for April
From No. 1758.

The Officiating Conservator of Forests.

To J. D. Sun Smith
Esq. Collector

Dated 27 March 1863

Received 30th

No. 471

Enclosure

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Subject.

Requests that the sanction of Govt. may be obtained for the refund of a sum of Rs. 915-4. paid by mistake by the Asst. in Salem District & the Collector of Salem No. 684. 18 April

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