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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
28th May 1863.*

No. 328. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 13th May 1863,
No. 2,843:—

Read the following letter from J. W. B. DYKES, Esq., Collector of Nellore, to W. HUDLE-
STON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Doravaripalem, 16th April
1863, No. 104.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to submit for the consideration of the Board copy of a letter from the Sub-Collector to my address, recommending that the Travellers' Bungalow at Ramapatam should be made a first class Bungalow by the entertainment there of a Maty on 3½ Rupees a month in addition to the Cook now employed there.

2. Ramapatam is a fine Bungalow, nicely situated, and lying about midway between Nellore and Ongole, the two chief towns in the District, is an important dāking stage to which travellers frequently resort. During the year 1862, 76 travellers are recorded by the Bungalow Book as having occupied the Bungalow, and Rupees 40½ collected as fees at the lower rate of fee authorized for second class Bungalows.

3. Fully concurring with the Sub-Collector in the propriety of a Maty being employed at this Bungalow in addition to the Cook now already there, I do myself the honor to submit for sanction a tabular application in due form for the purpose. The application proposes the employment of a Maty from the 1st proximo, or beginning of the official year 1863-64, but no provision for the proposed charge, it is my duty to state, was made in my Budget for that year. The charge being however small it might probably be met from savings which may occur in other items; and on this point I beg to request the Board's instructions.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From E. F. ELIOTT, Esq., Sub-Collector of Nellore, to J. W. B. DYKES, Esq., Collector of
Nellore, dated Burepalli, 27th January 1863, No. 9.

SIR,

1. In forwarding the accompanying Petition from the Cook at the Travellers' Bungalow at Ramapatam, requesting to be allowed the assistance of a Maty to help him in attending to the various wants of the numerous travellers that halt there, and at the same time to exercise a proper supervision of the Bungalow and its different articles of furniture; I have the honor to suggest that his application be recommended for sanction.

2. At all the second class Bungalows on the line of coast road that I have visited, there are two Sepoys in charge, and it seems strange that Ramapatam should have been made the solitary exception.

3. This is a favorite Bungalow apparently for travellers to halt at, as may be seen by an inspection of the Bungalow return for the last year, and it would be highly advisable that some additional aid be granted to the one servant now employed.

4. It is impossible to expect of him that he can attend to travellers' wants in all respects, at one and the same time, and it is unfair not to afford him a relief in case of sickness or otherwise.

5. I would most strongly recommend, from my own knowledge of the absolute necessity for an additional help at this Bungalow, that a Maty on 3½ Rupees a month be sanctioned.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. W. B. DYKES, Collector.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

ABSTRACT.—Estimate of charges proposed to be incurred on account of additional Establishment in the official year 1863-64.

Ordered that the Tabular Statement received with the above letter be submitted to Government, with the Board's recommendation that, under the circumstances represented by the Collector, the entertainment of a Maty on 3½ Rupees per mensem, in addition to the Cook now employed at the Ramapatam Bungalow, be sanctioned from the 1st May 1863. The Board

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anticipate no difficulty in providing for the trifling additional cost of 42 Rupees a year involved in the above application, out of the savings from the liberal provision of 33,471 Rupees entered in the Budget of 1863-64 for Bungalow Establishments and Contingencies, of which the sum of 1,800 Rupees has been set apart for Nellore alone.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL, *Sub-Secretary.*

No 329.

ORDER THEREON, 28th May 1863, No. 919.

1. The Government consider a Cook and Sweeper sufficient for a Bungalow visited on an average by only six travellers monthly. The wages of these servants amount to eight Rupees per mensem, while the monthly fees amount to only four Rupees.

2. The Board will explain what the Collector means by "the lower rate of fees authorized for second class Bungalows." The Ramapatam Bungalow seems to be furnished and supplied with extra servants.

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

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[Signature]
Sub-Secretary.

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D., with Statement.
Copy to J. W. B. Dykes, Esq., Collector of Nellore.

Exd. J. Wright.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1150

No. 2843.

Submitting with the Board's recommendation
a Tabular statement received from the Col-
lector of Nellore for a maly for the Traveller's
Bungalow at Ramapatam.

1899. 28-9-19.
With Order.

14 Copies to the Board with one Enclosure 28-9-19