

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	928	Press ~~Mis.~~
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Dated	29-8-1963	

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT,

The following papers are ordered to be recorded, 29th May 1863, No. 928 :—

From the Officiating Conservator of Forests, dated 23rd February 1863, No. 398.

Submitting the detailed Statement of the Establishment of the several forests under conservancy as it stood up to the 11th February 1863.

From Messrs. Thomson & Co., dated 2nd April 1863.

Advising the despatch per Steamer "Erymanthe" two packages containing Brass wire Tea Sieves.

From the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 29th April 1863.

Average Bazaar prices of Grain and Salt per Madras Garce, and Rain Report of all the Districts of the Madras Presidency for the month of March 1863, Fasli 1272.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Judicial Department, dated 4th May 1863, No. 682.

Granting authority for advances being made monthly in each District for the pay and allowances of the Police Force commencing from April 1863.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department, dated 5th May 1863, No. 1,141.

Passing orders on letter from Collector of Nellore, regarding the effects of the Pennair Anti-eut works on the cultivation and land Revenue of the District.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th May 1863, No. 2,686.

Submitting for information a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, reporting the result of the sale of the old Travellers' Bungalow at Darapooram.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Department, dated 6th May 1863, No. 515.

Relieving the Post Master of Madras from the duty of posting bearers for travellers and entrusting the same to the Deputy Collector of Madras.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Financial Railway Department, dated 6th May 1863, No. 201.

Sanctioning the payment made by the Collector of Salem during the second and third quarters of 1862, on account of compensation for lands, &c., taken up for the Railway.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Political Department, dated 15th May 1863, No. 148.

Directing that Ranibayi Sahiba be appointed the guardian of the Minor Rajah of Soondoor, and have the charge of the Jaghire until he be found competent to manage it himself.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department, dated 15th May 1863, No. 1,230.

Stating that the amendments suggested in the Proceedings of the Revenue Department, dated 30th April 1863, No. 748, regarding the forms of Cash Books, forwarded by the Chief Engineer, will be attended to.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department, dated 16th May 1863, No. 1,237.

Communicating a Resolution of the Government of India, deciding that the system in force in the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay regarding the supervision of Staging Bungalows may continue unaltered.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Judicial Department, dated 19th May 1863, No. 757.

Communicating Mr. Pelly's proposal for an Establishment to be attached to the Joint Magistrate at Wellington in consequence of that Station having been re-established as a Military Bazaar Station.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department, dated 19th May 1863, No. 1,637.

Passing orders on the Proceedings of Government in the several Departments regarding the appointments which can be held by the Staff Corps Officers.

From the Officiating Conservator of Forests, dated 23rd May 1863, No. 513.

Stating why Assistant Conservators of Districts cannot close their monthly Memorandum of Receipts until they receive the accounts from the Revenue authorities.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 26th May 1863.

Stating that the books will be despatched to the Collector when received, and observing that an experiment apparently similar to that suggested in paragraph 3 of the Despatch now in progress.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Department, dated 27th May 1863, No. 600.

Sanctioning the arrangements proposed by the Board of Revenue for re-transferring to their Establishment the Scavenger and Sweeper transferred to the Barrack Department. under the Government Order, dated 2nd January 1862, No. 1.

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Office of Conservator of Forests.

Comp. Madras 24 23 1863.

No. 398

From

Captain C. H. Beddome

To

Officiating Conservator of Forests

J. D. L. Esquire
Secretary to Government
Public Department
Fort St. George.

Sir,

Under the instructions conveyed
in G. O. No. 305 dated 11th February 1863,
I have the honor to submit the Detailed
Statement of the Establishment of several
Forests under Conservancy as stood
up to the 11th February 1863.

I have the honor to be,

Sir

Your Most Obedient Servant

C. H. Beddome Captain
Officiating Conservator of Forests

11th February 1863

1863. Department.
From
The Officiating Conservator of Forests.

To

Dated 11th Feb 1863
Received 27th Feb 1863

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Enclosure 1

No. 395

Subject.

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11th Feb 1863
20th Feb 1863

11th Feb 1863

Submitting the enclosed statement of the balance sheet of the Forests of the Government of the Madras Presidency for the year 1862-63.

With Order

Detailed Statement showing the Forest Establishments sanctioned by the Government of India, and this Government up to 11th February 1863 including those awaiting the sanction of the former, prepared in accordance to the instructions conveyed in G. O. N^o 305 dated 11th February 1863

Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India as communicated in G. O. N^o 1312 dated 14th June 1862.

Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India and this Government up to 11th February 1862

Amount saved from the Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India

Remarks

Central Office	
1 Conservator of Forests—	1000
1 1 st Class Assistant—	490
1 3 ^d Class Assistant—	200
in charge of Office	
1 Head Clerk—	100
1 Accountant—	50
1 Second Clerk—	25
1 Third Class Assistant—	20
1 Draughtsman—	40
1 Herbarium Keeper—	25
4 Peons @ 7 Rs each—	28
Total Purses 1978	

Anamallai Estab ^t	
1 2 ^d Class Assistant—	300
1 Carpenter—	100
1 Overseer—	60
1 Assistant Overseer—	50
1 Clerk—	30
1 3 ^d Class Assistant—	20
1 Floater—	25
1 Penani writer—	20
1 Doffador—	8
6 Peons @ 5 Rs each—	30
3 do @ 4 Rs each—	12
2 Writers @ 3 Rs each—	6
Total Purses 661	

Central Office	
1 Conservator of Forests—	1000
1 1 st Class Assistant—	490
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in charge of Office	
1 Head Clerk—	100
1 Accountant—	50
1 Second Clerk—	25
1 Third Class Assistant—	20
1 Draughtsman—	40
1 Herbarium Keeper—	25
4 Peons @ 7 Rs each—	28
1 Sweeper—	3
Total Purses 1981	

Anamallai Establishment	
1 2 ^d Class Assistant—	300
1 Carpenter—	100
1 Assistant Overseer—	50
1 Clerk—	30
1 3 ^d Class Assistant—	20
1 Floater—	25
1 Penani writer—	20
1 Doffador—	8
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Office of Conservator of Forests.

The permanent employment of a sweeper on Purses 3 per mensem was sanctioned in G. O. N^o 1420 dated 14 August 1862.

Anamallai

The discontinuance of the employment of a 2^d Overseer on Purses 60 per mensem in this Forest was reported by the officiating Conservator of Forests in his letter N^o 327 dated 30 December 1862 as sanctioned in G. O. N^o 1984 dated 13 Sept 1862.

South Arcot

The employment of an Overseer on Purses 30 per mensem for the Conservancy of a portion of South Arcot Forests placed in G. O. N^o 1696 dated 9 August 1862, under the office in charge of South Arcot Forests was sanctioned by the Government of India in G. O. N^o 24 dated 8 January 1863.

The Officer in charge of this Forest was drawing his travelling allowance at Purses 5 per diem, but the Off^g Conservator of Forests, having recommended that he should draw

Establishment sanctioned by the
the Government of India as commu-
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13. dated 14th June 1862)

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Amount the Government of India and
this Government up to 11th Feb
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awaiting the same. Saved from
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- ment of India - ment of Sanctions
by the Govt of India

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Salmon Establishment				Salmon and South Arctic Establishment			
1				1			
1	1	3 ^d Class Assistant	260	1	1	3 ^d Class Assistant	
1	1	Overseer	90	1	1	Overseer	
1	1	D ^c	60	1	1	D ^c	
1	1	Writer	20	1	1	Writer	
1	1	Pygmal	10	1	1	Pygmal	
1	3	Gumastake @ 8 Rs each	24	1	3	Gumastake @ 8 Rs each	
1	6	Pygmal @ 7 Rs each	42	3	6	Pygmal @ 7 Rs each	
1	4	Pens @ 6 Rs each	24	6	4	Pens @ 6 Rs each	
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4				45			
Total Papers 755				Total Papers 755			

	Salut and South Acre
	Establishment
1	3 ^d Close Assistant
1	Overseer
1	Do
1	Writer
1	Overseer for South Acre
1	Pygmal
3	Gumrotaks @ 8 Rs each
6	Pygmal @ 7 Rs each
14	Pens @ 6 Rs each
45	Do @ 5 Rs each
	Total Rupees

Sigin Establishment	
1	Assistant ————— 400
1	Mutsuddy ————— 13
1	Head man ————— 7
6	Curumbers @ 5 Rs each — 30
Midumallai Establ	
1	Head Accountant ————— 55
1	Assistant ————— Rs 20
1	Wood yard writer ————— 14
1	Kapikana Manager ————— 30
1	Assistant ————— Rs 15
1	Superintendent of Curumbers — 15
1	———— of Sawyers ————— 8
1	———— of Elephants ————— 8

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1. Sigis Establishment
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 1. Mouladdy
 1. Headman
 6. Cumbers @ 5 Rs each
 1. Mudumalai Estab.
 1. Head Accountant
 1. Assistant
 1. Headman
 1. Kurkama Manager
 1. Assistant
 1. Superintendent of Cumbers
 1. of Saujers
 1. of Elphants

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draw a Consolidated Travelling Allowance of Rupees 90 per mensem, (being the rate sanctioned for the 1st and 2nd Class Assistants) and as this item was not included in the scale sanctioned by the Govt. of India, the Government sanctioned this arrangement in G. O. No. 1638 dated 16th August 1862. The services of the Timber Guard, winter employed in this Establishment, are not required from the commencement of the next official year.

South Canara

As an extra
Establishment is absolutely
necessary for the better Conser-
vancy of these extensive works
and operations are proposed
on an enlarged scale, the
Government sanctioned,
in Co. O No. 2433 dated 18th
November 1862, the employment
of such extra Establishment
at a monthly cost of Rupees
227

Detailed Statement showing the Forest Establishments sanctioned by the Government of India, and this Government up to 11th February 1863 including those awaiting the sanction of the former, prepared in accordance to the instructions conveyed in G. O. No 305 dated 11th February 1863

Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India as communicated in G. O. No 1312 dated 14 th June 1862		Amount	Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India and this Government up to 11 th February 1862		Amount	Establishment awaiting the sanction of the Government of India		Amount	Amount saved from the Establishment sanctioned by the Govt of India		Remarks
Brought forward		615	Brought forward		691	1		90	14		227. The sanction to take effect from May next.
1	Superintendent of Buffaloes	7	1	Superintendent of Buffaloes	7						
1	Peon	7	1	Peon	7						
3	Peons @ 6 Rs each	18	3	Peons @ 6 Rs each	18						
1	Superintendent of Contractors Cart	24	1	Superintendent of Contractors Cart	24						
1	Assistant S ^r	12	1	Assistant S ^r	12						
Total Rupees		683	Total Rupees		759	1		90	14		
South Canara Estab ^t			South Canara Establishment								
1	Overseer	110	1	Overseer	110						
3	Doffadors @ 10 1/2 Rs each	31 8	2	Assistant Overseers @ 6 Rs each	120	2		120			
11	Peons @ 6 Rs each	66	1	Writer	25	1		25			
Total Rupees		207 8	Total Rupees		234 8	4		40			
Madura Estab ^t			Madura Establishment			3		31 8			
1	Overseer	110	1	Overseer	110	7		42			
1	Writer	20	1	Writer	20						
1	Gumastah	15	1	Gumastah	15						
3	Maistries @ 10 Rs each	30	3	Maistries @ 10 Rs each	30						
4	Peons @ 5 Rs each	20	4	Peons @ 5 Rs each	20						
8	S ^r @ 4 S ^r S ^r	32	8	S ^r @ 4 S ^r S ^r	32						
Total Rs		227	Total Rs		227						
Wellington Estab ^t			Wellington Establishment								
1	Overseer	95	1	Overseer	95						
Total Rupees		95	Total		95						

Cuddalore
The Establishment of this Forest was sanctioned in G. O. No 1537 dated 16th July 1862 at a monthly cost of Rupees 255 in lieu of the one authorized by the Government of India. By this arrangement a saving of Rupees 177 per mensem was effected.

Nilgerry Sholas
This supervision was in G. O. No 1343 dated 18th June 1862, placed under the Officer in charge of Muddumallai and Nigir Forests as the Office of an Assistant, solely for the charge of this Sholas was abolished. Hence a saving of Rupees 200 per mensem was effected in the scale of the Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India. The item of Horse Allowance for the two Foresters vizt Rs 30 per mensem was omitted from the tabular

Detailed Statement showing the Trust Establishments sanctioned by the Government of India and the Government up to 11th February 1863 including those awaiting the sanction of the former, prepared in accordance to the instructions conveyed in G. O. N^o 305 dated 11th February 1863

Establishment sanctioned by the Govt of India as communicated in G. O. N ^o 1312 dated 14 th June 1862			Establishment sanctioned by the Govt of India and this Government up to 11 th February 1862			Establishment Amount awaiting the sanction of the Govt of India, saved from the Establishment sanctioned by the Govt of India			Remarks
Cuddapah Establishment			Cuddapah Estab.						Tabular Statement sanctioned by the Government of India. The Civil Paymaster was however authorized by G. O. N ^o 1983 dated 13 th September 1862, to pass the charges provided for in the Budget for 1862-63. A reduction of 5 Pems was made in the same Establishment as a temporary measure subject to a report from the officiating Conservator of Forests at the end of 12 months vide G. O. N ^o 1984 dated 13 th September 1862.
1	3 ^d Class Assistant	260	1	Sub Assistant Conservator	180				
1	Overseer	90	1	Daffadar	15				
2	Pems @ 6 Rs each	20	10	Pems @ 6 Rs each	60				
10	Peons @ 5 Rs each	50							In G. O. N ^o 1988 dated 15 th August 1862 it was ordered that two thirds of the pay of the Officer Establishment of the Assistant should be paid by the Mysore Court, but on the representation of the offg Conservator of Forests that this Establishment was proposed solely for the working of Wynad Forests Court in G. O.
Total Rupees		432	Total Rupees		255	177			
Nilgheria Station			Nilgheria Station						
1	3 ^d Class Assistant	200							
2	Overseers @ 35 Rs each	70	2	Overseers @ 35 Rs each	70				
4	Pems @ 7 Rs each	49		Dr House Allowance @ 15 Rupees each	30	2	30		
Total Rupees		319	1	Pems @ 7 Rs each	49				
Total Rupees		319	Total Rupees		149	200			
Wynad Establishment			Wynad Establishment						
1	3 ^d Class Assistant	145	1	3 ^d Class Assistant	390	1	245		
1	English Writer	11	1	Overseer	50	1	50		
1	Daffadar	10	1	Writer	45	1	33	5	
14	Pems	3	1	Quadrant	20	1	20		
		28	1	Assistant	15	1	15		
			1	Daffadar	12	1	8	10	
Total Rupees		183	10	Pems @ 7 Rupees each	70	10	42		
Total Rupees		183	Total Rupees		602	414			

Detailed Statement showing the First Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India, and the Government up to 11th February 1863 including those awaiting the sanction of the former, prepared in accordance to the instructions conveyed in G. O. N^o 305 dated 11th February 1863

Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India as communicated in G.O. N ^o 1312 dated 14 th June 1862	Amount	Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India and the Government up to 11 th February 1862	Amount	Establishment awaiting the sanction of the Government of India	Amount	Amount saved from the Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India	Remarks
Mysur Estab ^t							
1 Overseer		1 Overseer	80	1 Overseer	80		G. O. N ^o 1728 dated 16 th August 1862 sanctioned that the Establishment alluded to, should be borne entirely by this Govt. This sanction also includes the employment of a Gunmaster proposed on Rupees 20 per mensem. As Captain Gilchrist is going to be relieved from the charge of the Mysur Forests, and to be placed in sole charge of this Forest, and Mysur, his staffs salary and the consolidated Travelling Allowance will be disbursed in full by the Madras Government, vide G. O. N ^o 2621 dated 17 th December 1862. An extra Establishment required for the extended operation was also sanctioned in G.O. N ^o 2433 dated 18 th November 1863, with a monthly cost of Rupees 63. The sanction of this extra Establishment is
1 Doffadar		1 Doffadar	16	1 Doffadar	16		
2 Peons @ 7 Rupees each		2 Peons @ 7 Rupees each	14	2 Peons @ 7 Rupees each	14		
2 Gunners @ 5 Rupees each		2 Gunners @ 5 Rupees each	10	2 Gunners @ 5 Rupees each	10		
		Total Rupees	120		120		
Mysur Estab ^t							
1 Sub-Conservator	50	1 Sub-Conservator	180	1 Sub-Conservator	180	50	
1 Deputy	17 8	1 Deputy	17 8				
1 Head Doffadar	15	1 Head Doffadar	15				
2 Doffadars @ 9 Rupees each	18	2 Doffadars @ 9 Rupees each	18				
1 Gunmaster	10	1 Gunmaster	10				
1 Do	9	1 Do	9				
6 Peons @ 6 Rupees each	36	6 Peons @ 6 Rupees each	36				
	Total Rupees 155 8		255 8		180	50	
North Arcot Estab ^t							
1 Doffadar or writer		1 Doffadar or writer	20	1 Doffadar or writer	20		
4 Peons @ 6 Rupees each		4 Peons @ 6 Rupees each	24	4 Peons @ 6 Rupees each	24		
		Total Rs	44	5	44		

Detailed Statement showing the Forest Establishments sanctioned by the Government of India and this Government up to 11th February 1863 including those awaiting the sanction of the former, prepared in accordance to the instructions conveyed in G. O. N^o 305 dated 11th February 1863

Establishment sanctioned by the Govt of India as communicated in G. O. N^o 1312 dated 14th June 1862

Amount Establishment sanctioned by the Govt of India and this Government up to 11th February 1862

Establishment Amount awaiting the sanction of the Government of India. Amount saved from the Establishment sanctioned by the Govt of India.

Remarks.

Forest Establish

Forest Establish
1 Sub Assistant Conservator
1 Doffadar
10 Peons @ 4 Rs each
Total Rs-

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is to take effect from May next. The total cost of these additional establishments sanctioned at different times as above amounts to Rupees 414 per Mensem.

Gumdar and Surada Establishment

Gumdar and Surada Establishment
1 Sub Assistant Conservator
2 Peons @ 4 Rs each
Total Rs-

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Hinsar Government in G. O. N^o 2464 dated 22nd November 1862 sanctioned the establishment of an establishment at a monthly cost of Rupees 120 for the working and conserving these forests, which were transferred from the Commissariat Department to the Forest Department

Grand Total Rs 5701

Grand Total Rs

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23 February 1863

J. A. Sedgwick Captain
Officiating Conservator of Forests

Detailed Statement showing the Forest Establishments sanctioned by the Government of India and this Government up to 11th February 1863 including those awaiting the sanction of the former, prepared in accordance to the instructions conveyed in G. O. N^o 305 dated 11th February 1863

Nellimbuir Plantation. As the attention and care of a trained European Forester is much required for the pruning and thinning operations of this valuable plantation, Government in G. O. N^o 2426 dated 14th November 1862 sanctioned the appointment of a Sub-Assistant Conservator on a salary of Rupees 180 (inclusive of horse allowances) per mensem, in the place of a Native Sub-Conservator.

North Arcot. As a portion of the North Arcot jungles was placed under the Officer in charge of the Cuddalore Forests, Government in G. O. N^o 1537 dated 16th July 1862 sanctioned the employment of an Establishment at a monthly cost of Rupees 44 for the Conservancy of this portion of the jungles.

Turnooch. This Forest was placed in G. O. N^o 1538 dated 16th July 1862 under the Forest Department with the requisite Establishment, at a monthly cost of Rupees 255.

Cumbar and Sundar. These Forests were for a short time under the management of the Collector of Canning with a small Establishment at

a monthly cost of Rupees 83, but on the suggestion of the Board of Revenue, the Officiating Conservator of Forests recommended that they should be placed under Conservancy. Government accordingly sanctioned this arrangement in G. O. N^o 2430 dated 18th November 1862.

R. H. Beddome Captain.
Officiating Conservator of Forests.

Recd 1863 Depart
From W. C.

The Offs Conservator
of Forests

To

The Secretary to
Government P. D.
Fort St. George

Dated 23rd Feb 1863
Recd 27th Feb 1863

Enclosure None

Rev 501/63

Submits Detailed
Statement showing the
Forest Establishments
Sanctioned by the Govt of
India and the Govt as
called for in G. O. No 305
dated 11th February 1863

Re enclosed

The Original Hardware Establishment of India.

T. E. THOMSON & CO.,
14, ESPLANADE ROW, CALCUTTA,
IMPORTERS OF AND DEALERS IN
MACHINERY, ENGINEERS', BUILDERS', CARPENTERS', AND SMITHS' TOOLS,
AGRICULTURAL AND HORTICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS,
AND
GENERAL FURNISHING IRONMONGERS
LAMPS, GLASS, CHINA, AND EARTHENWARE

J. D. Smith Esq. 2nd Chief
Secy to the Board of Rev.
Madras.
Sirs

We have the honor
to advise that under in-
structions from Dr. And-
erson Supdt of the Royal Bot.
Gardens, we have shipped
for Mr. Crymmon the two young
packages to your address con-
taining sixteen Brass Wire
Sea Scales - Bill of Lading
for which we beg sent
enclosed - Trusting they will
reach you safely.

Yours obediently
T. E. Thomson & Co.
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Revenue 1863 West.
Pro: of Govt for clay.
No. 855.

From Messrs. Thomson
M.

Dated 27. 3. 1863.
Received 14. 9. 1863.

From Messrs. Thomson & Co
d/ 18 May 63 bill 19506.

Copy with Aigl Bill
of Lading sent to
the Govt of India.
15 May 1863 -
No. 846.

2 in No 347.

Addressing the dispatch
per Shannon, Ensignment the two
packages containing Orms
wire Sea Series.

No. 928.

RECORDED.

For Mr. George
29 May 63.

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Average Bazar prices of Grain and Salt per Madras
Galle, and Rain Report of all the Districts of the Madras
Presidency, for the Month of March 1863 Fasli 1272 -

Districts	Prices of Grain and Sea Salt										Rain fall			
	2 nd Sort	2 nd Sort	Paddy	Cholam	Raggy	Horse	Sea							
	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price
	1271	1272	1271	1272	1271	1272	1271	1272	1271	1272	1271	1272	1271	1272
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Northern	Gangam	250	215	94	83	135	135	107	125	148	115	245	245	"
	Vizagapatnam	275	265	112	109	148	152	129	139	114	118	246	246	"
	Godavary	288	263	131	123	147	160	138	147	140	115	232	235	0.47
	Kistna	338	320	147	156	172	246	146	177	156	159	229	252	0.50
	Koller	315	366	154	172	184	193	165	169	221	177	225	231	0.12
Coastal Districts	Andolapah	408	429	182	201	220	229	194	201	216	218	311	332	"
	Pillay	348	368	150	158	160	218	141	184	173	184	393	431	1.60
	Thunool	343	393	144	173	159	217	149	188	182	228	313	317	0.95
East Coast	Madras	340	331	153	145	211	195	213	221	224	229	209	214	0.17
	North Arcot	310	286	162	140	244	215	225	201	233	155	205	220	1.01
	South Arcot	283	297	164	123	131	153	186	152	197	150	222	245	7.90
Canary	Bangalore	305	240	137	107	175	129	153	187	210	168	210	227	3.68
	Tichingahy	401	310	167	135	216	191	192	153	226	155	294	270	3.10
Southern	Madura	382	322	176	140	214	186	178	141	221	149	219	245	2.10
	Tinnevely	346	318	160	152	201	274	183	181	299	250	237	264	6.23
	Coimbatore	387	344	187	161	206	185	187	171	273	146	327	301	3.30
West Coast	Salim	331	294	157	134	192	162	179	147	162	134	252	254	3.60
	South Canara	274	282	123	142	"	"	175	190	262	229	209	206	6.70
West	Malabar	313	324	156	159	"	"	231	182	286	276	333	277	5.55

Remarks on the Season
Northern - Slight and partial showers fell in all these Districts except Vizagapatnam. In Gangam the dry crops were in good condition. The Pigea cultivation in Vizagapatnam and the summer Paddy and Gingely oil crops in the Godavary District were thriving. In the latter District the Cotton plants were in good condition. Chillies and Tobacco were being cut in the

The Kistna District the Wet and Dry Crops had been generally thrashed, and the cultivation in the Kolar Islands was in a very promising state. The cultivation of Cotton and Indigo was on the increase. The fall of rain had been unfavorable to the Cotton, while the Indigo plants had suffered from want of sufficient rain. In Bellary most of the early Rice crops had been harvested, and some of the Dry crops were being cut. The Peruvian Cotton plants in the Ongole Taluk were not flourishing. Prices were high in this District. In the others they were almost stationary. Small pox prevailed partially in these Districts, and Cholera in the Bellary and Kistna Districts. In the latter District fever and ague also prevailed to some extent. Cattle suffered from murrain in all these Districts except Vizagapatnam. In the Kistna and Bellary Districts the want of pasture was much felt.

Bedd District— Rain fell in these Districts, and some of the Tanks in Cuddapah and Bellary received a small supply of water. In the former the crops generally had improved, and the yield of Ragga &c was good. In Bellary the Cotton plants were flourishing, and Indigo was being cut. In Kurnool the Sugar cane, Indigo and Ragga crops were healthy, and Cotton had been gathered. Fever prevailed to a slight extent in Bellary, and was general in Cuddapah. In parts of the former District and Kurnool Cattle suffered from disease.

East Centre— Rain fell in these Districts, but

but was partial in Madras and North Arcot. The Munjah crops in parts of the former District were withering. In North Arcot Sugar Cane and other irrigated cultivation was thriving. The Navari and Sumbah crops, and Chillies and Tobacco, had been harvested; but the outturn was scanty. In South Arcot the first crop of Indigo was being cut, and the Lingely seed had been gathered. This District was healthy; but Cholera prevailed in parts of Madras and North Arcot. In the latter District small pox also existed to some extent. Pasture for Cattle was scanty.

Canvey— There was a heavy fall of rain in these Districts, and a slight freshet was received in the rivers. In Tanjore the wet crops had been harvested and the Lingely seed and other dry grains sown. In Trichinopoly Paddy and Cholera was being cultivated in two Taluks, and Kolar. In Pudukottai and Tanjore were being harvested in other parts of the District. Prices continued to fall in Tanjore. The Districts were generally healthy.

Southern— There was a general fall of rain in these Districts with freshets in the rivers, and the Tanks received small supplies of water. In Madras the cultivation of Cholera and Lingely seed was going on, and Paddy, Sumpoil seed &c were being harvested. The Cotton and Indigo plants had suffered by insects and rain. In Trichinopoly

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most of the Pechanum wet crops had been harvested. In one Taluk the yield was very scanty, the crop having been infested by a rare description of fly. The cultivation of Cotton had increased in consequence of its enhanced value. The recent rains had injured the Rice, but the later crops were stated to be good. Cotton picking had commenced in some places. Prices had risen in this District. In Madras they had slightly fallen. Cholera prevailed to a small extent in both these Districts. Mortality among Cattle had been very great in Tinnevely. West Centre - Rain fell in these Districts. In Coimbatore the wells were full. Cholera had been down. Tobacco had been cut. The Cotton, Paddy, Sugar cane &c. crops were in good condition. In Salem some of the tanks had received a small supply of water. The harvesting of the dry crops had been generally completed. Cholum, Cumbro, Raggayan were being sown. The crop cultivation in the Pannasul Taluk was thriving. Cotton and Indigo had been reaped in some Taluks the plants had suffered in a few places from rain and insects. Prices had risen in these Districts. Fever was still prevalent in one Taluk of Coimbatore. Cholera West. Rain fell in these Districts. In Malabar the sowing operations for the ear crops had commenced. The prospects of the garden produce were satisfactory. In South Canara Prices had risen.

demand for effluvia - Fever, small pox and Cholera prevailed in parts of this District - Cattle suffered from Murrain in places -

The following is the Statement of Cotton and Indigo Cultivation with the Market prices, for March 1863.

District	Cotton					Indigo				
	Tasli 1271		Tasli 1272		Market rate	Tasli 1271		Tasli 1272		Market rate
	Extent	Acres	Extent	Acres	Per Candy	Extent	Acres	Extent	Acres	Per Candy
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Acres	Rs	Acres	Rs		Acres	Rs	Acres	Rs	
1 Ganjam	4750	799 1/4	4459	677 1/2	Clean 160	"	"	"	"	36 1/2
2 Vizagapatnam	4626	3099 8	7724	2366 4	do 43	977	8292	619	3501	Cake 39
3 Gollavery	5935	15506	11460	25242	Clean 164	101	164	254	484	" 41
4 Nistana	105275	154326	120161	169875	do 127	11962	17645	13463	25014	" 44
5 Kollore	14478	15173	15778	17021	do 160	15522	36639	20022	17459	Cake 49
6 Cuddapah	26353	30758	36527	54130	do 156240	25654	60175	29094	73877	do 46 1/2
7 Bellary	294287	306222	389527	399025	do 212	2578	3022	3417	4520	do 64
8 Kurnool	65253	66034	114753	113795	do 169	16706	38057	24312	58560	do 49
9 Madras	1	1	7	7	do 224	2275	6628	3897	12118	do 44 1/2
10 North Arcot	6	9	1	1	do 260	2267	4335	3113	6282	do 45
11 South Arcot	16485	37857	27215	62602	do 173	53199	106516	57342	71256	do 24 1/2
12 Tanjore	1167	1759	1700	2182	do 205	1545	2261	1457	3302	do 14
13 Trichinopoly	62770	9032	61808	198754	do 220	933	1940	1133	1537	Dry leaf 46
14 Madurai	57577	96684	76299	126270	do 208	59	73	127	152	" 31
15 Tinnevely	177381	175820	262805	262227	do 195237	314	310	377	312	Cake 25 1/2
16 Coimbatore	82413	84173	120419	137891	do 200	"	"	"	"	"
17 Salem	16011	26252	16334	26850	do 231	1553	4595	1881	6249	Cake 41
Total	934768	1057648	1266977	1625707		135585	290652	140508	314623	

* The extent of Ottadam Cotton (Cotton down intermixed with small dry grain) Acres 57913, is included in this item, but the amount of assessment on the same is not given, no accounts having been kept for Tasli 1271.

Revenue B^d Office
Madras 29 April 1863

J. D. Johnston
Secretary

J. D. Sir Esq.
Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

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JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.
 PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel J. TEMPLE, Acting Assistant Inspector General of M. Police; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 29th April 1863, No. 1,053.

Account Department.
 1. With reference to paragraph 3 of letter dated 4th January 1860, from the Inspector General of Police, and the Order of Government, No. 33, dated 10th idem, passed thereon, Judicial Department, I have the honor in the

Ganjam...	13,150
Vizagapatam...	15,540
Godavary...	13,600
Kistna...	13,410
Nellore...	13,160
Madras...	8,970
North Arcot...	12,850
South Arcot...	12,550
Tanjore...	13,360
Trichinopoly...	6,900
Madura...	12,550
Tinnevely...	11,410
South Malabar...	8,760
North Malabar...	5,750
South Canara...	7,920
Coimbatore...	10,780
Salem...	11,260
Chidambaram...	12,310
Bellary...	13,300
Bellary...	11,370
Arnool House under disbanded...	7,830
Rupees...	2,36,740

absence of the Inspector General, to show in the margin the monthly requirements of each District Police Force from April 1863, to March 1864.

2. The marginal statement includes the monthly pay and allowance of the temporary Salt Guards required to be employed during the manufacturing season in the several Districts.

3. I beg to request that Collectors may be authorized to make advances each month to the Superintendents of Police, not exceeding the amounts indicated, to be adjusted by monthly audited Bills.

ORDER THEREON, 4th May 1863, No. 652.

The Governor in Council authorizes advances to the extent stated in the foregoing letter, being made monthly in each District, for the pay and allowances of the Police Force commencing from April 1863, subject to adjustment by monthly audited Bills.
 (True Extract.)

A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
 Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector General of M. Police.
 Collectors of
 Civil Paymaster.
 Deputy Auditor and Accountant General.
 Revenue Dept.

Exd. T. McMootry.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from J. W. B. DYKES, Esq., Collector of Nellore, to Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Fort Saint George, dated Vénad, 10th April 1863, No. 8:—

SIR,

1. The Acting District Engineer having called on me to expedite the despatch of a statement of the effects of the Pennair Anicut works on the cultivation and land revenue of this District, with reference to a Memorandum No. 632, dated 14th March 1863, from the Deputy Chief Engineer, Northern Circle, communicating Memorandum dated 9th idem, No. 18, from the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, and having reference to Proceedings of the Madras Government, No. 485 of the 19th March 1862, I requested the Acting District Engineer to favor me with a copy of the said Proceedings of Government. And from the copy thus received, I find that the Deputy Chief Engineer was directed to obtain from the District Engineer the required statement, but nothing was said as to the course the District Engineer was to pursue. Up to this time, it has been the custom when any information was required by Government as to the effects of Public Works on the land revenue to call for such information from the Collector of the District either direct or through the Board of Revenue. From the orders now under acknowledgment, it would appear a change has been made in this respect. And, this being the case I do myself the honor to request that you will be so good as to inform me whether I am correct in this supposition, and it was intended that the District Engineer should obtain the required information from me, and be in future the channel of communication, or he was to report from his own observations.

2. The effects of the Penniar Anicut since its construction and up to last year inclusive, have been fully brought to notice in my letters to Government in the Revenue Department, under dates the 17th November and 22nd December last, Nos. 37 and 49 respectively. These letters were transferred to the Public Works Department, and to these letters in which I expressed my dissent from the views of the District Engineer, no reply has been as yet received. The results for the current year (1862-63) so far as they are yet known, which includes the greater portion of the irrigation, are very favorable, and in the course of a few days I trust I shall be in possession of full particulars and able to submit a statement showing the effects of the Anicut on the area irrigated in the Pennair Delta that will be wholly satisfactory.

ORDER THEREON, 5th May 1863, No. 1,141.

The Government will await the report promised in paragraph 2, which will be forwarded by the Collector through the Board of Revenue. The return to be submitted should show the land paying Nunjah assessment in Taluqs within reach of the Canal from the Anicut before that work was begun, and the land now receiving water from Channels from the Anicut:

(True Extract.)

[Signature]

Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Nellore.

„ Board of Revenue.

„ Revenue Department.

„ Superintending Engineer 2nd Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Proceeding under the Revenue Department in a number of cases. District Engineer & Revenue Department. 14 May 1863.

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No. 2,686.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 6th May 1863.

Read the following letter from P. GRANT, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Ootacamund, 21st April 1863, No. 67 :—

From Collector to the Board of Revenue, dated 16th January 1863, No. 6.
From Board to Government, dated 23rd January 1863, No. 444.
From Government to Board, dated 12th February 1863, No. 317.
From Board to Collector, dated 14th February 1863, No. 943.

1. With reference to the correspondence noted in the margin, I have the honor to report that the old Travellers' Bungalow at Darapooram was after due notice put up to public auction on the 6th instant at an upset price of 850 Rupees, and that one Pacha Moolk of Darapooram purchased it for 1,175 Rupees, as will appear from the accompanying copy of letter from the Acting Sub-Collector dated 14th instant, No. 56.

2. The furniture alluded to by Mr. St. Clair, will be transferred to other Travellers' Bungalows which are in need of the same.

ENCLOSURE No. 11.

From J. C. ST. CLAIR, Esq., Acting Sub-Collector of Coimbatore, to P. GRANT, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, dated Darapooram, 14th April 1863, No. 56.

1. I have the honor to inform you that I yesterday conducted the sale by public auction of the Travellers' Bungalow at Darapooram agreeably to the Notification issued by you on the 12th March.

2. The premises were purchased by Pacha Moolk of Darapooram for Rupees (1,175) one thousand, one hundred and seventy-five, and a deposit of Rupees (60) sixty has been paid by the purchaser.

3. The strip of land on the west side of the Jamabundy Cutcherry measuring $1\frac{1}{4}$ ths, or rather less than one-fourth of an acre, was excluded from the sale as authorized in paragraph 3 of your letter, No. 209 of the 6th instant. The purchaser has agreed to pay on the remaining land measuring $3\frac{1}{4}$ acres the Punjab assessment Rupees 2-4-5, and at the garden rate of Rupees 3-1-2 per acre on such portion as may be cultivated by means of water from the channel.

4. The furniture belonging to the Bungalow consisting of 3 tables, 4 chairs, and 1 cot was not included in the sale. These articles may hereafter be separately sold or transferred to other Bungalows, some of which are very insufficiently furnished.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) P. GRANT, Collector.

Government Proceedings, 15th December 1862, No. 2,606.
Board's Proceedings, 23rd January 1863, No. 444.

Ordered to be submitted for the information of Government with reference to their Proceedings dated 12th February 1863, No. 317, and the previous correspondence noted in the margin.

(True Copies and Extract.)

W. Hudleston
Secretary:

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.
Copy to P. Grant, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore.

Exd. J. Wright.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 1111.

Revenue Department.

Dated 6th May 1863.
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Submitting for information a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, reporting the result of the sale of the old Travellers' Bungalow at Darapooram.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel A. C. PEARS, Postmaster General, Madras; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department, Fort Saint George, dated 25th April 1863, No. 7,725.

I have the honor to submit for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor in Council an extract from a letter from the Postmaster of Madras, requesting that he may be relieved from the duty of posting bearers for travellers.

2. I think that his request is a very reasonable one. It appears that the duty of posting bearers devolved on the Officers of the Postal Department, under the rules published in a Notification in the Fort Saint George Gazette of the 31st October 1851. Whether there are any orders on the subject of later date, I do not know; but since the reorganization of the Post Office in 1854, the Postmasters throughout the country have been relieved from the duty, with the single exception of the Postmaster of Madras, who, for what reason, I cannot tell, has continued to perform it to the present time.

3. I hope that, under these circumstances, His Excellency the Governor in Council may be pleased to order that, in future, bearers shall be posted in the Madras District as elsewhere by the Revenue Officers, in order that the Post Office may be relieved from a duty for the performance of which under its present constitution no provision has been made.

Extract from a letter from the Postmaster, Madras; to the Postmaster General, Madras, dated 26th January 1863, No. 4.

"I have long been desirous of addressing you in regard to the equivocal position in which I am placed, as Postmaster of Madras, in respect to the trouble imposed on me by having to arrange, without the least assistance, the conveyance of travellers from Madras to the utmost limits of the Presidency. I have for years felt this to be no legitimate part of my onerous duties as Postmaster, and have often had it in view to submit the matter, through your predecessors and yourself for the consideration of the Director General and the Government of India; but, as the only Clerk in my Office who understood any thing at all about the matter never complained to me on the subject, I did not consider it necessary to note it in any way. The case however is now altered; that Clerk is no more, and as I am dependent on a very aged man (originally a Conicopillay on the Bearer Fund, but, under the new constitution in re-postal matters) he has been maintained on the permanent strength of the Department more from prudential motives (so far as concerned his experience of bearer arrangements) than, from any utility as an office Clerk. But it is not so much for the above reasons that I am induced to refer the matter for consideration both of yourself, the Director General of the Post Office in India and the Government of India, as from the fact that, not being possessed of the least local authority which would empower me to subject the delinquents to prompt condign punishment, I (as well as the travellers concerned) am completely at their mercy."

"I trust the above impartial statement of my invidious position, will induce you to make some arrangement by which I may at once be relieved of work which, while it imposes serious risk on the travellers and heavy responsibility on myself, adds, materially to the duties of a Department which calls for my services both by day and night."

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. C. PEARS,

Postmaster General.

ORDER THEREON, 6th May 1863, No. 515.

The Governor in Council directs that the Postmaster of Madras shall, in future, be relieved from the duty of posting bearers for travellers, which will henceforth be entrusted to the Deputy Collector of Madras.

(True Extract.)

A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary.

To the Postmaster General.

„ Collector of Madras.

„ Board of Revenue.

Revenue Department

Exd. T. McMootry.

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st. April 1833, No. 2,291.
Read letter from the Honorable D. ARBUTHNOTT, Collector of Salem; to W. HUDLESTON
Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 19th March 1833, No. 42.

2. The compensation shown in the Statements now submitted was settled by Mr. Hathaway, the Head Assistant Collector. The total amount of compensation paid was Rupees 3,539-5-5, of which Rupees 2,539-11-11 appertain to lands falling under Classes A and B, and the remaining Rupees 999-9-6 to Class C. Of the latter sum, Rupees 270-15-11 are payable by the Railway Department, being the amount of compensation paid on account of houses, trees, crops, &c., on the lands falling under Class C. The lands in the Kavariputti village were transferred during the current Fasli. The rental payable by the Railway on the C class lands, including the current Fasli, amounts to Rupees 198-9-5 as shown in Statement No. 2."

3. I beg also to submit a Statement showing the compensation paid for certain lands taken up for the South West Line of the Railway during the years 1860 and 1861, but which was inadvertently omitted to be included in the Statements submitted for the quarters to which they appertain. The lands included in this Statement fall under Class A, and the compensation for them amounts to Rupees 53-8-0.

4. The aggregate amount (including that for the Bangalore branch line) to be adjusted in the account amounts to Rupees 3,592-13-5. I request that the sanction of Government may be obtained for my debiting the sum in the public accounts.

5. I beg to state that no compensation was paid during the last quarter of 1861, and the first quarter of 1862. No Statements have therefore been submitted for those quarters.

ABSTRACT.—Register of land taken up for Railway purposes, Classes A and B.

ABSTRACT.—Register of land taken up for Railway purposes in the District of Salem.

ABSTRACT.—Statement of compensation paid for lands, &c., taken up for Railway purposes for the 1st quarter of 1862.

When taken.	Class.	Line of Railway.	Extent.	Assessment.	Compensation.	Rent payable by Railway Compy.
2nd and 3rd quarters of 1862... ..	A & B.	Bangalore Branch.	Acres.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Do.	C.	Do.	52 2 5	42 1 6	999 9 6	42 1 6
1860-61.....	A.	S. W. Line.	0 11 8	2 1 3	53 8 0	0 0 0
		Total...	370 17	3,283 9	2,3592 13 5	42 1 6

2. The Collector explains that of the compensation of Rupees 999-9-6 paid for the lands in Class C, Rupees 270-15-11 are recoverable from the Railway Company, Rupees 42-1-6 from

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the yearly rent payable by the Company for these lands ; but, including the current Fasli, they have now to pay Rupees 198-9-5 altogether as rent for the lands since they were first appropriated:

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary.

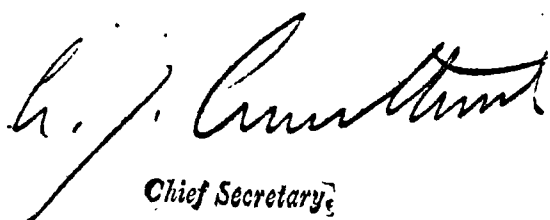
To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
(with three Registers.)

ORDER THEREON, 6th May 1863, No. 201.

The Government sanction the payment of Rupees (3 502-13-5) three thousand five hundred and ninety-two, Annas thirteen, and Pice five, made by the Collector of Salem during the 2nd and 3rd quarters of 1862, on account of compensation for lands, &c., taken up for the Railway.

2. It is observed that out of the amount paid for the lands in Class C, a sum of Rupees 270-15-11 is recoverable from the Railway Company, besides an annual rental of Rupees 42-1-6, the arrears of which up to the end of the current Fasli amount to Rupees 198-9-5.

(True Extract.)


Chief Secretary

To the Board of Revenue.

- „ Consulting Engineer for Railways, with 3 Statements.
- „ Revenue Department.
- „ Accountant General.
- „ Civil Paymaster.

Exd. T. McMootry.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers :—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 27th April 1863, No. 2,430.

Read the following letter from A. HATHAWAY, Esq., Collector of Bellary; to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Hospet, 30th March 1863, No. 48.

1. I have the honor, with reference to my letter No. 36 of the 17th instant, to report that I have had a personal interview with Siva Shanmukharau Ghorpaday, Rajah of Soondur; and, as suggested by him, I would recommend that Ranibayi Sahiba, his step-mother, who is 32 years old, and is said to be an intelligent woman, be appointed his guardian, and have the Jaghire under her control, until he be found competent to manage it himself.

2. Nanibayi Sahiba, another step-mother of the Rajah, died lately.

Read also the following Petition addressed to the Honorable C. PELLY, from SHUNMOOCA ROW, HINDOO ROW GHORAPADA, Rajah of Soondur, requesting that his step-mother, Ranibayi Sahiba, may be appointed his guardian during his minority.

I beg to inform you, that I am in health by the good grace of your Honor, before whose bright rays the fear melts away as the snow melts away before the sun, the fountain of light.

After the demise of my father, my grandmother, Janaky Bhye, was appointed guardian to me; but she lingering two months from disease breathed her last on the 27th February 1863. When the death of my grandmother (the guardian) was informed to Mr. Hathaway, the Collector of Bellary, I was directed to visit him at Hospet; when I visited Mr. Hathaway, I had an occasion to petition him about the matters concerning the administration of the country. Of the two step-mothers of mine, Nanibayi, the elder lingering one year from disease, demised on the 26th March 1863; the name of my only mother, who is now alive, is Ranibayi, whom I wish to be my guardian.

Your Excellency is the only resource, whence I expect the nomination of my mother Ranibayi, to be my guardian could be effected. My mother, Ranibayi, who is now about forty years old, is a very wise and intelligent woman, and I have not a shadow of suspicion, that she will treat me with the same kindness and love as she had done when I was young. As I am only a boy of sixteen years old, I hope your Excellency will be kind enough to second, in the appointment of Ranibayi to be my guardian. I hope your Honor will be kind and benevolent towards your distressed son, in entailing the crown and the property to me.

The fame of the protection of your distressed son would be as conspicuous and durable as the country in which you are now serving. My youth and the extravagant manner in which my father squandered away his money, contribute to make miseries and disasters appear all the greater.

I trust my mother will act with such precaution and skill, that we will, in a short time, be able to be out of the debt which is contracted by my father. The whole amount of the debt is so enormous as a lac of Rupees. I trust your Honor will be so kind towards your distressed son, as to assist in the appointment of my mother (who is a wise, cautious, and a skillful woman) to be my guardian.

I am constantly engaged in the praise of the Almighty, who sits rejoicing in the circle of angels, when I shall be so fortunate as to visit your Excellency.

I heard that Mr. Hathaway is going away, and Mr. Wedderburn is appointed Collector of Bellary, therefore I request that your Honor will favor me with a recommendatory letter to Mr. Wedderburn. I think it is unnecessary to enumerate all the details to the kind father who is already acquainted with them. I have petitioned Mr. Hathaway informing him of all these circumstances.

I trust you, father, that your Honor will protect me, without leaving to the mercy of the waves of trouble and distress.

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Forwarded for the favorable consideration of Government, with reference to their orders in the Revenue and Political Departments, dated 28th January and 24th February 1862, Nos. 116 and 72.

(True Copies and Extract.)

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

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 4th May 1863.

Read the following letter:—

From A. WEDDERBURN, Esq., Acting Collector of Bellary; to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Camp Ramandrug, 29th April 1863, No. 73.

Revenue Department.

As the quit-rent levied on houses built on the Rajah of Soondur's territory at Ramandrug, is now in deposit, pending the appointment of a guardian, I have the honor to beg the early orders of the Board on my predecessor's letter of the 30th March last, No. 48.

Ordered to be submitted to Government in continuation of the Board's Proceedings, dated 27th April 1863, No. 2,430.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary.

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Transferred to the Political Department.

5th May 1863.

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

ORDER THEREON, 15th May 1863, No. 148.

His Excellency the Governor in Council approves of the arrangement recommended by the Collector of Bellary, and accordingly directs that Ranibayi Sahiba be appointed the guardian of the minor Rajah of Soondur and have the charge of the Jaghire until he be found competent to manage it himself.

(True Extract.)


Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
,, Board of Revenue.

Exd. T. McMecky.

(C. J. Cunningham)

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
Revenue.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department :—

Returning the forms of Cash Books forwarded by the Chief Engineer, with the remark that there is no necessity for stating the credit for the month on the face of the Cheque, and that the non-liability of Government for payments made wrongly but *bona fide* to endorsees, should be declared in the note at the foot of each Cheque.

(Here enter 30th April 1863, No. 748.)

ORDER THEREON, 15th May 1863, No. 1,230.

The amendments suggested in the foregoing Proceedings will be attended to.

To the Revenue Department

(True Extract.)



Colonel R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department

To the Superintending Engineer 1st Division.

Do.	do.	2nd	do.
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Do.	do.	4th	do.
Do.	do.	5th	do.
Do.	do.	6th	do.
Do.	do.	7th	do.
Do.	do.	8th	do.

With reference to Proceedings dated 31st March 1863, No. 802.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

17th 28th May 1863

Proceedings of the
Madras Government
No. 748 of 30th April 1863.

Proceedings of the
Madras Government
No. 1,230 of 15th May 1863.

Proceedings of the
Madras Government
No. 802 of 31st March 1863.

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Proceedings of the

The undersigned, in the name of the Government, has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the forms of Cash Books forwarded by the Chief Engineer, with the remark that there is no necessity for stating the credit for the month on the face of the Cheque, and that the non-liability of Government for payments made wrongly but *bona fide* to endorsees, should be declared in the note at the foot of each Cheque.

RECORDED.

28th May 1863.

28th May 1863.

Read the following Endorsement of the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Fort William, 13th April 1863, Circular No. 22:—

A.—Read again Resolution of this Department, No. 1,496, dated the 11th of March 1862, relative to the appointment of a Committee of Secretaries to the Government of India, for considering the question by what Department Staging Bungalows throughout India should be controlled, and to what Department their cost should be debited.

Read Office Memorandum from the Public Works Department, No. 3,930, dated 10th of October last, inquiring, with reference to the above noted Resolution marked (A), whether any decision has yet been come to in the matter.

Read Endorsement No. 1,044 A, dated the 29th of November, from the Financial Department, forwarding copy of a communication made to the Agent to the Governor General for Central India, informing him that the charge for 1863-64 on account of Establishments attached to Bungalows under the Central India Agency should be provided for in his Budget for that year, subject to retrenchment by that Department in the event of its being decided in this Department that the charge does not appertain to the Civil Department.

Read the Report, dated 8th July last, of the Committee of Secretaries to the Government of India, on the subject in question.

REMARKS.—The Honorable the President in Council remarks that there is no necessary connection between the Post Office and Staging Bungalows, and that, in theory, the control of Staging Bungalows might more appropriately be vested in the Department of Public Works.

2. The arrangement, however, by which, throughout the Territories subordinate to the Presidency of Fort William, the supervision of these Establishments is conducted by the Post Master General of the several Lieutenant-Governorships, is found to work well in practice and need not for the present be disturbed. And the opposite system in force in the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay being also found suitable to local requirements may similarly continue unaltered.

3. As regards the Bungalows in Rajpootana, which at present appear partly to appertain to the Post Office of the North-Western Provinces, and partly to the Public Works Department of the Bombay Presidency, the Honorable the President in Council, considering that in the Financial Department the charge on account of the corresponding Bungalows in Central India has been correctly debited to the Civil Department, believes that a similar course might advantageously be taken in Rajpootana, the entire control of the Bungalows being vested in the Agent to the Governor General and the cost provided for in the Agency's Civil Budget.

Ordered, that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded for information to the Governments of Bombay, Fort Saint George, Bengal, North-Western Provinces, and the Punjab; to the Foreign, Financial, and Public Works Departments, and to the Director General of the Post Office.

Governments of Madras, Bombay, Bengal, N. W. P., and Punjab.
Chief Commissioners, Oudh, British Burmah, and Central Provinces.
Commissioner of Mysore and Resident at Hyderabad.

Copy forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations marginally noted, for information and guidance.

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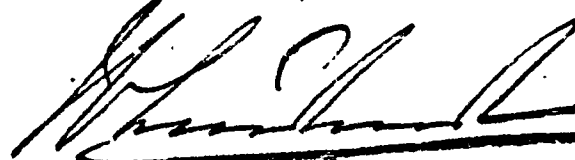
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Copy forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department
with the Governor General, for information.

(Signed) E. C. S. WILLIAMS, Captain, R. E.,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

ORDER THEREON, 16th May 1863, No. 1,237.

Communicated to the Revenue Department, the Board of Revenue and the Superintending
Engineers of Divisions for information.

(True Extract.)


Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department.

„ Board of Revenue.

„ Superintending Engineer 1st Division.

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„ Do. do. 8th do.

„ Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Proceedings of Government, 17th December 1862, } Read again the paper noted in the
No. 4309. } margin.

Read also the following papers:—

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department.

Read the following letter from the Chief Engineer, Chepauk, 6th January 1863, No. 4940; to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.

1. In reply to the Proceedings of Government, No. 3075, dated 23rd December 1862, I have the honor to report that the classes of
2 District Engineers. Offices in the Public Works Department of this
12 First Assistant District Engineers. Presidency at present filled by Officers of the
3 Second " " Staff Corps is that of District Engineer, First
17 Assistant District Engineer, and Second Assistant District Engineer, as shewn in the margin.
2. Considering, however, that the whole of the Officers of the Engineer Corps have to be provided for, and that the Department now sustains a great additional expense by the full Military Pay and allowances of the Officers of the Staff Corps being debited thereto, it does not appear likely that the number of the latter above adverted to will ever be exceeded. Indeed it is contemplated to dispense with the services of as many of them as can be conveniently spared, when the impending re-organization of the Department is carried out.

ORDER THEREON, 14th January 1863, No. 92.

Communicated to the Military Department, with reference to the orders in that Department No. 4309, dated 17th December 1862.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. I. BIRDWOOD, Col., R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department.

Read the following letter from the Inspector General of Mofussil Police, Madras, 9th January 1863, No. 51; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George.

General Department

In reference to Government Order No. 18, dated 7th January 1863, I have the honor to state the following viz:—

- 20 Superintendents of Districts and their Assistants.
1 Assistant Inspector General.
4 Deputy Inspectors General, may be expediently filled by Officers of the Madras Staff Corps.

ORDER THEREON, 26th January 1863, No. 110.

Communicated to the Military Department, with reference to the Proceedings in that Department, under date the 17th ultimo, No. 4309.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Educational Department.

Read the following letter from the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, 9th January 1863, No. 37; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George.

In reply to Order of Government, No. 6 of January 7th 1863, referring to me Proceedings of Government Military Department, No. 4309 of December 17th 1862, I have the honor to state that, as a general rule, I do not consider it would be advantageous to employ in the Educational Department any Officers of the Staff Corps.

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2. At present the only Officer of that Corps in the Department is Major R. M. Macdonald, who holds the Inspectorship of Schools for the 1st Division. Major Macdonald's intimate knowledge of the Telugu language, his acquaintance with the Districts in his Division, and his zeal for the advancement of education, all render him in my opinion a decided acquisition; indeed it would be no easy matter to supply his place in a satisfactory manner. I hold however that his appointment, whenever he may vacate it, should go as a prize to the best qualified of the meritorious Teachers in the Department; otherwise it could not be expected that men holding the subordinate posts would display zeal and energy in the discharge of their duties.

3. As to the subordinate situations to which I have alluded, comprising Principalships, Professorships and Masterships, it is scarcely necessary to say that Officers of the Staff Corps are entirely out of the question with regard to them.

ORDER THEREON, 27th January 1863, No. 25.

Communicated to the Military Department.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,

Chief Secretary.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department.

Read the following papers:—

From the Officiating Conservator of Forests, Camp Ootacamund, 30th December 1862, No. 323; to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George.

With reference to the Government Order No. 2657 of the 23rd December 1862, I have the honor to inform you that there is employment in the Forest Department for six Officers viz:—

Conservator of Forests.....	1
1st Class Assistant.....	1
Assistant in charge of Mudumally and the Sandal-wood Forests of Segur.	1
Assistant in charge of the Annamallays.....	1
Do. in charge of the Wainad and Hunsur.....	1
Do. in charge of the Salem District.....	1

Total... 6

From the Superintendent Revenue Survey, Chepauk, 6th January 1863, No. 14/2; to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

1. In obedience to the Order of Government, dated 23rd December 1862, I have the honor to state that in the event of the salaries of Military Officers and Members of the No. 2657. Uncovenanted Civil Service in this Department being equalized, I am of opinion that the posts of Deputy Superintendent Revenue Survey and Assistant Superintendent Revenue Survey, of both grades, may be expediently filled by Officers of the Staff Corps.

2. I append a List of the present Establishment distinguishing the service to which each Officer belongs.

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List of Officers in the Survey Department.

Office.	Names.	Service.
Superintendent Revenue Survey.	Major F. J. B. Friesley.	Staff Corps.
Dy. Supt. Rev. Survey.	Captain W. Hessey.....	Staff Corps.
Do.	Major W. Crewe.....	Do.
Do.	Captain R. Pratt.....	69th Foot.
Do.	F. Puckle Esq.....	U. C. Service.
Do.	Captain W. Barber.....	33rd N. I.
1st Asst. Supt. Rev. Survey.	W. Beaumont, Esq.....	U. C. Service.
Do.	J. Wright, Esq.....	Do.
Do.	Lieutenant C. Shortt.....	Staff Corps.
Do.	H. Cardozo, Esq.....	U. C. Service.
Do.	Lieutenant H. Wynch.....	31st N. I.
Asst. Supt. Rev. Survey.	H. Dunsford Esq.....	U. C. Service.
Do.	T. Tomlinson, Esq.....	Do.
Do.	H. Gompertz, Esq.....	Do.
Do.	J. J. Tomlinson, Esq.....	Do.
Do.	Lieutenant F. Pavy.....	74th Highlanders.
Do.	T. Gordon, Esq.....	U. C. Service.
Do.	Lieutenant C. Baynes.....	Staff Corps.
Do. Acting.	Lieutenant Clay.....	Do.

Uncovenanted Service 9

Military Officers, ten, viz., Staff Corps.....6

H. M. B. Forces...2

Local Army.....2

(Signed) F. J. B. PRIESTLEY,

Superintendent Revenue Survey.

REVENUE SURVEY OFFICE,
CHEPAUK, 6th January 1863. }

From the Officiating Director of Revenue Settlement, Madras 7th January 1863, No. 18/2; to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George.

I. In reply to the Order of Government, dated 23rd December 1862, No. 2657, calling on me to report the number and classes of Offices in my Department, which may be expediently filled by Officers of the Madras Staff Corps, I have the honor to state that at present only two Staff Corps Officers* are employed in the Department, in addition to one Regimental Officer of the rank of Captain. In paragraph 21 of my letter to the Board of Revenue of the 30th April 1862, No. 571, submitting the revised Estimates of the total cost of the operations of the Department, I allowed for the future employment of three Captains and three Lieutenants, and with reference to the Rule by which the whole of the allowances of a Staff Corps Officer in Civil employ are debited to the Department in which he is serving, I assumed, in order to be on the safe side, that all six would belong to the Staff Corps. The extra expense involved in the employment of Military Officers has, to a certain extent, hitherto limited the number so employed, but all difference between the cost of Military and Uncovenanted Officers will cease on the Establishment of the proposed system of consolidated salaries for Civil Staff appointments, to be paid without reference to the service to which the incumbents may belong.

2. The Offices held in this Department by Military Officers are those of Assistant Directors of Revenue Settlement, and the number to be entertained hereafter must depend on the number of Settlement parties which the Government may from time to time decide on organizing. I gather from the present order that the object which the Government have in view is to fix the future permanent strength of the Staff Corps, and if so, looking to the temporary nature of the Settlement Department and to the fluctuations in the strength of its Establishments which may from time to time be ordered, I do not think it will be safe to undertake to provide appointments for a large number of Officers. At the strength at which we are now working, two Captains and two Lieutenants may be conveniently employed. Under a system of consolidated salaries, it will probably not be worth the while of a Staff Corps Major to hold the Office of Assistant Director of Revenue Settlement

From the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, 21st January 1863; to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

1. In reply to the Government Order dated 23rd December 1862, No. 2637, calling on the Board to furnish the information required by Government in the Military Department as to the number and class of Offices in the Revenue Department which may expediently be filled by Officers of the Madras Staff Corps, I am directed by the Board of Revenue, in submitting the accompanying List of Officers now so employed, to state that in their opinion no difficulty is likely in future to be found in filling the posts of Principal and Senior Assistant in the Ganjam and Vizagapatam Districts from the ranks of the Covenanted Civil Service, and that in fairness to that service they should be so filled, and not given to Members of the Staff Corps except in cases of urgent necessity.

2. The cases of the Assistant Agent in the Jeypore country is perhaps exceptional.

List of Military Officers employed in the Revenue and Magisterial Departments.

District.	Station.	Rank and Name.	Office.	Pay.	Remarks.
Ganjam		Captain H. L. Grove.	Acting Principal Assistant.	RS. A. P. 233 5 4	Deputation allowance.
		Capt. T. G. M. Lane.	Senior Assistant...	558 5 4	
		Captain R. C. A. Marshall.	Acting Assistant...	810 5 4	
		Major W. G. Owen.	Senior Assistant...	558 5 4	
Vizagapatam.					Superintendent of Dredging operations invested with Magisterial powers.
Madura	Paumben	Lieutenant J. M. Smith.	Assistant Agent...	558 5 4	Doing the duties of Assistant Magistrate on the Hills.
		Captain F. G. Hankin, P. W. D.	Joint Magistrate...	0 0 0	
	Coimbatore.	Major W. H. Wapshare Judicial.	Do.	*378 4 6	*Rupees 308-4-6 allowance as Major of Invalids. Rupees 70-0-0 allowance as Joint Magistrate.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, Secretary.

ORDER THEREON, 5th February 1863, No. 253.

1. The Governor in Council proceeds to pass orders on the subject of the number of Offices in the undermentioned Departments which can expediently be filled by members of the Madras Staff Corps in future.

2. Forest Conservancy.—The Acting Conservator wishes all the higher appointments in this Department (six in number) to be filled from the Staff Corps. There is nothing in the duties of this Department for which a Military Officer is specially qualified, and the Government see no occasion for any addition being made to the Staff Corps specially for it.

3. Survey.—Major Priestley enters in his List all the Deputies and Assistants of his Department, in the event of the salaries of Military and non-Military members being equalized. The Government observe that two of his parties are now commanded with equal efficiency and greater economy by Uncovenanted Officers, and there is certainly nothing in a Surveyor's duty requiring that the holder should be a Commissioned Officer. No doubt Major Priestley has had great difficulty in getting competent Uncovenanted agency; but the surest way of perpetuating this difficulty is to close the door to the promotion of such persons. Moreover, (and this applies to the employment of Military Officers in all Civil Departments) Military Officers are liable to be called away on emergency to do Military duty, and thus the Survey on which they are engaged may be stopped altogether. The most cogent reason however against providing for the Survey in the future Staff Corps, is that the Department is a temporary one, and must ere long cease.

4. Settlement.—There are but two Staff Corps Officers in this Department. There is nothing in its work at all of a Military character, and it is certainly "temporary."

5. Income Commission.—No Officers are employed in this Department, and it will be closed in a year.

6. Revenue Department.—Five Officers are employed in the two Districts of Ganjam and Vizagapatam. The Board remark that "no difficulty is likely in future to be found in filling the posts of Principal and Senior Assistant in the Ganjam and Vizagapatam Districts from the ranks of the Covenanted Civil Service, and that in fairness to that service they should be so filled." They add that "the case of the Assistant Agent in the Jeypore country is perhaps exceptional."

7. The Government agree with the Board of Revenue. The Civil Service is now being yearly recruited, and as many of the present members have gained and all future members will gain their appointments by competition, will undergo a preliminary training in England, pass in two languages and two other tests in this country, and must be paid whether employed or not,—the Government cannot, in justice to them or with due regard to economy, increase the Staff Corps for the purpose of filling these appointments.

8. Under the circumstances above stated, the Government are of opinion that no additions need be made to the strength of the future Staff Corps of this Presidency for any Departments mentioned above.

(True Extract.)

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

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List showing the number and classes of Civil appointments at present held by Officers of the Madras Staff Corps.

Num-ber	Names.	Office.	Districts.	Description and amount of allowances.	Remarks.
1	Lt.-Colonel R. Hamilton.....	GENERAL. Deputy Secretary to Govern- ment, Military Department.	Madras.....	Civil Salary..... 1,427 14 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 827 14 0	
2	Captain J. C. Macdonald.....	Telugu Translator to Go- vernment.	Do.	Salary..... 300 0 0	
3	Major T. E. Bell.....	Police. Deputy Commissioner of the Police and President of the Board of Municipal Commis- sioners.	For the Town of Madras.....	Consolidated salary..... 500 0 0	
4	Captain G. Hearn.....	Deputy Inspector General of Southern Range.....	Do.	1,000 0 0	
5	Lieut. T. B. E. Tennant.....	Do.	Northern do.	1,000 0 0	
6	Captain W. S. Drever.....	Do.	Western do.	1,000 0 0	
7	Captain C. S. Hearn.....	Do.	Ceded Districts.....	1,000 0 0	
8	Captain T. S. Hawks.....	Superintendent.	North Arcot.....	700 0 0	
9	Captain W. O. Swanston.....	Do.	South Arcot.....	700 0 0	
10	Major A. C. McMaster.....	Do.	Bellary.....	700 0 0	
11	Lieut. F. J. Hicks.....	Assistant Superintendent.....	Bellary.....	Civil Salary..... 556 10 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 300 0 0	
12	Captain H. L. Grove.....	On duty. Acting Superintendent...	South Canara.....	Consolidated Salary..... 700 0 0	*Rupees 162-15-6 the moiety of net Civil Salary payable to Lieu-tenant Baillie as Act-ting Superintendent, is debitable to Civil ser-vice Absentee Fund.
13	Lieutenant W. L. N. Knyvett.	Assistant Superintendent...	Cuddapah.....	Civil Salary..... 556 10 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 300 0 0	
14	Lieutenant Colonel J. Temple, Regimental Officer.	On other duty.			
	*Lieutenant A. T. Rolland.	Acting do. do.	Coimbatore.....	Moiety of Civil Salary..... 150 0 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 256 10 0	

15	Captain A. F. F. Bloomfield.	On leave.			
16	Lt. W. Robertson.....	Acting Superintendent...	Godavery.....	Consolidated Salary..... 700 0 0	
	*Lieutenant T. K. Guthrie, Regimental Officer.	Acting Assistant do. do.	Do.	Civil Salary..... 556 10 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 300 0 0	*Lieut. Guthrie Re-gimental allowance is an extra charge.
17	Lieut. H. S. Robinson.....	Superintendent...	Kurnool.....	Consolidated Salary..... 700 0 0	
18	Captain C. G. Blomfield.....	Do.	North Malabar.....	700 0 0	
19	Captain E. L. Hankin.....	Do.	South Malabar.....	700 0 0	
20	Lieutenant A. J. F. Gordon.	Do.	Nellore.....	700 0 0	
21	Lieutenant C. L. Highmoor.	Assistant do.....	Do.	700 0 0	
22	Lieutenant H. S. Hill.....	Superintendent.....	Salem.....	Civil Salary..... 556 10 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 300 0 0	
23	*Lieutenant J. E. Baillie...	On duty.		Consolidated Salary..... 700 0 0	
	*Lieutenant A. M. Davies...	Acting Assistant do.....	Do.	Civil Salary..... 556 10 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 300 0 0	*Lieut. Davies' Staff Corps Pay is an extra charge.
24	Lieutenant E. D. Gompertz.	Superintendent.....	Tinnevely.....	Consolidated Salary..... 700 0 0	
25	Captain A. B. Marsack...	Do.	Trichinopoly.....	700 0 0	
26	Major L. W. Buck.....	Do.	Vizagapatam.....	700 0 0	
27	Captain S. G. G. G. G. G.	Assistant do.....	Do.	700 0 0	
28	Major A. E. E. E. E.	Acting Magistrate of Police...	JUDICIAL. Town of Madras.....	Civil Salary..... 674 1 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 374 1 0	
29	Captain L. Paxton, 1st As- sistant, South Arcot.	Acting District Engineer...	Public Works. Tinnevely.....	Staff Corps Pay..... 800 0 0	
30	Captain W. C. Palmer, 1st Assistant, Tanjore.	Acting District Engineer.....	Trichinopoly.....	Civil Salary..... 874 1 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 374 1 0	
31	Captain A. G. W. Burn...	2nd Asst. District Engineer...	Tanjore.....	Civil Salary..... 974 1 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 200 0 0	
32	Captain W. T. F. Farewell.	Executive Engineer.....	Wellington, Coimbatore.....	Civil Salary..... 574 1 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 374 1 0	
33	Captain G. M. Payne, 1st Assistant, Tinnevely.	Acting District Engineer...	Madura.....	Civil Salary..... 415 6 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 400 0 0	
34	Captain F. G. Hankin.....	2nd Assistant District Engi- neer and Superintendent of operations at Paumben.	Do.	Civil Salary..... 600 0 0 Staff Corps Pay..... 374 1 0	

List shewing the number and classes of Civil Appointments, &c.—(Continued)

Num.	Names.	Office.	Districts.	Description and amount of Allowances.	Remarks.
35	Captain A. D. Clay.....	1st Assistant District Engineer.	Engi-Salem.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	300 0 0 } 674 1 0 374 1 0 }
36	Major J. G. Palmer.....	Do.	Cuddapah.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	300 0 0 } 940 14 6 640 14 6 }
37	Major J. F. Stoddard.....	District Engineer.	In charge of Godavery.	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	700 0 0 } 1,340 14 6 640 14 6 }
38	Captain J. Magnay.....	1st Assistant District Engineer.	Godavery.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	300 0 0 } 674 1 0 374 1 0 }
39	Captain C. G. Philipps, 1st Assistant.	Acting District Engineer.	Ganjam.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	600 0 0 } 1,015 6 0 415 6 0 }
40	Major T. Greenaway.....	Acting do.	Nellore.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	300 0 0 } 940 14 6 640 14 6 }
41	Major D. G. Pollard.....	1st Assistant District Engineer.	Kistna.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	400 0 0 } 1,040 14 0 640 14 0 }
42	Captain R. C. Babington, 1st Assistant.	Acting District Engineer.	Bellary.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	600 0 0 } 974 1 0 374 1 0 }
43	Captain W. Syme, 2nd Assistant, Malabar.	Acting 1st Assistant	Do.	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	300 0 0 } 674 1 0 374 1 0 }
REVENUE.					
44	Captain T. G. M. Lane.....	Assistant Agent.	Ganjam.....	Consolidated Salary.....	0 0 0 } 558 5 4 436 4 4 }
45	Captain R. C. A. Marshall, 1st Assistant District Engineer, Nellore.	Acting Assistant Engineer.	Do.	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	374 1 0 } 810 5 4 374 1 0 }
46	Captain R. N. Taylor.....	Deputy Superintendent.	Coorg.....	Consolidated Salary.....	0 0 0 } 1,000 0 0 1000 0 0 }
47	Major F. J. B. Priestley.....	Superintendent	REVENUE SURVEY. Revenue Madras.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	640 14 6 } 1,640 14 6 500 0 0 }
48	Captain W. H. Hessey.....	Deputy do.	On leave to Europe.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay..... Travelling allowance.....	415 6 0 } 990 6 0 75 0 0 }
49	Major W. Crewe.....	Deputy Superintendent	Godavery.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay..... Travelling allowance.....	500 0 0 } 1,215 14 6 610 14 6 }

50	Lieutenant C. A. Shortt.....	2nd Assistant Superintendent Revenue Survey.	Malabar.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay..... Travelling allowance.....	350 0 0 } 681 10 0 256 10 0 }
REVENUE SETTLEMENT.					
51	Lieutenant C. J. Stuart.....	Assistant Director Settlement.	Revenue Tinnevely.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	325 0 0 } 581 10 0 256 10 0 }
52	Major C. Smith.....	Do.	Kurnool.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	325 0 0 } 963 14 6 640 14 6 }
FOREST.					
53	Captain R. H. Beddome, Assistant.	Acting Conservator of Forests.	Madras.....	Consolidated Salary.....	0 0 0 } 1,000 0 0 0 0 0 }
54	Captain W. A. Gibb.....	Assistant Conservator of Forests.	Wynaad.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay..... Travelling allowance.....	(a) 300 0 0 } 764 1 0 374 1 0 }
55	Lieutenant G. E. Berradale.	Do.	Salen.....	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay..... Travelling allowance.....	(b) 90 0 0 } 485 12 0 200 0 0 }
56	Major H. R. Morgan.....	Do.	In charge of the Neilgherry Shoals Mudumally and Segur Forests.	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay..... Travelling allowance.....	225 12 0 } 1,130 14 6 400 0 0 }
57	Captain J. Michael.....	Do.	Coimbatore. In charge of Annamallay Range.	Civil Salary..... Staff Corps Pay.....	640 14 6 } 674 1 0 300 0 0 }
58	Major R. M. Macdonald.....	Inspector of Schools.	1st Division, Vizagapatam, &c.	Consolidated Salary.....	0 0 0 } 1,000 0 0 0 0 0 }

Forwarded to Government, with reference to Government Order, dated 6th instant, No. 12, Public Department.
 CIVIL PAYMASTER'S OFFICE, }
 FORT SAINT GEORGE, 21st January 1863. (Signed) H. A. MANGLES,
 Transferred to the Military Department, with reference to the Proceedings in that Department of the 17th December 1862, No. 4309. Offy. Civil Paymaster.
 FORT SAINT GEORGE, 27th January 1863. (Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary.

Memorandum from the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George, 28th February 1863; to the Adjutant General.

The Military Secretary to Government has the honor to request that the Adjutant General will be so good as to cause the following information to be furnished to Government as early as practicable.

1st. A Numerical Return of European Commissioned Officers of all ranks in the Local Army.

2nd. A Numerical Return of all local Officers not in the Staff Corps, employed in Military Staff appointments, exhibiting the number of each rank in the several Departments; thus:—
General Staff, Regimental Staff, Pay Department, Commissariat, &c.
Lieutenant Colonels.
Majors.
Captains.
Lieutenants.

This Return need not include appointments in the Ordnance Department.

3rd. A similar Return of all local Officers not in the Staff Corps, employed in the various Civil Departments, General, Political, Revenue, Judicial, Educational and Public Works, excluding however the Royal Engineer Officers employed in the latter Department.

4th. A similar Return of all Staff Corps Officers employed in the various Departments, Military and Civil, with a column of unemployed Officers.

5th. A Return of the number of deaths and retirements of Officers of the Local Army, annually, for the past three years (excluding the exceptional retirements on the additional Annuity in December 1861,) and the percentage of such annual casualties to strength.

6th. A Return of the number of Officers of all ranks of British Regiments, Infantry and Cavalry, serving under the Madras Presidency.

7th. A similar Return of Officers of all ranks of British Regiments serving with the Madras Army on the Staff or in Departments.

From the Deputy Adjutant General, Fort Saint George, 6th March 1863, No. 219; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

I have the honor, by order of the Commander-in-Chief, to forward the Returns called for in your Memorandum, dated 28th February 1863.

No. 1.

Numerical Return of European Commissioned Officers of all ranks of the Local Army on 1st March 1863.

	Colonels.	Lieutenant Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	2nd Captains.	Lieutenants.	Cornets and Ensigns.	Total.
Staff Corps.....								
Cavalry.....		30	90	171		81		372
Artillery.....	8	4	4	43		51	1	111
Engineers.....	15	17		35	33	84		184
European Infantry.....	6	9		16	16	32		79
Native Infantry.....	1	1	3	10		14		29
Veteran Establishment.....	53	31	34	190		417	66	791
			10	31		17		58
Total...	83	92	141	496	49	696	67	1,624

N. B.—All Officers of the late Madras Artillery and Engineers included.

The following Officers of the old Royal Artillery, are also serving in the Madras Presidency:—
Lieutenant Colonel 1, Captains 3, 2nd Captains 3 and Lieutenants 9.

No. 2.

Numerical Return of all Local Officers not in the Staff Corps, employed in Military Staff appointments, exhibiting the number of each rank in the several Departments.

Departments.	Colonels.	Lieutenant Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	2nd Captains.	Lieutenants.	Cornets and Ensigns.	Total.
General Staff, { Adjutant Generals at Head Quarters		*1						1
{ Quarter Master Generals do.								2
{ Judge Advocate Generals.....		1		1				41
Regimental Staff { Adjutants.....						†41		31
{ Quarter Masters.....				13		18		10
Divisional Staff.....	4	1	1	4				4
Brigade and Station Staff.....	1	2				3		5
Personal Staff.....	1	2		2				6
Pay Department.....						1		1
Commissariat Department.....		1						1
Clothing Department.....		1	2	13		30	3	49
Irregular Local Corps and Depôts.....								
Total...	6	9	3	36		94	3	151

* Inclusive of 4 Adjutants of Artillery.

† Assistant Adjutant General of Artillery at Head Quarters.

No. 3.

Numerical Return of all Local Officers not in the Staff Corps, employed in the various Civil Departments, exclusive of Engineer Officers in the Department Public Works.

Departments.	Colonels.	Lieutenant Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	2nd Captains.	Lieutenants.	Cornets and Ensigns.	Total.
General.....		2		4				6
Political.....		2	2	4	1	12		21
Revenue.....				2		2		4
Judicial.....		1	1		1			3
Educational.....			2	6	1	1		10
Public Works.....				12		18		30
Police.....						2		2
Forest.....								
Total...		5	5	28	3	36		77

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Numerical Return of all Staff Corps Officers employed in the various Departments, Military and Civil.

Departments.		Lieutenant Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	Lieutenants.	Total.
Military.	General Staff... { Adjutant Generals at Head Quarters ...	2	1			3
	Quarter Master Generals do.	1	2			3
	Judge Advocate Generals.	2	3	3		8
	Regimental Staff { Adjutants.....				15	15
	Quarter Masters.....			10	5	15
	Divisional Staff.....		6	4		10
	Brigade and Station Staff.....		3	5		8
	Personal Staff.....			1	2	3
	Pay Department.....	4	6	3		13
	Commissariat Department.....	2	11	11	3	27
Civil.	Clothing Department.....	1				1
	Irregular Local Corps and Depôts.....	3	7	21	15	46
	General.....	1	1	2	1	5
	Political.....	8	12	32	13	65
	Revenue.....		4	1	2	7
	Judicial.....		4	3		7
	Educational.....		1			1
	Public Works.....	2	10	24	4	40
	Police.....		5	22	16	43
	Forest.....			4	2	6
Unemployed.....		4	14	25	3	46
Total....		30	90	171	81	372

Numerical Return of Casualties of the Officers of the Local Army for the years 1860-1861 and 1862.

Casualties.		Colonels.	Lieut. Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	2nd Captains.	Lieutenants.	Cornets and Ensigns.	Total Casualties.	Total strength on the 1st January of each year.	Percentage of casualties to strength.
1860	Died.....	5	4		16	2	21	4	96	1,834	5.09
	Retired.....		3	8	12		5				
	Resigned.....				1		4	1			
	Cashiered, struck off or removed....				4	1	3	1			
1861	Died.....	7	2	7	13		6	1	95	1,878	5.05
	Retired.....	1	9	10	23		2	1			
	Resigned.....						3	1			
	Cashiered, struck off or removed....						3	1			
1862	Died.....	4	5	8	6	1	10	2	52	1,841	2.82
	Retired.....			3	2		4				
	Resigned.....				1		3				
	Cashiered, struck off or removed....				1		3				

N. B.—Officers admitted on the Invalid Establishment, and those Officers who retired on 31st December 1861, on the extra Annuity, are not included in this Return.

ADJT. GEN'L'S OFFICE, FORT ST. GEORGE,
6th March 1863.

(Signed) J. M. PRIMROSE, Colonel,
Deputy Adjutant General.

Return of the number of Officers of all ranks of Her Majesty's British Regiments of Cavalry and Infantry, serving under the Madras Presidency.

Officers with the Regiment and in India.							Officers in Europe.						
	Lieutenant Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	Lieutenants.	Cornets or Ensigns.	Staff.		Lieutenant Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	Lieutenants.	Cornets or Ensigns.	Staff.
1st Dragoon Guards.	2	0	5	7	6	5	25	1st Dragoon Guards...	0	1	4	3	1
17th Lancers.....	2	1	4	7	6	6	26	17th Lancers.....	0	1	5	2	2
1st Battalion 1st Royals	1	1	9	9	9	5	34	1st Battalion 1st Royals	0	1	4	4	1
1st Battalion 18th Royal Irish.	1	1	7	11	7	7	34	1st Battalion 18th Royal Irish.	0	0	4	3	3
3rd Battn. 60th Rifles...	1	2	7	8	7	6	31	3rd Battn. 60th Rifles...	1	0	4	5	3
66th Regiment.....	1	2	7	10	6	7	33	66th Regiment.....	1	0	5	2	4
68th Do.	0	2	5	8	4	6	25	68th Do.	2	0	6	7	5
69th Do.	1	2	6	8	6	6	29	69th Do.	1	0	6	5	3
74th Do.	1	2	7	7	5	5	27	74th Do.	0	0	3	6	4
91st Do.	1	2	7	6	9	7	32	91st Do.	1	0	4	6	1
102nd Do.	1	2	7	11	9	3	33	102nd Do.	0	0	3	3	1
105th Do.	0	1	11	13	10	2	37	105th Do.	0	1	1	2	0
108th Do.	1	1	9	12	10	1	34	108th Do.	0	1	3	3	0
Total.....	13	19	91	117	94	66	400	Total.....	6	5	52	51	28

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
6th March 1863.

(Signed) J. M. PRIMROSE, Colonel,
Deputy Adjutant General.

Return of Officers of all ranks of Her Majesty's British Regiments serving with the Madras Army, on the Staff or in Departments.

	Genl. Officers.	Lieut. Colonels.	Majors.	Captains.	Lieutenants.	Cornets or Ensigns.	Staff.	Total.
Royal Artillery.....				1				1
1st Dragoon Guards.....			1	1			1	3
17th Lancers.....				1				1
1st Battalion 1st Royals.....		1						1
1st " 18th Royal Irish.....		1	1	1				3
43rd Regiment.....		1		1	1			3
52nd ".....		1						1
3rd Battalion 60th Rifles.....				1				1
66th Regiment.....					1			1
68th ".....					1	1		2
69th ".....				1				1
74th ".....				2	1		1	4
91st ".....				1	2			3
102nd ".....								0
105th ".....								0
108th ".....	1							1
Total...	1	4	2	10	7	1	2	27

Major General W. A. McCleverty, Commanding Centre Division.

The Hon'ble A. A. Spencer, c. b., Comdg. Mysore Division.

ADJT. GEN'L'S OFFICE,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
6th March 1863.

(Signed) J. M. PRIMROSE, Colonel,
Deputy Adjutant General.

ORDER, No. 1637, 19th May 1863.

The question of the re-organization of the Local Army of this Presidency, not having been finally settled, the Governor in Council observes that the consideration of the subject of the foregoing papers must be held in abeyance for the present.

2. Meanwhile, the papers will be forwarded to the Government of India and to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for information, as shewing the future probable requirements for Staff Corps Officers in this Presidency.

To the Offg. Secy. to the Govt., of India, Mily. Dept. | Here enter 19th May 1863, No. 1638.

(True Extract.)

St. Marshall
Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant General.

„ Controller of Military Finance.

„ Public Works Department.

„ Judicial Department.

„ Educational Department.

„ Revenue Department. *With 10 spare copies*

Revenue Department

N^o.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
dated 26th May 1863.

Read Proceedings of the
Madras Government dated 21st May 1863.
N^o 880. Revenue Department.

(In Cons: 22nd May 1863 N^o 3143.)

Communicated to the Collector of
Tinnevely. The books will be forwarded to him
when received.

2. The Board observe that an ex-
periment apparently similar to that suggested
in para 3 of the Despatch now in progress.

(A true Extract)

Knowles
Secretary

To
J. D. Sini Esq^r
Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

To Langhuff

29-5-63

From
The Revenue Department
29th May 1863

The Officiating Conservator of Forests.

To

Dated

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Rev. J. B. Esq. D.D.
Secy of the
Proceedings of the
Board of Penitentiaries

Dated 26th May

Recd. 26th May 1863.

Recd. 27th

V/E J. B. 3/11

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W. B. Esq.

29. 2. 1863