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# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

## Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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## *Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 17th June 1864.*

No. 222. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 10th May 1864.

Read the following letters and Statements regarding the Estimate of charges to be incurred on account of additional Establishments for the official year 1864-65 :—

No. 1,123, from Ganjam, letter dated 23rd February 1864.
„ 2,161, „ do. Statement, dated 21st April „
„ 2,174, „ Vizagapatam, Official Memorandum dated 26th April 1864.
„ 1,089, „ Godavery District, Statement dated 23rd Feb, 1864.
„ 1,847, „ do. letter dated 12th March 1864.
„ 1,615, „ Kistna District do. „ 15th do. „
„ 2,260, „ Do. do. „ 3rd May „
„ 1,832, „ Cuddapah do. „ 8th April „
„ 1,651, „ Bellary, Statement „ 31st March „
„ 1,988, „ Kurnool, letter. „ 11th April „
„ 1,550, „ Madras, Statement „ 22nd March „
„ 2,063, „ Do. letter „ 14th April „
„ 1,866, „ North Arcot, Official Memorandum dated 13th April 1864.
„ 2,181, „ South Arcot, letter dated 18th April 1864.
„ 1,976, „ Tanjore, do. „ 16th do. „
„ 1,457, „ Madura, Statement „ 16th March „
„ 1,458, „ Do. do. „ 16th do. „
„ 2,498, „ Coimbatore, letter „ 30th April „
„ 1,977, „ Tinnevelly, do. „ 14th do. „
„ 1,989, „ Salem do. „ 18th do. „
„ 1,510, „ South Canara, do. „ 11th March „
„ 1,444, „ Malabar, Statement „ 3rd do. „
„ 1,145, „ Do. do. „ 3rd do. „
„ 2,268, „ Do. letter „ 16th April „

1. The foregoing letters and Statements relate to the additional Establishments required during the official year 1864-65. It appears from the letters received that no Establishment is needed in eight Districts, viz., Ganjam, Vizagapatam, Cuddapah, Kurnool, North Arcot, Tanjore, Tinnevelly, and Salem. The Collectors of the Nellore and Trichinopoly Districts have not yet sent in their reports notwithstanding that reminders were sent to them. To avoid delay the Board think it proper to submit to Government the usual Statement of Establishment for the remaining Districts. The particulars of the Establishment, as proposed by the Collectors of these Districts, are given in the accompanying Statement and amount to Rupees 46,073.

| | Rs. | Rs. |
|---|---|---|
| **Kistna District.** | | |
| Establishment for surveying irrigated lands in the Zemindary villages ... ... ... | 192 | |
| Do. for arranging Telugu old records ... | 1,008 | |
| Ferrymen for conveying implements of the Ryots ... ... ... ... ... | 84 | |
| | | 1,284 |
| **Madras.** | | |
| Salt Establishment for manufacturing, &c., purposes ... ... ... ... ... | | 948 |
| **Malabar.** | | |
| Land Revenue Batta to the Establishment for the sale of Escheats ... ... ... | 1,200 | |
| Inspectors employed for do. ... ... | 2,400 | |
| Establishment for keeping Railway accounts ... | 324 | |
| Salt do. for guarding purposes ... ... | 779 | |
| | | 4,703 |
| Total ... | | 6,935 |

2. Out of the items included in the Statement, those noted in the margin are disallowed by the Board for reasons entered in the column of remarks opposite the respective items in the Statement. They amount to Rupees 6,935, which being deducted from Rupees 46,073 there remains a sum of Rupees 39,138 as particularized below, for which the Board request the sanction of Government.

| | | | |
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| | | | Rs. |
| Godavery. | | | |
| Miscellaneous Tappal Establishment ... ... ... | | | 864 |
| Kistna. | | Rs. | |
| Land Revenue Establishment for copying English records ... | | 345 | |
| Do. for guarding Soap-nut trees ... ... ... | | 96 | |
| | | | 441 |
| Bellary. | | | |
| Land do. Establishment for arranging records ... | | | 770 |
| Madras. | | | |
| Land Revenue Establishment of Zillahdars for collecting revenue ... ... ... ... ... | | 2,304 | |
| Do. for the revision of assessment ... ... ... | | 1,824 | |
| Do. for surveying unassessed waste lands ... ... | | 1,272 | |
| Do. for watching crops in Amani villages ... ... | | 228 | |
| | | 5,628 | |
| Miscellaneous Revenue Tappal... ... ... ... | | 96 | |
| | | | 5,724 |
| South Arcot. | | | |
| Land Revenue Establishment for arranging records ... | | | 1,254 |
| Madura. | | | |
| Land Revenue Establishment for arranging records ... | | 164 | |
| Salt do. for watching purposes ... ... ... | | 63 | |
| Miscellaneous do. Tappal ... ... ... | | 168 | |
| | | | 395 |
| Coimbatore. | | | |
| Land Revenue Establishment for surveying unassessed waste lands ... ... ... ... ... | | | 4,272 |
| South Canara. | | | |
| Land Revenue Establishment for surveying unassessed waste lands ... ... ... ... ... | | | 1,944 |
| Malabar. | | | |
| Land Revenue Establishment for selling Escheats ... | | 16,724 | |
| Do. for preparing Land Revenue Registers ... | | 6,000 | |
| | | 22,724 | |
| Sea Custom Establishment for preventing smuggling of goods | | 750 | |
| | | | 23,474 |
| Total ... | | | 39,138 |

3. In connection with these Establishments which have been much reduced, there are only a few points which require special notice. First, as regards the Establishment required for the sale of Escheats in Malabar. This was sanctioned by the Government of India in their Proceedings, dated 8th September 1863, only to the end of 1863-64, and in paragraph 2 they directed that after the close of the year a report of the progress made in the works and an Estimate of its probable further duration should be submitted with the application for a renewal of sanction, and in paragraph 2 of the Board's Proceedings, dated 7th March 1864, No. 1,402, the attention of the Collector was specially drawn to this point. As the Establishment must, however, be continued, and as it will be some time before the formal sanction of the Government of India is received, the Board have included in the Estimate now submitted a sum of Rupees 16,724 on that account, in order that there may be no difficulty in making payment. The Collector states that the work connected with the Escheats will not be completed for the next four years.

4. The Collector of Madras has found it necessary to entertain the services of two Runners from 11th March 1864, at a monthly cost of Rupees 8. These additional hands were considered necessary in consequence of the abolition of Pyanoor as a Salt Depôt, the Peons of which have hitherto conveyed the packets to and from Triporur. This Establishment is included in the



Statement now submitted, pending the sanction of the District Tappal Establishment now before the Government of India, and the Board also request that the sanction of Government may be granted for the actual charges incurred in the official year 1863-64, for the twenty-one days of March last, viz., Rupees 5-9-8.

5. In passing orders on the Statement of temporary Establishments for 1863-64, the Government, in paragraph 4 of their Proceedings, dated 2nd December 1863, No. 2,185, declined to sanction the guarding Establishment proposed by the Collector of Malabar for the Sea Customs Department of his District, at a cost of Rupees 750, till the explanation called for by the Board shall have been submitted to them. In their Proceedings dated 24th February 1864, the Board called the attention of the Collector to this point, and desired him to communicate with the Superintendent of Police as to whether the preventive service of the Sea Customs Department will be undertaken by the new Police, and to report the result to the Board. In the letter recorded at the head of these Proceedings, the Collector replies to this call, and states that the Superintendent of Police, North Malabar, has forwarded to him a letter from the Assistant Inspector General of Police, stating that the idea of employing the Police in these preventive duties has been given up; and that the Superintendent of South Malabar is of opinion that the duties devolving on the Sea Custom Department would be better performed by persons not so liable to constant changes as the Police must be. Under these circumstances the Collector considers the Establishment proposed by him, which consists of boats and crew employed afloat is necessary for the prevention of smuggling. It is accordingly included in the Estimate. The Collector adds that for want of authority the Establishment was not generally entertained, but that some boats were employed in 1863-64 in anticipation of sanction at a cost of Rupees 104-8-4, and the Board request that sanction may be granted for this charge.

6. In paragraph 3 of the Order of Government alluded to in the previous paragraph, the Board were directed to submit soon after the introduction of the revised Salt Establishment, a Statement of the actual charges incurred on account of temporary Establishment up to the date of the change, with full explanation. Only the Collectors of the Ganjam, Vizagapatam, and Godavery Districts request sanction for such charges. These together with the other items already alluded to amount to Rupees 669-3-4, as particularized below, being the actual charges incurred in 1863-64, for which the sanction of Government is needed to enable the Audit Office to pass the charges.

| | Rs. | A. | P. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ganjam.—Pay of Gumashtas in the Salt Department ... ... ... | 80 | 12 | 3 |
| Vizagapatam.—Pay of Measurers in do. do. ... ... ... | 251 | 0 | 11 |
| Godavery.—Pay of Duffadar and Peons in do. ... ... ... | 227 | 4 | 2 |
| Madras.—Pay of Tappal Runners ... ... ... ... ... | 5 | 9 | 8 |
| Malabar.—Pay of the Guarding Establishment in Sea Customs ... | 104 | 8 | 4 |
| Total... | 669 | 3 | 4 |

No. 223. Order thereon, 17th June 1864, No. 1,046.

General.

1. With these Proceedings the Board of Revenue submit the usual Estimate of charges proposed to be incurred in 1864-65, on account of additional and temporary Establishments. The amount as revised by the Board of Revenue is Rupees 39,138, consisting of the following items:—

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| Land Revenue ... ... ... ... | Rupees | 37,197 |
| Salt ... ... ... ... | „ | 63 |
| Sea Customs ... ... ... ... | „ | 750 |
| Miscellaneous ... ... ... ... | „ | 1,128 |
| Total Rupees | | 39,138 |

LAND REVENUE.

| | Rs. |
|---|---|
| Kistna .. .. .. .. .. .. | 441 |
| Bellary .. .. .. .. .. .. | 770 |
| Madras .. .. .. .. .. .. | 5,628 |
| South Arcot .. .. .. .. .. | 1,254 |
| Madura .. .. .. .. .. .. | 164 |
| Coimbatore .. .. .. .. .. | 4,272 |
| South Canara .. .. .. .. .. | 1,914 |
| Malabar .. .. .. .. .. .. | 22,724 |
| Total... | 37,197 |

2. The particulars of the sum entered under Land are given in the margin. The Collector of the Kistna District has provided the sum of 345 Rupees for the continuance of the Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India, in their Resolution dated 24th April 1862, for seventeen months, for copying certain English Records of the late Guntoor District, and the Board solicit sanction for this sum as well as for the charges (amount not specified) incurred in 1863-64, in excess of the sanctioned amount. The Government cannot comply with this recommendation. The Board first proposed that the aggregate cost of the Establishment should not exceed 1,000 Rupees, but the Government remarked that the estimate should be revised, and should provide only for copying such of the letters as contained matter worth being permanently retained. The letters having been "carefully examined" by the Deputy Collector and the Collector himself, the estimate was reduced to Rupees 600 (for copying and examining), and it appears to have been prepared with great precision after calculation of the number of words to be copied and examined. This Estimate the Government of India sanctioned, and unless full and satisfactory explanation is afforded as to the circumstances which have rendered it insufficient, the amount of work done, and cost incurred, the extent of work still remaining to be done, and its probable cost, any expenditure in excess of the authorized amount, cannot be allowed. The Board will also call upon the Collector to state under what authority he continued the Establishment beyond the period for which it was sanctioned. The Collector of Bellary has entered Rupees 770 for arranging records, though according to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 16th January 1864, it should be Rupees 420. The Government will not, however, disallow the excess as the aggregate of the former sum, and the expenditure incurred in 1863-64 will not exceed the sum of Rupees 840, sanctioned in the Order of Government, dated 22nd January 1864, No. 128. The entry of Rupees 1,254 for arranging records in South Arcot cannot be allowed, till the Collector's letter in which he is stated to have fully explained the necessity of the charge is submitted. The sum of Rupees 84 for arranging old records in the Madura Sub-Collector's Office cannot be sanctioned without an explanation of its necessity. The Collector of Coimbatore has provided Rupees 4,272 for the continuance of temporary Survey Establishment sanctioned by the Government of India for eighteen months. The Board state that the Collector considers the Establishment necessary up to the end of 1864-65, as applications for lands are increasing. The Government will sanction the continuance recommended subject to the confirmation of the Government of India. The Board will draw the attention of the Collector to the condition attached to the sanction granted for this Establishment, viz., that the charge "will be eventually recovered from the owners of the properties surveyed;" and will require him to submit a report after the close of 1864-65, stating the extent of work done by the Establishment, the cost incurred, and the portion thereof recovered together with other necessary particulars. The greater portion of the large sum entered for Malabar is for conducting the sale of escheats in that District. The expenditure sanctioned in the Order of the Government of India, dated 8th September 1863, was Rupees 14,724 per annum exclusive of batta up to the end of 1863-64. The Collector now applies for the continuance of the Establishment at an enhanced cost of Rupees 20,324, but the Board reduce it to 16,724 and request sanction for that sum. They are not, however, as yet able to submit the information required to fulfil the condition attached to the sanction of the Government of India, viz., that after 1863-64 "an account of the progress of the work, and an Estimate

Proceedings, dated 22nd October 1860, No. 4,845.

From Collector to Board, dated 19th March 1861, No. 64.

| | Rs. |
|---|---|
| 2 Clerks at 15 Rupees each per mensem for 17 months .. .. .. .. .. .. | 510 |
| Examiner at Rupees 15 for 6 months .. .. | 90 |
| Total... | 600 |

Vide Board's Proceedings, dated 3rd May 1861, No. 2,270.



"of its probable further duration, should be submitted with the application for renewal of sanc-"tion," but as the Board remark the employment of the Establishment cannot now be interrupted without serious inconvenience and loss, the Government sanction its continuance at the cost at which it was already authorized and subject to the confirmation of the Government of India. The Board will call upon the Collector to submit the required information as soon as possible. The other items do not require any particular notice, and sanction is granted for Rupees 33,514 as per particulars shown in the margin.

| | Rs. | Rs. |
|---|---|---|
| Total of Board's Estimate .. .. .. | | 37,197 |
| DISALLOWED. | | |
| Kistna .. .. .. .. .. | 345 | |
| South Arcot .. .. .. .. | 1,254 | |
| Madura .. .. .. .. | 84 | |
| Malabar .. .. .. .. | 2,000 | |
| | | 3,683 |
| | | 33,514 |

3. The Government regard with dissatisfaction application for special Establishments to arrange records. The revised Establishments are liberal and should be required to keep their records in proper order. The Board will call the attention of Collectors to the Orders of Government on the subject circulated to them on the dates noted in the margin, and direct them to conform strictly to the instructions therein laid down.

17th May 1858.
9th August „

4. This Establishment is sanctioned, as it is necessary till the Salt in the abolished pans in Madura is disposed of.

Salt, Rupees 63.

5. This Establishment is stated to be required for putting down the extensive smuggling of goods carried on in the Malabar ports, and the Inspector General of Police is reported to have given up the idea of employing the Police as preventive Officers in the Sea Customs Department; the Estimate is therefore sanctioned. The Government observe that the Establishment is required for nine months at Cochin and Calicut and for two months at the other ports.

Sea Customs, Rupees 750.

MISCELLANEOUS.

| | | | |
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| Godavery .. .. .. | Rupees | 864 |
| Madras .. .. .. | „ | 96 |
| Madura .. .. .. | „ | 168 |
| Total Rupees | | 1,128 |

6. These sums consist of the pay of the Tappal Runners required for conveying District Dâk Mails till the general revised Establishment is introduced and are sanctioned.

7. Under the circumstances stated in paragraph 6 of the Board's Proceedings sanction is granted for Rupees (669-3-4) six hundred and sixty-nine, Annas three and Pice four, the amount of actual charges incurred in 1863-64 without the requisite authority.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Accountant General.
„ the Civil Paymaster.
„ the Judicial Department.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Pro. 20 June 61 n.s. 199-200
28 May 62 " 522-523
9 Dec. " " 126-127
13 March 63 " 113-114
4 Nov. " " 35 36
19 " " " 235-236
2 Dec. " " 43-44
3 " " " 65-66.
22 Jany 64 " 247-248
22 July " " 361-362
1 October " 6-7
1 April " " 54-55.
C. No. 890 " -

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 10th
Dep. 10
Recd 11th } May 1864
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S. & Nr. 1046-17 June

Submitting with remarks Statement showing the Estimate of Charges to be incurred by different Collectors on account of additional Establishments for the official year 1864-65.

No. 222.

C. 9th June 64 Rlls

Estimate of charges proposed to be incurred on account of additional Establishments for the Official year 1864-65.

| Districts | Departments | | Establishment | Estimated charges for 1864-65 | Amount of actual expenditure upto March 1864 & the amount expected to be disbursed in April 1864 | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Godavary | Miscellaneous | (1) | 18 Peons for conveying the District Tappal for 12 Months | 864 | 916 | (1) This is the usual Establishment and is necessary pending the sanction of the Government of India to the general scale. |
| | Land Revenue | (2) | 4 Gumasthas for surveying Lands irrigated by the Kistna annicut Channels in the Zemindary Villages for 4 months | 192 | " | (2) Disallowed. This work should be done by the permanent Survey Establishment allowed for the District. |
| | | (3) | 2 Writers for 9 months and one Examiner for 5 months for copying certain English old records of the late Guntur District | 345 | 450 | (3) This Establishment was sanctioned for 17 Months by the Government of India in their Resolution dated 24th April 1862 and the Collector considers its continuance necessary for the completion of the work. Sanction is therefore requested for the charges now estimated, and also for the charges which may have been incurred in 1863/64 in excess of the sanction originally granted. |
| | | (4) | 6 Gumasthas for arranging the Telugu old records of the late Guntur and Masulipatam Districts for one year | 1,008 | " | (4) This Establishment which was sanctioned by Government in their order 20th June 1867 was continued upto April 1863. It cannot be allowed year after year and therefore the present Estimate is disallowed. |
| | | (5) | 4 Peons for guarding Soap nut trees in the Korukola and Bampetta Jungles for one year | 96 | 96 | (5) This is necessary for guarding Soap nut trees. |
| | | | Total Land Revenue | 1,641 | 546 | |

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| District | Department | | Establishment | Estimated Charges for 1864-65 | Amount of actual expenditure up to March 1864 & the amount expected to be disbursed in April 1864. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Tinnevelly Cutchery | Miscellaneous | (6) | 4 Ferry men for conveying implements &c of the Rajahs into the Islands of Collair for 6 months. | 84 | " | (6) The Collector has never furnished the information called for in para 1 of the Boards Proceedings dated 2d March 1863. This charge cannot therefore be allowed till that is done. |
| | | | Total Tinnevelly | 1725 | 546 | |
| Collary | Land Revenue | (7) | 4 Clerks and 2 attenders for arranging Vernacular Records for 10 Months | 770 | 61 | (7) Sanctioned in the order of Government dated 22d January 1864 No 128 |
| Tindivanam | Land Revenue | (8) | 24 Tyliadars for collecting Revenue for 12 months. | 2,304 | 2,259 | (8) This must be continued till the introduction of the New village Establishment. |
| | | (9) | Tursdars & Peons for watching the crops in the Amani Villages for 4 months | 228 | " | (9) There are very few Amani villages. The charge will be incurred only if it is absolutely necessary. |
| | | (10) | For the revision of Assessment<br>1 Writer for 12 Months<br>3 Assistants for Do Do<br>1 Mootchee for Do Do<br>4 Nyamishdars for Do Do<br>2 Peons for Do Do<br>1 Sweeper for Do Do | 420<br>540<br>84<br>576<br>144<br>60 | -<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>-<br>- | (10) The whole of this charge will be necessary if the revision recommended in the Boards Proceedings dated 5th April 1864 No 2012 is to be carried into effect. |
| | | | | 1824 | 1483 | |
| | | (11) | 1 Surveyor 2 Gumasthas and 6 Measurers for Surveying waste lands for 12 Months | 1272 | " | (11) This Establishment is considered necessary for surveying waste lands applied for under Toppu rules and other Darkhast lands. It has been recommended to the Government of India by Government in their order dated 22d February 1864 No 313. |
| | | | Total Land Revenue | 5628 | 3742 | |
| | Salt | (12) | 1 Beach Canicopillay to conduct the shipment of Salt at the Madras Beach & Enaore Depot for 6 months | 84 | " | (12) The Collector considers a Beach Canicopillay necessary as no provision was made for a Gumastha to conduct the shipment of Salt at the Madras & Beach and Enaore Depot. The Board find a separate Gumastha is allowed for Enaore Depot. The Madras Depot also is provided now with a liberal Establishment. The additions proposed by the Collector for Canicopillay and Peons appear therefore unnecessary and are accordingly disallowed. No such charge was considered necessary in 1863/64. |
| | | | 2 Peons for 10 & 8 months to see that the Peons and Vetties are at their posts during Manufacturing season | 144 | " | |
| | | | 20 Peons for 6 months to conduct the Storage of Salt during the Manufacturing season and to supervise the Collection &c of Spontaneous Salt | 720 | " | |
| | | | Total Salt | 948 | " | |
| | Miscellaneous | (13) | Two Tappal Runners for carrying the mail between the Cusbah station of Chingleput and Submagistrate Cutchery at Triporur for 12 months. | 96 | 6 | (13) The Collector considers this absolutely necessary pending the sanction of the Government of India to the General scale. |
| | | | Grand Total Madras | 6672 | 3748 | |
| South Arcot | Land Revenue | (14) | 11 Clerks and 11 Dufterbunds for arranging records for 6 Months | 1254 | " | (14) The necessity for this Establishment is fully explained in the Collector's letter. It is therefore recommended for sanction. |

| District | Department | Establishment | Estimated Charges for 1864/65 | Amount of actual expenditure upto ult March 1864 & the amount expected to be disbursed in April 1864. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Madura | Land Revenue (15) | 2 Gumasthas for arranging the old records of the Dindigal Taluk for 4 Months — | 80 | 24 | (15) Out of Rs 48 sanctioned, in the order of Government dated 19th November 1863 the Collector states that only 24 Rupees were expended in 1863/64. The sum now applied for is therefore considered necessary for the completion of the work. |
| | (16) | 2 Gumasthas for arranging old records, in the Sub Collector's Office for 6 Months — | 84 | " | (16) This Establishment for the arrangement of the Sub Collectors records appears necessary. |
| | | Total Land Revenue | 164 | 24 | |
| | Salt (17) | 6 Peons for watching the salt heaps, in certain abolished pans for 3 Months | 63 | " | (17) This appears necessary till the salt in the abolished pans is disposed of. |
| | Miscellaneous (18) | 4 Peons for conveying mails to salt pans for 12 Months. | 168 | " | (18) Necessary pending the sanction of the General Establishment by the Government of India. |
| | | | 395 | 24 | |
| Coimbatore | Land Revenue (19) | 2 Surveyors and 8 Lascars for surveying unassessed waste lands for 12 Months | 4272 | 2033. | (19) This has been sanctioned by Government in their order dated 9th December 1862 No 2569 for 18 Months but the Collector considers the Establishment necessary upto the end of 1864/65 as applications for lands under new rules are increasing. It is therefore recommended for sanction. |
| South Canara | Land Revenue (20) | 1 Surveyor 1 Draughtsman 1 Gumastah 1 Computer and 13 Peons for measuring unassessed waste Lands for 12 Months | 1944 | | This has already been sanctioned by the Government of India upto the end of 1864/65 Vide Order of Government dated 1st March 1864 No 366. No Charge was incurred upto the February 1864. The amount now proposed, is necessary for 1864/65. |
| Malabar | (21) | For conducting the Business connected with the sale of the Escheats in Malabar | | | (21) An Establishment at an annual cost of Rs 14724 exclusive of Batta was sanctioned by Government in their order dated 13th March 1863. This was confirmed by the Government of India, in their Resolution dated 8th September 1863 communicated with the order of Government dated 4th November 1863 No 1982. The Establishment now applied for 1864/65 is Rs 19124 exclusive of Batta which should be incurred as a Contingent charge. In this the Pay of two Inspectors at 100 each per Month is included without any explanation though the Collector in Para 11 of his letter d/28 Dec 1863 clearly stated that their services will not be required as proposed by the Deputy Collector. The sum of Rs 2400, is therefore disallowed and the remainder Rs 16724 which includes Batta to Arbitrators is recommended for sanction. |
| | Land Revenue | 1 Sheristadar for 12 Months — | 2400 | | |
| | | 2 Head Gumasthas Do Do — | 1680 | | |
| | | 12 Inspectors — Do — Do — | 5400 | | |
| | | 18 Gumasthas — Do Do — | 3780 | | |
| | | 2 Attenders — Do Do — | 168 | | |
| | | 18 Peons — Do Do — | 1296 | | |
| | | 2 Inspectors — Do Do — | 2400 | | |
| | | Batta — Do Do — | 12000 | | |
| | | Do to Arbitrators — | 2000 | | |
| | | Total | 20324 | 16297 | |
| | (22) | 8 Gumasthas for preparing Land Registers for 12 Months. | 996 | | (22) A sum of Rs 12000 was sanctioned by Government in their order dated 32 December 1863 No 2196 and the amount here applied for is for 1864/65. |
| | | Batta to regular Establishments occasionally employed. | 5004 | | |
| | | Total | 6000 | 606 | |
| | (23) | 2 Gumasthas for keeping the accounts connected with the Railway for 12 Months. | 324 | 324 | (23) This cannot be allowed unless clear explanation is afforded by |
| | | Total Land Revenue | 26648 | 17227 | |

| District | Department | Establishment | Estimated Charges for 1864-65 | Amount of actual expenditure upto March 1864 & the amount expected to be disbursed in April 1864. | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | the Collector as to the necessity of continuing this Establishment for such a long period as already requested in Para 9 of the Board's Proceedings dated 26th October 1863 No 6855. |
| Salt | (24) | 29 Peons for preventing illicit Manufacture and sale of Salt for 4½ Months | 653 | — | (24) Disallowed as the duty belongs to new Police. |
| | | 1 Duffadar and 5 Peons for guarding against the illicit introduction of Salt at Moorthy Dilly in the Chelikal Taluk for 4½ Months | 126 | | |
| | | Total Salt | 779 | 316 | |
| Sea Customs | (25) | 1 Tendal 5 Crews and 1 Boatman for putting down the extensive smuggling of goods carried on at Cochin for 9 Months | 432 | — | (25) It appears from the Collectors letter that the idea of employing the Police in the duties of Sea Customs as the Preventive Officers — has been given up by the Inspector General of Police. The guarding Establishment proposed by the Collector is therefore recommended for sanction. |
| | | 5 Crews and 1 Boatman for Do at Calicut for 9 months | 270 | — | |
| | | 4 Do and 1 Do for Do at other Ports to be entertained as required for 2 Months | 48 | — | |
| | | Total Sea Customs | 750 | 105 | |
| | | Total Malabar | 28,177 | 17,648 | |

Revenue Board Office,
Madras,
10th May 1864.

Secretary

C.P.M. Ramaswamy Sastry

No. 1046.

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 17th June 1864

Read the following
Proceedings of the Board of Rev:

Submitting with remarks
Statement shewing the Estemate
of Charges to be incurred by different
Collectors on account of additional
Establishments for the official year
1864-65.

(Here enter 10th May 1864 No.)

With those Proceedings
the Board of Rev: submit
the usual ~~the~~ estemate of charges
proposed to be incurred in 1864/65
— on account of additional
~~temporary~~ establishments.
The amount ~~thereof~~ as revised
by the Board of Revenue is
Rs 39,138, consisting of the
following items.

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| Land Revenue | 37,197 |
| Salt | 63 |
| Sea Customs | 750 |
| Miscellaneous | 1,128 |
| Total | 39,138. |

Enclosures in the Rev:
Reading of the Board
of Revenue to the Secre:
to Government R.D.
dated 10th May 1864
No
Rev: 1221/64.

Estimate of Charges
for one official year
on account of additional
Establishments for the
Official year 1864

2. The particulars of the sum entered under the Land are given in the margin. The Collector of the Kistna District has provided the sum of 345 Rs for the continuance of the establishment sanctioned by the Govt of India in their resolution dated 24th April 1862 for 17 months for copying certain English Records of the late Guntoor District, and the Board solicit sanction for this sum as well as for the charges (amount not specified) incurred in 1863/64 in excess of the sanctioned amount. The Govt cannot comply with this recommendation. The Board first proposed that the aggregate cost of the establishment should not exceed 1000 Rs, but the Govt

Land Rev Rs

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| Kistna | 441 |
| Bellary | 770 |
| Madras | 5,628 |
| South Arcot | 1,254 |
| Madura | 164 |
| Coimbatoor | 4,272 |
| South Canara | 1944 |
| Malabar | 22,724 |
| Total | 37,197 |

Proceedings dated 22d October 1860, No. 4845

From Collector to Board dated 19th March 1861 No. 64.

2 Clerks at 15 Rs each per mensem for 17 months Rs 510
1 Examt at Rs 15 6 months Rupees 90
Total 600

vide Bd's Pro: dated 3d May 1861 No. 2270

Govt remarked that the estimate should be revised and should provide only for copying such of the letters as contained matter worth being permanently retained. The letters having been "carefully examined" by the Dt Collector and the Collector himself, the estimate was reduced to Rupees 600 for copying and examining and it appears to have been prepared with great precision after calculation of the number of words to be copied and examined. This estimate the Government of India sanctioned and ap-

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unless full and satis-
factory explanation
is afforded as to the
circumstances which
have rendered it insufficient,
the amount of work
done, and cost incurred,
and the extent of work
still remaining to
be done, and the its
probable cost thereof,
any expenditure in
excess of the authorized
amount, cannot be allowed.
The Board will also
call upon the Collector
to state under what
authority he continu-
ed the establishment beyond
the period for which it
was sanctioned. The
Collector of Bellary has

has entered Rs. 770 for
arranging records, though
according to the Proceedings
of the Board of Revenue
dated 16th January 1864 it
should be Rs. 420. The Gov-
ernment will not however
disallow the excess as the
aggregate of the former sum
and the expenditure incurred
in 1863/64 will not exceed the
sum of Rs. 840 sanctioned by
the order of Govt. dated 22nd
January 1864, No. 128. The entry
of Rs. 1,254 for arranging
records in South Arcot cannot
be allowed till the Collector's
letter in which he is stated to
have fully explained the
necessity of the charge is
submitted. The sum of

Rs.

Rs. 84 for arranging old records in the Madura Sub-Collector's Office cannot be sanctioned without an explanation of its necessity. The Collector of Coimbatoor has provided Rs. 4272 for the continuance of temporary survey establishment sanctioned by the Govt of India for eighteen months. The Board take that the Collector considers the establishment necessary upto the end of 1864/65 as applications for lands are increasing. The Govt will sanction the continuance recommended subject to the confirmation of the Govt of India. The Bd will draw the attention of the Collector the condition attached to the sanction granted for this establishment viz that the charge "will be eventually recovered from the owners of the properties surveyed;" and will require him to submit a report after the close of 1864/65 stating the extent of work done by the establishment, the cost incurred, and the portion thereof recovered together with other necessary particulars. The greater portion of the large sum entered for Malabar is for conducting the sale of Escheats in that District. The expenditure sanctioned in the order of the Govt of India dated 8th Sept 1863 was Rs. 14,724 per annum exclusive of batta upto the end of 1863/64. The Coll. now applies for the

the continuance of the establishment at an enhanced cost of Rs. 20,324, but the Board, reduce it to 16,124 & request sanction for that sum. They are not, however as yet able to submit the information required to fulfil the condition attached to the sanction of the Govt. of India viz, that after 1863/64 "an account of the progress of the work, & an estimate of its probable further duration, should be submitted with the application for renewal of sanction", but as the Bd. remark the employment of the establishment cannot now be interrupted without serious inconvenience & lose the Govt. sanction its continuance at the cost at which it was already authorized & subject to the confirmation of the Govt. of India. The Bd. will call upon the Coll. to submit the required information as soon as possible.

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Total of Board's estimate 37,197

Disallowed.

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| Kistna | 315 |
| South Arcot | 1,251 |
| Madura | 84 |
| Vacabar | 2,000 |
| | 3,683 |

33,514 as per particulars shown in the margin.

The revised Estabts are liberal and should be required to keep their records in proper order.

17th May 1858.
9th August 1858.

3. The Government regard with dissatisfaction the application for special sanction for establishments to arrange records. The Board will call the attention of Collrs to the orders of Government on the subject circulated to them on the date noted in the margin, and direct them to conform strictly to

6. the instructions therein laid down.—

4. This establishment is sanctioned, as it is necessary ~~to be required~~ that the salt in the abolished farms in Madura is disposed of. — Salt Rs 63.

5. This establishment is stated to be required for putting down the extensive smuggling of goods carried on in the Malabar ports, and the Inspector General of Police is reported to have given up the idea of employing the Police as Preventive officers in the Sea Customs Department, the — Sea Customs Rs 750.

Miscellaneous.

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| Godavery | 8611 |
| Madras | 26 |
| Madura | 168. |
| Total | 1128 |

the estimate is therefore sanctioned. The Government observe that the establishment is required for 9 months at Cocanada and Calicut and for 2 months at the other ports.—

6. These items consist of the pay of the Tappal runners required for conveying District Dâk mails and the general revenue establishment is introduced under sanction.—

7. Under the circumstances stated in parah of the Board's Proceedings sanctioning

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is granted for Rupees 6[illegible]9-
3-11 Six Hundred and
Sixty one, annas three,
and five four the
amount of actual
Charges incurred in
1863/64 without the requisite
authority.

14 Bd of Rev. Dept. & Cmte
3 Acct Genl ✓
3 Civil Paymaster ✓
5 Ind. Dept ✓

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Pro: of Govt for June.

No. 1046.

Pro: of the Madras Govt.
Dft 17th June 64.

Pro of the Board of Revr.
Dft 2 July 64. C No 1782.
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The statements of
Charges incurred for addi:
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blishments in the several
Districts for 1864/65 reviewed

No 222 & 223.

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