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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 4th July 1864.

No. 61. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 13th June 1864, No. 3,615.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly, dated 30th May 1864, No. 212 :—

1. The two Hungamy Gumashtas named in the margin are employed under the provisions of Act VI of 1844, for the purpose of inspecting the landing and shipment of Cotton, &c., by the merchants of Tuticorin at their own wharfs, instead of at the Custom House, and are paid from fees collected from the merchants for the special purpose of defraying the expenses caused by the above arrangement, made for their convenience.

Mr. J. R. Smith.
Mr. P. J. Smith.

2. They were originally paid at Rupees 8 each per mensem agreeably to the orders of Government dated 18th September 1851, No. 938, Revenue Department, and as the collection of these fees increased, their pay was raised to Rupees 10 in 1853, to Rupees 14 in 1857, and to Rupees 15 in 1861 under the orders of Government noted in the margin.

13th April 1853, No. 416.
4th March 1857, ,, 220.
21st March 1861, ,, 669.

3. The Gumashtas now request that their pay may be increased to Rupees 20 each on the ground that their work is now much heavier than it was before, and that living at Tuticorin is extremely dear, and I consider that their request is reasonable, and beg to recommend the same for the favourable consideration of the Board and Government.

4. There is ample fund to meet the additional charge, the surplus sum in deposit at the end of April last being Rupees 1,437-2-2 as shown in the annexed Memorandum.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Memorandum.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Amount of surplus fees on the 1st May 1863	1,390	7	2
Collections from 1st May 1863 to 30th April 1864 ...	406	11	0
Total...	1,797	2	2
Deduct pay of two Hungamy Gumashtas from do. to do. at 15 Rupees each per mensem.	360	0	0
Balance remaining in deposit on the 1st May 1864... ...	1,437	2	2

N. B.—The fees collected during the past official year, fell short of those of the previous year, by Rupees 417-0-8, owing to a decrease in the export of Cotton.

(Signed) J. SILVER, *Collector.*

Submitted for the sanction of Government.

No. 62. ORDER THEREON, 4th July 1864, No. 1,151.

Separate Revenue, No. 25.
Customs.

Sanction is accordingly granted for raising the pay of the two temporary Gumashtas employed in connection with the Sea Customs Office at Tuticorin, from Rupees 15 to Rupees 20 per mensem, to be paid out of the fees collected from the Merchants at that place.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 3,615.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 13th June 1864.

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(Signed) J. SILVER, Collector.

Submitted for the sanction of Government.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Secretary.

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

Copy to J. Silver, Esq., Collector of Tinnevelly.

Exd. J. Wright.

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Proc: of Govt for July.

No. 1558.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 13th June 1864.

No. 3,615.

Submitting letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly requesting sanction for an increase to the salaries of the two Hungamy Gumastahs employed for inspecting the landing and shipment of Cotton &c.

Fr= 1157.
25.

Sanction is accordingly granted for raising the pay of the employed two temporary Gumastahs in connection with the Sea Customs office at Tuticorin, from Rs. 15 to Rs. 20 per mensem to be paid out of the fees collected from the merchants at that place.

Mort. Wt. Genl
4th July 1864.
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