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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Dated 26. 7. 1864.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 26th July 1864.

No. 425. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Financial Department, Simla, under date the 6th July 1864, No. 1,139.

Read the undermentioned papers regarding the grant of "Fixed Tentage," during absence on privilege leave to Public Officers in the Madras Presidency:—

Letter from the Civil Paymaster Madras, No. 56, dated the 9th March 1864.

Ditto to ditto, No. 1,596, dated the 23rd March 1864.

Ditto from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, No. 670, dated the 19th April 1864, and enclosure.

Ditto from the Civil Paymaster Madras, No. 105, dated the 23rd April 1864, and enclosures.

Ditto from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, No. 793, dated the 7th May 1864.

Ditto from the Civil Paymaster Madras, No. 7, dated the 11th May 1864.

Official Memorandum from ditto, No. 13, dated the 17th May 1864.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to decide, in accordance with the views of the Government of Madras, that "Fixed Tentage," which is of the nature of a contract allowance, shall not be retrenched during absence on privilege leave, provided the Officer keeps up his tents during his absence and places them, if required, at the service of the Officer deputed to act for him.

2. His Excellency in Council observes that Mr. Lodwick ought to have been sensible of the impropriety of publishing the abolition of a long established practice of the Presidency, in which he was serving as an Account Officer of the Government of India, without communicating in the first instance with the local Government; thus leaving that Government to discover the change from a Notification in its own Gazette.

3. His Excellency in Council desires that Mr. Lodwick, in common with all Account Officers of the Government of India, will invariably communicate with the local Government and ascertain its views and wishes before making any proposals to the Financial Department on questions affecting the administration of the Presidency or Province in which they may be serving.

4. Mr. Lodwick is also desired to have his letters written in a large, clear hand, so that they may be easily read.

ORDER.—Ordered that the copies of the foregoing Resolution be forwarded to the Government, the Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, and the Civil Paymaster Madras.

Ordered also that a copy of the above Resolution be forwarded to the Civil Paymaster Bombay, with the intimation that the decision in its first paragraph supersedes the orders conveyed in the letter from this Department, No. 5,840, dated the 13th May 1861.

Ordered also that copies be transmitted to the Accountant General to the Government of India, the Auditor General of India, and to all Deputy Auditors and Accountants General and Civil Paymasters.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) E. H. LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 426. **Miscellaneous.**

ORDER THEREON, 26th July 1864, No. 1,329.

Ordered to be communicated to the Board of Revenue for their information and guidance. They will circulate paragraph 1 of these Proceedings to the Collectors.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 1139.

EXTRACT FROM THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE GOVT. OF INDIA IN THE FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT, SIMLA, UNDER *date the 6th July* 1864.

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Letter from the Civil Pay Master Madras, No. 56, dated the 9th March 1864.
Ditto to ditto, No. 1596, dated the 23rd March 1864.
Ditto from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, No. 670, dated the 19th April 1864, and enclosure.
Ditto from the Civil Pay Master Madras, No. 105, dated the 23rd April 1864, and enclosures.
Ditto from the Secretary to the Government of Madras, No. 793, dated the 7th May 1864.
Ditto from the Civil Pay Master Madras, No. 7, dated the 11th May 1864.
Official Memorandum from ditto, No. 13, dated the 17th May 1864.

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Ordered also that copies be transmitted to the Accountant General to the Government of India, the Auditor General of India, and to all Deputy Auditors and Accountant Generals and Civil Pay Masters.

(A true Extract.)

Secretary to the Government of India.

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Further Order of Board of Govt of India 6th Sept 1864 No 1139

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Communicate Mr Davidson to the Court of Directors in the Financial Department

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Further Order

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Ordered to be communicated to the Board of Revenue for their information and guidance. They will communicate to the Collectors

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