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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
5th April 1864.*

No. 75. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 30th March 1864.

Read the following letter from the Honorable D. ARBUTHNOTT, Collector of Salem, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Salem, 26th February 1864, No. 33:—

Sir,

Dated 15th December 1862, submitting a general statement in the several Districts at which extra tentage is drawn by the Sub-Collectors, &c., all the year round.

With reference to the Board's Proceedings marginally noted and the Government Order thereon, dated 28th November 1862, No. 2,500, I have the honor to submit for approval the following suggestions.

1. At Oosoor, the Sub-Collector's head quarters, there is a suitable building and also a small Bungalow in which the Sub-Collector now holds his Office, and which the owner Mr. Brett is willing to rent at Rupees 45 per mensem on condition that the repairs are made at the expense of Government. These buildings are, I believe, substantially built. The Sub-Collector of Salem draws his extra tentage during the whole year, there will therefore be a saving of upwards of Rupees 700 per annum by renting these buildings.

2. At Tripatur, the Head Assistant's station, there is a building used as a Cutcherry which belongs to Mr. Boswell. He is willing to sell it for Rupees 1,250, or to rent it for Rupees 25 per mensem. I carefully examined this building and do not consider it fit for the purpose, it is too small and very badly built. The Travellers' Bungalow at Tripatur will, when the Bangalore Railway is opened, be perfectly useless to travellers, and I therefore recommend that it be converted into an Office for the Head Assistant. Some slight alterations might perhaps be necessary such as enclosing a portion of the verandah as, small Record-room, but the expense would be trifling. The Head Assistant at present draws his extra tentage during the whole year. By the above arrangement a saving of about 640 Rupees per annum would be effected.

3. The only other Officer who draws extra tentage in this District all the year round is the Deputy Collector at Namkul. An estimate for the construction of a Cutcherry for this Officer having been already sanctioned it is under construction, and will, I believe, be completed in two or three months.

From the Honorable D. ARBUTHNOTT, Collector of Salem, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort Saint George, dated Womalur, 9th March 1864, No. 42.

Sir,

With reference to my letter to the Board dated the 26th ultimo, No. 33, I have the honor to forward for the Board's information copy of a letter from the Superintending Engineer of the 5th Division, estimating the annual cost of keeping Mr. Brett's buildings used for the Sub-Collector's office at Oosoor in repair.

From Captain T. E. GALLAGHAN, R. E., Executive Engineer in charge of 5th Division, to the Honorable D. ARBUTHNOTT, Collector of Salem, dated Salem, 4th March 1864, No. 2,123.

Sir,

In reply to your No. 6 of the 14th January last, regarding the buildings now used as an office by the Sub-Collector at Oosoor, I have the honor to state that the buildings in question are stated to require at present repairs to the amount of Rupees 100, and that the average outlay of Rupees 45 per annum will probably be sufficient to keep them in repair hereafter.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) D. ARBUTHNOTT, Collector.

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The Collector's proposals are approved of by the 1st and 3rd Members, and will be submitted for the sanction of Government with reference to the Government Order quoted by the Collector.

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ORDER THEREON, 5th April 1864, No. 570.

The arrangements proposed by the Board are approved.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

„ Department Public Works.

„ Accountant General.

„ Civil Paymaster.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Revenue 1864. 10/10/64.
No. of Receipts 1862.

Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue

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