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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
21st April 1864.*

No. 350. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 13th April 1864.

Read the following letter from G. L. MORRIS, Esq., Acting Collector of South Canara, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Mangalore, 31st March 1864, No. 62:—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to bring to the notice of the Board that the provision in the Budget of the current year for the purchase of Coir imported by the Laccadive islanders is insufficient to meet the requirement of the same period.

Establishment	...	Rs. 1,110
Purchase of Coir	...	17,000
Extra charges	...	400
		<u>18,510</u>

2. The amount provided for is Rupees 18,510, as shown in the margin, of which 17,000 was estimated for the purchase of Coir, the value of which is, as the Board are aware, paid one-fourth in coin and three-fourths in Rice; the Rice being charged to the islanders at the fixed rate of Rupees 2 per Mura or Rupees 84 per Corgé, and Government profiting or otherwise according to the state of the market.

Three-fourths of the Budget provision payable on Rice	Rs. 12,750
Actually paid upon Corgés 111, 30 M. at 175 Rupees per Corgé.	19,552
Excess...	<u>6,802</u>

3. In the present year the price of Rice has arisen so high, that the lowest contract which I could obtain for the supply of the quantity required, was Rupees 175 per Corgé, or nearly double the amount paid last year, and thus an increase of Rupees 6,802 over the Budget provision has arisen.

4. Another cause which has also contributed to the same end, is the early importation this year of the Coir from the islands. In the past and previous years the islanders were in the habit of bringing their Coir to Mangalore up to the end of April, and the result was that the value of the Coir landed at the latter end of that month and which generally formed a large portion of the year's supply, was paid for in the beginning of May and was entered in the accounts of the year succeeding its importation.

vide letter to Board, dated 18th June 1863, No. 98.

5. Last year, however, the islanders met with great disasters at sea in consequence of the late dates at which they left this coast, and the natural result is that this year they have already completed their deliveries, and will receive payment for the same before the close of the current month.

6. The consequence is that we have not only paid in the beginning of the year 1863-64 the sum of Rupees 10,431 for the produce of 1862-63, but before the close of the same year an

Paid in 1863-64 upon produce of 1862-63 in May 1863	...	Rs. 10,431
Do. upon importations of 1863-64 up to date, on Caudies 616-4-9:—		
In Cash	...	3,135
In Rice	...	19,552
		<u>22,687</u>

additional sum of Rupees 22,678; thus making a total of Rupees 33,118, and an excess of Rupees 16,118 over the Budget provision.

Total ..	33,118
Budget provision...	17,000
Excess...	<u>16,118</u>

7. As under the present Budget system the unexpended portion of the year's grant lapses with it, and there are certain sums in the current year's Budget which will not be expended, I beg to point them out to the Board, and to request sanction for making use of the same in order to meet the present deficit in the Coir Department.

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First.—From the probable surplus of the grant under the head "II Refunds."				
Amount of Grant ...	...	...	12,000	
Actual expenditure to February ...	...	1,312		
Probable requirement of March and April ...	...	915		
			2,227	
				10,372
Second.—Under the head "IV Salt."				
Division Establishment ...	...	12,175		
Actual payments to February ...	...	7,118		
Probable requirement of March and April ...	...	2,100		
			9,218	
				9,218
				20,590

The Establishment for the Salt Department was provided for according to the new scale of the Honorable Mr. Pelly from the beginning of the current year, but was only carried into effect in this District from the 1st March for the reasons stated in my letter to the Board, dated 2nd February 1864, No. 35.

1. Ordered to be submitted to Government.
2. The excess charge over the Estimate of Rupees 16,118 for the purchase of Coir in 1863-64 is explained by the circumstances stated by the Collector which could not have been foreseen, and the Board request that the Civil Paymaster may be authorized to pass the amount from the savings pointed out by the Collector in the District Budget of the current year.

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ORDER THEREON, 21st April 1864, No. 620.

Referred to the Civil Paymaster for report as to whether the excess of expenditure on account of the Amendevi Coir, alluded to in these papers, can be met from savings in other items under "IV Miscellaneous." The proposals made by the Acting Collector of South Canara and supported by the Board of Revenue involve transfers from one major head of the Budget to another similar head.

(True Extract)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
" Civil Paymaster.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

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(A True Copy & Extract)

W. A. D. S.
Sub-Collector

To

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Secretary to Government

Revenue Department

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