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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 905 Press ~~Mis.~~

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Dated 27. 5. ~~19~~ 1864

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 27th May 1864.

No. 312. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel C. V. WILKIESON, R. E., Controller and Auditor of Public Works Accounts, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 16th May 1864, No. 122:—

SIR,

1. With reference to G. O. No. 1,141, dated 21st April 1864, I have the honor to forward herewith in original an Official Memorandum from the Sub-Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 13th May 1864, relative to the passing of Bills for charges on account of Travellers' Bungalows for the current official year.

1 Memorandum.

2. Though several of the Bills which were presented to this Office in this month relate to charges for the past official year, they could not be passed, as the grant made in G. O. No. 451, dated 13th February 1864, had lapsed on the 30th April 1864, and all arrears of the past year will, under the Budget Rules, have to be met from the current year's allotment. The Public Works Budget for this year not providing for the charge, and Government having determined to remove to the Board of Revenue the final audit of all charges on account of Local Funds, in which those of Travellers' Bungalows are included, this Office cannot pass the charges for and from 1864-65. It is observed that up to February 1864 the Civil Paymaster had the audit of similar charges.

Referred to the Revenue Department. If the charges included in the Bills were not actually paid during 1863-64, they cannot now be passed by the Controller against the allotment for that year. It has been ascertained that the Bills were received in the Controller's Office since the 1st instant.

Chepauk,
18th May 1864.

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

No. 313. ORDER THEREON, 27th May 1864, No. 905.

The Government have already decided in paragraph 1 of their Proceedings, dated 11th May 1864, No. 810, that the charges for Public Bungalows for 1863-64 should be paid and audited by the Public Works Department, and no further orders are required. Such Bills, however, as are not for payments actually made in 1863-64, which the Government believe is not the case with those now in question, should be audited by the Board of Revenue and passed against the grant for 1864-65.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Public Works Department.
„ the Board of Revenue.
„ the Acting Accountant General.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Revenue Department.

W. 905.

Proceedings of the Madras Government under date the 27th May 1864.

Read the following letter from the Controller and Auditor of P.W. Accounts.

Submitting Memo. from the Subsecretary Board of Revenue relative to Bills for Travellers' Bungalows, charges which do not come under the audit of their office from the current year.

(Here enter 76 th May 1864, No 122)

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21 P. W. Dept. with all Rec. Sept 30.
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Pro: of the Madras Govt
Dt 27th May 164.

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Charges on account of Travellers Bungalows for the Current Off. year how to be payed.

No 312 & 313.