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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
4th May 1865*

No. 76. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 24th April 1865, No. 2,082.

Read the following letter from G. A. BALLARD, Esq., Collector of Malabar, to R. A. DALYELL, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Palghat, 16th March 1865, No 35:—

1. The house rented (at one Rupee per mensem) for storing salt at British Cochin having fallen out of repair, and the owner having refused to put it in order, the salt was removed to one of the lower rooms of the Talook Cutcherry.

2. Hitherto the demand for salt at the Government Depôt has been very limited, and the stock in store small, owing to the dealers, &c., generally obtaining their salt from Native Cochin, where the article is had cheaper than at the Government Depôt.

				Garces.	In. Mds.
For Fusly	1270	...	...	3	10
Do.	1271	...	...	0	110
Do.	1272	...	...	0	72
Do.	1273	...	...	0	84

3. In the sales of the current Fusly,* however, there has been a marked increase in consequence of the salt in store at Native Cochin being greatly diminished, and still greater augmentation must be

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* Fusly 1274	...	...	...	10	53

looked for when the Cochin State, as contemplated, assimilate the price of their salt to that of the British Government.

4. Under these circumstances it is necessary to keep a larger stock of salt at Cochin than has hitherto been the case.

5. The room in the Talook Cutcherry is too small to hold a sufficient quantity, and moreover it is very desirable that the buildings should be cleared of the salt altogether, as it is liable to serious injury from the destructive effects of the salt on its walls.

6. I would, therefore, recommend the construction of a new temporary Gollah at Cochin, capable of holding at least 20 Garces, and beg to submit an Estimate which I have had drawn up, and to request that early sanction may be accorded for the disbursement of the amount therein shewn, viz., Rupees 80, Annas 12, and Pice 4.

7. The charge can be met from the savings from the amount provided under the head "Salt" in the Budget Estimate of 1864-65.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

ABSTRACT.—Estimate of cost for constructing a temporary Salt Gollah at Cochin, 30 feet long, and 14 feet broad.

1. Under the circumstances stated by the Collector, the Board approve the Estimate amounting to Rupees 81, for constructing a temporary Salt Gollah at Cochin, and resolve to submit the Estimate for the sanction of Government.

2. The Board apprehend that the Collector will have eventually, (as soon as the question of the British Government continuing to sell salt in the Depôt of Calicut is decided,) to rent a more permanent building than that now recommended to be constructed.

No. 77. ORDER THEREON, 4th May 1865, No. 923.

Separate Revenue, No. 3.
Salt.

Approved.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Public Works Department.
Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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For Fasli 1270	3	10
1271	0	110
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1273	0	54

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

R. A. Dalrymple

Acting Secretary.

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.,
with Estimate.

Copy to G. A. Ballard, Esq., Collector of Malabar.

Exd. J. Wright.

To the Board of Revenue and the Secretary
of the Board

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of the Secretary

No. 1116.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

24th April 1863.
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of the Board

No. 1116.
of the Board

No. 2032

Submitting for sanction estimate amounting
to Rupees 81, for constructing a temporary Salt
Jallah at Cochin, Malabar District.

76-77

29th April 1863

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