

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
15th January 1866.*

No. 193. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Military Department —

Sanctioning the grant of Rupees 100 to the Secretary of the Sydapet Government Farm Committee to carry out certain experiments which may be devised by the Madras Sanitary Commission. } (Here enter 22nd December 1865, No. 4,725.)

No. 194. ORDER THEREON, 15th January 1866, No. 100.

Miscellaneous.

Communicated to the Farm Committee and the
Revenue Board.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Honorary Secretary to the Farm Committee, } With Proceedings Military Department,
,, the Board of Revenue, } No. 4,725.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers:—

From the Offg. President Sanitary Commission. Here enter 1st December 1865, No. 575.
Report from the Ag. Controller of Mily. Accts. „ 7th „ „ D.

From the Officiating President Sanitary Commission, Madras, 1st December 1865,
No. 575; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George.

I have the honor to submit, for the consideration of Government, that on a reference from Dr. Mouat, Inspector General of Jails, Lower Provinces, the Sanitary Commission of Bengal has moved that of Madras and Bombay, to institute experiments in order to establish some data to shew, when deodorized excreta by dry earth may have been rendered so innocuous, as to be either re-applied for the purpose of deodorizing fresh excreta, or distributed as surface manure without injury to health, or offensive to the community.

2. Dr. Mouat urges the establishment of some positive data as above urged, because both in the Agra and Panjab Jails he has suspected that true typhus and typhoid fevers have been caused by the use of the fresh “Poudrette” as garden mould, and to its being buried in Jail compounds.

3. The Sydapett Government Farm Committee have politely undertaken to carry out, under the supervision of this Commission, such experiments as we desire to institute on this very important subject, on condition that no expense is entailed upon them in so doing.

4. We are of opinion that in order to arrive at correct practical conclusions, it will be necessary to experiment on a considerable scale, both in exposed situations and under cover.

5. We therefore recommend that Government be pleased to make a grant of Rupees (100) one hundred to the Secretary of the Farm Commission, to enable him to erect sheds, convey the poudrette from the General Hospital to the Farm, and to carry out such experiments as this Commission may from time to time devise.

With Report from the Acting Controller of Military Accounts, 7th December 1865, D.

ORDER, No. 4725, 22nd December 1865.

The Governor in Council sanctions the proposed grant of Rupees (100) one hundred for the purpose stated, to be met from the provision for contingencies in the budget of the Commission—additional provision, if necessary, being made in the regular estimate.

(True Extract)

Marshall
Secretary to Government.

To the President Sanitary Commission.
Controller of Military Accounts.
“ Military Accountant.
“ Examiner Pay Department.
“ Principal Inspector General Medical Department,
“ Quarter Master General, } for information.
“ Public Department,
“ Revenue Department,

Exd J. E. Cashart.

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