

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 394

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Dated 15 - 2 - 1866

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

No. 254. Read the following letter from the Acting Superintendent of Revenue Survey, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Chepauk, 3rd February 1866, No. 2009:—

1. I have the honor to state that in G. O. dated 14th March 1862, the pay of Peons and Measurers in District Survey Establishments was fixed at rates varying from 4 to 6 Rupees; since that time the

rise in the price of provisions and of other necessities of life has rendered these rates, at no time liberal, insufficient for their maintenance.

2. In some Districts the Superintendent, Lieutenant-Colonel Priestley, found it necessary to discontinue the employment of Peons at 4 and 4½ Rupees altogether, and to authorize the engagement of an increased number of men at the higher rate of 5 and 5½ Rupees.

3. The Director of Revenue Settlement in his letter of the 3rd November 1865, No. 1,356-41, represented the inadequacy of the pay of the Daloyets attached to the Deputy Directors. Their pay was consequently increased from 6 and 7 Rupees to 7 and 8 Rupees.

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4. I have the honor to request that the Government will be pleased to sanction the pay of Duffadars, Peons, and Measurers being increased as shown in the margin.

5. The increase will not materially affect the cost of the Survey, and is absolutely necessary. It can be met out of the funds provided in the Budget for the Survey Department.

No. 255.

ORDER THEREON, 15th February 1866, No. 394.

Miscellaneous.

The Order of Government, dated 23rd November 1865, No. 2,879, relates only to Peons attached to "the Offices of the Deputy and Assistant Directors" of Revenue Settlement. Major Hessey apparently proposes an increase to the pay of all the Peons of his Department. He will state whether this is the case or not, and also submit a Memorandum of the number of each grade now employed in the Survey and the full allotment.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Officiating Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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