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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
19th September 1867.*

No. 322. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 7th September 1867, No. 5,803.

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Madras, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Sydapet, 12th August 1867, No. 260:—

1. In the village of Peria, or Pedda Obalapuram, in the Ponneri talook, one Chellakutty Reddy is allowed an annual deduction, equal to one-fifth of his Puttah Beriz, as Dassavandum Inam, for keeping in repair a tank built by his ancestors.

2. In Fusly 1274 the allowance amounted to Rupees 54-1-2; but the Dassavandum Inamdar was not allowed to deduct the above sum, as the tank was then in disrepair. Subsequent to the Jummahbundy, the Tahsildar reported that Chellakutty Reddy had repaired the tank and preferred a claim for the usual Dassavandum allowance withheld from him at the time of Jummahbundy, and recommended that Chellakutty Reddy's request should be complied with: an order was then sent to the Tahsildar not to collect the amount, but to include it in the Statement of Irrecoverable balance for Fusly 1274. It now appears that the amount in question, Rupees 54-1-2, was collected between the date of his report to the Hoozoor and the date of the Collector's order, and carried to account. I therefore beg to recommend that the amount may be refunded to Chellakutty Reddy, as he appears fully entitled to it.

3. I may add the Government have not lost anything by the disrepair of the tank, as all the Bunjer land under the tank, which is held by none but the Dassavandum Inamdar, was fully charged in Fusly 1274.

Submitted to Government, with the Board's recommendation that the refund of Rupees 54-1-2, referred to in the Collector's letter, may be sanctioned. This sum appears to have been carried to account more than two years ago.

No. 323. ORDER THEREON, 19th September 1867, No. 2,187.

Land Revenue.

Refund sanctioned, Rupees 54-1-2.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Accountant General.

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