

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
20th May 1853.*

No. 488. Read the following letter from the Accountant General, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Fort St. George, 15th May 1868, No. 38:—

1. I have the honor, with reference to Government Order dated 11th instant, No. 1,305, to report that on a re-consideration of Mr. Comyn's case, I am of opinion that this Department has taken a wrong view of the question.

2. The decision of the Honorable Court of Directors, copy of which is submitted, on which this Department relied in refusing to act in accordance with the tenor of the Leave Rules, is, it will be observed, dated 19th September 1855, but confirms a decision of 1853 passed before the Leave Rules were in force.

3. Though, therefore, it is of a date subsequent to the Leave Rules, which are dated 8th June 1855, I conceive that it cannot be held to render any portion of those rules inoperative, but must be understood simply to have a bearing on the case of Mr. Ratliff, decided in this country on rules in force at the time, and superseded by the Leave Rules which came out two years later. I am therefore of opinion that, in accordance with Section XXV of the Leave Rules, Mr. Comyn is entitled to deputation allowance calculated on the aggregate of the salaries of the two offices in which he officiated, viz., 550 Rupees.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation No. 545, dated 18th May 1853.

Read the following letter from the Acting Sub-Collector of Nellore.

(Here enter 26th April 1853.)

Mr. Ratliff, it is observed, assumed charge of the Nellore Collectorate from Mr. Pauncefote, the Acting Head Assistant, in virtue of his appointment to act as Sub-Collector and Joint Magistrate of that district, which constituted him the Subordinate Officer in the sense intended in Section XXI of the Civil Absentee Rules, and as such empowered him to take charge of the district in the absence of his Principal. The Government, therefore, quite agree with the Civil Auditor that, under such circumstances, Mr. Ratliff is not entitled to deputation allowance on the salary of the Collector and Magistrate for the first month of the period during which he was in charge.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Secretary to Government.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 4th December 1855, No. 1,329.

Read the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Financial Department.

Communicating, for disposal, copies of certain }
paragraphs of a despatch from the Honorable } (Here enter 14th November 1855, No. 459.)
Court, dated 19th September last.

Ordered that paragraph 3 * * * of the Honorable Court's despatch of the 19th
September be communicated for the information of the Civil Auditor * * *

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Extract from a letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors, dated 19th September, No. 23
of 1855.

3. Approved.

{ Letter from in Revenue Department, dated 7th
November 1854, No. 60, paragraphs 23 and
25. Report decisions passed on the claim pre-
ferred by Mr. Murray for deputation allow-
ance from the date of his entering upon the
performance of his duties as Acting Collector
of Cuddapah, also on Mr. Ratliff's claim to
deputation allowance whilst in charge of the
Nellore Collectorate.

(A true Extract.)

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

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. KISSUN SING,
Acting Chief Assistant.

No. 489.

ORDER THEREON, 20th May 1868, No. 1,421.

Miscellaneous.

Communicated to the Board of Revenue.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Accountant General

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