

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1657	Press Mis.
312-13 Dated	12-6-	N 1868

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
12th June 1868.

No. 312. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 29th May 1868, No. 3,993 :—

Read the following letter from the Collector of Malabar, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Calicut, 14th February 1868, No. 48.

1. I have the honor to request that sanction may be granted for an increased Press Establishment for this office, the present one being unable to perform efficiently the work devolving on it. The consequence is delay, unpunctuality, and inconvenience.

2. There are three Presses, but, with the present establishment, when the large Press is working, the other two have to lie idle, and *vice versa*.

3. Considerable attention has been paid of late to the Press arrangements, and especially to getting the *District Gazette* out with punctuality, so as to be regularly despatched by the Amshom posts. But great delay occurs in meeting demands for forms, printing official papers, and such like work, whilst private work cannot be undertaken at all.

4. The small annual expenditure will add so much to efficiency, that I have no hesitation in urging it strongly.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Statement.

1. Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted to Government, with the tabular Statement received with it.

Cost of the present Establishment	...	RS. 188
Increase now proposed.		
2 Compositors, at 8 Rupees each	...	16 0 0
1 Pressman	...	8 0 0
2 Wheel Turners, at 7 Rupees each	...	14 0 0
1 Attender	...	7 0 0
1 Masaljee	...	6 0 0
		51

Cost of the proposed Establishment ... 239

the Government of India may be obtained for the increase.

2. The Collector proposes for his Press Department an increased establishment in lieu of the present one, which, the Collector states, is unable to perform the work devolving on it efficiently. The Collector's proposition involves an increase of Rupees 51 per month, or Rupees 612 per annum, and the Board beg to recommend that the sanction of

No. 313. ORDER THEREON, 12th June 1868, No. 1,657.

Miscellaneous.

Referred to the Accountant General for report as to whether the small addition of Rupees 51 per mensem cannot be met from savings in the Budget.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Accountant General.
,, the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

19th November 1861 No. 246/42

Off. Asst
N^o 1657.

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Rs 312313.

12th June 1868

By order of the
Collector of Malabar
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Rev. 1868. Department
No of Govt. for June
No. 2008.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 29th May 1868.

Dr. 6/11/68
Rs. 8/11/68
Rs. 1/11/68

No. 3,993.
From the Asst. Commr. of M.
June 1868 Rs. 7137

Rs 1657-12 June

Submitting with recommendation letter from
Collector of Malabar requesting sanction for
an increased press Establishment for his office.

Referred

With order