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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
14th July 1868.

No. 275. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 22nd June 1868, No. 4,599.

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Cuddapah, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated on circuit at Madanapally, 18th April 1868, No. 62 :—

1. I have the honor to forward copy of a letter* to my address from Royappa Puntulu, first class Deputy Collector, requesting me to recommend that he be granted permanent batta, at Rupees 3 per diem, for the time he has been engaged in the transfer of land to the Railway and Irrigation and Canal Companies.

* No. 19 of 9th April 1868.

2. Royappa Puntulu has been already granted permanent batta, at Rupees 3 a day for the future ; but the Order† did not specify that this batta is to be drawn in arrears. It would, I think, be just at least to allow this batta to Royappa Puntulu from the date on which it was granted, under similar circumstances, to Iyalu Naidu, Deputy Collector in Bellary District, which was by Government Order, No. 3,117, of 16th November 1866. Whether it can be granted from the period Royappa Puntulu was first engaged on these duties, will be for the consideration of the Board.

† Order of Govt., dated 24th March 1868, No. 756.

From ROYAPPA PUNTULU, Deputy Collector, to the Acting Collector of Cuddapah, dated on circuit at Ramaswaram, 9th April 1868, No. 19.

1. Although the Government have been pleased to sanction me, in their Proceedings under date the 24th March 1868, a permanent batta,‡ as long as the Irrigation and Canal Company exists in this district, I do not believe that my service will be continued until the termination of such work.

‡ At Rupees 3 per diem.

2. From a long time up to present moment I have disposed of all such affairs concerned both with the Railway and Irrigation Canal Companies, under the authorities of the Proceedings of Government, dated 7th June 1859, No. 312, and 13th January 1863, No. 81, respectively.

3. The work attached to the Railway being of an equal importance with that of Irrigation and Canal Company, the latter opens a claim for permanent batta to the former also.

4. Down to the year 1863, I had only to look after the Railway work; but ever since that time I continue in the discharge of the affairs concerned both with the Railway and Irrigation Canal Companies.

5. I being disappointed§ in the belief of finding a favorable reward for the extra labor I took on behalf of Government that you will be pleased to have me recommended to the Government for a permanent batta, at least for the period I was engaged in the disposal of both the Companies.

§ From the Procs. of Govt., dated the 2nd April 1868.

6. In time of sanctioning such batta, the portion that has been already drawn when on circuit will have to be deducted.

Submitted for the consideration and orders of Government.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
14th July 1868.

No. 276. ORDER THEREON, 14th July 1868, No. 1,961.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Order of Government, dated 24th March 1868, granting Deputy Collector Royappa Puntulu permanent batta so long as he is engaged in making over lands to the Railway and Canal Companies, on which duty he has been more or less employed for many years, will operate retrospectively from 16th November 1866, on which date similar batta was granted to the Deputy Collector of Bellary District, who is similarly employed.

2. The payment will of course be adjusted with reference to any batta he may have already drawn under the ordinary rules.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 22nd June 1868.
Copies
Pro: of the Board of Revenue
No. 4,593.

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Submitting for consideration and orders letter from Deputy Collector Royappa Punthoodoo in Cuddapah district, requesting that he be granted permanent batta at Rupees 3 per diem for time he has been engaged in transfer of land to Railway and Irrigation and Canal Company.

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The order of Govt granting Royappa Puntulu permanent batta so long as he is engaged in making over lands to Railway & Canal Companies, on which duty he has been more or less employed for many years, will operate retrospectively from 16 Nov 1866 on which date similar batta was granted to the Dy Collr of Bellary Dist. who is similarly employed. The payments will of course be adjusted with reference to any batta he may have already drawn under the ordinary rules. S. T. 14th July 68

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