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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
4th October 1871.*

No. 42. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st September 1871, No. 4,052 :—

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 2nd September 1871, No. 343.

A QUESTION is raised by the Deputy-Collector on General Duties as to whether Talook Gumastahs deputed to villages to examine Census reports are entitled to travelling batta. In paragraph 4 of their Proceedings dated 18th July 1868, No. 5,238, embodied in those of 18th February 1869, No. 1,090, the Board have recommended batta for Gumastahs sent out from their head-quarters on duty within their own division; but the Government in their Order dated 2nd February 1869, No. 276, conveyed in the same Proceedings, accepted the proposals of the Board in regard to both Gumastahs and Peons when actually in attendance on a Tahsildar whilst absent from cusbah station on duty; but this was not exactly the proposal of the Board. I have, therefore, the honour to request the orders of the Board as to whether batta to Gumastahs should be paid only when on circuit with the Tahsildar, or whether it can be paid to them when absent on duty and not in attendance on the Tahsildar.

THE Board certainly intended that Talook Gumastahs should be allowed batta whenever their duty takes them away from the cusbah, whether in company with the Tahsildar or not.

2. In the case of Talook Peons they assigned a reason for restricting the grant of batta to those occasions only when they travelled with the Tahsildar.

3. They recommend, therefore, that the doubt created by the wording of the Government Order referred to be removed.

No. 43. ORDER THEREON, 4th October 1871, No. 1,737.

Miscellaneous.

THE Government in their order in question expressly concurred in the Board's views.

2. The intention of the G. O. was to sanction *batta* to Talook Gumastahs when absent from their head-quarters on duty, and to Talook Peons when actually on circuit with the Tahsildar as recommended by the Board.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

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

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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No. 44. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 20th September 1871, No. 4,030 :—

Read the following papers :—

From the Collector of Nellore, to the Member of the Board of Revenue, Inam Department, Madras, dated 15th August 1871, No. 1,577.

With reference to your official memorandum No. 1,338, dated 10th September 1870, I have the honour to enclose a statement showing the amount of additional quit-rent on Kuttubadi Inams included in the demand for Fusly 1279, the portion collected therefrom, and the balance remaining uncollected.

2. It will be seen that out of Rs. 7,648-8-11, included in the demand on account of the additional quit-rent, Rs. 1,919-14-0 were collected, which I request sanction to refund.

3. The quit-rent on the Kuttubadi Inam in Chundi is given at Rs. 2,222. It appears that Rs. 121-6-2, collected on certain personal Inams belonging to the Chundi Zemindar, were erroneously credited to the Kuttubadi quit-rent, so that only Rs. 2,100-9-10 are actually shown as balance instead of the whole amount of Rs. 2,222. Deducting the sum of Rs. 121-6-2 from the amount of Rs. 5,728-10-11 shown in column 4 of the enclosed statement, there remain Rs. 5,607-4-9, which I request sanction to refund.

5. I have therefore the honour to suggest that the quit-rent be collected from this Fusly (1280), and, if my proposal be approved, that I may be authorized to write off the quit-rent already entered, refunding so much of it as may have been already collected.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM.

With reference to his letter dated 9th August 1870, No. 2,039, the Collector of Nellore is informed that the justice of the claim for immunity from quit-rent for the Fusly 1279 is obvious. The Collector will therefore commence the collection of quit-rent from Fusly 1280. The amount already collected for Fusly 1279 should be refunded, for which purpose he is requested to send a statement of the amount so collected for sanction.

INAM DEPARTMENT,
10th September 1870.

(Signed) W. ROBINSON,
2nd Member in charge of the Inam Dept.

The two papers last recorded above explain the circumstances under which certain refunds and adjustments of Inam quit-rent have become necessary, and the letter first recorded contains the details.

2. The Board accordingly sanction the refund of Rs. 1,919-14-0 collected in Fusly 1279.

3. They also solicit the sanction of Government for the uncollected portion of the quit-rent, amounting to Rs. 5,607-4-9, included in the demand of Fusly 1279, being written off the accounts.

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TRANSFERRED to the Board's Office for disposal.

INAM DEPARTMENT,
29th August 1871.

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting 3rd Member in charge of the Inam Dept.

From the Officiating Collector of Nellore, to the 2nd Member in charge of the Inam Department, Revenue Board, Madras, dated 9th August 1870, No. 2,039.

With reference to your official memorandum No. 33, dated 8th January 1870, I issued a Circular (No. 20) directing the Tahsildars to collect the quit-rent on Kuttubadi Inams from the Fusly in which the Title-deeds were delivered, and to distribute all, if possible, before the end of Fusly 1279.

2. The Title-deeds have accordingly been distributed to a great extent, and the quit-rent imposed by the Inam Department included in the demand of the above Fusly.

3. Some of the Kuttubadi Inamdars in the Udayagiri Talook have presented petitions to me stating, among other things, that they have done service for the year (1279).

4. It appears to me rather hard that the Kuttubadi Inamdars should be called upon to pay the quit-rent for Fusly 1279, when, in the majority of cases, the Title-deeds were not distributed till about the end of the year, up to which time

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Talook.	Additional quit-rent included in the demand of Fusly 1279	Amount collected.	Balance.
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	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Gudur	1,998 7 0	1,417 4 0	581 3 0
Rapur	541 9 7	180 1 7	361 8 0
Nellore	189 14 11	85 5 4	104 9 7
Atmakur	414 4 6	4 0 0	410 4 6
Kavali	304 6 0	7 8 0	296 14 0
Udayagiri	854 12 0	61 6 0	793 6 0
Kandukur	575 4 10	20 12 1	554 8 9
Kanigiri	438 1 1	118 5 0	319 12 1
Ongole	109 13 0	25 4 0	84 9 0
Total...	5,426 8 11	1,919 14 0	3,506 10 11
Chundi	2,222 0 0		2,222 0 0
Grand Total...	7,648 8 11	1,919 14 0	5,728 10 11

(Signed) G. VANSAGNEW,
Collector.

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No. 45.

ORDER THEREON, 4th October 1871, No. 1,738.

Land Revenue.

SANCTIONED.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

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

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

No. 3136

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Board of Revenue,
MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 20TH SEPTEMBER 1871, No. 4,030.

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SEPTEMBER.

No. 4,030.

Refund of additional quit-rent—collected on
Kuttubadi Inams in Nellore District for Fusly
1279, authorized.—Sanction of Government re-
quested for writing off Accounts uncollected
portion of quit-rent, amounting to Rupees
5,609-4-9, included in demand of that year.

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Sanctioned

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V.H.
4. Oct/71

No 4645

C.S. Act: 171 P.H.

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