

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
17th March 1871.*

No. 229. Read the following letter from the Accountant-General, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated 24th January 1871, No. 308 :—

I HAVE the honour respectfully to request that His Excellency in Council will be so good as to submit, for the consideration and orders of the Government of India, the subject of the correspondence from my department noted in the margin, upon which Proceedings of Government, Nos. 1,511 and 1,910, dated 5th October and 2nd December 1870, respectively, were issued. These Resolutions were submitted by this department for the orders of the Supreme Government, who have directed that the matter should be referred to them through the Local Government.

No. 230. ORDER THEREON, 17th March 1871, No. 471.

Miscellaneous.

ORDERED accordingly that the following letter be despatched :—

To the Financial Secretary to the Government of India.

(Here enter No. 472, dated 17th March 1871.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Accountant-General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
17th March 1871.

No. 231.

No. 472.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Miscellaneous.

SIR,—At the request of the Accountant-General, Madras, conveyed in the letter, dated 24th January 1871, No. 308, of

which copy is enclosed, I am directed by His Excellency the Governor in Council to forward, for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, the accompanying Proceedings of this Government, dated 5th October and 2nd December 1870, Nos. 1,511 and 1,910, on the subject of joining time to be allowed to a Native Officer.

2. It will be observed that a Brahmin Sub-Magistrate in the Ganjam District proceeded to take the post of Tahsildar in the Kistna District, to which he had

by land, thereby occupying some ten days longer on the journey than it was calculated would otherwise have been required.

3. In justification of his proceedings he affirmed that he was unable to induce his servants (a Brahmin and a Sudra) to accompany him by sea, and that, as he himself would have been obliged to land at three ports to take his meals, according to caste requirements, he could not have dispensed with servants, and therefore made the journey by land.

4. On a reference from the Accountant-General's department as to whether forfeiture of pay for the excess time occupied in the journey should be insisted on, this Government decided that the usual time for the through land journey should be allowed, as Native Officers cannot be required to travel by sea if unwilling to do so.

5. On a further reference from the same officer, drawing attention to a Resolution of the Government of India, dated 9th November 1861, No. 13,800, Financial Department, which approved an opinion of the Civil Paymaster, Fort William, that in a similar case only the equivalent of the cost of a passage by sea should be allowed, although the whole journey could not be made by steamer, this Government saw no reason to re-consider their former decision.

6. They are disposed to believe that on review of the former order, His Excellency the Governor-General in Council will concur with them in holding it open to objection.

7. It will be observed that in both cases only a part of the journey could be made by steamer, so that in the earlier case, the journey from Masulipatam to Vizagapatam, and in the later one, that from Aska to Ganjam, and from either

Cocanada, Coringa, or Masulipatam to Nundigam, must perforce have been made by land, and thus the equivalent of the cost of the passage by sea could not fairly be held to cover the cost of the whole compound journey as laid down in the ruling.

8. Other reasons, such as difficulty of embarking or landing at certain seasons, and the uncertain dates of the steamers calling at the ports, might be adduced against an unbending application of the rule; but apart from these, this Government consider it very undesirable, on general principles, to force public officers of respectable rank to violate their caste requirements, and to encounter extreme inconvenience when the exigency of the public service in no way demands the sacrifice, and the saving effected by the State is trifling in the extreme, and in no way commensurate with the annoyance caused by the rule.

9. This Government trust that these views will meet with the concurrence of the Supreme Government.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed)

W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

Audited DEPARTMENT.

Treasury.

No. 308

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
24 January 1870.

FROM THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

TO THE

*Secretary to Government
Revenue Department*

SIR,

I have the honor respectfully to request that His Excellency in Council will be so good as to submit for the consideration and orders of the Government of India the subject of the correspondence from my Department noted in the margin, upon which Proceedings of Government Nos 1511 and 1910 dated 5th October and 2nd December 1870 respectively were issued. These Resolutions were submitted by this Department for the orders of the Supreme Government, who have directed that the matter should be referred to them through the Local Government.

I have the honor to be

Sir
Your Obedient Servant
R. Hutchinson
Accountant General

*Letter to Government No 1913 and 201
dated 1st and 10th October 1870.*

No. 1771-

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 17th March. 1871.

Read the following letter from the

Accountant General, Madras

H.E. 24th Jan'y. 1871. No 308

Requesting to submit for
orders of Govt of India the subject
of the joining time allowed
to Narsimha Row, but Master,
Ganjain.

Ordered accordingly
that the following letter
be despatched

To
The Fin^l Secretary
Govt of India

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TO THE GOVT. OF MADRAS.

To
The Secretary to Govt.
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Dated 24th January 1871.
Received 24th January 1871.

ENCLOSURES.

No. 1771-13 January 1871

No 229

15th March

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No. 232. Read the following endorsement of the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, dated Fort Saint George, 16th March 1871, No. 90:—

Read the following letter from Honorary Assistant Surgeon R. HUFFTON, in Medical charge, Chettpore, to the Deputy-Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department, Presidency and Northern Districts, dated Chettpore, 6th March 1871, No. 85.

I BEG respectfully to report, for your information, that there has been a slight increase of fever in the Ganjam hospital during the past month.

2. The number treated was 103 against 88 in January, the admission being more numerous after the fall of one inch and seven cents. of rain on the 16th February.

3. No fatal case occurred among those treated in the hospital, but the Curnum's report shows a mortality of 14 cases, 7 of which are said to have been from fever.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Weekly Report of Fever-cases among the Civil population of Ganjam, from Monday the 20th to Sunday the 26th February 1871.

Villages.	Diseases.	Remain- ed.	Admit- ted.	Total.	Dis- charged.	Died.	Remain- ing.
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Puyetkola...	„ „ „ ...	...	1	1	1	...	...
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	Total...	14	37	51	30	...	21

GANJAM,
27th February 1871.

(Signed) A. LUTCHMENARAIDU,
First-Class Hospital Assistant
in Medical charge.

FORWARDED to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, for
information.

(Signed) W. MACKENZIE, M.D.,
Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.

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17th March 1871.

No. 233.

ORDER THEREON, 17th March 1871, No. 473.

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COMMUNICATED to the Revenue
Board and Sanitary Commissioner.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Public Works Department.
,, the Public Department.
,, the Sanitary Commissioner.
,, the Inspector-General, Indian Medical Department.

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From
Honorary Assistant Surgeon R. Hafflaw
In medical charge Chatterpore
To
The Deputy Inspector-General
Indian Medical Department & District
Madras

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Sir,
Your most obedient Servant
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 To
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Weekly Report of Fever cases, among the Civil
population, Gajum from Monday the 20th to Sunday
the 26th February 1871 - 35

Villages	Diseases	Remained	Admitted	Discharged	Dead	Remaining	Remarks
Gangjau	Feb. Quotidian	4	4	8	8	"	
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Mohereboudra	Feb. Quotidian	2	"	2	2	"	"
do	Feb. Quartan	"	5	5	"	5	
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To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated March 17th.

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G. O., 17th March 1871, No. 473.

MARCH.

Nos. 232-233.

Fever in Ganjam.—Report of its increase during the month of February 1871, communicated to the Board of Revenue and Sanitary Commission.

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the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated
14th March 1871.

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No. 132.

I HAVE the honour to submit copy of *Plaint in Original Suit* in the file of the Chittoor Civil Court, in which the Collector, Sub-Collector, and the Vellore Tahsildar, are included as defendants, and request sanction for conducting the defence at public cost.

2. The circumstances which gave rise to this Suit are given *in extenso* in my letter, No. 263, dated 29th June 1870, recorded in the Board's Proceedings, dated 14th July 1870, No. 4,878, and from it the Board will observe that petitioner attempted to withdraw a formal Razeenamah presented by him of his own accord, transferring to one Kullasani Nattan his right in the Seduperi tank fishery in the Vellore Taluq, which he had a few days before rented for five years from the Government.

3. The Razeenamah and the Deed of Acceptance by Kullasani Nattan, agreeing to take the fishery in question, are both dated 3rd September 1869, and about seven months later (in April 1870) after the plaintiff had heard that the Sub-Collector had drawn his objections to the transfer, and had actually ordered it, addressed a *memorandum* with Kullasani Nattan, and

At this time the Razeenamah was accepted and acted upon, and possession of the fishery given over to Kullasani Nattan.

5. Petitioner was, therefore, referred to the Civil Court for redress, as nothing could be done for him in the Revenue Department.

6. I request the Board will be pleased to approve of the accompanying draft answer, which I propose to file on behalf of myself and the other defendants.

SUBMITTED for the orders of Government, the amount at issue exceeding Rs. 1,000.

2. The Board recommend that the defence of the Suit be sanctioned on the usual terms. The draft answer seems to be sufficient, but the *numbers* in the designation of the answerers in the last two paragraphs are wrong.

No. 235.

ORDER THEREON, 17th March 1871, No. 474.

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