

No. 127. Read the following letter from the Director of Revenue Settlement, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 12th August 1872, No. 1,399-41:—

THE Government in their Proceedings of 5th April 1864, No. 572, sanctioned for each Settlement Party a permanent floating advance of Rs. 2,500 for the construction of boundary pillars. In Salem, where the work of restoring field demarcation is progressing, under the provisions of Act XXVIII. of 1860, in several taluqs at one and the same time, this amount has proved insufficient; and my Deputy there finds himself much crippled for the want of the necessary funds, though every effort is made to recover the advances from the ryots as expeditiously as possible. Under these circumstances I have the honour to request that the Accountant-General may be authorized to make a further advance of Rs. 2,000 to Mr. Clogstoun, so that he may be enabled to push on the work in the remaining portion of the district with a view to its early completion.

2. I was at first unwilling to make this application, but having found from personal inquiries during a late visit to the scene of work that there was real necessity for this further advance my hesitation was removed.

No. 128. ORDER THEREON, 17th August 1872, No. 1,208.

Land Revenue.

SANCTIONED.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Revenue Settlement,
,, the Accountant-General.

Ends

Revenue 1872 kept
From No. 2697

The Director of
Rev. Settlement
To Secy to Govt
Receipt

Dated 12th }
Recd 14th } Aug
1872

No. 1399
41

Requesting sanction
for a further advance
of Rs. 2000 to by direct
Sale for Construction
of boundary pillars.
No. 1208

Sanctioned
17 Aug 1872

No. 127-128

13 To the Director of Rev. Settlement - Dtd 21st Aug 1872 -
6 " Accountant General " "