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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,  
27th February 1874.*

No. 245. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th February 1874, No. 239 :—

Read the following letter from Surgeon J. J. L. RATTON, M.D., On Special Duty, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Sub-Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madras, 5th February 1874 :—

I HAVE the honour to inform you, with reference to Board's Proceedings, dated 4th February 1874, that I will leave Madras on the 7th instant, and that I have arranged to meet Mr. Garstin and visit Merkanum and Killay with him.

2. I will be ready to go to work at the experimental pans at once on my return to Madras, if the assistance I have asked for can be provided.

3. The following, in detail, are the men required :—

An Assistant, a Writer, a Peon, an Overseer, and Coolies.

4. The Assistant wished for is such a one as will be able to take independent charge of similar works elsewhere, if necessary. He ought to receive the pay of a Salt Superintendent, or about Rupees 75 per mensem. The Writer and Peon should be given such salaries as it is usual to give to Writers and Peons in the Salt Department. The Overseer and Coolies, with the exception of three or four retained on a monthly stipend, will be employed only temporarily during the construction of the works. They had better be paid with other construction charges from the permanent advance.

5. The most convenient money-arrangement would be a credit of Rupees 300 at the local Salt Treasury nearest to the works.

APPROVED.

2. The sanction of Government is requested for the temporary employment of a Salt Superintendent on Rupees 75, a Writer on Rupees 25, and a Peon on Rupees 6, for a period of eight months, which will, the Board believe, cover the duration of the experiments during the current season.

3. The cost of the Overseer and Coolies can be met, as proposed, from the advances for working expenses. A permanent advance of Rupees 300 will be allowed, as requested by Dr. Ratton.

No. 246. ORDER THEREON, 27th February 1874, No. 266.

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| Separate Revenue, No. 14. |
| Salt.                     |

SANCTIONED.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,  
Acting Secretary to Government.

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

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 6<sup>th</sup> February 1874, No. 239

Read the following

From J. J. L. Patton, M.D.  
Surgeon Salt Duty.  
To H. E. Stokes Esq.,  
Sub-Secretary, Board of Revenue,  
Madras

SIR,

1. I have the honor to inform you with reference to Board's Proceedings, dated 4<sup>th</sup> February 1874, that I will leave Madras on the 7<sup>th</sup> instant & that I have arranged to meet Mr. Garstin and visit Merkanum and Kille with him.

2. I will be ready to go to work at the experimental pans at once on my return to Madras, if the assistance I have asked for can be provided.

3. The following in detail are the men required.

An Assistant - A Writer  
A Peon - An Overseer - Coolies

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THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

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Approved for J. J. L. Patton, M.D.  
Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

4. The Assistant wished for is such a one as will be able to take independent charge of similar work elsewhere, if necessary. He ought to receive the pay of a Salt Superintendent or about Rs (75) per mensem. The writer and peon should be given such salaries as it is usual to give to writers and peons in the Salt Department. The Overseer and Coolies with the exception of three or four retained on a monthly stipend will be employed only temporarily during the construction of the works. They had better be paid with other construction charges from the permanent advances.

5. The most convenient money arrangement would be a credit of Rs (300) at the local Salt treasury nearest to the works.

Madras,  
5 February 1874

I have seen  
(Signed) J. L. Rattray

Approved

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1. Approved.
2. The sanction of Government is requested for the temporary employment of a Salt Superintendent on Rs 75, a writer on Rs 25, and a peon on Rs 6 for a period of 8 months which will, the Board believe, cover the duration of the experiments during the current season.
3. The cost of the Overseer & Coolies can be met as proposed from the advances for working expenses. A permanent advance of Rs 300 will be allowed, as requested by Dr Rattray.

(True Copy & Extract)

W. H. H. H.

Ag. Sub Secretary

To,

The Secretary to Government

Revenue Department

*[Signature]*  
C. L. E.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD  
OF REVENUE.

Dated 6<sup>th</sup>  
Decr 6 } February 1874.  
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SUBJECT.

Applying of Mr. Patton  
for leave to visit Mer-  
=cum & Shelby  
Co. Tenn in S. West  
district, & requesting  
sanction of Govt. for  
temporary employment  
of a salt drifter, as no  
writer & a few more  
of Patton in 2d  
Sanctioned

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