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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
16th October 1874.

No. 193. Read the following Endorsement of the Acting Under-Secretary to Government, Public, *etc.*, Departments, dated 3rd October 1874:—

Read the following letter from C. T. LONGLEY, Esq., Collector of Salem, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Tripatore, 29th September 1874, No. 367.

With reference to G. O., No. 1,100, of the 28th August 1874, I have the honor to request that Government will be pleased to reconsider their order declining to sanction the deduction from the peishcush of the Salem Muta of the sum of Rs. 6-4-9, being assessment on the Mussulman burial ground of the town of Salem.

2. The burial grounds of this community (more than twelve in number) being over-crowded, it became necessary, on sanitary grounds, to close them, and, with the sanction of Government accorded in G. O., No. 1,074, of 17th July 1871, the present ground was opened for all Mussulmans.

3. I further beg to state that, if this land had been taken by Government for a similar purpose through the Collector of the district, the assessment thereon would have lapsed. The Commissioners took up this land in the expectation that they would not be charged with the assessment. The Commissioners, therefore, earnestly request that Government will be pleased to order the assessment in question to be written off the permanent beriz of the Muta.

(Signed) J. STURROCK,
Acting Under-Secretary to Government.

No. 194. Order thereon, 16th October 1874, No. 1,335.

Miscellaneous.

The Governor in Council sees no reason to reconsider his previous decision in this matter.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Collector of Salem.
„ the Board of Revenue.

Ed. F. R. Bantleman.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 3456

From Collector of Salem

Dated 29 Sept 1874.

FOR ORDERS.

This matter was discussed in Council and it was settled that the cost of acquiring the land was a proper charge upon the Municipality. With reference came up through the Board of Revenue. The Collector was advised the Chief Secretary direct

Dated October 1874.

G. O. 10th October 1874, No. 1,005.

OCTOBER.
Nos. 1004-1045.

Land in Salem Municipality taken up by the Municipality for a Mahomedan Burial Ground.—Directing that, as it is proposed to consider the previous decision in the matter, the reduction proposed to be made in the Municipal Fund of the Municipality be postponed.

Collector of Salem

Dated 29th October 1874.

GOVERNMENT.

To

THE COLLECTOR OF SALEM.

Sir,

in the capacity, probably, of President of the Municipality and refer the order of Govt. to the Public department sanctioning the purchase of this piece of ground.

The original sanction of Govt. to the purchase was given by Section 135 Act III of 1871 (Madras) which directs that "the Commissioners shall from "time to time, from the funds "at their disposal, and with "the sanction of the Governor "in Council provide suitable

the production proposed to be made in this Court
of the Lists &c.—

places for the use of burial or burning grounds for the use of the inhabitants of the town"

The Salem Commissioners accordingly asked permission to purchase for Rs 276 a suitable piece of ground & the Govt sanctioned their proposal (G.O. 17 July 1871 & 1874 Public Dept)

The Collector now says that they took up this land with the expectation that they would not be charged with the assessment, but he does not explain how it was that the fact of the land being chargeable with assessment

No. 367.

Salem Collector's Office
Camp Tripatore 29th September

From

The Collector of
Salem

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir,

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FOR ORDERS.

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value which, it has been shown
herein, is to be paid for from
the funds at their disposal
I submit that there are
no grounds for reconsider-
ing the decision of the 28th
August which is based on
a correct principle

Council 1/10

I see no reason to alter
the Order of Revision passed by Govt. We give effect to
only here. L.C. 12/10

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Your most Obt Servant
C. J. Lucy[illegible]
Collector

No 1335.

The G. in C. see no reason to reconsider his previous decision in this matter

C M M
16 Oct 74

Honorable in Council
16 Oct/74.

To the Collr. of Customs Bombay
& Ch. Board of Revenue

G.O. 25/74 Nos 278-279
17/7/71 - Nos 134-135

Transferred to the Revenue Department.

H Merivale
a/Under Secy

3rd October 1874

No 3486
1874 Revenue Dept
From No 2043
The Collector of Salem
To The Chief Secy to Govt: Madras
Dy 29 September 74
Desp: 3rd
Rec'd 8th October 74
No 367

Requests that G.O. No 1100 dy 28th August 1874 may be re-considered

No 1335 - 16 October 1874