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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
22nd April 1875.*

No. 271. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 9th April 1875, No. 871:—

Read the following letters:—

From W. McQUHAE, Esq., Collector of Madura, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Tiruvadanaï, 23rd February 1875, No. 80.

I HAVE the honor to report that as salt is likely to be formed in two swamps

* Pombari Swamp 6 men	...	...	...	RS.	34
Naripyur do. 2 do.	...	...	...		10
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					—

named Pombari and Naripyur, the Salt Deputy Collector has directed the employment of eight* watchmen at a cost of Rupees 44 a-month. Pending the collection of salt, he proposes to appoint a

Kangani on Rupees 12 a-month to patrol the swamps, and states that if the salt is fit to be collected, the employment of a temporary Assistant Superintendent† will be necessary.

† Pay Rupees 20 a-month	
Pony allowance „	10
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Total...	30
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2. Sanction is, therefore, requested for the above temporary establishment. The period for which it will be required

depends upon the rains, but it may be required at the latest till the end of October 1875.

3. As regards the Police guard required for guarding the salt, a proposal will be laid before the Board through the Inspector-General of Police, whom I have addressed on the subject.

From Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. HEARN, Inspector-General of Police, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madras, 3rd March 1875, No. 1,128.

I HAVE the honor to forward, for submission to the Board of Revenue, an application‡ from the Collector of Madura for

Police guards over two salt swamps. The Collector does not state the period

for which the guards will be required. The strength and cost of the Police guards applied for are shown below:—

	Head Constable.	Constable.	Yearly cost.
			RS.
Pombari Swamp	1	6	696
Naripyur do.	1	4	480
			1,176
		Add clothing...	144
		Total...	1,320

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22nd April 1875.*

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From W. McQUHAE, Esq., Collector of Madura, to Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. HEARN,
Inspector-General of Police, Madras, dated Tiruvadanai, 23rd February 1875, No. 495.

I HAVE the honor to state that a Police guard of the strength mentioned in the margin is required for guarding the salt which is likely to be formed in two swamps named Pombari and Naripiyur. The harvest has been almost a failure in the country along the line of these swamps, and it is apprehended that the Marava population

Pombari Swamp.
One 3rd-Grade Head Constable.
Six Constables.
Naripiyur Swamp.
One 4th-Grade Head Constable.
Four Constables.

may resort to pilfering. Besides the Cavalgars are not armed. Hence the necessity for the above guard, which will be required only if the salt is fit to be collected.

2. The Superintendent of Police states that he is unable to detail on the requisition of the Salt Deputy Collector the guard from the present strength of the district force, but that the extra men will be entertained as soon as sanction is received.

3. In these circumstances I forward this proposal for submission to the Board of Revenue through you.

THE Collector proposes the entertainment of a temporary establishment at a cost of Rupees 56 a-month for the purpose of watching the Pombari and Naripiyur Salt-swamps, and the employment of an Assistant Superintendent on Rupees 30 and a Police guard of two Head Constables and ten Constables (the annual cost of which is given in the second letter read above at Rupees 1,320) should the salt prove fit to be collected.

2. The establishment will probably be required for a period of about eight months, and the sanction of Government is accordingly solicited for its entertainment and for the employment of a temporary Police guard of the strength mentioned for such time, as is requisite, not exceeding eight months.

3. The Collector will report as soon as possible whether the salt is likely to be worth collecting.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

No. 272.

ORDER THEREON, 22nd April 1875, No. 636.

Separate Revenue, No. 26.

Salt.

SANCTIONED subject to further orders from the Financial Department in regard to the Police guards.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Accountant-General.
„ the Financial Department.

Exd. W. H. French.

Order

999/2
in the Finl. Dept. 30 April 1875. No. 964

*No addition to the General Police grant
be made from Provincial funds on this account.*

*If the charge cannot be met from savings out
of grant, application must be made to the Government
via the Revenue Department for the requisite
do.*

(True Extract)

J. H. Lanning
Off. Secy

Revenue Dept.

No 999 a few
The Police fund being required formerly 2 months
their cost will not ^{be so much as \$1320} exceed \$1320 - The Inspector General
of Police will report whether this small sum ^{required} cannot
be met from savings in the General Police fund from

Mineral Rs for 1875/76.
The Board of Rev. will also endeavour to meet the
change from the salt grants of the year.

1. To the Director of the Department of Police
1. To the Board of Civil
1. To the Financial Department

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REVENUE.

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

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G. O., 22nd April 1875, No. 638.

APRIL

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Sell & Young at Ponore and Narvik in Sweden.
 7. *Abolition*—Sanctioning the establishment of certain temporary establishments for watching the—subject to employment of the necessary Police guards—subject to further orders from the Government.
 8. *Department regarding the latter.*

Worth order

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No 999
 The Police guard being required formerly ^{a few} 8 months
 their cost will not ^{be so much as in 1820} ~~exceed \$1000~~ - The Inspector General
 of Police will report whether this small sum ^{require} can
 be met from savings in the General Police fund

Remuneral \$2 for 117 1/2 1/6
 The Board of Rev. will also endeavour to meet
 charge from the salt grants of the year.

To the Genl Secy of Police 24 May 17 May 75

13 Aug 75 24 May 75

Wm Rogers 31 May 75 19 May 75

No 1602

Revenue 1895 Dept

Pro of Gov. & Sec. Dept

Dated 30 April 1895

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Stating that no addition
 to the Gen. Police fund can
 be made from Government
 funds on account of
 Police funds for Salt
 Grants at Portland &
 Nanaimo, Washington

No 999. 17 May 1895
 With order