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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
24th November 1876.

No. 448. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd October 1876, No. 2,636:—

Read the following letters:—

From the Collector of Ganjam,	dated 19th Sept. 1876, No. 3,160.
„ „ of Vizagapatam,	„ 8th „ „ „ 1,355.
„ „ of Godavery,	„ 2nd „ „ „ 272.
„ „ of Kistna,	„ 13th „ „ „ 1,614.
„ „ of Nellore,	„ 6th „ „ „ 2,457.
„ „ of Bellary,	„ 24th Aug. „ „ 319.
„ „ of Cuddapah,	„ 22nd „ „ „ 217.
„ „ of Kurnool,	„ 29th „ „ „ 390.
„ „ of Sea Customs,	
Madras,	„ 19th „ „ „ 1,434.
„ „ of Chingleput,	„ 2nd Sept. „ „ 496.
„ „ of North Arcot,	„ 26th Aug. „ „ 397.
„ „ of South Arcot,	„ 12th Sept. „ „ 426.
„ „ of Tanjore,	„ 29th Aug. „ „ 3,207.
„ „ of Trichinopoly,	„ 25th „ „ „ 226.
„ „ of Madura,	„ 22nd „ „ „ 316.
„ „ of Tinnevely,	„ 13th Sept. „ „ 560.
„ „ of Coimbatore,	„ 22nd Aug. „ „ 168.
„ Commissioner of Nilgiris,	„ 29th „ „ „ 13.
„ the Collector of Salem,	„ 25th „ „ „ 212.
„ „ of South Canara,	„ 27th „ „ „ 1,670.
„ „ of Malabar,	„ 28th „ „ „ 234.
„ Superintendent of Government	
Farms,	„ 18th „ „ „ 579.
„ „ of Stamps, Madras,	„ 21st „ „ „ 1,384.
„ the Collector of Madras,	„ 21st „ „ „ 269.

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24th November 1876.*

2. The replies show that no savings to any appreciable extent can be effected except under Salt, on which a saving of Rupees 2,93,209 is estimated as shown in the margin. The saving under Purchase of Salt is chiefly in South Canara and Malabar,* and this is owing to reduced importations of salt on account of Government in consequence of decreased sales. Up to the end of August the sales of the two districts have fallen as shown in the margin, owing to the increased private importations of salt from Bombay, and consumption of East Coast salt in the tracts formerly supplied from Malabar and South Canara. It must, however, be observed that in calculating this saving the duty paid at Bombay on account of salt imported into South Canara for Government, amounting to Rupees 2,20,926, has not been taken into account, as it is believed that it will be refunded to this Government under G.O., 19th July 1875, No. 1,081. The saving* reported under Petty Construction and Repairs is that which the Collectors can effect in works to be executed in the Revenue Department. As regards the works which it is proposed to transfer to the Public Works Department the Board observe that while the salt grant sanctioned by the Government of India, *i.e.*, Rupees 19,19,000, includes the cost, *i.e.*, Rupees 87,670, a provision of Rupees 75,200 has been made for the same works in the Public Works Department Budget. The Board presume that one of the entries is redundant, and if so the whole amount of Rupees 87,670 provided in the Salt Budget can be considered a saving. The amount provided in the Public Works Department Budget is not only sufficient but might be reduced. The whole of the allotments for Nellore and Madura, that for the Cutcherry at Kuppili and for the Harigoshti project, might be withdrawn, except so far as expenditure has been already incurred. The Collectors will be requested to postpone the execution of all such works as are not absolutely necessary for securing a sufficient supply of salt.

	rs.
Purchase of Salt...	2,12,998
Petty Construction and Repairs of do.	80,211
Total ...	2,93,209

	rs.
* South Canara...	79,418
Malabar ...	1,26,000
Total ...	2,05,418

Up to August.

	1875-76.	1876-77.
	IN. MDS.	IN. MDS.
South Canara...	71,260	37,309
Malabar ...	197,018	80,234

* Rupees 80,211.

	rs.
Land Revenue ...	1,707
Abkari ...	7,478
Total ...	9,185

Provincial—	
Exhibitions ...	5,000
Government Farm ...	1,500
Petty Construction and Repairs...	5,661
Total...	12,161

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
24th November 1876.*

No. 449.

ORDER THEREON 24th November 1876, No. 1,788.

Miscellaneous.

COMMUNICATED to the Financial Department in continuation of G.O., 2nd September 1876, No. 1,211.

2. In paragraph 2 the Board remark on the saving that may be expected in the allotment for Salt Works. The point will receive consideration in the Public Works Department.

(True Extract)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Financial Department.
„ the Public Works Department.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

No. 2,636.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 23rd October 1876.

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2. The replies show that no savings to any appreciable extent can be effected except under Salt, on which a saving of Rupees 2,93,209 is estimated as shown in the margin. The saving under Purchase of

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South Canara...	71,260	37,309	
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THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

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November 24th

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G.O., 24th November 1876, No. 1,768.

NOVEMBER.
No. 448,449.

Financial Estimate.—Communicating to the Financial Department Proceedings, Board of Revenue, on report from Collectors regarding reduction of expenditure to relieve present—, and requesting for consideration in the Public Works Department for a remark on the saving that may be expected in the allotment for Salt Works.

Canara for Government, amounting to Rupees 2,20,926, has not been taken into account, as it is believed that it will be refunded to this Government under G.O.,

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19th July 1875, No. 1,081. The saving*

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Repairs is that which the Collectors can effect in works to be executed in the Revenue Department. As regards the works which it is proposed to transfer to the Public Works Department the Board observe that while the salt grant sanctioned by the Government of India, i.e., Rupees 19,19,000, includes the cost, i.e., Rupees 87,670, a provision of Rupees 75,200 has been made for the same works in the Public Works Department

G.O., 24th April 1876, No. 1,022, P. W. D.
Do. 3rd May " " 1,101, "

Budget. The Board presume that one of the entries is redundant, and if so the whole amount of Rupees 87,670 provided

in the Salt Budget can be considered a saving. The amount provided in the Public Works Department Budget is not only sufficient but might be reduced. The whole of the allotments for Nellore and Madura, that for the Cutcherry at Kuppili and for the Harigoshti project, might be withdrawn, except so far as expenditure has been already incurred. The Collectors will be requested to postpone the execution of all

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such works as are not absolutely necessary for securing a sufficient supply of salt.

3. The savings reported under other items are trifling being as shown in the margin.

Provincial—	
Exhibitions ...	5,900
Government Farm ...	1,500
Petty Construction and Repairs ...	5,661
Total ...	12,161

4. The Board have already reported in their Proceedings, dated 25th August 1876, No. 2,205, the probable fall in the receipts which amounts to Rs.

(A true Extract.)

J. P. Tholus

Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,

with 24 original letters, to be returned.

- „ all Collectors.
- „ the Superintendent of Stamps.
- „ the Superintendent of Government Farms.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

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No 4848
 Received 1876. *As per*
 Board of Revenue,
 MADRAS.

dated 19th Sept. 1876 No. 3,160.

IN the Board's Proceedings, dated 16th August 1876, No. 2,082, the officers named in the margin were called upon to report, with reference to G.O., dated 12th August 1876, No. 1,905, the reductions that can be effected on the expenditures of the Department of Revenue, and are in reply.

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(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,

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Exd. J. Tulloch.

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Communicated to the Fin^y Dept^y in continuation
of G. O. 2^d Sep^r 1876 No. 1211.

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Dept^y.

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21 Pub Works Dept^y ✓

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Board of Revenue,
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PROCEEDINGS, 23RD OCTOBER 1876, No. 2,636.

Sept^r 13th Nov^r 76
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Received 11th Nov^r 76

OCTOBER.
No. 2,636.

Reduction of Expenditure—to relieve present
financial pressure. — Submitting observations
with reference to letters from Collectors regard-
ing —, and directing postponement of all such
works under Petty Construction and Repairs as
are not absolutely necessary for securing a suf-
ficient supply of salt.

With order