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Revenue DEPARTMENT

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No. 45. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 11th March 1876, No. 691 :—

Read the following letter from H. W. BLISS, Esq., Acting Collector of Madura, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Dindigul, 5th February 1876, No. 53 :—

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3. The Superintendent of Sea Customs at Paumben is also a Magistrate of the 3rd class and a Money Order Agent. He has to keep accounts with the Master Attendant's Department, Department of Public Works, Telegraph and Postal Departments, and the Local Fund Dispensary of the place. The receipts in his office amount, on an average, to Rupees 5,000 in a month, and the disbursements to Rupees 5,300. The Deputy Collector in charge of Sea Customs, therefore, thinks that the amount of work to be done in his office is more than two clerks can reasonably be expected to do. I agree with him, especially as one of the clerks is often required to proceed to the out-ports attached to Paumben to be present at the landing of goods.

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5. The salary of Rupees 15 for the Shroff at Paumben is proposed in consideration of the exceeding dearness of the place.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
6th May 1876.*

SUBMITTED to Government in continuation of the Board's Proceedings, dated
21st January 1876, No. 180.

2. The Board support the Collector's recommendation.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

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

No. 46.

ORDER THEREON, 6th May 1876, No. 580.

Separate Revenue, No. 6.
Customs.

It is observed that the increase now
proposed is not in connection with the
preparation of the Trade Returns, to
which alone the proposals in the Board's

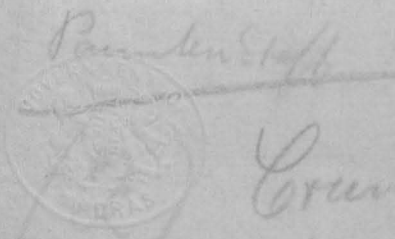
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the establishment now proposed is necessary on other grounds which the Government
recognize, it is sanctioned subject to the confirmation of the Government of India, to
whom it will be reported in the next monthly statement of fresh charges. It is
presumed that the charge will be met from the Budget Grant under Sea Customs
for 1876-77.

(True Extract.)

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

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

Exd. J. W. Fischer.



582
360
Crown / 360
157

It appears from the
annex that the revenue
of Pamban = 2574 -
of Decapattam = 2748

That Decapattam has 4
Subports spread over 25
miles - a staff of
2 persons will not be
too much & which will
equal 360 Rs. per an

Oct. of 1876 Rs. 33,000

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c.,

Dated May, 6th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 6th May 1876, No. 580.

M A T.
Nos. 45-46.

Additional Establishment in Sea Customs Offices
at Pamban and Decapattam, Madras District -
Sanctioning the employment of the proposed -
subject to the confirmation of the Government of
India.



But at Paimbren with
its revenue of 2394.
The expenses will be
1560 Rs. per an -

This appears a very
excessive cost but is
explained by the fact that
apparently the staff have
to do Post Office Telegram
Money order duties.

If the revenue from them
goes to the Imperial P. &
Revenue. Then the ^{expenses}
due to them should also
be born by Imp. Revenue.
So far as actual ^{customs} Revenue
is concerned & the duties
consequent thereon. 2 persons
might apparently do
it easily in Decapalan
& Jondis each with a large
Customs revenue are

collected by 2 men.

1 at. 20

1 at. 10 -

which is the same as
Pamunben already has
to assist the Superintendent.

The one clerk at Despatch
has to go to outposts equally
with the Pamunben man
I think therefore the expenses of
Pamunben require some
consideration & appropriation went upon
other branches of Revenue
B.C. 27/4

Under Off. Income D. 52
8/211 Nov. 1876

Expenses of collecting
1580 Rs.

Subsistence from the
annual revenue

Expenses of collecting 360

will amount to
cost of Rs. 76

Write direct
to Col. Krishna

(2) (5)
Memo with reference
to the remarks of the
Hon. the Governor in
Council on Board's No. 1
11 March 1876 No 696.

Revenue 1873/74	
Pamunben.	Imports 1824
	Exports 570
	<u>2394</u>
Beispatam	Imports 694
	Exports 2054
	<u>2748</u>

Report there can be
furnished regarding the
number of vessels & boats
which enter the port in
a year. I order a memo
will be sent to the Rev.
Board of fire to furnish
them in 28/4.

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Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
Copy to Acting Collector of Madura.

Exd. W. H. French.

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14 Feb. 1876
to the Account and Jan 5
6 May 1876

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MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 11th MARCH 1876, No. 691.

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MARCH.
No. 691.

Establishment—Additional—in Sea Custom
Offices at Pamban and Devipattam, in Madras
District.—Submitting to Government Collector
proposal for permanent employment of certain—

With rules

No 580 - 1876