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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

2nd November 1878, No. 1,760.

Read the following papers :—

No. 22. Endorsement of the Additional Secretary to Government, Revenue (Famine) Department, dated 6th August 1878.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 30th July 1878, Miscellaneous No. 7,604.

Read the following letter from H. J. STOKES, Esq., Acting Collector of Madura, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 10th June 1878, No. 207 :—

In forwarding, herewith, true copies of three objection statements received from the Accountant-General on the extra tentage bills of P. Subbier while on famine duty, I have the honor to state that he was in charge of a division of a taluk and had to dispose of Revenue suits and Magisterial cases, and consequently had to sojourn temporarily for more than ten days at some places and provide accommodation for his office. While a Salt Deputy Collector he drew a fixed monthly allowance of Rs. 60, or Rs. 2 a day, while at the head-quarters or on circuit, and all Salt Deputy Collectors (who are uncovenanted servants) draw the same extra tentage although no special rule authorising them to do so is forthcoming. I think P. Subbier is entitled to similar allowance, and request that the Board will be pleased to ask the Accountant-General to remove his objection.

Transferred to the Government, Famine Department, for disposal.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

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

Transferred to the Revenue Department for disposal.

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Additional Secretary to Government.

Retransferred to the Board for an expression of their views.

Ootacamund,
19th September 1878.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Acting Chief Secretary.

No. 23. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 7th October 1878, Miscellaneous No. 10,337.

Read endorsement of the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department, dated 19th September 1878, on Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 30th July 1878, Miscellaneous No. 7,604.

Abstract.—Retransferring to Board, for an expression of their views, letter from Collector of Madura requesting that the Accountant-General may be asked to remove his objection on the extra tentage bills of the Deputy Collector P. Subbier while on famine duty, &c.

IN G.O., dated 29th April 1878, No. 633, the Government declined to sanction a general exemption recommended by the Board, which would have covered this case. There seems to be nothing in the circumstances of the case to justify the Board in recommending it for special exemption.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. STURROCK,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

No. 24. ORDER THEREON, 2nd November 1878, No. 1,760.

Miscellaneous.

RECORDED with the remark that the Government of India have* decided that a Local Government cannot sanction a general exemption in favor of any class of officers.

* *Vide* in G.O., 20th July 1878, No. 1,129.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) L. A. CAMPBELL,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.

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No 2437.

Objection Statement No 2437 on Travelling Allowance Bill of Addl Temp. Dy Collr Loobbie for March 1878 - Cl. No 114 & 116 of April 1878

No 3977. N.B. This Statement must be returned within a week of its receipt, or the cause of any delay in doing so explained by Docket.

Nature of payment	Items under Objection	Nature of objection	Explanation	Orders
Travelling Allowance drawn by Loobbie Addl Temporary Dy Collector for halts made at Vendigul from 1st to 2nd March 1878 at Rs 2 per diem ——— Rupees	4 0 0	Disallowed Halting Allowance for more than 1 day halt at one place is inadmissable. It is observed that the halts for which the Allowance drawn as per the Column were in continuation of		
—Do— drawn for his Establishment for the month of March 1878	9 6 0	those made at Vendigul from 3rd February 1878 vide also this Office objection Statement No 3306 dated 29th April 1878		
	53 6 0	Rupees 53 6 0 award cannot should be received as early as possible		
30th May 1878. D. F. Loobbie Addl Temp. Dy Collector thro' the Collector Madura		(Signed) W. F. Loobbie Addl Dy Asst Collector		
		(Signed) W. Collector		

Dy Collector

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Objection Statement on Travelling Allowance Bill of P. Sobbier for February 1870 — No 110 — No 3266 NB.
Addl Temp. Dy Collr

This Statement must be returned within a week of its receipt, or the cause of any delay in doing so explained by Docket — Paid March 1870

Nature of payment	Items under Objection		Nature of Objection	Explanation	Orders
	Rs	As			
Amount of Extra Sentage drawn by P. Sobbier Addl Temporary Dy Collector from 3d to 28th Feby 1870 being 26 days at Rupees 2 per diem	52	- -	Disallowed - Standing Order 379 Para II of the Board of Revenue is not applicable to the Uncovenanted Officers Circle Board's Proc No 105564 10522 dated 30th July & 3d August 1877 respectively		
Deduct amount admitted Extra Sentage for 10 days from 3d to 12 @ Rs 2 per diem	20	- -	Rs 32 - - overdrawn should be recovered as early as possible —		
Difference	32	- -	(Signed) Pelham, H. Dobbie. Offg Asst Accl Genl		
			(True Copy)		

29th April 1870

To The Additional Temp. Dy Collector thro the Collector of Madura

Accl Collector

Compd H. 1/5/70

Rs 2187.

Objection Statement on Supplemental Travelling allowance Bill of P. Loobbier addl Temp. Dy Coltr for Novr 1877. T. No 198. dated April 78 No 3452 N.B. This Statement must be retd within a week of its receipt, or the Cause of any delay in doing so explained by docket

Nature of payment	Items under objection		Nature of objection	Explanation	Orders
Halting allowance drawn for 9 days deducted in the Extra Cutage Bill for November 77, @ Rs 2 per diem evidently under Boards Standg order No 379 para 11	Rs 18	a/c	Disallowed. Standing order 379 Para 11 of the Board of Revenue is not applicable to the case of Covenanted officers Vide Boards Proc Nos 10556 & 10822 of 30th July & 3rd August 1877 respectively Rs 18 — — — overdrawn should be recovered as early as possible.		
28 May 1878			(Signed) William H. Dobbie Offg Asstt Accountt Genl		
To P. Loobbier, addl Temp Dy Collector			(Initialled)	H. Hobbis Actg Collector	
Thro. Collector, Madura					
Compt.					

Revenue Dept.t

Mis. No. 7604.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Dated 30th July 1878.

Read the following;

No. 207.

From.

H. J. Stokes Esqr.
Ag. Collector of Madura

To.

C. A. Galton Esqr.
Ag. Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Madras

Sir,

In forwarding herewith two copies of three Operation statements, received from the Accountant General on the extra tentage bills of P. Sabbier while on Famine duty, I have the honor to state that he was in charge of a Division of a Taluq, and had to dispose of revenue suits and Magisterial cases and consequently had to ——

I have &c

sojourn temporarily for more than
ten days at some places, and pro-
vide accommodation for his office.
While a Salt Deputy Collector, he
drew a fixed monthly allowance
of Rs 60 or Rs 2 a day, while at the head
quarters or on Circuit, all Salt Deputy
Collectors (who are uncovenanted Ser-
vants) draw the same extra tentage
although no special rule authorizing
them to do so is forthcoming. I think
P. Subbier is entitled to similar allow-
ance and request that the Board
will be pleased to ask the Account-
ant General to remove his objection.

Madura Collr's Office
10th June 1878

I have &c
Sd/ H. J. Stokes
Ag Collector

Transferred to the Govt Famine Department for disposal.

True Copy & Extract

Ag Secretary

To
The Actg Secretary to Govt
Rev: (Famine) Dept with 3 enclosures.

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Revenue Department

No 10337

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 9th October 1878

Read Endorsement of the
Actg Chief Secretary to Govt F. D. 19th
September 1878 on Proceedings of the Board
of Revenue D/ 30th July 1878 No 7604 refer-
ring to Board for an expression of their
views letter from Collr of Madura request-
ing that the Advocate Genl may be asked
to remove his objection on the extra Kentage bills
of the Dy Collector P. Soobien while on Famine
Duty &c.

In G. O. D/ 29th April 1878 No 633 the Govt de-
clined to sanction a General exemption recom-
mended by the Board which would have
covered this case. There seems therefore nothing in
the circumstances of the case to justify the Board
in recommending it for special exemption.

(True Extract)

J Hinnell

Actg Sub Secretary

To The Secretary to Govt R. D
with original letter & 3 encls returned

Actg Sub Secretary

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Memo for orders on Board's Proceedings dated 30th July 1878, Rec: No 7602

These Proceedings give cover to three objection Statements from the Accountant General on the Bills for Travelling Allowance (at Rs 2 per diem) drawn by P. Subbier, Additional Temporary Dep.y Collector Madura, while on Famine duty during the months of November 1877, and February and March 1878.

2. It appears that this allowance was drawn by P. Subbier under para 11 of Boards

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Received with the Thirtieth Statement of Objections and Bills of Establishment and Contingent Charges for Famine Relief Operations in the Madura District for the month of November 1877.

Bills Nos 1 to 20 } Passed a Second Class Conveyance Hire Bill No 21 } Messenger Peons Bills

Table Of Rules 12/11/78

7-6-78 Ord 28.6.78
18-2478 - 198-263.
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Returned 10th October 1878
Revenue Department
Board of Revenue
Dated 5th October 1878
Rec'd 7th do

Submitted with reference to the observations in the Statements of the Accountant General Para 6 to the Extra Establishment Bills of P. Subbier, and Para 11 of Boards Circular Order No 23 dated 24th May 1877

Acting Collector
Madura 4th Nov 1878

Recd 7th Nov 78

Recd 12/11/78

Board's Standing
Order No 379 which
runs thus:—

" Sub-Collectors and
other subordinate
officers in separate
charge, who are not
provided with public
accommodation for
their Cutcherries shall
also draw extra tentage
when they are re-
siding at the chief
station of their
division, if they pro-
vide suitable ac-
commodation for
their establishments
in tents, or in a
convenient

convenient building

3 The Accountant General in his Objection Statement No 1055 A. In reply to a reference from the Accountant General respecting a claim preferred by Mr Standley, Spl. Dep. Collr. Williamtoo for fixed Travelling allowance for the period he was absent Jadpatri his Head Quarter Station, during april 1877 - informing that the officer that Standing Order No 379 para 11 is not applicable to Uncovenanted officers.

No 10822 - In reply to a reference from the Accountant General as to whether the word "Covenanted" is not a clerical error for "Uncovenanted" in the foregoing Proceedings, that Officer informed in the affirmative.

Notes that the Standing Order just quoted does not apply to Uncovenanted officers as noted by the Board in their Proceedings Nos 10556 and 10822 dated 30th July and 3rd August 1877 respectively; and he disallows the sums, as shown below, drawn by the Deputy Collr for periods in excess of ten days' halt at one place

Deputy Collectors claim	Rs	As	Amount admitted	Rs	As	Amount objected to	Rs	As	Nature of Objection
Nov 1877						For 9 days	18	0	Board's Standing Order No 379 para 11 not applicable to Uncovenanted Officers
Feb 1878. From 3 to 28 being 26 days	52	0	From 3 to 12, being 10 days	20	0	From 13 to 28, being 16 day	32	0	
March 1878. From 1st to 22nd being 22 days	44	0							Entire sum disallowed as this halt for 22 days was in continuation of that made in February and halting allowance for more than 10 days halt at one place is inadmissible
For Establishment for the Month	9	0							
	53	0					53	0	
						Total	103	0	

4. The Collector explains that

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that P. Subbier
"was in charge of a divi-
-sion of a Talug and
had to dispose of Revenue
suits and Magisterial
cases and consequently
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Collr he drew a fixed
monthly allowance of Rs60
or Rs2 a day while at
the head-quarters or
on Circuit". He requests
that the Accountant
General may be asked to
remove his objection

Memo

Respecting Coal Lands
of Indians in Washington
Territory & Subject of
Treaty & Act &c
Encl's by Col. Anderson

Col. 4 14th inst.
C. U. 333 Office for
Superintendency
19th Sept 1857

Memo for Secretary
Mr Stuart has left
it to me for this paper
Evidently Attorney
& Counsel business
so that Mr. Stuart did
not like it to appear
in it at first. So
Upon the Board for
their views & proposed
to transfer it to them
The Solicitor is the very
person already employed
as Counsel