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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Revenue DEPARTMENT

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Dated 3.7.1876 196 .

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No. 28. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st June 1876, Miscellaneous No. 5,163 :—

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 Periakolam, 27th May 1876, No. 204.

With reference to the correspondence specified in the margin, I have the honor to forward a copy of the Resolution of the District Officers, dated 6th October 1875, regarding the management of the Travellers' Bungalows taken over by them, in which they propose that the Bungalow

Fund should be kept in the Treasury. I therefore request sanction for the sums collected on account of the fund being deposited in the Huzur Treasury. I recollect this was what was done when the Bungalows in the Salem District were made over to the District Officers in 1865 or 1866, and, as the Bungalows which are kept up by the District Officers at very considerable expense are nevertheless allowed by them to be used by the public, I think this slight assistance may be allowed.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

MEETING to decide on the District Officers taking over the Dawk Bungalows proposed to be closed on the opening of the Railway.

Wednesday, 6th October 1875.

PRESENT.

H. W. BLISS, Esq.

Lieut.-Col. J. F. FISCHER, R.E.

E. J. SEWELL, Esq.

L. W. PAYNTER, Esq.

H. GOMPERTZ, Esq.

J. H. B. BROUGHAM, Esq.

Read letters from Messrs. Martin and Marden and from Captain Kilgour.

Resolved—

1. That the Dindigul Local Fund Board be asked to state definitely what Bungalows they are prepared to give over.

2. That in case of the proposals of the Local Fund Board suiting the District Officers they will take over the Bungalows on the following terms :—

That the District Officers will keep the Bungalows in repair and will allow *bona fide* Travellers the use of them, when not themselves occupying them, on payment of a fee of Rs. 1 per diem for any number of persons belonging to the same family, such fee to include the use of the Bungalow and furniture, and of such servants as there may be, but the District Officers do not bind themselves to keep any servants.

3. That in the event of the District Officers agreeing to take over the Bungalows on receipt of an answer to the above Resolution, subscriptions to keep them up be fixed as far as possible on the basis of the payment of one day's extra tentage or travelling allowance by each gentleman, and in cases in which no extra tentage or travelling allowance may be drawn at such rates as may be fixed at a meeting.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
3rd July 1876.*

4. That with reference to the above Resolution the subscriptions of the following gentlemen be fixed as follows:—

Deputy Superintendent, Revenue Survey	...	...	...	...	...	RS.
Assistant do.	do.	do.	if paid Rs. 300 a month or less	...	...	5
Do. do.	do.	do.	over Rs. 300	do.	do.	2
Deputy Conservator of Forests, 1st and 2nd Grades	...	...	...	...	...	3
Do. do. of do. 3rd and 4th	do.	...	...	...	...	5
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5. That Public Works Officers pay their subscriptions through the Range Officer monthly, but that all others authorize the Treasury Deputy Collector to deduct their subscriptions from their pay and to credit them to the fund which shall be kept in the Treasury, if permission can be obtained.

6. That Mr. Bliss be the President of the fund for the present and be authorized to sanction expenditure on repairs, &c., up to Rs. 50, and that items of expenditure exceeding that sum be circulated to the Members for sanction in circulation.

7. That the accounts be made up half-yearly and circulated.

8. That General Meetings be held at least twice a year, once at the time of the preparation of the Local Fund Budgets and once at the time of the Teppacolam illumination.

9. That other General Meetings may be convened by the President when required, and shall be convened by him at any time on the written requisition of three Members.

10. That the Assistant Collector be the Secretary of the Fund.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) H. W. BLISS,
Acting Collector.

SUBMITTED for the favorable consideration of Government.

2. The Board see no objection to compliance with the application. In the case of the Salem Bungalow Fund referred to by Mr. Bliss sanction was accorded in G.O., dated 5th October 1865, No. 2,412.

(True Copies and Extract.)

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

No. 29.

ORDER THEREON, 3rd July 1876, No. 896.

Miscellaneous.

SANCTIONED as proposed.

(True Extract.)

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

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

Exd. W. J. Lewis.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 21st June 1876.

Read the following:—

No. 204.

From

H. W. Bliss Esquire,
Ag. Collector of Madras.

To

C. A. Galtton Esquire,
Ag. Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence
specified in the margin, I have the honor to

G.O. Dated 29th September 1875—
No. 1922 Financial Department—
& para 10 of the Board's Proceedings
dated 28th November 1875 No 3203, and
G.O. dated 6th January 1876 No 24
Financial Department.

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October 6th, 1875, re-
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Boat. of 1876 MADRAS.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Secy, Secy, Secy,

Dated July, 3rd.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O. 3rd July 1876, No. 896.

JULY
Nos. 28-29.

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Madura Collector's Office (Camp) }
Periakulam 27th May 1876 }
Shaw & Co }
H. W. Bliss }
Ag. Collector }

Submitted for the favorable
consideration of Government.
2. The Board see no objection to
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referred to by Mr. Bliss sanction
was accorded in G. O. dated 5th
October 1865 No. 2412.

(True Copy and Extract)

Ag. Secretary
To,

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

with the copy of Circular
of D^y Officers, to be retained

[Signature]
The Secretary to Government

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Sanctum in fides

Submitting to Government
Letters from the H^{on}. Collins
of Madison on the necessity
of "measures of travelling" through
"foreign countries" over the Pacific
Oceans; and seeking no other
to compare with the proposed