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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

17th January 1879, No. 89.

Houses for Officers.

Read the following paper:—

No. 79. From L. C. PROBYN, Esq., Accountant-General, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 24th August 1878, No. 15 N.

Book Department.

With reference to Proceedings of Government in the Judicial Department, No. 1589, dated the 8th current, I have the honor to inquire whether the sum of Rupees 20,000 sanctioned for the purchase of the house of Nawab Nazmut Dowla Bahadur at Masulipatam as a residence for the Collector is to be met from the grant allotted to the Public Works Department for the current year, or if it is to be considered as an addition to the Provincial grant to that department.

2. I beg respectfully to point out that in the former case the order ought to have been issued by the Public Works Department, which would first have ascertained whether or not the money was available; and in the latter case, the Financial Department should have been moved to report if, and in what manner, the necessary funds were at the disposal of His Grace in Council.

3. The issue of such orders sanctioning expenditure without reference to budget provision or financial considerations is, I respectfully submit, entirely opposed to the directions of His Grace in Council as given in the marginally noted extract from Government Order, No. 1099, dated the 22nd of June last.

It has been so far proved that the difficulty is due directly and to irregular and excessive expenditure by the Public Works Department; His Grace in Council directs that every effort be made effectually to suppress it.

No. 80. ORDER THEREON, 17th January 1879, No. 89.

Provision will be made in the Public Works budget for 1879-80 for the purchase of the property.

(True Extract.)

Minister
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant-General.
" Public Works Department.
" Collector of Kistna.
" Revenue Department.

Encl. F. R. Bantleman.

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