

Revenue Department

Minutes of Consultation

9th Feb / 1858.

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Order no 17 / 279th Feb / 1858

Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 9th February 1858.

No. 51. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue; dated 14th January 1858, No. 194.

Read letter from the Collector of Madras dated 14th December 1857.*
*In Cons. 14th January 1858.

(Here enter No. 199.)

In their Proceedings dated 11th November last, the Board reported the loss of Salt at the Madras Depot caused by the inundation of the platforms *E. M. C. 23rd November 1857, R. D.* in October last, and mentioned in para. 4 that a quantity of Salt estimated at L. M. 60,000 had also been destroyed at the pans. For this last loss the Collector did not propose any compensation, considering that the owners would be re-imbursed by the manufacture of the current year. The reasons stated in the letter now submitted have however induced Mr. Cunliffe to change this view, and he now recommends that Rupees 2,537-4-9 should be granted as compensation.

2. The loss it now appears has fallen wholly on the Voyalore manufacturers (who are in needy circumstances) and cannot be attributed to any neglect on their part. They had duly prepared their Salt for transmission to the Depot, and it was being removed thither as space became available for its storage. The other divisions being on a lower level than this one, the Salt, collected in them, was first transported, and that of Voyalore would also in its turn have been conveyed to the Madras platforms, had not the monsoon commenced with great violence, at an unusually early period.

3. As the destruction of their Salt was not attributable to the manufacturers who are reported to be generally in needy circumstances, and as the delay in bringing it to the Madras Cotours where it must have been paid for at once, was not owing to any fault on their part the Board recommend that as a special case compensation may be allowed as suggested by the Collector. It will be seen from the enclosure that compensation is proposed only where the loss has exceeded 20 per cent. of the estimated manufacture. Even supposing that the estimate exceeds the actual manufacture by 5 per cent. the owners will be losers to the extent of 15 per cent. notwithstanding the proposed compensation of Rupees 2,537-4-9.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM, Acting Secretary.

No. 52. ORDER THEREON, No. 171; dated 9th February 1858.

With the Proceedings above recorded, the Board of Revenue submit with their recommendation a letter from the Collector of Madras, requesting authority for the payment of compensation to the salt manufacturers of Voyalore, for the loss sustained by them in the destruction of their salt by the rains of October last.

2. Mr. Cunliffe states that the Voyalore ryots, having prepared their salt, suffered loss in consequence of the Government servants not having removed it to the platform, and explains that there was no avoidable delay, as the work of removal commenced at other divisions which were on a lower level than Voyalore. Under these circumstances, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the payment of the compensation proposed, amounting to Rupees (2,537-4-9) two thousand, five hundred and thirty-seven, annas four and piec nine.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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N. 196

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 11th January 1858.

Read letter from the Collector of Calcutta dated 11th December 1857.

(Revenue N. 196)

In their Proceedings dated 11th November last the Board reported the loss of salt at the Nadma Depot caused by the inundation of the flat farms in October last, and mentioned in Para 4 that a quantity of salt estimated at 5000 had also been destroyed at the same place. For this last loss the Collector did not propose any compensation, considering that the same would be reimbursed by the manufacture of the current year. The reasons stated in the letter were, as directed above, to be reduced with a view to charge the same, and to make arrangements that the loss of salt should be compensated by the same.

The loss of salt at the Nadma Depot is a very serious matter, and it is necessary to take steps to prevent such a loss from recurring in the future.

and cannot be attributed to any neglect
on their part. They had duly prepared
the bill to be presented to the Dept.
and it was only owing to the fact that
the bill was not presented to the
Dept. until the 1st of June. The other
part of the bill was a lower level than the
one the Dept. intended as there was fear
that the bill of the Dept. would also
be a lower level than the one the
Dept. intended. The bill was not
presented until great violence at the
Dept. of the bill.

As the destruction of the
bill was not attributable to the man-
ufacture, and as it is reported to be generally
in nearly perfect condition, and as the delay
in bringing it to the Madras Customs
and it must have been paid for at once,
and not owing to any fault on their part,
the Board recommend that as a special
consideration may be allowed as
suggested by the Collector. It will be
seen from the enclosure that contains
the bill so proposed only where the loss
has been.

has exceeded 20% of the estimated
manufacture. Even supposing that the
estimate exceeds the actual manufac-
ture by 5% the owners will be losers to
the extent of 15% notwithstanding the
proposed compensation of 10% per cent.
(Blue Cabinet)

To
The Secretary
Madras Government
Madras District

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Report from the Committee of the Board of Prisoners
under date the 9th February 1855
and the following
about from the Committee
of the Board of Prisoners
March 15th January 1855

With the proceedings
about recorded, the Board
of Prisoners submit with their
recommendations a letter
from the Collector of Prisoners
requesting authority for
the payment of compensation
to the last prisoners
of the State, for the loss of
time by them in the custody

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under date the 15th of February 1855
and the following

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under date the 9th February 1855

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March 15th January 1855

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under date the 15th of February 1855

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seven, rupees four and
pence, nine. *RS*

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Dated 25th of 1842

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