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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 10th November 1857.

No. 20. Read the following letter from WILLIAM KNOX, Esq., Acting Collector of Ganjam; to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Chutterpoor, 22d September 1857, No. 146.

SIR,

I have the honor to enclose copy of a letter from the Civil Auditor dated 12th instant, No. 559, objecting to the appropriation of the saving effected in the Saderward charges of one month to the increased expense of another on the ground that the order of Government fixes the amount of Saderward allowance per month, and beg to observe that it is not possible to regulate the monthly charges without fluctuation as it frequently happens that I get a large supply of French Foolscap or other paper from Madras, or buy it up when it is brought from Calcutta and is cheap. If I am to purchase in the bazar only so much as is required for a month, I fear the amount fixed by Government per month will not at all times be sufficient for the Saderward charges, as the retail prices in the bazars of this district are far above the wholesale, besides paper is not always to be had here, so a stock must be laid in.

I therefore beg that you will obtain the sanction of Government to my incurring the Saderward expenses in such a manner as may be most convenient and advantageous, provided the aggregate amount thus spent in a year does not exceed the amount sanctioned by Government per month computed by the year.

From F. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Civil auditor; to W. KNOX, Esq., Acting Collector of Ganjam; dated Fort St. George, 12th September 1857, No. 559.

SIR,

In returning audited the two Bills for Saderward charges of the Agency Department received with your letter of the 28th Ultimo, I have the honor to inform you that, they have been passed in consequence of the amount fixed on that account when taken annually not having been exceeded by the total amount passed inclusive of the present Bills, but, as you seem to be under the impression that the amount fixed by the recent orders of Government may also be computed by the year. I beg to state that as those orders fix the amount per month it will be the duty of this office to see that the amount so fixed is not exceeded, consequently the saving of expense in one month, if there should be any, will not be allowed to be drawn in another unless you obtain the special sanction of Government for such arrangement.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) W. KNOX, Acting Collector.

No. 21. ORDER THEREON, No. 1126; dated 5th November 1857.

The Government observe that the limit for Saderward charges is generally fixed for a year but if it is otherwise in the case of Ganjam, the Civil Auditor should calculate the monthly amount for the whole year, and see that the aggregate expenditure per annum does not exceed the limit sanctioned. The saving of expense in one year cannot of course be drawn to meet the expenses of another year. The Civil Auditor will observe this principle in passing bills for Saderward charges.

2. The present communication from Mr. Knox ought to have come through the Board of Revenue. The docketing on the letter is on the wrong side.

(Signed) H. FORBES,

Acting Secretary to Government.

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To W. Snow Esquire
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For St George
Civil Auditor's Office
12th Septem 1857

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(Signed) H. L. Huntington
Civil Auditor

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Copied to the Bazar Committee by the Civil Auditor

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