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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 2d July 1858.

No. 74. Read the following letter from J. D. SIM, Esq., Sub-Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to W. H. BAYLEY, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, R. D., dated Fort Saint George, 15th May 1858, No. 1737.

SIR,

In Cons. 20th Jany. 1858. With reference to Extract Minutes Consultation, dated 18th January last, No. 66, R. D., I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that a further sum of Rupees 4,000 may be placed at their disposal, for the purchase &c., of Peons' belts and cloth for tables.

Jemadars.....	.....	... 7
Duffadars.....	.....	... 6
Peons...	.....	...680
		693

2. With the advance of Rupees 2,000 sanctioned in the Extract Minutes Consultation above quoted, the Board have made up 693 belts, the cost of which has amounted to Rupees 2,110-4-6. The excess of Rupees 110-4-6 over the advance will be disbursed from the further sum now applied for.

**Jemadars*...	...	...	... 27
Duffadars...	...	...	... 105
Peons.....	...	...	...2,235
			2,367

3. In their letter of the 4th September last, No. 2966, the Board submitted a list of the number of Belts then required amounting to 2367 as per margin.* The Board have now to add to this 104 belts,† viz. 60 for the Collector of Cuddapah; 12 for the Collector of Madras for the Abkarry and Salt Departments (in addition to the number entered in the former return); 31 for the Accountant General, and 1 for the Civil Auditor. The total number will thus be 2471, but there are still two Districts to be supplied, viz. Chingleput and South Arcot, from which no Indents have been received as yet.

	Jemdrs.	*Duffs.*	*Peons.*
†*Cuddapah*.....0	4	56
Madras.....0	0	12
Accountant General. 1	0	30
Civil Auditor.....1	0	0
	2	4	98

4. The Board have been unable to get the belts made up at the prices named in their letter of the 4th September last, no cloth of durable quality being procurable for the rates mentioned when their purchases were made. The price fixed for gold-lace also proved too low, and the hire for making up the belts was found too small as conjectured by Government. Buff cloth has latterly not been procurable at all, and the Board have been obliged to meet the urgent requisitions of some of the Judicial Officers with green belts edged with blue, the contrast between the belt and its edging being kept as marked as possible.

	Rs.	*A.*	*P.*
Jemadars' Belts.....	20	2	6
Duffadars' do.....	19	9	6
Revenue Peons' Belts....	2	14	6
Judicial do. do...	2	8	6
Buff do...	2	6	0

The actual prices paid for the different belts are shewn in the margin.

5. With reference to para. 6 of the Extract Minutes Consultation, dated 15th October last, No. 1055, R. D., I am directed to state that provision is now made for belts for the Presidency Offices, with the exception only of the Government Office and that of the Sub-Treasurer, who has not yet submitted any return. The Board presume that these are all the Offices for which they are to provide.

In Cons. 7th Dec. 1857.

6. The Board have experienced considerable difficulty in procuring a sufficiency of cloth &c., for Peons' belts and the other Office purposes mentioned in Extract Minutes Consultation 15th October last, para. 5. They therefore request that the Superintendent of Army Clothing may be instructed to procure for them from England the articles noted in the accompanying Indent. They are not yet in a position to judge how much cloth will probably be required for the present purposes in this country, as well as any surplus which may be required in 1860 beyond the tables and other Office purposes, but will address Government on this subject hereafter. The Indents already passed by them amount to 400 yards.

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INDENT.	Yards.	No. of Belts.
Blue cloth for Peons' belts.....	500	1,000
Buff cloth for do.....	250	500
Green cloth for do.....	250	500
Scarlet „ „ edging and for belts of Jemadars and Duffadars...	100	
Gold Lace.....	250	

Samples accompanying.

(Signed) J. D. SIM, *Sub-Secretary.*

No. 75. ORDER THEREON, No. 904; dated 1st July 1858.

The Government sanction the further advance of Rupees (4,000) four thousand required by the Board of Revenue for making up peons' belts.

2. Referring to the prices paid for belts for the different descriptions of peons, which the Government regard as somewhat high, they would suggest that the work should be given on contract, and tenders invited for that purpose.

3. The Superintendent for Army Clothing will be requested in communication with the Board of Revenue to arrange for procuring from England the supplies of cloth, &c., required by them so as to be available in the early part of 1860.

(Signed) W. H. BAYLEY,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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N° 904.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 1st July 1858

Read the following
Letter from the Sec.t
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of Revenue -

(Here enter 15th May 58 N° 173)

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3 Copies to the Bd of Rev.
Dirs. 2.

1 — a Supt. of Agents for
Army Clothing

1 — Accts Genl.

1 — Civil Auditor

Revenue 1858 Despatch
D.S. to Court 2d July
No 904
Extract Minutes of Court
Dated 1st July 1858

From Board of Revenue
D/4th Decr 1858 No 1901
in Cypher

Sanction the further advance
of Rs 14,000 required by the
Bd of Rev: for making up Jeans
belts &c referring to the high
prices paid for belts are of
opinion that the work should
be given on Contract. The
Supt of Army Clothing requested
to procure supplies from
England hereafter

No 74875

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