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G.O., No. 171

DATED 10 – 1 – 99

[Despatch bstract.]

Comm. to the Bd. of Rev. G.O. Finl. Dept. passing orders on the Budget Estimates for 1899–1900 of the Govt. Botanist.

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D. O. No. 157

D.O. Adyar

17 November 1898

Dear Mr Forbes

I find that in order to complete my report upon the flora of the Pulneys it will be necessary to send a collector once more to secure further specimens of certain things I propose to send the Herbarium Keeper from the Museum with a peon. Thurston is

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Is there any provision for Botany & collection in the dst, from which the fees required might be

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is Quite willing that he should go but cannot spare any money from the Museum budget. I presume that some money is or will be available for Botanical Travelling Expenses apart from the money allotted to the Museum. I hope at any rate that I may obtain sanction to spend about Rs 150/- for this purpose

I want to send him as soon as possible.

I may add that a large number of the specimens I procured have turned out to be of great Botanical interest owing to the Pulneys not having been explored for so many years and Dr Prain at Calcutta has begged me to procure additional specimens for the Herbarium there

I am
Yours sincerely
A. G. Bourne

Is there any provision for Botany & collection in the Bdt, from which the few required might be

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D. O. No. 157

Despatched 18.11.98

My dear Bourne

Your d.o. of to-day. As Thurston is agreeable, You may send the Herbarium Keeper & peon to the Pulneys as soon as you like. An allotment of funds will shortly be made to cover all expenses incurred & to be incurred by you as ag Govt Botanist.

I am writing to Thurston about the matter.

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Dspat. 17.11.98

Fort St. George,
17th November 1898.

Despatched
10.11.98

D.O. no. 1568/17th November

E. Thurston Esq
~~Dr Bourne F.R.S.~~
Supt G. C. Museum
~~to ch. duties of Govt~~
~~Botanist~~

Df at once
17.11.98

My dear ~~Bourne~~ Thurston

The Secy of State has intimated the appt of Mr C.A. Barber as the new Govt Botanist but he has not yet got particulars as to the conditions of his appt nor as to the date of his arrival.

Meanwhile it becomes necessary to make an allotment of funds to cover ~~your~~ Bourne's expenses while in charge & to estimate what the expenditure on acct of the new Botanist & his estt ~~ment~~ is likely to be [illegible]

I am to ask therefore first that you ~~&~~ will consult ~~F Thurston~~ Bourne & let me ho brief statemen

with explanatory reasons,
of (a) the ~~your~~ expenses
incurred by Bourne ~~you~~ as Govt.
Botanist to date (b)
the expenses Bourne ~~you~~ estimates
will be incurred by ~~you~~ him
before Barber comes. —
I think it
may be taken that the latter
will arrive at about Xmas.
Meantime there will be
Bourne's ~~your~~ trip to Godaveri
& that of the Herbarium
keeper & peon to the Pulneys.

Next, I am to ask that
in consultation with Bourne
~~Thurston~~ you will let
me have an estimate
of the ~~estab~~ establishment
of the new Botanist, who is
to accomplish a botanical survey of the 21 dists. of the
Pres. in five years (less
any dists. done by Lawson)

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Revenue (1898) Department.

D.O. CURRENT No. 192

From

E. Thurston Esq.,
Govt. Central Museum
Madras

Order

No. 843

Dated 23rd Nov: 98
Received 24th Nov: 98
Registered 24th Nov: 98
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SUBJECT.

Forwarding an estimate for the up-keep of the establishment for the new Govt. Botanist, and suggesting, as a provisional measure, an increase of pay to the Museum writer in consideration of the extra work that will fall upon him if the correspondence of the Govt. Botanist passes through his Office

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G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

No 84?

Pantheon Road, Egmore
Madras 23rd November 1898

My dear Forbes,

Re your D.O. No 156 of the 17th instant on the subject of the new Government Botanist, I submit herewith the required statistics and Estimate, and copy of a letter from Dr Bourne, with para 3 of which I entirely concur. The herbarium keeper took his M.A. degree (1st class) in Science in 1894 and gave up an appointment as head master of the Anantapur High School on Rs 80 per mensem to take up the more congenial, but worse paid post of herbarium keeper on Rs 50 rising to Rs 60 per mensem. He has done his work very well, and I should be glad to see his financial position improved.

This is a matter for Educl & DPI to submit separately

2. If, as is suggested, the correspondence of the Government Botanist passes through my Office, it may be found hereafter necessary to add an extra clerk on Rs 15 per mensem to my Establishment. Meanwhile, I would suggest, as a provisional measure, an increase of Rs 5 per mensem to the pay of the Museum Writer, in consideration of the extra work, which

For Edncl

will fall on him.

3. If the Government Botanist is to accomplish the heavy task allotted to him in five years, it will, I imagine, be essential that he should be engaged in "field work" for at least eight months in the year. He will, therefore, require a good deal of travelling allowance, unless daily allowance is granted when he is away from head-quarters, which will, I take it, be at Madras so that he can work on the botanical section (herbarium) of the Museum.

Yours sincerely

Edgar Thurston

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Expenses of Officiating Government Botanist

1898.

		Rs	
Dr Bourne	1st Godávari tour	140	
"	" Palni tour	200	(approximate)
"	" 2nd Godávari tour	200	(Estimated)
Herbarium Keeper	1st Palni tour	102	
Peon	" " "	18	
"	" " " "	27	
Herbarium Keeper and peon	2nd " "	150	
General Expenses incurred on tours in connection with Collections		117	(1st Palni tour)
"	" " "	70	(Estimated for 2nd Palni tour)
	Total Rs	1,024	

Govt. Museum.
Egmore
Madras 23rd November 1898

Edgar Thurston
Superintendent G. Museum.

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REVENUE DEPT.

Estimate of Establishment
New Government Botanist

	Rs
Collector	20 per mensem.
Peon (travelling)	10-12 " "
Herbarium assistant (head-quarters)	12-15 " "
Travelling allowance	1500 " annum.
General Expenses of collecting, etc	400 " "

Government Museum
Egmore
Madras 23rd November 1898

Edgar Thurston
Superintendent Govt Museum

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Estimate of Cost
for [illegible]

Collector
Peon (travelling)
Herbarium assistant
(two grades)
travelling allowance
General Estimate of
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Revenue Department.

J. C. 156.

Adyar
21 Nov. 1898

My dear Thurston

1. With reference to Barber's letter
the 17th instant the expenses already incurre
by me have been partially met from the Mu
budget, and with these it is not I presum
necessary to deal. Since you resume charge
of the Museum I have made two tours;
a visit to the Godavari to inspect sugar-ca
expenses under Rs. 140 - and a visit to the
Pulneys to continue the investigation of
the flora - expenses under Rs 200 - With
regard to the expenses incurred by the Her-
barium Keeper you have the data.

2. I estimate the cost of the proposed visit
of the Herbarium Keeper and peon to the
Pulneys at Rs 150, and that of my visit to
the Godavari at under Rs 200. The object of the
former is to procure additional specimens
of certain forms which have
of special

have to be made

anical establishment. It would be most venient for the correspondence to pass ugh your Office, and you know best as whether an additional clerk would be uired. The staff must certainly be ngthened; a collector on Rs 20, and o peons; or better one peon on ordinary eon's pay to travel with the Botanist d collector, and one herbarium assistant, ho would ordinarily remain with the erbarium keeper at head quarters and devote himself to mounting specimens, pay say Rs 12-15. The present herbarium keeper would ordinarily remain at the Museum. He has I think, and I believe You agree with me, worked exceedingly well and deserves that his position should be improved which I hope will be possible under the new scheme.

Yours sincerely

Revenue Department.

Copy of notes on which G.O. NO. 1225 Financial, dated 14th Decr. 1898 was passed.

Office.

In what Budget will the Botanis appear? He is to work in connection with the Supdt. of the Govt. Central Museum.

(Intld.) N. E. M.
9/10/98.

To Under Secretary.

A new head "Govt. Botanist" will have to be opened under "26. Scientific and other minor Depts." It may either be placed just below "Provincial Museums" - 26 D or just above "Botanical and other Public Gardens" - 26 G. It is submitted that this question is one for the decision of the Financial Department.

2. No provision has been made on account of the pay &c. of the Govt. Botanist in the budget estimate for the current year. It is not known when Mr. C. A. Barber will be here to take charge of his work. Assuming that he will arrive about the beginning of November a provision of Rs. 2,800 or four months' pay will have to be made in the revised estimate for the current year and of Rs. 8,400 or twelve months' pay in the budget estimate for the ensuing year. Besides thi provision will have to be made opt

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his exchange compensation allowance and travelling allowances, and for supplies and services and contingencies.

3. Attention is solicited to para 3 of Mr. Rees's letter in G.O. No. 223 dated 30th March 1897 from which it will be seen that no establishment was transferred to the Museum with the Herbarium. The Govt. Botanist will probably want a Clerk and a couple of peons.

4. It is submitted that Mr. Thurston may be informed that a Govt. Botanist on Rs. 700 per mensem has been appointed by the Secretary of State and requested to be good enough to submit the necessary budget estimates. He may also be told that the Botanist will probably be here about the beginning of November.

(Intld.) M.R.N.
12/10/98.

Secretary.

The remarks of Financial and Educational on the subject may, I submit, be invited. In the meantime the order on the docket may issue.

(Intld.) N. E. M.
13/x/98.

Yes. (Send to F.D. after issue of Draft)

(Intld.) G. S. F.
13/10/98.

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Financial Department.

G.O. No. 4096 Rev., dated 13th Octr 1898.

Note.

The question referred to Financial in the notes in the original of the Revenue Order noted above is as to the budget under which the new Botanist should appear. He is to work under the general control of the Superintendent, Government Museum and t attend to systematic and economic bot -nic work during his term in Madras, b -sides examining in Botany for the University. The suggestions to open new head "Govt. Botanist" under 26 Scientific and other minor Depts. to be placed either just below 26 D Provincial Museums or just above 26 G Botanical and other Public Gardens seems proper. The introduction of a new minor head will however require the previous sanction of the Comptroller General under Article 1007 of the Civil Account Code and it is submitted that the question may be referred to the Acct. General U.O. with the request that if necessary the sanction of the Comptroller General may be obtained.

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the Supdt., Govt. Museum, Dr. Thurston, may, as suggested by the Revenue Dept., be directed to submit the necessary budget estimate for the charges that are likely to be incurred in the current and ensuing years.

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(Intld.) F.A.D'C.
5/11/98.

Chief Secretary.

B is the more pressing and Revenue may, it is submitted, be asked to issue orders on the point. A can then be referred to the A.G., U.O.

(Intld.) C.M.S.
5/11/98.

Very well.
(Intld.) G. S.
7/11/98.

No. 2426 d 8.11.98.
To the Rev. Dept., U.O.

Revenue Department.

Secretary.

The above note deals with the question of funds for the new Botanical Dept. Funds have also to be found for Dr. Bournes allowance during the current year and for his travelling allowance.

(Please see his D.O. below)

A budget will be prepared in this Office information being collected, D.O., from Mr. Thurston in consultation with Dr. Bourne. This seems a able course to asking Mr. Thurston to prepare one.

After it is prepared Financial can consider the head under which it should be introduced in Civil Budget Estimates.

Please see D.O. to Mr. Thurstoi below and also one to Dr. Bourne answering his D.O.-

(Intld.) N.E.M.
17/xi/98.

(Intld.) G.S.F.
17/11/98.

Secretary.

In reply to the D.O. flagge A, Mr. Thurston forwards with his D. B. dated 23rd November 1898 two esti mates one for Dr. Bourne and the oth for the new Botanist.

I have entered the estimates i Budget form roughly in the paper flag-ed C.

There are a few points for orders:--

I. The rate of House-rent to b allowed to Mr. Barber. I have entere Rs. 125 per mensem. Whether he is to be at Madras or at Ooty he could not get a decent house for less. Possibly at Ooty he might be assigned one of the Govt. houses there. I believe "Westmere" is a Govt. house.

The agreement gives either a house free or an allowance.

II. His establishment.

Dr. Bourne and Mr. Thurston opt commend; communicat

1 Collector on Rs. 20 p.m.

1 Herbarium Assistant, on Rs. 12 - 15. I have entered Rs. 15 as presumably an incremental pay is not contemplated.

1 Peon (to accompany Mr. Barber when travelling) on Rs. 10-12. I have put down Rs. 10 which seems sufficient.

III. Dr. Bourne and Mr. Thurston put down Rs. 400 for supplies and service and contingencies. I have entered Rs. 360 to save "rounding".

IV. Mr. Thurston seems to assume that the Herbarium and its keeper and other present establishment will remain as part of the Museum. One of the stipulations of Mr. Barber's agreement (linked file) is that he should have charge of the Herbarium. If he is not to be subordinate to Mr. Thurston, he must presumably take over the Herbarium and its establishment.

This question may however be decided in the linked file. It will not affect this Budget for Govt. can afterwards if necessary transfer the nds provided for the herbarium m the Museum budget.

V. Mr. Thurston makes suggestions:---

(a) to improve the position of present Herbarium keeper (Rs. 50

(Rs. 50 - 60)

(b) to give himself another clerk on Rs. 15, if the correspondence of the Govt. Botanist goes through his office; at any rate to give his Museum writer 5 Rs. more pay. These matters should I submit be submitted separately. At present it would fall to Educational to deal with the

If the Budget is approved, submitted that it may go to Financial for remarks.

(Intld.) N. E. M.

6/12/98.

H. M.

Yes: increasing Collector's and Asst.'s pay to Rs. 25 & 20.

(Intld.) G. S. F.

8/12/98.

Now to Finl. Dept.

(Intld.) G. S. F.

12/12/98.

Finl. Dept., U. O.

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Rs. 15 is the least that could be given. But the pay proposed for the Collector and the Asst. seems too little. I would give the Collector Rs. 25 at least, and the Asst. Rs. 20. The men should be men of some intelligence and not mere machines.

(Intld.) G. S. F.

Yes

(Intld.) G. S. F.

Yes.

(Intld.) G. S. F.

(Intld.) H. M. W.

Approved.

I would leave the pay at what r. Bourne and Mr. Thurston recommende Rs 20 & Rs. 15. e, or at least I, don't know what the duties are. It is objectionable that the Rs. 20 man should be called "Collector", but I can't think of a better name.

(Intld.) H. M. W.

9-12-98.

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Revenue deptt

Prop of the Financial dept. No. 1225 of 14-12-88 (C-No. 8744)

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To Under Secy/.

Please see draft order on the above current.

2. In his d.o. of the 23rd November last Mr Thurston suggested that the financial position of the herbarium keeper who now draws (Rs 50 to 60 p.m.) should be improved and that the pay of the Museum writer should be increased by Rs 5 in view of the extra work that would be thrown on him if the correspondence of the Govt. Botanist passes through his office. As it has now been decided that the Govt. Botanist should work under the Board of Revenue it is presumed that no orders are called for on the latter proposal. As regards the proposal to improve the position of the herbarium-keeper

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ssistant Mr Thurston may
t is submitted he asked
o address the Educational
Dept. on the subject.

~~Please see draft d.o. to
Mr Thurston submitted below
for approval~~

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Issue the draft G.O.
on Fin. G.O. 1225 of 14-12-98
then get the original
of the Fin. G.O. &
~~resubmit this note
& the draft d.o. attached~~

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~~Mr. do. &~~ The subsequent
pp. will be found with
G.O. Rev. 171 of 8.3.99 in which
the question of Mr. Barber's
Estt. was further decided

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To
1 The Bd. of Rev. Dis. 12-1-99
2 The Govt. Botanist Dis. 11-1-99

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7.1.99

Budget Estimate.

Passing orders on the — for 1899–1900 of the Government Botanist.

Note

As Mr Barber is to work under the Bd. of Rev. it is submitted that the budget should be communicat

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

From the Revenue Department, dated 10th December 1898.

ORDER—No. 1225, Financial, dated 14th December 1898.

The estimates are accepted.

2. The Accountant-General will, with reference to section 1007 of the Civil Account Code, be requested to address the Comptroller-General in view to a new minor head "GOVERNMENT BOTANIST" being opened under 26. SCIENTIFIC, &c., DEPARTMENTS.

3. In addition to the allotment of Rs. 2,600 made in G.O., No. 1130, Financial, dated 30th November 1898, a sum of Rs. 3,500 is sanctioned from savings under 43. IRRIGATION—MINOR WORKS AND NAVIGATION—*In charge of Civil Officers*, to meet the charges in the revised estimate under GOVERNMENT BOTANIST.

(True Extract.)

for *Chief Secretary*.

To the Accountant-General.
" Revenue Department.
" Educational Department.
Editors' Table.

[Appendix.

Exd. C. M. Thumbuswamy.

EXPENDITURE.

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 26.—SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPARTMENTS.—GOVERNMENT BOTANIST.

	Numbers.			Budget Estimate, 1899–1900.		Revised Estimate, 1898–99.		Budget Estimate, 1898–99.		Accounts, 1897–98.		Accounts, months, 1898–99.
	1898–99.	1899–1900.		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
			PROVINCIAL.									
Salaries—		1	Government Botanist (700) ..	8,400		(a)1,750		..		..		
		1	Exchange Compensation Allowance.	600		125		..		..		
			Local Allowance (200)	..		(b)2,300		..		..		
			House-rent Allowance (125) ..	(c) 1,500	10,500	(c) 313	4,488	..	..	..		
Establishment—		1	Herbarium Assistant (15) ..	180		(d) 38		..		..		
		1	Collector (20)	240		(d) 50		..		..		
		1	Peon (10).	120	540	(d) 25	113	..	..	..		
Allowances—			Travelling Allowance	1,500	1,500	(e) 1,150	1,150	..	..	..		
Supplies and Services—			Cost of Specimens purchased on tour .. Fittings, Furniture, &c., for the Collection. Cost of Books and Publications .. .. Lithographic Plates	300	300	300	(f) 300	..	..	..		
Contingencies—			Purchase of Country Articles each costing less than Rs. 50. Subscription to Newspapers .. .. Cost of Europe Stores (including Freight). Freight, Landing and Shipping Charges. Repairs to Furniture .. .. .. Gardening Expenses .. .. .. Wages and Cooly .. .. Cleaning Charges .. .. Supply of Drinking-water .. .. .. Scavenging Expenses .. .. .. Postage Charges .. .. Telegraph Charges .. .. Rents, Rates and Taxes .. .. .. Binding Charges .. .. Lighting Charges .. .. Petty Carriage and Cooly Charges .. Clothing of Servants .. .. Office Expenses	60	60	49	(f) 49	..	..	..		
					..		..	..		..		
			Total ..		12,900		6,100	..		..		

Explanatory Remarks.

(a) Pay at Rs. 700 per mensem from 15th December 1898 to 31st March 1899.

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(c) House-rent allowance to the Government Botanist at Rs. 125 per mensem.

(d) Cost of establishment for 2½ months, 15th December 1898 to 31st March 1899.

	RS.	RS.
(e) Travelling expenses incurred by Dr. Bourne	637	
Do. estimated to be incurred by Dr. Bourne	200	837
Do. estimated for Government Botanist for 2½ months at Rs. 125 per mensem	313	313
Total ..		1,150

	RS.	RS.
(f) Expenses incurred by Dr. Bourne	117	
Do. estimated by do.	70	187
Do. estimated for Government Botanist	162	162
Total ..		349

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G. STOKES,
Chief Secretary.

To the Accountant-General.
„ Revenue Department.
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