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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 83 — Press / Mis.

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Dated 11— 1— 1867.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 11th January 1867.

No. 161. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st December 1866, No. 9,070.

Read the following letter from the Collector of North Arcot, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Chittoor, 19th November 1866, No. 338 :—

I have the honor, with reference to the Proceedings of the Board, dated 27th September last, No. 6,954, to forward copy of a letter from my Officiating Assistant Mr. Gibson, and to request, for the reasons therein explained, that I may be authorized to pay the Peons attached to Mr. Gibson at the rate uniformly paid in this district, viz., Rupees 7 per month, from the date of their entertainment.

From the Officiating Assistant Collector of North Arcot, to the Collector of North Arcot, dated Palmanair, 24th October 1866, No. 11.

1. In their Proceedings, dated 27th September last, No. 6,954, the Board, in forwarding to you a copy of Government Order, No. 1,053, dated 3rd May 1866, which sanctioned the transfer to my establishment of two Peons attached to Mr. Lister, requested that you would disburse their pay from your treasury during my employment in the District of North Arcot.

2. In accordance with the terms proposed by Mr. Smith, the Collector of Cuddapah, the amount sanctioned in the Government Order is Rupees (12) twelve, being at the rate of Rupees (6) six per mensem for each man ; and this is, consequently, the amount which you are now authorized to disburse. In this district, however, it is the custom for Peons, attached to the Assistant Collector's Office, to draw pay at the rate of Rupees (7) seven per mensem. The special work upon which I am now employed necessitates my residing and travelling in those parts of the district where the scarcity is greatest, and where prices are highest ; that my Peons should, under such circumstances, receive less pay than those of your other Assistants, appears to me to be at once anomalous and unfair, and I feel sure that were Government acquainted with these facts, they would immediately sanction an increase expenditure of Rupees (2) two per mensem, to raise the pay of these men to Rupees (7) seven.

3. I have, therefore, the honor to request that you will bring the matter to the notice of the Board, with a view to an application being made for the grant of such additional sum.

The sanction of Government will be requested for the increase of 2 Rupees per month from 1st August 1866, to raise the pay of the two Peons attached to the Assistant Collector, Mr. Gibson, from 6 to 7 Rupees. The minimum pay allowed to this class of Peons is now 7 Rupees a month.

No. 162. ORDER THEREON, 11th January 1867, No. 83.

Miscellaneous.

Sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Pro. 3rd May 1866 No. 64-65.

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No. 6.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 21st December 1866.

No. 9,070.

Requesting sanction of Government to raise pay of the two Peons attached to Mr. Gibson, Assistant Collector of North Arcot, from 6 to 7 Rupees per month, from 1st August 1866.

Sanctioned