

Revenue (1897) Department.

PRESS SERIES.

G.O., No. 107.

DATED 18th Feb 1897.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Periyar Camps.

Requesting the Accountant General to arrange for placing to the credit of the Travencore State the sum of Rs 934-13-6 being the net abkari revenue realized in the — for the Travencore year ending 15th August 1896.

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Revenue (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 726

The Hon. Mr. Ellis C. J. E.

From
The Accountant General,
Madras.

Order

No. 251

From the statements received with this current
it appears that the gross revenue realized ^{Abkari} in the
in the Periyar Camps in the Travancore year
beginning with 16 August 1895 was Rs 4130-6-0,
and the total expenditure Rs 3195-9-2, leaving
a surplus of Rs 934-13-6.

Dated 23rd January '97

Received 25th

Registered 25th

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SUBJECT

Forwarding with remarks
two statements showing the income
derived from the management of
the Abkari revenue and the expenditure
incurred in administering Police and
Magisterial jurisdiction in the
Periyar Camp for the Travancore year
ended 15th August 96.
If payment has to be made, the A-G will
be requested to issue a remittance transfer
receipt (vide G.O. flagged E).

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The order contains annual
adjustment. L.O. not in
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how the deficit of one year can
be set off against the surplus of
another:

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Madura collector's Office,
19 January 1897.

From

J. Swigg Esq.,
Collector of
Madura.

To

The Deputy Accountant-General
Madras.

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. S.A.C.K dated
9 December and your reminder thereto, I have the
honour to state that liquor to Penjar Shop was
supplied by the licence of the wholesale vend dep^t
at Madura. This dep^t-keeper supplies not only
this shop but also a number of other shops and
the excise duty on the quantity of liquor which
he transports to his dep^t was paid by him
in this district as well as in the Tinnevely
district in which the Sachanallur Distillery
from which he gets his supply is situated.

2. It is not possible to say in what month
the duty for the particular liquor supplied to
the Penjar Shop was paid, and in what
amount in the Treasury Account the duty

so paid was included.

3. I have called upon the Agent of Mr. Ponnusami Nadar the wholesale depôt-keeper at Madura, to furnish the information as regards the month in which the duty was paid; but he has not as yet done so.

4. I shall submit the information as soon as received.

I have &c
(Signed) E. Arinivasachari,
For Collector.

(True copy)

For Study
Chief Superintendent.

Recd - again of L. 1250 Rev. dated 27 Jan'y 1897
Treasury Account DEPARTMENT.

FORT ST. GEORGE,

Accountant-General's Office,

23rd January 1897.

No. 251

From

J. C. Harrison Esqre.,

Off^r: ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL TO THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith two statements showing the income derived from the management of the Abkari Revenue and the Expenditure incurred in administering Police and Magisterial jurisdiction in the Perijar Camp, for the Travancore year ended 15th August 1896, received with the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue No: 4709 (Separate Revenue) dated 13th November 1896, and to state that they have been verified with the Treasury Account of the Madura District and found correct with the exception of the receipt item of Rs 2067-3- - under Excise duty. Regarding this the collector in his letter No. 5537 dated

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dated 19th January 1897. copy enclosed, reports
that it is not possible to say in what month the
duty of the particular liquor supplied to the
Perijar shop was paid and in what amount in
the Treasury Account the duty so paid was included.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

H. Harris.
Offs. Accountant General.

MR

(189) DEPARTMENT.

From

THE ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL,

MADRAS,

To

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*To the Hon. the Chief Secretary
for favour of counter initials 18.2.97*

List from orders.

To the Accountant General

*Political Deptt with
statts A+B showing how Rs 934.13.6
was arrived at Board of Rev (Sep. Rev).*

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Read again G.O. 50927-1-97.

Read Cus. 736 of 1897

(Separate Rev. No. 8).

G.O. No. 107 of 18th February 1897.

The Accountant.

*General will be requested to
arrange for placing to the
Credit of the Travancore State
the sum of Rs 934-13-6 being
the net abkari revenue realized
in the Periyar Camps for the
Travancore year ending 15th
August 1896.*

M. N. V.

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*It appears to have been
assumed by the Travancore Darbar
at the time the negotiation was
pending, that there would be a
surplus in each year. Hence the
stipulation that the net revenue
was to be paid annually. The
references quoted in the Secre-
tary's remark on the office*

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Note on Cus. 726, viz. C and E
seem to indicate the account
procedure rather than the
finality of the adjustment of
claims in each year. One of
the terms of the negotiation was
that Travancore should not
suffer pecuniarily - vide page 11
of G.O. 597 Pol. 8.27-8-94 -

flagged F

At the same time ~~the~~ the
Govt. of India was of opinion
that the Alkari revenue which
was due to the existence of
British Camps and one which
would be enhanced by improved
management, might fairly be
shared with the Travancore State
at least to the extent of not
putting the British Govt. to any
expense by the exercise of all
jurisdiction acquired from Travancore.
- vide paras 3 & 4 of India's
letter flagged F. On these
principles the whole of the
surplus of 1895-96 may be
set off against the deficit of
the previous year, still leaving
a balance of expenditure amount-

to Rs 317-11-11 unadjusted.

But

1252-9-5 Deficit in the year 94-95
934-13-6 Surplus in the year 95-96
317-11-11.

Vide para 7 of office note
under G.O. 123964 of 3rd Oct 1896,
flagged D.

But then the question arises
whether the Sirkar should
forego the alkari revenue,
however small, of the tract
which it would otherwise have
got, though its lease derived
its enhanced value from the
project works. The Durbar consented
to the deduction from the Alkari receipts
of the Police and Criminal Establishment
Charges from 11th Oct 1894. It was open
to them to have insisted upon the deduction
of the Charges ^{only} from the 5th March 1895.
Had this been done, the Travancore State
would have been paid Rs 390.10.3. for
1894-95. But as the charges were taken
for the longer period, that State has been
informed that there was a deficit &
that, therefore, ~~that~~ nothing was due
to it. Under the circumstances, the whole
of the surplus of 1895-96 may be paid to
the State

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The B. H. has now
submitted the same
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G.O., No. 50, 27th January 1897.

JANUARY.

Periyar Camps.

Stating that no payment on account of the abkari revenue realised from the — has to be made to the Travancore Government, as the revenue has shown a *deficit* instead of a *surplus*.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), Mis. No. 4709, dated 13th November 1896:—

Read—the following letter from the Collector of Madura, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue, Dis. No. 3827, dated 7th November 1896:—

With reference to the Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 4227, dated 10th October 1896, I have the honour to state that the figures in statement No. I appended to G.O., Mis. No. 3964, dated 3rd October 1896, are correct. Of the figures in statements Nos. II and III, all are correct except the cost of the Police establishment entered against August 1895 (up to 15th inclusive), which should be Rs. 168 and not Rs. 178 as entered in the Government Order.

2. Similar statements prepared for the Travancore year ending 15th August 1896 are enclosed marked A and B. There were no receipts after 31st March 1896 and no expenditure after April 1896.

Resolution—Mis. No. 4709, dated 13th November 1896.

Submitted to Government with reference to paragraph 6 of G.O., Mis. No. 3964, Revenue, dated 3rd October 1896.

2. The statement referred to in paragraph 2 of the Collector's letter will be forwarded to Government through the Accountant-General as directed.

(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) EDMUND MILLETT,
Assistant Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
" Accountant-General, with two enclosures.
" Collector of Madura.

READ—the following letter from Captain L. J. ANDREWS, Assistant Resident in charge, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Trivandrum, 10th December 1896, Ref. on C. No. 3834:—

With reference to G.O., No. 732, dated 16th October 1896, I have the honour to forward herewith copy of a letter, No. 1176-P.D., dated 2nd instant, from the Dewan of Travancore from which it will be seen that, for the purpose of determining the net abkari revenue realised by the British Government in the Periyar jurisdiction, the Travancore Government has no objection to the deduction of charges being calculated from 11th October 1894, the date on which the Superintendent of Works issued temporary licenses for the sale of liquor.

ENCLOSURE.

From SHUNGRA SOOBYER, Dewan of Travancore, to the British Resident in Travancore and Cochin, dated Trivandrum, 2nd December 1896, No. 1176-P.D.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter, Ref. on C. No. 5464, dated 12th November, regarding the date from which the deduction of charges from the abkari revenue realised by the British Government in the Periyar jurisdiction is to take effect.

Looking to the past correspondence, I find that in my Demi-official to the late Mr. Grigg, dated 15th September 1894, it was stated that the deductions would "take effect from the date the abkari revenue is collected by the British officers." The date here referred to is, I believe, that on which the modification applying the British Abkari Act to the Periyar camp was published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, as British officers could collect the abkari revenue only from that date. Having regard, however, to the considerations on which the concession was made, His Highness' Government will have no objection to the deduction being made from the date on which the Superintendent of the Works issued temporary licenses for the sale of liquor—that is the 11th October 1894.

Endorsement No. 2669.

Transferred to the Revenue Department with reference to G.O., No. 3964, Revenue, dated 3rd October 1896.

(Signed) A. L. HANNAY,
Ag. Assistant Secretary.

18th December 1896.

To the Revenue Department.

ORDER—No. 50, Revenue, dated 27th January 1897.

Separate Revenue No. 4.

When the abkari jurisdiction over the Periyar camps was taken over by this Government, it was arranged that it should pay to the Travancore Durbar the net abkari revenue raised after deducting the cost incurred in realising the revenue and in administering Police and Criminal jurisdiction. This arrangement was to take effect from the 11th October 1894.

2. Statements I and II appended to this order show the gross revenue realised and the total charges incurred for the Travancore year ending 15th August 1895. It is observed that no expenditure was incurred in realising the abkari revenue, and that the receipts and charges amounted to Rs. 2,601-15-11 and Rs. 3,854-9-4, respectively. There is thus a *deficit* instead of a *surplus*, and no payment has therefore to be made to the Travancore Government.

3. A copy of these Proceedings, will be forwarded for the information of the Durbar.

(True Copy and Extract.)

Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue).
" the Accountant-General.
" the Political Department.

Erd. Shaik Karim.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—again G.O., No. 50, Revenue, dated 27th January 1897.

ABSTRACT.—Stating that no payment on account of the abkari revenue realised from the Periyar camps during the year 1894-95 has to be made to the Travancore Government, as the revenue has shown a deficit instead of a surplus.

Read—the following letter from F. C. HARRISON, Esq., Officiating Accountant-General to the Government of Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated 23rd January 1897, No. 251 :—

I have the honour to forward herewith two statements showing the income derived from the management of the abkari revenue and the expenditure incurred in administering police and magisterial jurisdiction in the Periyar camp for the Travancore year ended 15th August 1896, received with the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 4709 (Separate Revenue), dated 13th November 1896, and to state that they have been verified with the treasury account of the Madura district and found correct with the exception of the receipt item of Rs. 2,067-3-0 under excise duty. Regarding this the Collector in his letter No. 5537, dated 19th January 1897, copy enclosed, reports that it is not possible to say in what month the duty of the particular liquor supplied to the Periyar shop was paid and in what amount in the treasury account the duty so paid was included.

ORDER—No. 107, Revenue, dated 18th February 1897.

Separate Revenue No. 8.

The Accountant-General will be requested to arrange for placing to the credit of the Travancore State the sum of Rs. 934-13-6 being the net abkari revenue realised in the Periyar camps for the Travancore year ending 15th August 1896.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. STOKES,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Accountant-General.
„ the Political Department, with statements A and B showing how Rs. 934-13-6 has been arrived at.
„ the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue).

Encl. Shaik Karim.

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