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Budget Estimates.

Passing orders on the — of receipts and charges in connection with the Provincial Civil Service Examinations for 1899–1900.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following paper:—

From the Director of Public Instruction, dated 14th September 1898, No. 10608.

Order—No. 1142, Financial, dated 1st December 1898.

The budget estimate of expenditure for the ensuing year under "Remuneration to examiners," &c., will be reduced from Rs. 3,396 to Rs. 2,096, with reference to G.O., No. 722, Revenue, dated 28th November 1898. Subject to this modification the estimates are accepted.

2. In the columns headed "Accounts, 1897-98," the Accountant-General's figures should have been entered with reference to rule 9 of the budget rules. The necessary corrections have now been made.

(True Extract.)

A Edgington

for *Chief Secretary*.

To the Revenue Department. ✓
" Director of Public Instruction.
" Accountant-General.
Editors' Table.

Exd. C. M. Thumbuswamy.

RECEIPTS.

Detailed Account No. XXI-D. SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPARTMENTS—Examination Fees.

—	Budget estimate, 1899-1900.	Revised estimate, 1898-99.	Budget estimate, 1898-99.	Accounts, 1897-98.
PROVINCIAL.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Provincial Civil Service Examination Fees	850	850	1,000	350

Explanatory Remarks.—Seventeen candidates have registered their names for the ensuing examination and paid Rs. 850 in all. This sum is entered as the revised estimate for 1898-99. The fee receipts during 1899-1900 are not likely to exceed Rs. 850, seeing that the number of appointments open to competition has been restricted to one annually.

EXPENDITURE.

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 26-M. SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPARTMENTS—Examinations.

	Numbers. 1898-99.	Numbers. 1899-1900.	PROVINCIAL.	Budget estimate, 1899-1900. Rs.	Budget estimate, 1899-1900. Rs.	Revised estimate, 1898-99. Rs.	Revised estimate, 1898-99. Rs.	Budget estimate, 1898-99. Rs.	Budget estimate, 1898-99. Rs.	Accounts, 1897-98. Rs.	Accounts, 1897-98. Rs.
			PROVINCIAL CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.*								
Supplies and Services—			Remuneration to examiners including the extra fee paid to the Secretary.	2,096	(c) 2,096	4,296	(b) 4,296	3,000	3,000	960	a) 960
Allowances—			Travelling allowances	..	..	..	..	60	60	..	
Contingencies—			Postage charges ..	2	..	2	..	40		..	..
			Telegraph	2		2				..	..
			Stationery and other charges.	..		..				..	..
					(d) 4		d) 4	..	40	..	..
			Total ..	..	2,100	..	4,300	..	3,100	..	960

DETAILED ACCOUNT No. 26-O. SCIENTIFIC, ETC., DEPARTMENTS—Refunds.

	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Examinations—				
Provincial Civil Service Examinations ..	200	200	300	(e) 150

* The expenditure is controlled by the Director of Public Instruction.

EXPLANATORY REMARKS.

Accounts. Average.	1897-98.	1896-97.	1895-96.
Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
2,150	960	2,282	3,207
55	..	..	55
13	..	..	13

(a) The total amount of remuneration sanctioned for 1897-98 was Rs. 1,889, of which a sum of Rs. 960 only was drawn before the close of the year. The balance, viz., Rs. 929, represents the remuneration due to Messrs. R. L. Jones and Alexander Moffat and the Hon'ble Mr. G. H. Stuart, the two former having left for Europe before the close of the year 1897-98 and the last named not being able to draw his remuneration for want of the sanction of the Government of India (*vide* G.O., Mis. No. 2210, Revenue, dated 21st May 1898).

(b) Includes the arrears of remuneration due for 1897-98, but not drawn before the close of the year, for the reasons explained above. For the examination of 1897-98 seven candidates registered their names, but only five were accepted by the Medical Board. These five came up for examination in English and in *three* optional subjects only. This year *seventeen* candidates have applied for the examination of December next and provision will have to be made for examining them in English and in *six* different optional subjects, viz., Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Zoology, Mental and Moral Science and History. Hence the increase under the revised estimate, even leaving the arrears out of account.

(c) The budget estimate for 1899-1900 is based on the revised estimate for 1898-99, the amount of fees allowed being reduced with reference to G.O., No. 722, Revenue, dated 26th November 1898.

(d) No provision is required against stationery charges as the expenditure under stationery, which is slight, is being met from the supply to the Presidency College.

(e) This sum includes Rs. 50 which is a portion of the amount refunded in connection with the Police Competitive Test. The error was pointed out to the Accountant-General, but he has reported his inability to make the transfer entry as his accounts for 1897-98 have already been closed.

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