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13	7th July.....	4th July..... 2-3	Forward a Memorial from A. Jagunnath Row, late Tahsildar of Antriacoor Taluq, in the District of Nellore, praying for the grant of a pension equivalent to a moiety of his average salary during the last five years of his service.
		1859.	
14	17th July.....	16th December.. 21-22	
		1860.	
		4th May..... 13-14	
		1862.	
		21st July..... 69-71	Forwarding a Memorial from Streemata Pratapa Sinha Parasupani Setupathi, appealing against the decision passed by Government in regard to his claim to certain jewels left by the deposed Zemindar of Ramnad.
		1863.	
		24th January.... 69-70 30th January.... 88-91 4th February... 16-17 28th April..... 84-85 15th July..... 40-41	
15	17th July.....	17th July..... 48-49	Forward a Memorial from C. Venkatakrishnaiah, late Head of P. Nellore, appealing for the order passed by Government disallowing his claim to pension.
16	13th August.....	13th August..... 25-26	Requesting, for reasons stated, that the order granting the increased annuity of £600 to certain Civilians under the new Rules may be permitted to remain in force.
17	25th August.....	24th August..... 64-65	Furnish the explanation required regarding the increase of salary granted to Mr. Donald, Chief Assistant Civil Paymaster's Office.
18	25th August.....	20th August..... 53-54	Submitting Memorial from J. Talbot, a Proof Reader in the Government Press, who was pensioned under the old rules, praying to be allowed the benefit of the new rules, sanctioned in the Secretary of State's Despatch of the 8th December 1862.
19	26th September..	17th September.. 60-61	Intimate that it has been decided by the Government of India that the increase of Salary granted to Mr. W. Donald, Chief Assistant in the Civil Paymaster's Office, shall commence from the date of his return to duty.

No.	Date.	Page.	Reporter.	Subject.
	1863.	1863.		
20	13th October.....	9th October.....	19-20	Transmit Memorial from Sree Svasa Row, late District Moonsiff at Collegal, praying that a sum of 20 Rupees, by which the pension which he was entitled has been reduced, may be disbursed to him from the date of his retirement from the service and that he may be granted a pension equal to the moiety of his salary as District Moonsiff.
21	23rd December..	19th December..	78-79	Transmit copy of a letter from the Managers of the Civil Service Annuity Fund and contain in the opinion therein submitted that the existing machinery of the Fund should be maintained.

FINANCIAL HOME CORRESPONDENCE.

Despatches from the Secretary of State for India on which Orders were passed in 1863

Despatches received.	Despatches replied to them.	Subject.	Date of Proceedings.	Nos.
1863.	1862.		1863.	
1 24th Jan...	43 25th Sep...	Authorizing the grant to Mr. Passanah, late Clerk in the Supreme Court of a charitable allowance of Rupees 15 per mensem to commence from September 1861...	9th April.	27
2 24th Jan...		Forwarding Statement of sums paid and received on account of the Military Fund for the quarter ending 31st October 1862, and require to be adjusted with interest as usual...	3rd March.	5-6
3-4 31st Jan...		Transferred to the Military Department.		
5 31st Jan...		Intimates that Messrs. Coutts & Co., have been advanced the sum of £13,000 on account of the Madras Civil Fund and forwards their receipt in duplicate, specifying that the said amount is re-payable 12 months after date at the exchange of 1s.-11d. the Sicca Rupee...	5th March.	24-15
6 17th Feb...	673 19th Sep...	Transferred to the Military Department.		
7 17th Feb...		States that the Books applied for by this Government in Chief Secretary's letter of the 19th September last No. 673 will shortly be shipped via the Cape...	24th March.	77-78
8 17th Feb...	7-8 24th Oct. 3-2 1-2 15th Nov.	No reply.		
	17 25th Oct...	States that Her Majesty's Government do not consider that such a case is made out as to call for an increase to the salary of the Advocate General.	27th March.	95-96
8 17th Feb...	Judl 19 5th Nov...	Cannot comply with the request of Syed Ghoolam Dustgerree for an increase to his pension...	27th March.	95-96
8 17th Feb...	Mily 276 25th Oct...	Is unable to comply with the request of Major Greenlaw to be exempted from the operation of the orders of Her Majesty's Government relative to the re-commencement of the former rules of subscription and donations to the Madras Military Fund...	27th March.	95-96
8 17th Feb...	802 11th Nov...	States that in future shipments of Currency Note paper, the cost, freight, &c., will be stated in the Invoice....	27th March.	95-96
9 23rd Feb...		Has permitted Messrs. Leman, Cadell, Groome and Clarke of the Civil Service, and Mr. A. A. Gordon, M. A., Uncovenanted Service, as well as Mr. J. R. Boyson, Government Solicitor, to return to their duty.		
		Has granted Messrs. Ames, Robinson and Boswell, Civil Service, extension of leave for 6 months each, and Mr. W. H. Kerr, Civil Service, for 3 months and 6 months extension each to Messrs. Dudgeon and Marshall of the Uncovenanted Service.		
		Has permitted Mr. M. C. Chase to resign the Madras Civil Service.....		

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1863.	1862.			
10-11		Transferred to the Military Department.		
12 9th March.	37 25th June.	Forwarding a Statement of sums issued to Civil Servants in England on account of their annuities from the 1st May to 31st October 1862.	16th April.	41-42
13 9th March.		Forwarding a Statement of the sums paid and received on account of the Madras Medical Fund from 1st May to 31st October 1862, and requesting that the balance due from the Fund be recovered and adjusted as usual.	16th April.	43-44
14		Transferred to the Military Department.		
	1863.			
15 30th March.	20th Jan.	Acknowledges receipt of the indent for Stores required by the Military Department of this Presidency, and has sanctioned the provision of the Stores demanded with certain exceptions.	5th May.	14-15
16 30th March.	7 17th Feb.	Catalogue of the duplicate books shipped for Madras via the Cape.	18th May.	33-34
17		Transferred to the Military Department.		
18 16th April.		Messrs. Kerr, G. Vans Agnew and Mr. Merrand permitted to return to duty. Messrs. Arbuthnot, Sim, Webster, Lushington and Mr. W. Donald extension of leave for 6 months each.		
19-20		Transferred to the Military Department.		
20 24th April.		Statement of sums paid and received on account of the Madras Military Fund from 1st November 1862 to 31st January 1863.	11th June.	20-21
22-26		Transferred to the Military Department.		
27 16th May.	2 27th Jan.	No reply.	18th June.	31-32
27 16th May.	3 28th Feb.	Confirm the grant of pension to Mr. M. Chase.	18th June.	31-32
27 16th May.	4 5th March.	Additional Annuities granted to certain Members of the Civil Service.	18th July.	31-32
27 16th May.	5 5th March.	No further concession can be allowed in the matter of annuities.	18th June.	31-32
28		Transferred to the Judicial Department.		
29 30th May.		Directions given for the despatch of a "Calendar of State papers (Colonial Series) East Indies, China and Japan 1513 to 1616".	6th July.	10-11
30		Transferred to the Military Department.		
31		Do. to the Judicial do.		
32 30th May.	203 24th March.	Regarding an increased rate of Absentee Allowance to Mr. W. Donald.	6th July.	8-9
33-34		Transferred to the Military Department.		
35 9th June.		Mr. Boswell permitted to return to duty and extensions of leave granted to Messrs. Newill and Sim for 6 months each.		
36-37		Transferred to the Military Department.		
38 10th June.		Respecting the measures adopted by the Government of India for transferring the Government Treasury business to Banks, and for the introduction of a Government Paper Agency into India.	8th Aug.	10-11

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1863.	1863.			
39		Transferred to the Military Department.		
40		Do. to the Judicial do.		
41 24th June.....	.....	An extension of leave for 3 months granted to Mr. E. G. R. Fane, and Mr. Maskell permitted to return to his duty.		
42 30th June...	12 9th March.	Forwarding Statements of sums issued to persons in England on account of their Annuities from 1st November 1862 to 30th April 1863...	31st July...	75-76
43 30th June.....	.....	Forwards a Statement of the sums paid and received on account of the Madras Medical Fund from 1st November 1862 to 30th April 1863, showing a balance due to be adjusted with interest...	31st July...	73-74
44 30th June...	59 22nd Aug...	Statement of the amount paid in England on account of the Madras Civil Service Absentee Allowance from 1st May 1862 to 30th April 1863...	6th Aug...	5-6
45 2nd July.....	.....	Statement of sums paid and received on account of the Madras Military Fund from 1st February to 30th April 1863, showing a balance due to be adjusted with interest...	31st July...	77-78
46-48 .....	.....	Transferred to the Military Department.		
49 9th July...	8 12th May...	Indent for 1000 Tons of Coke sanctioned. 300 Tons will be supplied immediately and the remaining 700 Tons will be despatched in February or March next.	10th Aug...	14-15
50-51 .....	.....	Transferred to the Military Department.		
52 24th July...	11 28th May...	8 Tons of Steel sanctioned. To request in the early part of 1864 for the 700 Tons of Copper...	28th May...	62-63
53 .....	.....	Transferred to the Military Department.		
54 25th July...	.....	Will forward a box containing two sets of matrices and punches by the Steamer which will leave Southampton on the 4th August 1863...	4th Sep....	9-10
55 25th July...	6 10th April..	Respecting the arrangements for guarding against the future payment of additional interest on the full amount of securities purchased at a discount by the several Funds at Madras...	4th Sep...	11-12
56 .....	.....	Transferred to the Military Department.		
57 31st July.....	.....	Extensions of leave granted to certain Covenanted and Uncovenanted Servants...		
58 31st July .....	.....	Advanced Messrs. Coutts & Co., £12,000 on account of the Madras Civil Fund and their receipt in duplicate forwarded...	3rd Sep....	3-4
59 1st July .....	.....	Forwards an extract of a despatch addressed to the Government of India and informs that lists of delayed Packing Accounts will in future be forwarded half yearly...	7th Sep....	33-34
60-61 .....	.....	Transferred to the Military Department.		
62 15th Aug...	5 24th March.	Communicating views on the subject of the establishment of Branch Banks in different parts of the Country...	16th Oct....	47-49

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1863.	1863.			
63 15th Aug...	7 25th April...	2 Sees no reason for interfering with the orders of this Government in dismissing T. Mootosawmy from the Service of Government.		
63 15th Aug...	7 25th April...	3 No reply.		
63 15th Aug...	14 28th April...	4 Observes that there are no grounds for granting a special pension to Mr. James, late an employe in the Registrar's Office Supreme Court Madras.	18th Sep....	65-66
64 .....	.....	Transferred to the Military Department.		
65 7th Sep...	.....	Mr. J. R. Kindersly permitted to return to duty. Extension of leave granted to Messrs. Ames and Lushington...		
66 7th Sep...	.....	Statement of sums paid and received on account of the Madras Military Fund from 1st May to 31st July 1863 showing a balance due to be adjusted with interest...	10th Oct....	26-27
67-73 .....	.....	Transferred to the Military Department.		
74 30th Sep...	.....	Transferring a Memorial from certain Annuitants together with the reply thereto...	6th Nov...	11-12
75 .....	.....	Transferred to the Military Department.		
76 16th Oct...	13 7th July...	{ Declines to comply with the prayer contained in the Memorials....	20th Nov...	15-46
.....	17th July...			
.....	17th July...			
77-80 .....	.....	Transferred to the Military Department.		
81 24th Oct...	.....	Cert. in Covenanted and Uncovenanted Civil Servants have been permitted to return to their duty and extensions of leave granted to Messrs. Goldie and others for 6 months each...		
82-88 .....	.....	Transferred to the Military Department.		
89 24th Nov...	.....	Regarding the application of the new arrangement respecting Annuities to the Members of the Civil Service...		
1864.				
90 5th Jan...	.....	Assay Muffles already shipped per "Belgravi" in August last...	18th Jan...	44
91 5th Jan...	.....	Account supplies between India and London. To furnish the Account Current of the Military Accountant Marked A therein referred to...	11th Jan...	49
92 4th Jan...	.....	Mr. Donald should not be admitted to the benefit of his increased pay until his return to his duty...		
.....	.....	Mr. Talbot's request to be admitted to the benefits of the new pension rules, cannot be complied with...	5th Jan...	11
.....	.....	Forwarded to the War Office letter from this Government Military Department, dated 25th April 1863 together with its enclosures...		
93 4th Jan...	.....	Transferred to the Military Branch.		
94 8th Jan...	.....	Do. do.		
95 16th Jan...	.....	Certain Covenanted and Uncovenanted Servants permitted to return to duty and two others, extensions of leave for 6 months each...		