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Judicial DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
for the month of February 1860.*

No. 27. Read the following Proceedings of Government, in the Revenue Department, dated 6th February 1860, No. 191.

Observing that Government do not yet see fit to direct the Sub Judge of Utakamund to exercise the provisions of Act XXV of 1855 and XVI of 1858, or all the powers of a Joint Magistrate. (Vide Proceedings, Revenue Department, from 1st to 10th February 1860, Nos. 46 and 47.)

No. 28. ORDER THEREON, 15th February 1860, No. 178.
To be recorded.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

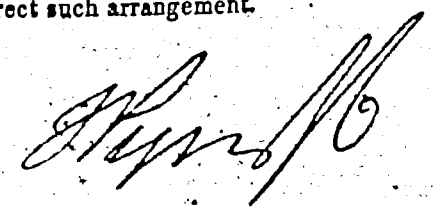
Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Submitting correspondence and opinion on the proposal to establish a subordinate treasury at Utakamand. } (Here enter 13th January 1860, No. 190.)

ORDER THEREON, 6th February 1860, No. 191.

1. The question of the establishment of a subordinate treasury at Utakamand was broached by Mr. Breeks in his report* on the introduction of the Bengal system of accounts in the Coimbatūr district. From this it appeared that eight and a half lacs of Rupees have annually to be remitted to the hills, at considerable expense to Government; that the operations of trade and the requirements of Government and residents there would be greatly facilitated, if the collections of the adjacent taluqs were remitted straight to Utakamand, instead of to the Huzūr; and if the officer to be in charge of the treasury at the former place were empowered to grant bills on Bombay and other places for cash received.
2. The Accountant General who was requested to give his opinion on the above proposals, reported† in favor of them: and the Board of Revenue, to whom the question was then referred, have, in their proceedings recorded at the head of this paper, expressed their entire approval of the measure.
3. The Governor in Council is therefore pleased to authorize the establishment of a subordinate treasury at Utakamand, as recommended by Mr. Breeks and the Accountant General. It will be in charge of Mr. Nesbitt, (now located on the hills as Assistant to the Collector of Coimbatūr) who will also receive money and grant bills: the necessary arrangements concerning the issue of which, will be made by the Collector in communication with the Accountant General.
4. As regards paragraphs 5 and 6 of the Board's Proceedings under consideration, the Government think that it is unnecessary at present to enter into the question of transferring the Sub-Collector to the charge of the Nilgiris. They would however observe that in stating that the Sub-Judge of Utakamand cannot act as Magistrate, the Board have overlooked the provisions of Act XXV of 1855 and XVI of 1858, under which the Sub-Judge is authorized "to exercise, by appointment of the Government of Fort Saint George, all the powers of a Joint Magistrate." The Government however do not yet see fit to direct such arrangement.

(True Extract.)


Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue.
" Accountant General.

Judicial Department

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