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Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
13th August 1864.

Read the following papers:—

No. 81. Abstract of Petition from SUBBAIYER, K. RAJASETTY, and several others residing in the town of Combaconum, Tanjore, dated 13th April 1864.

State that Combaconum is a large and populous town, measuring 4 miles from east to west and 2 miles from south to north, and containing about 34,400 inhabitants; that consequently it is highly necessary for the good of the people to keep it clean by removing the filthy sweepings and by carrying out the filthy water by means of drains. Pray therefore that the Act No. XXVI of 1850 may be introduced into the town of Combaconum.

No. 1297 of 1864.

Referred to the Magistrate for report.

(By Order.)

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
6th June 1864.

(Signed) W. H. KERR,

Deputy Secy. to Govt.

No. 82. From W. M. CADELL, Esq., Collector of Tanjore; to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Tanjore, 3rd August 1864, No. 873.

I have had the honor of receiving your Deputy Secretary's endorsement, dated 6th June 1864, No. 1297, on a petition (herewith returned) forwarded to Government by the inhabitants of Combaconum, and beg to submit the following report on the subject.

2. From this petition it appears that a large number of the most influential and respectable inhabitants of the town are desirous of the introduction of Act XXVI of 1850 into it, for the purpose of cleansing the same and other sanitary purposes, and also for repairing the roads and communications.

3. From my own knowledge and from the information which has lately been placed before me since the receipt of this petition, I am inclined to think that the movement is a general one, and that it has the support of all the respectable and well-to-do class of people. I beg therefore to suggest that the Notification prescribed by Section 3 of the Act be published in the *Fort Saint George Gazette*, and also that proclamation be made throughout the town calling on such of the inhabitants as may be minded to declare themselves for or against the introduction of the Act in question.

4. I would take leave to add that I have for many years past urged on the inhabitants of the town of Combaconum the necessity for the introduction of this Act, and it will be a source of great gratification to myself if the present movement prove successful. The town for the most part is situated under the level of the Kaveri when in fresh, and the importance of a proper system of drainage together with a systematic and daily cleansing of its thickly populated streets cannot, I think, be overrated.

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13th August 1864.*

No. 82A.

ORDER THEREON, 13th August 1864, No. 1219.

As it appears that it is the wish of some of the inhabitants of Combaconum that Act XXVI of 1850 should be put in force in their town, the following Notification will be published in the *Port Saint George* and *District Gazettes*.

2. The Magistrate will direct one of his Assistants or Deputy Magistrates to reside in the town during the next three months, and keep the book mentioned in paragraph 2 of the Notification.

NOTIFICATION.

FORT SAINT GEORGE, August 1864.

Whereas application has been made to Government by certain inhabitants of the town, of Combaconum, praying that the provisions of Act XXVI of 1850, or an Act to enable improvements to be made in towns, may be put in force within their town it is hereby notified, under Section 3 of the Act, that those inhabitants of the said town, who may be desirous of declaring themselves for or against the adoption therein of the said Act, for all or any of the purposes specified in it, may declare themselves accordingly before the Magistrate of Tanjore at any time during the usual office hours, within the space of three months from this date.

2. It is further notified that the Magistrate of Tanjore has been directed, besides noting such declarations as may be made in the manner above-mentioned, to keep a book, wherein every occupant of a house or shop in the said town may have himself inscribed as being in favor of, or against the prayer of the application aforesaid, on applying to the Magistrate, at any time during office hours, within the period above stated, or before.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Magistrate of Tanjore.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

Jud. Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

*Read the following letter from
the Collector of Tanjore*

(Received 22 August 1864 No. 813)

Order thereon 13 August 1864 No. 1219.

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Notification

Port St. George August 1864

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*N. S. Collector as stated
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enable improvements to be made in Towns, may be put in force within their Town, it is hereby notified, under section III of the Act, that their inhabitants of the said Town who may be desirous of declaring themselves for or against the adoption therein of the said Act, for all or any of the purposes specified in it, may declare themselves accordingly, before the Magistrate of Tanjore at any time during the usual Office hours, within the space of three months from this date.

2 It is further notified that the Magistrate of Tanjore, has been directed, besides making such declarations as may be made in the manner above-mentioned, to keep a book, wherein every occupant of a house or shop in the said Town, may have himself entered as being in favor of, or against the passing of the application aforesaid, on

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Dated 13th August 1864.

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