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FROM

N. M. Wintubotham Esquire,

Acting COLLECTOR, ~~of the District~~
Tanjore,

TO

C. A. Galton Esquire
Ag. Chief SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
Judicial DEPARTMENT,
Madras.

SIR,

In continuation of my letter dated
10th September 1892 No. 1240, I have the
honour to state that the present Government
Pleader Mr. R. Py. S. A. Saminatha Aiyar
has held the post since 1886.

2. I have consulted the Ag. District and
Sessions Judge as to whether there is sufficient
ground for appointing another Pleader to the
office, and Mr. O'Farrell opines that a
change is not undesirable. It would how-
ever prefer to let matters rest as they are
until the return of the permanent District
Judge.

3. I have had a great deal of work
with Mr. R. Py. Saminatha Aiyar during
the last eighteen months, and the fa-
I have to find with him are such.

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shares in common with most successful lawyers.

He is so wealthy and prosperous and has so much business of all sorts that he is not content with the moderate fees which Government allows, and has not as much time at his disposal as a young Pleader would have who had still to carve out a way to fortune. He takes the lead in social movements as President of the Tanjore People's Association, and as a great land holder his interest is in many cases directly opposed to the interests of Government. In fairness to him I should say that I have not found that his private interests prevent his doing justice to his brief, and on the whole I am of opinion that he should be reappointed on the understanding that his appointment will terminate if it appears that his private business does not leave him time to do the Government work for such remuneration as Government is wont to sanction. If and when a change is made I should feel disposed to recommend the appointment of a young Pleader of good attainments and small practice who would have ample time to bestow on Government work. The general opinion

however,

however, in all countries, appears to be that a litigant should have the leader of the Bar on his side no matter at what cost. Mr. R. Ry Saminatha Aiyar is the nearest to the leadership who would accept the post of Government Pleader.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant,

H. L. S. to M. S.
M. S. S. to M. S.
District Magistrate.

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