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Judicial (1896) Department.

ORDINARY *Mis*

G.O., No. 873.

Confidential No. 30

DATED 24-2-96.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Mr W. C. Holmes

Calling for the opinion of the Hon.
the Judges of the H.C. on Mr Holmes
explanation called for in G.O.

No. 2231 of 1595

BACK PAPERS.

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Vide notes in ⁸⁰ no 2440
26-11-95

Judicial DEPARTMENT

C. No.

Went Point

FOR ORDERS.

* marked with blue pencil

I quite approve of the course proposed by the hon. Mr. Aldrich in his note of 23.11.95. It is much to be regretted that the office did not send on the papers as directed. I can not see where any misapprehension can have come in - The H. M. note plainly enough. The references must be made at once.

W
19 Feb

In writing a note for orders on the case of Mr. Holmes U.S. lately Session Judge of S. Canada, the accompanying note of the Hon. Mr. Aldrich C.R. dated 23.11.95 in G.O. 2440-J. has come to light, with 26.11.95. Has been found that the papers have never been sent to H.E. the Govt. as therein directed. The order was issued at once as directed but the office neglected, ^{owing to a misapprehension} to return the papers to U.S. in order that they might be circulated. This is much regretted, as it with further delay the disposal of the file, which has already been kept back for a considerable time pending replies from the office. Orders on the points raised are now solicited.

W
14/2/96

Mr. Holmes *CS*

FOR ORDERS.

H. E. THE GOVERNOR. (2)

THE HON'BLE MR. H. W. BLISS, C.I.E. (1)

THE HON'BLE MR. J. GROSE.

for perusal.

This should go to H.E. & need
not have come to me

MS
17/2/96

C17/2
R22/2

[G.
200-10-95]

Papers to be read in proceedings:—

Ind. DEPARTMENT.

Again G.O., dated 4th Nov. 1895, No. 2231. J.

Again G.O., dated 189 , No.

Current No. 5459 of 1895, dated

" " 5873 " 1895, "

" " " 189 , "

1895, No. 2231. J.

189 , No.

, from (in G.O. 2640. J. 26. 11. 95)

, " (under cover of current G.O. J.)

, " "

office
copies of these
must go to H. Ct. in
this order, but
send spare copies if
possible, so as not to
interfere with the file
& G.O. H.

ORDER: 24th Feb 96 No. 373

In G.O. 2231. J. 4. 11. 95, copy of which is
attached to these proceedings, the Govt.
referred to Mr. W.C. Holmes, then
Dist. & Sessions Judge of S. Canara,
for explanation & remarks, letter No.
2878. confid^t from the Registrar of
the High Court in which it was stated
that the Hon. the Judges considered that
Mr. Holmes was not suited to Judicial
Branch, & which enclosed copies of two
pages of the High Court No. 1760 &
1812 16. 9. 95 commenting adversely upon
his conduct of sessions cases No.
33 & 38 of 1894 respectively.

2. The two letters read above
copies of which are also appended,
form Mr. Holmes' reply. The first
of three consists of an explanation
addressed to Govt. in answer to
G.O. 2231. J. 4. 11. 95 & of a copy of a letter

Y.C.

from Mr. Holmes addressed to the Registrar of the High Court in reply to one of the Progs. of the Court which formed an enclosure to the Registrar's letter read in that G.O. The second of Mr. Holmes' letters of explanation is addressed to Govt.

3. The Govt. would feel obliged if the Hon. the Judges of the High Court would favour it with their opinion upon the two letters referred to and would also transmit to Govt. a copy of the orders if any passed by them upon the letter to the Registrar of which a copy is enclosed in the first of them.

4. The Hon. the Judges will also be requested to be so good as to cause the transmission to Govt. of copies of the judgments of the Sessions Court in sessions case No. 33 of 1894 & of the High Court's order in revision or appeal in this case case and in sessions case No. 38. of 1894.

MP 22/96 (from orders).
22/2/96

The Hon. the CJ. with C.L.
22/2 with papers

No. 1812
16.9.95

Mr. Holmes VCS.

CS.
(from orders).

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