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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 31st July 1861.

No. 424. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 25th June 1861, No. 3,303 :—

Read the following letter from J. D. ROBINSON, Esq., Acting Collector of North Arcot, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Chepauk, dated Palmanér, 12th June 1861, No. 121.

SIR,

1. In paragraph 4 of their Proceedings, dated 14th May 1861, No. 2,445, the Board request me to report how I propose to provide accommodation for travellers should the Bungalow at Pallikonda be disposed of as suggested by me, observing "that during the past year forty-"four persons halted at this Bungalow, and in 1859 sixty-seven travellers availed themselves of "it."

2. On referring to the Bungalow books for those years, I find that in that for 1859, there are entered the names of a good many travellers passing to and from the Presidency, Hills, and other inland stations. The railroad was not opened up to Vaniembadi until February 1860, so that up to that time, this Bungalow being situated on what was still the main road to Salem and the Neilgherries, was necessarily frequented by those travelling to and from those parts. Since the railroad has been carried farther inland, not one single *bonâ fide* traveller has, or would be likely to halt at this Bungalow; and the names entered in the book subsequently to the above-named date are those of Conductors and *employés* in the Public Works and Telegraph Departments.

3. Now that the railroad is open to Salem, a Travellers' Bungalow at Pallikonda is absolutely superfluous, and the charge of its further maintenance is one which Government may relieve themselves of without apprehension of inconvenience to the public.

4. With these observations, I beg to renew my recommendation that the building be forthwith disposed of by public auction under the Freehold rules.

1. Ordered to be submitted for the consideration and orders of Government, with reference to Board's Proceedings, dated May 14th 1861, No. 2,445.

2. Under the circumstances stated by the Acting Collector, the Board recommend that the sale of the Pallikonda Bungalow by public auction under the Freehold rules be sanctioned.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL, *Sub-Secretary.*

No. 425. ORDER THEREON, 31st July 1861, No. 1,518.

1. The Government sanction the sale of the Pallikonda Bungalow with the compound attached to it under the Freehold rules, if after inquiry it proves not to be required by any of the Public Departments.

2. The sale should be duly notified in the Government Gazette, and also in the North Arcot and Salem District Gazettes.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

No. 3,303.

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Sub-Secretary.

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.

Copy to J. D. Robinson, Esq., Acting Collector of North Arcot.

Exd. J. Wright.

Revenue 1861 Department

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PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of REVENUE,

Dated 25th June 1861.

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Submitting with recommendation a letter from the Collector of North Arcot requesting sanction for the sale of the Pallikonda Bungalow by public auction.

No 1678. The Government sanction the sale of the Pallikonda Bungalow with the compound attached to it under the Tree Land Rules, if after inquiry it proves not to be required by any of the Public Departments.

The sale should be duly notified in the Govt Gazette and also in the North Arcot Tahsildar District Gazettes

Fort St Geo. 31st July 1861

4 Copies To the Board of Revenue.

Written Order No. 1518. 31st July