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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
17th October 1867.*

No. 358. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Military Department:—

Communicating letter from the Government of
India regarding the admission of Officers into } (Here enter 12th October 1867, No. 3,943.)
the Staff Corps.

No. 359. ORDER THEREON, 17th October 1867, No. 3,224.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 49.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter:—

From the Secretary to the Government of India, Military Department, Simla, 20th September 1867, No. 405; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George.

I am directed to acknowledge your letter, No. 3054, dated 16th August 1867, relative to the operation of the ruling of this Government, communicated to you under Military Department docket of the 27th June 1867, No. 593, and in reply to acquaint you, for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, that it was not the intention of the Government of India to give the ruling effect in respect to officers who might, at the time of its publication, be actually serving in the Staff Corps on probation.

2. With respect to the recommendation made by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in Madras, that the operation of the ruling be suspended in the case of officers who may now be qualifying for admission to the Corps, I am directed to observe that the admission of special applicants by whom the interests of the service will be advanced is already provided for, but that where there are no special public grounds for admitting on probation an Officer of over seven years' service, or eight at the outside, it is considered the public interests, which must be of paramount consideration, would suffer.

3. Accordingly the Right Honorable the Governor General in Council does not consider that any general relaxation of the rule, which was not laid down without due deliberation, would be expedient, nor does His Excellency in Council think it would be advisable, in the interests of the service, to lay down any more definite rules than those in existence as to what officers may or may not enter the Staff Corps.

ORDER, No. 3943, 12th October 1867,
Communicated to the Commander-in-Chief, (Adjutant General's Department)
with reference to Proceedings of Government, No. 3053, dated 16th August 1867.
(True Extract.)

Marshall Major General,
Secretary to Government.

- To the Adjutant General.
" Controller of Military Accounts.
" Public Department.
" Revenue Department.
" Public Works Department.

Exd. J. E. Cashart,

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Communication
Letter from the Court of
Arms regarding the
operation of officers in
the State Court.

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