

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
20th January 1868.*

No. 290. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 11th January 1868, No. 189.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd December 1867, No. 366:—

1. I have the honor to forward thirteen Title Deeds, in duplicate, as per annexed Memorandum, for lands sold in the Neilgherry Hills under the Waste Land Rules, sanctioned on the 6th March 1863, numbered 478A, and to request that they may be returned to me with the seal of Government affixed:—

Number of Deeds.	Names of Purchasers.	Extent of land.	Amount of purchase money.			Number of tin cases in which the Title Deeds are enclosed.
			Rs.	A.	P.	
115	John Rohde, Esq.	Acres. 5.26	0	2	1	1
114	Do.	8.90	0	1	9	
152	Colonel William George Woods	7.90	53	4	0	1
153	Do.	5.34	33	12	0	
154	Do.	8.38	61	12	0	
155	Do.	5.38	42	8	0	
156	Major A. B. Marsack	9.98	75	4	0	3
157	Do.	11.68	88	12	0	
158	Do.	9.03	21	4	8	
159	Do.	11.80	75	12	0	
160	Do.	10.28	77	8	0	
161	Do.	10.14	112	4	0	
162	Do.	10.45	82	12	0	5

2. Notwithstanding the clearest instructions were given by the Acting Special Assistant Collector of Ootacamund to Major Marsack, it will be seen that one of the attesting witnesses to his signature has failed to insert his residence in every Deed. If this omission has to be supplied, all Major Marsack's Deeds will have to be sent back to him to Secunderabad, which will cause delay in their transmission to Board.

3. The several corrections in all the Title Deeds are initialled in red ink by Mr. N. A. Roupell, Acting Special Assistant Collector of Ootacamund.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 to 13.—Title Deeds in duplicate.

1. Ordered that the eleven Deeds, numbered 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, and 162, respectively, and in duplicate, received with the above letter, be submitted for the seal of Government, in accordance with Rule 5 of the "Subsidiary instructions relating to the sale of assessed waste on the Neilgherries, Shervaroys, and in the Wynaad," recorded in the Proceedings of Government, No. 1,208, dated 6th July 1863.

2. The "witness" to the Collector's signature in all the Deeds, has, apparently through oversight, omitted to sign his name in the proper place. The Collector should have this omission supplied.

3. In one copy of each of the Deeds Nos. 153 and 154, the official designation of the first witness to the purchaser's signature is entered as Head Clerk to the

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"Special Assistant" Collector, instead of simply Assistant Collector. This should be rectified, and the Collector's initials affixed to the erasure.

4. In one of the plans attached to Deed No. 156, Mr. Roupell's initials are omitted over the correction made in the spelling of Mr. Rohde's name in the northern boundary. The Collector should affix his own initials to the place.

5. *Deeds Nos. 156 to 162.*—Secunderabad is spelt Secundrabad in the fourth line of these Deeds and also in their docket, while the first mode is adopted in the attestation clause as well as by the first witness in describing his residence.

6. The second witness has omitted to mention the Corps to which he is attached, as well as his residence, and the Collector should, if practicable, have these omissions supplied after receipt of the Deeds with the Government seal and before they are registered. The period within which the Deeds must be registered will expire on the 10th March.

7. The numbers on these plans were inserted in figures only, but the omission to write them also has been supplied in the Board's Office.

8. The period within which Deeds Nos. 114 and 115 should have been registered having expired on the 5th January 1868, they have been returned to the Collector with instructions to prepare fresh ones.

No. 291. ORDER THEREON, 20th January 1868, No. 147.

Land Revenue,

1. Ordered that the eleven Deeds, received with these Proceedings, be sealed and returned.

2. The number at the top of one copy of Deed No. 162 is incorrectly stated in writing. The error should be rectified.

3. The amount of the purchase money for the land referred to in Deed No. 159 is given in the statement in paragraph 1 of the Collector's letter as Rupees 75-12-0, instead of Rupees 78-12-0, as entered in the Deed.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with eleven Deeds in duplicate.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Ed. Wright

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 Rs 5022 as entered in the Decd -

Mr. Capes Capt. G. S. Pitt
 20th W. Regt. Ind. Inf. - 100th Regt.

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No. 99

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 11th January 1863.

Group 13 - down
R.D. 14th
- the 11 dead in Dept. under
4 True Cases. R.D.

No. 189.

Submitting for seal of Government Title Deeds for lands sold on the Neilgherry Hills Coimbatore district under the Waste Land Rules, and requesting Collector to make certain corrections in the Deeds on their receipt with Government Seal.

With order
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