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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,*
*3rd February* 1868.

Read the following papers:—

No. 48. From the Collector of South Arcot, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Cuddalore, 16th January 1868, No. 6.

1. As it may be some time before Mr. Robinson arrives in my district, I desire to ascertain from Government whether I may utilize the services of Messrs. Glenny and Lister in other ways, besides the mere duty on which they are specially deputed.

2. I have sent Mr. Lister in one direction and Mr. Glenny in another, where the unfavorable character of the harvest is likely to be most pressing, but any distress will be entirely prospective, not immediate; and, beyond collating information and inspecting villages for that purpose, these Officers will have little to do for the present, or until Mr. Robinson's arrival.

3. My Deputy Collector, Mr. Wright, is quite unfit for active work, and he has just obtained one month's leave preparatory to further sick leave, and Mr. Glenny has gone into his division of the district; and it would be a great help to me, and, at the same time, facilitate his special inquiries, were he employed on general duties. I shall much need a successor to Mr. Wright, and, pending his advent, I should, therefore, be glad if permitted to avail myself of Mr. Glenny's services; otherwise the details of two extra talooks will, in the interval, devolve on myself. Mr. Glenny stands regularly appointed as my Assistant, but I did not think it right to make use of him for ordinary duty without the previous authority of Government.

Referred to Mr. W. Robinson (Vellore) for report.

(Signed) R. S. ELLIS,
*Chief Secretary.*

*17th January* 1868.

No. 49. From the Acting 3rd Member, on special duty, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Public Department, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 28th January 1868:—

1. Referring to Mr. Reade's letter No. 6, dated 16th instant, this day received, I venture to suggest that the Officers appointed to special duty be kept at that duty alone.

2. There is much country to be looked up, and if once tied down to Magisterial and routine duty, their first function will be seriously hampered, or entirely set aside.

No. 50. ORDER THEREON, 3rd February 1868, No. 304.

Miscellaneous.

The Governor in Council concurs with Mr. Robinson in thinking that the Officers appointed to special duty should not be employed in the ordinary Magisterial or Revenue work of the districts to which they have been attached.

(True Extract.)
(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
*Secretary to Government.*

To W. Robinson, Esq.
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,, the Collector of Madras.
,, the do. of North Arcot.
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Exd. F. R. Bartleman.

Revenue Depart.

No. 304.

Proceedings of the Madras Govt. under date the 30th Feby. 1864.

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Requesting authority to utilize the services of Messrs. Glenny & Lister in other ways besides the mere duty on which they are specially deputed.

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