GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ--the following letter from E. BARCLAY, Esq., Government Solicitor, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 8th August 1883, No. 406 :—

With reference to the Order of Government, dated 11th January 1878, No. 50, Revenue Department, I now beg to forward, herewith, to be placed amongst the records of Government, the title-deeds and papers relating to the Brennen property at Tellicherry, as per accompanying list.

2. I also forward copy of a letter from the Administrator-General of Madras, dated 6th instant, sending me the deed of conveyance and Power of Attorney mentioned in the list of title-deeds and a cheque for Rs. 150. I request the orders of Government as to what I am to do with this amount.

ENCLOSURE.

Letter from MICHAEL GOULD, Esq., Administrator-General, to the Government Solicitor, Madras, dated 6th August 1883, No. 1565.

I duly received your letter No. 289, dated 28th May 1883, forwarding for my execution and for registration the engrossment of the conveyance of the Brennen property at Tellicherry (excepting the small building on the beach, which being freehold, cannot be sold).

2. I have now heard from the Collector of Malabar that the Government has abandoned the acquisition of this small building on the beach and agreed to the completion of the purchase of the remainder of the property upon a deduction of Rs. 150, the estimated value of the small building in question, being made from the purchase money of Rs. 22,000 already paid to me.

3. The Collector of Malabar has accordingly re-surrendered to me the possession of the small freehold building, and I enclose herein my cheque in your favor for Rs. 150, the estimated value of same, and I request that you will be good enough to forward that amount to Government.

4. I have as Attorney for Mr. Joseph Francis Chance, Assistant Solicitor to the Treasury, the Committee of the Estate of the Lunatic Edward Brennen, executed the conveyance of the remainder of the Brennen property forwarded to me with your letter No. 289 above referred to, and I have registered the conveyance before the Registrar of Assurances, Madras.

5. I forward, herewith, the conveyance duly registered and the Power of Attorney in my favor from Mr. Chance. This completes the transaction.

6. I have paid the Registrar's fees, amounting to Rs. 26-4-0, for the registration of the conveyance, which sum I will thank you to repay to me at your convenience.

ORDER—dated 27th August 1883, No. 1039, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

The documents received with the Government Solicitor's letter read above will be secured in the Government records.

2. The portion of the purchase-money refunded, viz., Rs. 150, should be paid to the Accountant-General for credit to Provincial Funds.

3. It is presumed that the Government Solicitor has dealt with the Administrator-General's claim for Rs. 26-4-0, the cost of registering the conveyance paid by him.

(True Extract.)

for Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Government Solicitor, Madras.
" the Board of Revenue.
" the Public Works Department.
" the Accountant-General.

Exd. W. H. French.

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AUGUST.

Purchase of Brennen Property.

Orders passed on papers relating to the completion of —.

2 Copies sent to Collr with order

S. E. Fourth Circle

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