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Vide Madras
P. W. Code
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M. I. Run

Colonel, R.E.,

Secretary to Govt. of India.

Documents accompanying.

Nil.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of Madras.

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Stamps.

Instructing the Secretaries to Government to stamp the receipts given for the portions of their salaries drawn by them at the Ootacamund Treasury.

Note

Money is not drawn in the 18th Sept. in this way.

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27TH AUGUST 1883, No. 2250, JUDICIAL.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From F. BRANDT, Esq., Collector of Nilgiris, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 18th August 1883, No. 83.

During the stay of Government at Ootacamund, Secretaries to Government are allowed, while sending their pay bills to the Accountant-General at Madras, to draw portions of their salaries at this treasury on receipts granted by them for the amounts drawn. Hitherto these receipts have borne no stamp, but as under Clause 52, Schedule I, of Act I of 1879, they are instruments within the meaning of the Stamp Act liable to a stamp duty of one anna, I think they should, in future, be stamped, notwithstanding that the salary bills may have one anna receipt stamp affixed to them; and I have the honor to request that this fact may be intimated accordingly to the gentlemen concerned.

ORDER—dated 27th August 1883, No. 2250, Judicial.

The Secretaries to Government will accordingly be instructed to stamp the receipts given for money drawn on the Ootacamund Treasury.

(True Extract.)

C. Anwen.
Major &c
Under Secy P.W.
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
" " " Military Department.
" " " Public Works Department.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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No. 2506 Dated 23 Oct 85

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