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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Ecclesiastical Department,

16th September 1871.

No. 11. Read the following letter from the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department (Ecclesiastical), to the Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George, dated Simla, 2nd September 1871, No. 314:—

I am directed to transmit the accompanying copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Secretary of State No. 5 dated the 27th July last and to request that it may be communicated to the Rev. Mr. Doyle in reply to the memorial which he addressed to Her Majesty's Government last year.

2. Mr. Doyle was Roman Catholic Chaplain at Bellary in September 1869,* when he proceeded to England and submitted his memorial to the Secretary of State.

* Madras Ecclesiastical Proceedings, 30th September 1869, No. 16.

Despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor-General of India in Council, dated India Office, London, 27th July 1871, No. 5 (Ecclesiastical).

The Despatch of your Excellency in Council, dated 21st December, No. 11 of 1870, on the subject of the Rev. Mr. Doyle's claims to furlough allowance and pension, has been considered by me in Council.

2. I desire that the Rev. Mr. Doyle may be informed that his requests are inconsistent with the principles and usage which govern the relations of Government with the Roman Catholic Clergy in India, and I am, therefore, unable to accede to them.

No. 12. ORDER THEREON, 16th September 1871, No. 160.

Ordered that copies of the foregoing papers be furnished to the Right Rev. Dr. Fennelly, Vicar Apostolic of Madras, for communication to the Rev. Mr. Doyle.

(True Extract.)

R. E. S.

Captain, R. E.,

Under Secretary, P. W. D.,
for Chief Secretary.

To the Right Rev. Dr. S. Fennelly, Vicar Apostolic of Madras,
,, Pension Department.

Exd. J. Wright.

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