

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.

1031

Press

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Dated

5th August 1859.

Not to be folded or roughly handled

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
from 30th July to 5th August 1859.*

No. 6.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Dated 30th July 1859, No. 1031.

It appears from a notice published at page 322 of the Chingleput Gazette dated the 20th instant, that the Collector has assigned to Mr. Jordan the Deputy Collector in charge of his Treasury, the Magisterial powers conferred by Regulation IX. of 1816 and Act 3 of 1843, over four Talooks; that power extending to a sentence of imprisonment for six months. This arrangement is directly at variance with the resolution of Government deliberately passed on this subject, as contained in para. 6 of the order of 30th April 1859, No. 595; and the Governor in Council resolves to call on the Magistrate to explain this breach of the order of Government. Pending further orders he will suspend the exercise of those powers by Mr. Jordan.

2. It is observed also that the Board's Circular order which was to be guided by that order, does not accurately represent it in this particular, and the Board will be requested to correct it accordingly by a supplementary circular.

3. It is observed that the charge of the Press is not included among the duties enumerated in the notice as entrusted to the Deputy Collector, though that was among those expressly ordered by the Board to be one of the duties of Deputy Collectors in charge of Treasuries. The Collector will explain therefore why that order has not been attended to.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

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have considered
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desire for more relief
on account of the

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6 of the order of 30 April
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also that the Board's
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But quite indep.
pendently of any such techni-
cal impediment, the Governor
in Council is of opinion that
there are other objections to
Mr. Shubrich's proceeding.
Mr. Jordan has had long
experience in the management
of office business, and was
on that account nominated
to the charge of a District

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it occupies more
than two or three
hours of the day
that a Court part
of that is more
nature work.
There also a
letter for Mr
Braithwaite relating
on the same subject
Thank the structures
on Mr Jordan are
set of place. He
is a man good sense
long experience both
in judicial &
Res. Affairs. has been
Secretary of a joint
Dist^l Munsiff & the
Munsiff of the Dist^l
Res. Surely he is
as fit to exercise the
judicial power as
a young apt of the
you ~~the~~ Munsiff.

He prefers leaving
steps taken to
make these Dist^l
Munsiffs really useful
by giving them
independent charges
rather than to keep
them back of Munsiff
two orders.

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I call on the Munsiff
examine this as breach
of the order of Govt

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~~Report Treasury Office; but
the due discharge of the
judicial function requires
a totally different training
and experience, and tho'
the only experience that Mr Jordan
it is believed, that Mr
has had of judicial work is that
Jordan did at a remote
date he filled for a short time
for the office of District
Munsiff. He has had no
practical experience in
judicial work. The
Magistrate will therefore
report what has been
Mr. Jordan's training
for the large judicial pow-
ers which he has en-
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what measures he took to
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Chas. C. Cole
Collector of King's Co.
Dip. No. 30
Board of Revenue's

July 22nd 1859
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No 1021.

No. of the Charles Govt
21st Aug 1859.

From the Collector of Columbia
21st Aug 1859 No 1424
in Govt.

Waiting for certain
explanations respecting the
legislative powers now
exercised in the Govt. for the
the Deputy Collector in
charge of the Treasury
at Washington.

No 6.