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Government of Madras.

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No. 53. *PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.*

Dated the 5th November 1859, *No.* 1503.

The President lays before Council draft of a Notification prepared by the Collector and District Engineer of Rajahmundry, announcing the terms on which certain Government land at Cocanada will be put up to auction, in pursuance of the design for improving that town, noticed in para. 8 of the President's Minute of the 15th October 1859.

2. The Government approve the Notification with some verbal amendments as in the fair copy enclosed; and sanction the measures to be taken, as detailed in it.

3. The following points should be attended to.

1st. The upset price referred to in para. 1 of the Notification should be a fair and bonâ fide price to prevent fraudulent combination.

2nd. The Notification should be signed by both the Collector and the District Engineer.

3rd. The Notification should be sent to the Fort Saint George Gazette, and the day of sale should be fixed so as to allow the lapse of a full month from its publication.

4th. All necessary care should be taken to ensure perfect fairness at the sale; the Collector should be present in person; as well as his Assistant, and the principal officers of the Public Works Department on the spot.

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

Revenue 1859 Despatch
Pros of Govt. 16th November

No 1503

Pros of the Madras Govt.
D/ 5th November 1859.

From Chief Secy. D/ 13 April/60
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Approving the notification prepared by the Collector and District Engineer of Rajahmundry announcing the terms of auction of certain Govt. lands at Cocanada

No 53

Notification

Notice is hereby given that, under the authority of Government, the fee simple (without any reserve of ground rent or quit rents) of the eligible building lots in the town of Cocanada, shown in the accompanying plan, will be put up for sale by auction, on the ground, to the highest bidder beyond the upset price, at 11 o'clock A.M. on

2. None but buildings of a permanent character, and either tiled or terraced, are to be erected, and all buildings are to be

Remarks by the President.

[a fair upset price must be fixed to prevent combination]

on a basement not less than 3 feet above high water mark.

Ten per cent of the purchase money is to be deposited as soon as the lot is knocked down, and the remainder paid into the Collectors Treasury at Cocanada within one month from the date of sale. In default, the deposit will be forfeited, and the lot put up again.

The necessary legal titles to each allotment, under article 4 paragraph of the Order of the Madras Government dated the 5th of August last, will be given to Purchasers by the Collector when the conditions of sale have been complied with.

It is intended that the sum realized by the sale of these and similar allotments, shall be devoted exclusively to the improvement of the river and port of Cocanada. It is proposed to line both banks of the river, from the river downwards, with a stone revetement, leaving a clear breadth of 100 yards at high water, with a high road of 40 feet in width on each side, beyond which public wharves will be constructed at intervals.

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The river will be dredged to the depth of 20 feet at high water.

Attention is drawn to the notice of sale as offering to the Indian Mercantile community of Cocanada a favourable opportunity of obtaining in perpetuity valuable ground for the construction of warehouses at the rising Town and Port of Cocanada

[The advertisement should be sent to the Madras Gazette. and the day of sale should be fixed so as to allow of the lapse of a full month after the publication of the Advertisement. Otherwise Mercantile People at Calcutta and in Burmah or elsewhere will not be able to send orders for making purchases]

[This Notification should be signed both by the Collr. and Dist. Engineer

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Notification.

Notice is hereby given, under the authority of Government, that the eligible building lots in the Town of Cocanada, shown in the accompanying plan, will be put up for sale by auction, on the ground, at 11 O'clock A.M. on and will be sold outright to the highest bidder, without any reservation of ground rent or quit rent, ~~under the terms of article first, Section 1, of the order of Government of the 1st~~ ~~of March 1850, & 12 1855~~. The following will be the conditions of the sale.

First. None but buildings of a permanent character, and either tiled or terraced, are to be erected, and all buildings are to be on a basement not less than 3 feet above high water mark.

Second. Ten per cent. of the purchase money is to be deposited as soon as the lot is knocked down, and the remainder paid into the Collector's Treasury at Cocanada within one months from the date of sale. In default, the deposit will be forfeited, and the lot put up again.

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2 The necessary legal titles to each allotment, under Article 1 Paragraph 4 of the order of the Madras Government, dated the 5th of August last, will be given to Purchasers by the Collector after the payment of the purchase money.

3 The amount realized by the sale of these one hundred allotments will be devoted exclusively to the improvement of the river and Port of Cocanada. It is proposed to line both banks of the river, from the bridge downwards, with a stone revetment, leaving a clear breadth of 100 yards at high water, with a public road of forty feet in width on each side, beyond which public wharves will be constructed at intervals. The river will be dredged to the depth of 20 feet at high water.

4 Attention is drawn to this notice of sale as offering to the Indian mercantile community a favourable opportunity of obtaining in perpetuity valuable ground for the construction of Warehouses at the rising Town and Port of Cocanada.

Secretary to Government.

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No 1503.

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Under date the 5th Nov. 1859.

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Dated, &c

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J. A.

1 Copy Collector of Rajahmundry with revised Notification & Plan - Dis. No 5
1 " Dist. Engr. Godavery Dist. No 1
1 " Board of Rev. } for information
1 " Chief Engr. } ~~with enclosure~~ ~~notification~~

Copy under Letter to Govt
dated 5th December 1859 No 10

Revenue 1859 Dec[r] 5.
Pro: of Govt 10th November.

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Pro: of the Madras Govt.
Dated 5th November 1859.

Pro: of the Bd of Rev. dated 18th
June 1860. Para 132 to Para
10 July 60 Pages 20-21
From Chief Engr 1st Div dated 6th
Oct 908. 7 Inclosures 60. 948
From do 8th Dec 60 Para 3082.
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