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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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No. 25. **PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.**

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Paragraph 1. The changes about to be made in the salaries and powers of Tahsíldárs, and in the extent of the Táluqs, make the present a proper time, in the opinion of Government, to adopt some further measures for securing a careful selection for this important office, and for rendering the tenure of it more secure.

2. In the Judicial Department the District Munsiffs are nominated by the Civil Judges for the approval of the Court of Sadr Adálat. A similar rule may properly, in the opinion of Government, be adopted in the case of Tahsíldárs; and it is accordingly directed that for the future, on the occurrence of a vacancy in the post of Tahsíldár, the Collector shall report for the approval of the Board of Revenue the name of the person whom he proposes to appoint to it.

3. It is to be understood that the selection will still rest with the Collector; the power of the Board extending only to a veto. But it will be the duty of the Board to satisfy themselves as to the propriety of the nomination; and for that purpose to obtain information from the Collector as to the connections, education, service, past conduct, character, &c. of the nominee.

4. The approval of the Board of Revenue is already required for the dismissal of a Tahsíldár from employment: the Government now resolve to extend this rule to the degradation of a Tahsíldár to an inferior appointment, whether in the grade of Tahsíldár or in another grade. Every such transfer shall for the future require the previous approval and confirmation of the Board of Revenue.

5. In every case also where a Tahsíldár is suspended from office pending an enquiry into his conduct, an immediate report of the circumstances shall be made by the Collector to the Board of Revenue; who thereupon will pass such orders as may seem to them to be necessary.

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

No 574.

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 3rd April 1860.

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Laying down rules
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