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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 16th January 1861.

No. 226. Read the following letter from H. NEWILL, Esq., Director of Revenue Settlement, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 11th January 1861, No. 71:—

SIR,

I have the honor to submit for the orders of Government, a letter from my Deputy in the Godavery District, dated 3rd instant, No. 3, requesting permission to defend, at the public expense, a Suit (No. 820 of 1860) brought against him and certain other individuals by Salli Bhímárám, late a classifier on his establishment.

2. In January last, Salli Bhímárám was charged, under the provisions of Regulation IX of 1822, with having made an unauthorized levy for his own benefit of Rupees 42-8-0 from certain Ryots of the village of Kajalam in the Táluq of Bikkavol and was convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of double the amount so collected, under Clause I, Section 5 of the said Regulation. He appealed against the decision to the Board of Revenue, who, in their Proceedings of 4th September last, No. 4,020, rejected the appeal and referred the Petitioner for redress to the established Courts if he thought fit to seek it there. Salli Bhímárám has accordingly filed a Suit against my Deputy and certain other persons in the Court of the District Munsif of Cocanada for the recovery of the sum levied from him, and for his restoration to office.

3. The answer proposed by my Deputy appears to be a sufficient defence, and under the circumstances I have the honor to recommend that he may be allowed to conduct the Suit at the public cost.

No. 227. ORDER THEREON, 16th January 1861, No. 114.

The Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the defence in the first instance at the public cost, of Suit No. 820 of 1860 instituted against the Deputy Director of Revenue Settlement in the Godavery District and others in the Court of the District Munsif of Cocanada by one Salli Bhímárám; but he will determine when a copy of the Decree is submitted, whether the costs, if any be adjudged against the Deputy Director, shall be borne by that Officer or the Government.

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

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From

H. Nevill Esqre

Director of Revenue Settlt

To

J. D. Sim Esqre

Actg Secretary to Government

Revenue Department

Fort St George

Dated 11th

Rec'd 14th January 1861.

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Encl 6

Submitting a letter from the Deputy in the Godavary District requesting permission to defend a suit brought against him at the public expence and recommending that he may be allowed to do so.

From Dr Dr. 9 April 62

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With an order &

No 114

The Hble the Govr in Council sanctions the defence in the first instance at the public cost, of suit No 320 of 1860 instituted against the Dy Director of Revenue Settlement in the Godavery district and others in the Court of the Distt Munsif of Cocanada by one Salli Bhenaram; but he will determine when a copy of the Decree is submitted, whether the costs, if any be adjudged against the Deputy Director, shall be borne by that officer or the Government.

Fort St Geo
16 Jany 1861.

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