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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 22nd December 1862.

No. 299. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 11th December 1862, No. 8,076:—

Read the following letter from P. GRANT, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 27th November 1862, No. 219.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Board's Proceedings dated 17th instant, communicating Order of Government dated 13th idem, No. 2,396, and also Board's Proceedings of the 19th November 1862, No. 7,594, calling on me to report on the building called the Soldiers' Rest House at Bowany, proposed to be made over to the Grant-in-aid School at that place.

2. In reply, I beg to inform you that the building referred to, is situated outside the walls of the Pagoda compound at Bowany, within which the Travellers' Bungalow* stands; probably it may have originally been intended as an out-house to the Bungalow, but when and at what cost it was erected cannot be ascertained from the records of this Office; the building also appears to have undergone repairs after its construction, and to have been used as a halting place by Soldiers and other Europeans in the same rank of life since the construction (some ten years ago) of the bridge over the Cavery river on the line from Madras to Coimbatore. Hence it is locally called "the Soldiers' Rest House." The line of road to Madras *viâ* Bowany being now superseded by the Railway, and as there is a large Chuttrum at Bowany which can accommodate people travelling by this route, I see no objection to the building in question being lent to the Grant-in-aid School at Bowany on condition of its being kept clean and in repair by the managers of the institution.

* Now the Head Assistant Collector's Office.

3. The existence of the building may not have been known to the Military authorities, as it is a civil building, though used for some time by Soldiers and others as a halting place.

Ordered to be submitted for the information of Government, with reference to their Proceedings in the Revenue Department dated 13th November 1862, No. 2,396.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed.) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary.*

No. 300. ORDER THEREON, 22nd December 1862, No. 2,653.

Communicated to the Educational Department, with reference to the Proceedings in the Military Department 7th November 1862, No. 3,833, for the issue of such orders as may be deemed necessary.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

No. 8,076.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 11th December 1862.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

Secretary.

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.

Copy to P. Grant, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore.

Exd. J. Wright.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

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Submitting for information copy of a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, reporting on the building called the Soldiers' Rest House at Bhowany proposed to be made over to the Grant in-aid School at that place.

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