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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1385

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
24th July 1863.*

No. 471. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st July 1863 :—
Read the following letter from W. M. CADELL, Esq., Collector of Tanjore, to W. HUDLE-
STON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Chepauk, dated Vallam, 13th June
1863, No. 222.

SIR,

1. The Board are aware that the post of Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate of Manargudi in this District is still vacant, and as the nomination thereto has been left to me, I now beg to recommend that C. Rajagopala Chariar, Serishtadar of this Office, be appointed to the post.

2. I observe that, under a late Standing Order of the Board, persons to be appointed to any of the Magisterial offices should have passed the test prescribed in the Notification in the "Fort Saint George Gazette" of the 30th May 1862, but I submit that the case of C. Rajagopala Chariar is a peculiar one, and that his claims to the present vacancy are deserving of peculiar consideration. The Board are aware that he was, for many years, a Tahsildar in this District, and that he acquitted himself most satisfactorily in this position, that subsequently he became Manager of this Office, and has also acted as a Deputy Collector for a period of nine months, and as he is now desirous of reverting to the position which he formerly held in its now improved footing, I am strongly of opinion that his wishes should be complied with.

1st April 1859, No. 81.
10th Dec. " " 884.
8th March 1861, " 73.

3. I have already, in my communications marginally noted, brought to the notice of the Board the character and qualifications of C. Rajagopala Chariar, and it is therefore unnecessary for me to say more. Should the order to which I have referred be, however, considered an objection to his employment as a Sub-Magistrate, I would beg to recommend that Rajagopala Chariar should be appointed Officiating Tahsildar, and I have not a doubt, that if required he would be prepared to pass the required examination in the Magisterial Department either at the end of six months or at the next annual examination in March next.

4. I am at present not aware of any one in this District whom I could recommend with equal confidence to the post in question, and, under the circumstances now brought to notice, I trust the Board will see fit to support my recommendation.

Ordered that the above letter be submitted to Government with the Board's recommendation, that under the peculiar circumstances of the case, the Collector be authorized to appoint Rajagopala Chariar as Tahsildar of Manargudi, subject to the condition of his passing the Magisterial test at the next examination, he having been already for many years a Tahsildar though he left the post for promotion.

No. 472. ORDER THEREON, 24th July 1863, No. 1,385. *

1. Sanctioned, subject to the result of the appeal which the Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate of Manargudy has preferred to Government in the Judicial Department.

2. As Rajagopala Chariar has served with credit both as Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate and as Deputy Collector and Magistrate, there is no necessity for requiring him to pass an examination.

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

