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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
7th September 1863.*

No. 81. Read the following Endorsement of the Under Secretary to the Government of India, dated Home Department, Revenue, 21st August 1863, No. 5,275 :—

Read the following Despatch from the Right Honorable Sir C. WOOD, Bart., Secretary of State for India (Revenue), to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, dated India Office, London, 9th July 1863, No. 17.

• Mr LORD,

1. I have had under my consideration in Council the letter from your Excellency in Council, dated the 29th April last (No. 9), relative to the holding of lands by Public Officers in India, in territories not under the direct sovereignty of the Crown.

2. The insertion of Coorg among such territories was an inadvertence, arising doubtless from the circumstance that that District is, for reasons of convenience, administered by the Commission of Mysore.

3. You have correctly interpreted the orders conveyed in my Despatch of the 25th November last (No. 22), in considering that the case of the Surgeon of the Mysore Commission must be governed by the general rule which prohibits both Civil and Military Officers from holding lands in Native State.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, Home-Department, the 21st August 1863, No. 5,263.

1. Under the orders of the Secretary of State, published in the Calcutta Gazette of the 17th January 1863,* Public Officers in India are prohibited from holding lands in territories not under the direct sovereignty of the Crown, such as "Mysore, Coorg, Cochin or Travancore."

* Notification No. 383, dated 16th January 1863.

2. The inclusion of the territory of Coorg in the list of Native States above mentioned was an inadvertence. Coorg being British Territory, though administered for reasons of convenience by the Commissioner of Mysore.

(Signed) E. C. BAYLEY,
Secretary to the Government of India.

Copy of this Despatch and of the Notification this day published forwarded to the Government of Madras, with reference to correspondence noted in the margin.

From Madras, No. 1,196, dated 4th July 1863,
To do. No. 4,801, dated 31st do.

By Order,

(Signed) J. W. S. WYLLIE,
Under Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 82.

ORDER THEREON, 7th September 1863, No. 1,640.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Endorsement -
From the Master
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of India.

Noted 21st of Aug.
Received 27th of 1863.

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