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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1220 Press ~~Mis.~~

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 13th July 1864.

No. 206. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 2nd July 1864, No. 4,078.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Bellary, dated Camp Gooty, 22nd June 1864, No. 101 :—

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2. As the currency notes and letters palpably in the hand-writing of the Subordinate Magistrate, formed part of the record, it was absolutely necessary that the trial should proceed, and without ordering any suspension from office of the said Subordinate Magistrate, I directed him to appear before the Acting Joint Magistrate for this purpose.

3. I naturally concluded that Mr. Reid would not have been long in disposing of the charge; but as he has not as yet announced his having done so, I think it better to report the fact to the Board. Mr. Reid has been urged to expedite the disposal of the case.

4. The work of the Sub-division appears to be too heavy for this office, but I trust now that I have relieved him of the temporary charge of the Talooks of Tadapatri and Gooty, and of a great portion of the Police work of his division, he may be able to clear off arrears.

5. The delay on the part of Government to appoint a Deputy Collector, in lieu of the deceased Srinivasa Row, taxes severely my own powers, as well as those of the Acting Sub-Collector.

1. The Board await the report of the result of the investigation, which they trust to receive at an early date.

2. The pressing need of a Deputy Collector for general duties in the place of Srinivasa Row, deceased, will be brought to the notice of Government.

No. 207. ORDER THEREON, 13th July 1864, No. 1,220.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

~~To the Board of Revenue.~~

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 4,078.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

Secretary.

To A. Hathaway, Esq., Collector of Bellary.

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

Exd. J. Wright.

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No. 1747.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 2nd July 1864.

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Stating that the Board await the report of the result of the investigation into the bribery case, and observing that the pressing need of a Deputy Collector will be brought to the notice of Government.

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ENDORSED.

13th July 1864.

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