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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department.

3rd August 1864.

No. 56. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd July 1864.

Read again letter from the Collector of Madras, dated 11th July 1864, No. 313, in Board's Proceedings, 15th July 1864, No. 4,430.

Read also the following letter from E. G. R. FANE, Esq., Collector of Madras, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Saidapet, 20th July 1864, No. 331:—

SIR,

In reply to the Board's Proceedings of the 15th instant, I have the honor to state that the contract therein referred to is that entered into with one Appohennedegey Banbau for the supply of Ceylon Arrack for the Madras Abkarry Department, the Agreement* and Mr. Boyson's "Instructions"* are herewith forwarded for the Board's information; and they will see that in Mr. Boyson's paper of "Instructions" the signature of the Deputy Collector was required to be attached, and hence my requisition for authority for him to do so; more especially as the Madras Abkarry is directly under him.

* To be returned.

1. The Board consider that the Collector himself and not his Deputy is the proper person to sign the contract on behalf of Government.

2. Authority will be applied for accordingly.

No. 57. ORDER THEREON, 3rd August 1864, No. 1,386.

Separate Revenue, No. 69.
Abkarry.

The Governor in Council authorizes the Collector of Madras to sign the contract in question on behalf of Government.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 4,430.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 15th July 1864.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Madras, dated Sydapet, 11th July 1864, No. 313 :—

With reference to the enclosed copy of a letter addressed to my Deputy Rangasami Iyengar by the Government Solicitor, I have the honor to request you will be good enough to let me know whether the Deputy has authority to sign the contracts therein referred to; and if not, I request the Board will move the Government for investing Rangasami Iyengar with power to do so, as also to sign similar documents if necessary in future.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From J. R. BOYSON, Esq., Government Solicitor, to V. RANGASAWMY IYENGAR, Deputy Collector of Madras, dated Madras, 5th July 1864, No. 373.

1. I have the honor to acknowledge your letter, No. 88 of the 24th ultimo, with its enclosures.

2. I have altered the contract of Appohennedegey Baban to meet the modifications suggested by Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., and agreed to by you, and having obtained execution of it (as so modified and in duplicate), on behalf of the Contractor, I now forward it for execution on behalf of Government.

3. If you are duly authorized to excute such contracts, you will be pleased to complete the accompanying Deeds in the manner pointed out in the annexed instructions, and return the Deed marked A for the purpose of being handed over to the Contractor's agents, retaining the other Deed, together with the Government security for Company's Rupees 16,000, therein particularized and herewith also sent in your custody, and acknowledging them to me.

4. If you have no such authority, you should apply for and obtain one from Government *before* you execute the Deeds in question.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) E. G. R. FANE, Collector.

The Collector is requested to inform the Board what contracts are referred to in the letter, a copy of which he encloses, and why the Deputy Collector is considered to be the proper person to act in the matter on behalf of Government.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Sub-Secretary.

To E. G. R. Fane, Esq., Collector of Madras.

Exd. J. Wright.

Error in the No of the Bd of Rev. to the Govt R.D. dated 23 July 1864. 1864. Department.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 15*th July* 1864.

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Requesting to know what contracts are referred to in letter dated 11th July 1864, No. 313, and why the Deputy Collector is considered to be the proper person to act in the matter on behalf of Government.

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Proceedings of the
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Requesting the sanction of Government to allow the Collector of Madras to sign the Contract between the Contractor and Government for the supply of Columbo Arrack.

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The Governor in Council authorizes the Collector of Madras to sign the Contract in question on behalf of Government.

Fort St. George
3d Augt 1864

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