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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
17th September 1864.*

No. 250. Read the following Proceedings of the Court of Wards, dated 6th September 1864, No. 5,800.

Read the following letter from *Æ. R. McDONELL*, Esq., Officiating Collector of Trichinopoly, to *W. HUDLESTON*, Esq., Secretary to the Court of Wards, dated 10th August 1864, No. 173:—

1. I have the honor to report the demise, on the 17th ultimo, of *Teroomalapoochi Naicker*, Zemindar of Marungapoory, in the *Kulitullay Talook* in this District, paying an annual *Peish-cush* of Rupees 20,576-10-10 to Government. The deceased left three widows, *Lockmany Ammal*, *Pettummany Ammal*, and *Chinnammany Ammal*, and a brother *Runga Kistna Mootovera Poochia Naicker*, aged about 13 or 14 years, born of the same father, but by another wife, and a distant cousin *Teroomala Poochia Naicker*.

2. The Zemindar on the day previous to his death, that is, on the 16th ultimo, addressed to me a Petition by tappal, requesting me to recognize his brother as his successor to the Estate, and to appoint his cousin to manage the affairs of his Estate during the minority of his brother.

3. The Tahsildar was deputed to ascertain the wishes of the widows of the deceased on this point, and to afford information regarding the property left by the Zemindar. The Tahsildar submitted a statement obtained from the widows from which it appears that they earnestly request a compliance with the request contained in the Petition addressed to me by their husband, but with this modification that the cousin should conduct the affairs of the Estate under the direct control of the first mentioned widow. The widows admit the genuineness of the Petition.

4. The deceased left no Will. The Estate consists of the Marungapoory Zemindary and certain Merassi lands, the assessment of which amounts to Rupees 2,528-8-10.

5. The Tahsildar reports that the deceased left no moveable property, either in money or Promissory Notes, merely household furniture and jewels worn by the members of the deceased's family.

6. Under these circumstances I am of opinion that the Court's interference is uncalled for, and would suggest that the arrangement proposed by the parties themselves, and which has received their universal assent, be allowed to stand.

1. Ordered to be submitted to Government with the Court's recommendation that the Collector be authorized to recognize the brother of the deceased as Zemindar of Marungapuri, and to take charge of the Estate as Agent of the Court of Wards. Assuming that the family is undivided, as is probably the case, the brother of the deceased would be the legal heir to the Zemindary irrespective of the petition, or consent of the widows.

2. The Collector will report more fully as to the propriety of appointing the cousin of the deceased to be Manager of the Estate, and will recommend a guardian for the Minor, and submit his proposals for the boy's education.

No. 261. ORDER THEREON, 17th September 1864, No. 1,710.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Court's proposal is approved.
2. The Collector's further report should be submitted, when received, for the information of Government.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) *C. G. MASTER*,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Court of Wards.

Exd, *T. O'Connor*.

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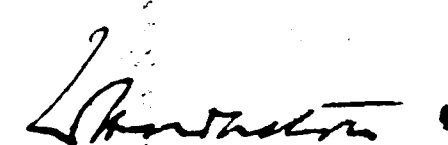
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(A true Copy and Extract.)


Secretary.

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

Copy to A. R. McDonell, Esq., Officiating Collector of Trichinopoly.

Exd. J. Wright.

Revenue 1864. Department
of Govt. for Dept.

No. 2397.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 84 of Revenue Dept.
No. 102, 6. 13012

Dated 6th September 1864.

Done by the
Collector.

No. 5,800.

Submitting letter from the Officiating Collector of Trichinopoly and recommending that the brother of the Zemindar of Marungapooy whose demise is reported be recognized as the legal heir, and that the Collector take charge of the Estate as Agent of the Court of Wards.

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The Govt. proposal
is approved.

The Collector further
reports should be submitted when
received, for the information of
Government.

To the Collector 17 Sept/64.

In Obeyance to the Court of Wards Order of 1864.

No. 260 & 261.

No. 1710. 17. 1864.

With answer.

13. 1864.