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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 2nd February 1864.

No. 43. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 15th January 1864, No. 261 :—

Read the following letter from the Collector of Malabar, dated Calicut, 24th December 1863, No. 280.

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2. About the beginning of the current year Captain Douglas's predecessor brought to my notice that the pressure of work in his office was so great that the Military Cash-keeper and Shroff were unable to perform the double work thrown upon them, and that unless one of the two Shroffs at the Kavai Talook Treasury was sent to assist the Shroff, the accounts and business connected with the Civil Treasury would fall into arrears.

3. On this I acceded to the Deputy Paymaster's request, and placed a Shroff at his disposal ; this Shroff is still in his office, and it is not in my power to spare any other person from my regular establishment to meet the present emergency.

4. Under these circumstances, I beg that the matter may be brought to the notice of Government in view to their early orders thereon being obtained.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From Captain W. DOUGLAS, Acting Deputy Paymaster, Malabar and Canara, to G. A. BALLARD, Esq., Collector of Malabar, dated Cannanore, 21st December 1863 No. 442.

I am informed by the Controller of Military Finance that the appointments of Cash-keeper and Shroff in the Military Pay Office here will be abolished from the 31st instant. These are the individuals upon whom the duty of keeping the accounts of the Civil Treasury has hitherto principally devolved, and I shall be at a loss to provide for the duty unless you can oblige me with the assistance of a man to act as Cash-keeper until the transfer of the Treasury to the Civil authorities, the Shroff attached to the Treasury being unequal to the duty owing to his want of knowledge of English in which nearly all the cheques, &c., which are presented in this office are written.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) G. A. BALLARD, *Collector.*

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No. 44. ORDER THEREON, 2nd February 1864, No. 186.

Mr. Pelly's letter on the subject of the Cannanore Treasury having just been disposed of in the Proceedings of Government dated 29th January last, No. 159, no temporary Cash-keeper is necessary.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. T. S. Augustin.

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(True Copies and Extract.)

Secretary.

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

Copy to M. J. Walhouse, Esq., Acting Sub-Collector in charge of Malabar.

Exd. J. Wright.

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No. 176-
PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 15th January 1864.
Despd 20th
Recd 21st

No. 261.

Submitting for orders a letter from the Collector of Malabar and recommending as requested therein the temporary entertainment of a cash-keeper on 100 Rupees a month pending the disposal of Mr. Pelly's letter on the subject of the Cannanore Treasury.

Ad 105. 2d July
With an order

No. 43 & 44.

Rev. 186-

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Fort St. George
2d July 1864.

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