

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
11th September 1865.*

No. 252. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Military Department :—

Communicating a Military Despatch from
the Home Government confirming, as
a special case, the admission of Licute-
nant C. D. Baynes to the Madras Staff
Corps, subject to the approval of the
Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief.

(Here enter 7th Sept. 1865, No. 3,337.)

No. 253. ORDER THEREON, 11th September 1865, No. 2,182.

Miscellaneous.

Communicated to the Superintendent Revenue
Survey.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,

Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Officiating Superintendent of Revenue Survey, with Procs. Military Department, No. 3,337.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following :—

Military Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India. India Office, London, 24th July 1865. No. 78; to His Excellency the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George.

1. The Military letter from your Government, dated the 11th April, No. 117, paragraphs 1 and 2, reports the admission of Lieutenant Charles D. Baynes, Her Majesty's 91st Regiment, to the Madras Staff Corps from the 18th June 1861.

2. The case of this Officer is somewhat peculiar, his admission having been authorized by your Government under the joint operation of orders issued at various times, and on different occasions.

3. Lieutenant Baynes obtained a Commission in the 8th Foot on the 5th September 1855. He served in this Regiment two years and three months, of which ten months were passed in India. Exchanging into the 91st Regiment he again landed in India in February 1861, and did Regimental duty until the following April. He has thus been upwards of nine years in the Army, of which about one year has been passed with a Regiment in India.

4. It was not intended by the relaxation of the rules originally laid down, which has been lately sanctioned, to interfere with the provision of the Royal Warrant which requires a service of three years with a Regiment, of which two must have been passed in India, to qualify an Officer for admission to the Staff Corps.

5. Considering, however, the long Regimental service of Lieutenant Baynes, the fact that he has held a Staff appointment since the 18th June 1861, that his office has been ~~in his office~~ ^{in his office} ~~for~~ ^{for} ~~some~~ ^{some} ~~months~~ ^{months}, that he has obtained an honorary reward for passing the Interpreter's examination in two languages, and that his admission to the Staff Corps has been already sanctioned by the Government of India, I shall not object to confirm it as a special case, and shall submit the appointment for the approval of the Field Marshal Commanding-in-Chief accordingly.

ORDER, No. 3337, 7th September 1865.

Proceedings of Government, 19th August 1862, No. 2847.
18th Sept. " " 3213A.
28th Nov. " " 4099.
18th March 1863. " 897.
9th " 1865. " 953.
21st " " 1123B.

Communicated to the Commander-in-Chief, (Adjutant General's Department,) and to the Revenue Department, with reference to the correspondence noted in the margin.

(True Extract.)

W. Marshall
Secretary to Government.

To the Adjutant General.
Revenue Department. *With 20 spare Copies*
Controller of Military Accounts.

Ed. J. E. Cashart.

