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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 2936 Press Mis.

524. 543

Dated 28 - 11 - 1865.

Not to be folded or roughly handled

Read the following papers:—

No. 541. From the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 20th November 1865:—

1. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that on their permanent Secretary resuming his duties at the end of this month, they may be permitted to employ their Sub-Secretary on the special duty of completing and passing through the Press the revised edition of their Circular Orders, and that his place may be supplied, as a temporary arrangement, by another officer. They would observe that the present Acting Sub-Secretary might be retained until he takes leave in January next, and that Mr. C. G. Master might then be permitted to resume the officiating appointment.

2. As reported by the Board in December last, the publication was then in a forward state of preparation, the whole of the numerous Circular Orders from 1820 up to the end of 1863 having been arranged under appropriate heads, and these under one heading having been printed as a specimen part of the work, after careful revision and abridgment

3. The employment of their Sub-Secretary to officiate as Secretary during the greater part of the present year has, however, completely retarded the further progress of the work, as Mr. Dalyell has found it impracticable to proceed with it in addition to his current duties.

4. It is very desirable that the publication of the work should be no longer delayed, and that it should be made complete up to date. It is estimated that if the Sub-Secretary's undivided attention be given to its completion, the work may be passed through the Press in about from two and a half to three months.

Referred to the Accountant General for report, whether the Budget provision will admit of the proposed arrangement.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Acting Secretary to Government.

20th November 1865.

No. 542. From the Accountant General, to the Government of Madras, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Fort Saint George, 22nd November 1865, No. 178.

With reference to your Endorsement of the 20th instant, on a letter from the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, of the same date, No. 3,324, I have the honor to inform you, that the Budget provision on account of the Board of Revenue for the current year, will not be sufficient to meet the extra charge for the deputation allowance of the Acting Sub-Secretary, whom it is proposed to appoint during the period on which Mr. Dalyell, the permanent incumbent, may be engaged on special duties. There will, however, be savings in the grant under the major head, "16 Administration and Public Departments," from which the extra charge can be met.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, — —
28th November 1865.

No. 543. ORDER THEREON, 28th November 1865, No. 2,936.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Government sanction the proposed arrangement for a period not to exceed three months.

2. Mr. Master will resume the Acting Sub-Secretary's post on his return from leave.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.
,, C. G. Master, Esq.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

27. Nov. 65

Rev. DEPARTMENT.

Nos. 3324. A

From Rev Bd. proposing & plan distribut. Lec. on Stamp Duty for revision of Rev Offrs. from acct. Genl. reporting as to funds [illegible] add. charge Dated 20. & 22. Nov. 1865

FOR ORDERS.

I really do not see how the work can be done by the dist. Lec. in a reasonable time unless he has some relief of the kind proposed. The Revs of the C.D.s & the number of fiscal subjects to be inspected are very large. & the correction of the Revs needs the very careful work. I think if approved that Rev. Bd. should be asked to afford after the separation of this Lec. Rev Bd. might retain it till then.

W. Hudleston

Is it necessary to employ on a work of this kind, a commissioned Civilian of Mr. Dalyell's standing? Could not one of our best Deputy Collectors or some of the uncommanded

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aspirants in the Offices at Madras, would, subject to the control by Letter the Secy to Govt 18th of Novbr, do the work quite as well as any Civilian in the Service. For in fact, the labor it requires is nothing more than mere dead plodding perseverance, accompanied by systematic accuracy and patience.

If in using the word "absolute," the 18th mean that the substance of the orders will be abided at the Discretion of the Controller, I assent object.

W Dk

Bengal Civil

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Ed. S. T. Augustin.

c 28 Nov/05 Rec[illegible]

Encl. S. T. Augustin.

Revenue Bd. Office,
Madras,
20th November 1805.

No.

From
R. A. Dalyell Esq.
Sg Secretary to the Board of Revenue

To
W. Lindeston Esq.
Sg Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

Sir,

D A & A G. Office
Recd 21
Answd 11 1805

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that on their permanent Secretary resuming his duties at the end of this month, they may be permitted to employ their Sub Secretary on the Special duty of completing and passing through the Press the revised edition of their Circular orders, and that his place may be supplied as a temporary arrangement by another Officer. They would observe that the present acting Sub Secretary might be retained until he takes leave in January next,

and

and that Mr. B. G. Master might then be permitted to resume the officiating appointment.

As reported by the Board in December last, the publication was then in a forward state of preparation, the whole of the numerous Circular orders from 1820 up to the end of 1863 having been arranged under appropriate heads, and those under one heading having been printed as a Specimen part of the work, after careful revision and abridgement.

3. The employment of their Sub Secretary to officiate as Secretary during the greater part of the present year has however completely retarded the further progress of the work, as Mr. Dalyell has found it impracticable to proceed with it in addition to his current duties.

4. It is very desirable that the publication of the work should be no longer delayed, and that it should be made complete up to date. It is estimated

estimated that if the Sub Secretary's undivided attention be given to its completion the work may be passed through the press in about from 2½ to 3 months.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt. Servant.

W. Dalyell
Ag Secretary.

Revenue Bd Office,
Madras,
20th November 1865.

To
W. Sudleston Esq.
Ag Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

H. Stanfield
Vice by C. Gourlay

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Referred to the Asst. Sec. for report & whether the Estimate for the proposed arrangement.

L. Hutcheson
Asst. Sec.
24. Nov. 65

Minute No. 15 of 1866 dated 22 Feby 1866 C. No. 577 on Pro.

No 541 @ 543.

24th Nov 65 R.R.

Rev. 1865 Depart.
Pro: of Govt for Secy
No 3324

From The Asst Secretary to the Board of Revenue
To The Asst Secretary to Govt Revenue Depart.

Dated 20th
Dispd 20th } November 1865.
Recd 20th

No 2935-28 Nov
Requesting that on the Board's permanent Secretary resuming his duties Mr. Dalyell may be allowed to be employed on the special duty of completing and passing through the Press the revised edition of their Circulars.

Referred.

Revenue No.
Letter from Asst Secy

Rev. 2936.

The Govt Sanction the proposed arrangement for a period not to exceed 3 months.

W. Grant 28th

sanction the acting Asst Secy proceeding on his return from leave.

28th Nov. / 65.

111 Copies to the Board of Revenue Dec 2 / Nov
6 " No Accountant General "
1 " No Mr Grant Esqr "