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

No. 584. Read the following Proceedings of the Court of Wards, dated 20th November 1865, No. 7,433.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Madura, to the Acting Secretary to the Court of Wards, dated 14th October 1865, No. 270 :—

1. With reference to paragraph 6 of the Board's Proceedings, No. 3,900, dated 11th July last, I have the honor to report that of the three Minor Proprietors in the District, whose estates are under the management of the Court of Wards, the Saptur Minor is now prosecuting his studies at the Combaconum Provincial school under the supervision of the Collector of Tanjore, about whom Mr. Porter, the Head Master, has already submitted the report recorded in the Government Order, No. 2,282, dated 22nd September 1865.

2. The Neikaraputty Minor, who is aged eleven years, is now attending the Talook school at Pulny, three miles off from his family residence, as per Proceedings of the Court of Wards noted in the margin. In his letter, dated the 2nd September, No. 172, the Sub-Collector, 4th July 1864, No. 4,116.

under whose immediate control the ward is placed, states that the Minor's day is fully occupied in going to, attending at, and returning from school, and that he acquitted himself so well at the examination held in July last by Mr. Inspector Marden, that he was promoted to a higher class. A copy of the Sub-Collector's letter on the subject is enclosed.

3. The Bodinaikanoor Minor is now being instructed both in Tamil and English by a private tutor, whose appointment was sanctioned by the Court of Wards in their Proceedings marginally noted. His attendance to his studies is very regular, and out of school hours he is well cared for by the guardian, his uncle. 6th October 1864, No. 6,563.

4. I saw the Minor in July last, he has learned to read Tamil and English, in which latter language he has made considerable progress. I have already reported this in paragraph 3 of my letter to the Court, dated 17th July last, No. 171.

From the Sub-Collector, to the Collector of Madura, dated Kodaikanel, 2nd September 1865, No. 172.

1. Adverting to your letter, No. 1,254, of the 24th July, I have the honor to inform you that the Neikaraputty Minor's day is fully occupied in going to, attending at, and returning from school. The school hours are from 8 to 11 A. M., and from 2 to 5 P. M., and he lives three miles off. He does not go home in the middle of the day, but remains at Pulny under charge of one of his relatives and a servant.

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Dictation.

Tamil.—Second Book of Lessons, from fifty-ninth page.
Pope's First Grammar, from twenty-third page.

Dictation.

Tamil minor Poets.

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History.—Brief Sketches of Europe.

Arithmetic.—Four Compound Rules.

3. Considering that when he first went to school in October last year, the only books he had been engaged upon were an English Spelling Book and the First Book of Lessons in Tamil, it will be seen that he has made very considerable progress.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) V. H. LEVINGE, *Collector.*

Submitted for the information of Government.

No. 585.

ORDER THEREON, 28th November, 1865, No. 2,957.

Miscellaneous.

The report is satisfactory.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

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No. 7,433.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COURT OF WARDS, dated 20th November 1865.

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(Signed) V. H. LEVINGE,
Collector.

Submitted for the information of Government.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Hudleston

Acting Secretary.

To W. Hudleston, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, R. D.

Copy to V. H. Levinge, Esq., Collector of Madura.

W. H. Wright

Exd. J. Wright,

14th Dec 1865

28th Nov 1865

225 Nov 1865

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Submitting for information letter from the Collector of Madura reporting the arrangements made for the care of the Minors under the Court of Wards, out of school hours.

No. 7433.

Dated 20th November 1865.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

No. 3587.

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