

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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9th March 1865.*

No. 135. Read the following letter from W. M. CADELL, Esq., Magistrate of Tanjore, to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Tanjore, 24th February 1865, No. 65:—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to recommend, should the Government see no objection thereto, that Mr. Ricketts, Deputy Collector in charge of the Salt Department in this District, should be invested with the powers of a Magistrate of the 1st class.

2. The Deputy Collector in charge of the Salt Department in the South Arcot and Madura and also in other Districts are vested, I believe, with Magisterial powers, and in the case of Mr. Ricketts, while I have every hope and confidence that these powers would be wisely exercised, the possession of such powers would, I conceive, contribute much to the effective administration of the important Department confided to his charge.

Referred to the Revenue Department.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

4th March 1865.

No. 136.

Miscellaneous.

ORDER THEREON, 9th March 1865, No. 513.

The Government cannot comply with this application. Mr. Ricketts has ample work in his own Department, and he has had no Magisterial or Judicial experience, his whole service, prior to his appointment to Tanjore, having been in the Public Works Department.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Collector of Tanjore.
„ the Board of Revenue.

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Nbs. *Magistrate's Office*
24th January 1865

From *W. M. Cadell Esq.*
Magistrate of Freetown

To *Mr. James A. J. Arbuthnot*
Chief Secretary to Government
Port Saint George

I have the honor to recommend, should
the Government see no objection thereto, that
Mr. Picketts Deputy Collector in charge
of the Salt Department in this District
should be invested with the powers of a
Magistrate of the 1st Class.

The Deputy Collector in charge of
the Salt Department in the South Coast
and elsewhere and also in other Districts
are vested, I believe with Magisterial
Powers and in the case of Mr. Picketts
while I have every hope and confidence
that these powers would be wisely exer-
cised, the possession of such powers
would I conceive contribute much to the
effective administration of the important
Department confided to his charge.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

W. M. Cadell

Magistrate

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The Court cannot comply
with this application - etc.

The latter has ample work
 in his own Dept. and he
 has had no opportunity or
 practical experience, his
 whole service prior to his
 appointment to this position
 having been in the O.M.A.

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Admiral Sir James Smith
4th March 1865
G. Lindholm
Glasgow
The Revenue Department. 4/3/65

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