

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 857

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Dated

26 - 4 - 1865.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
26th April 1865.*

No. 300. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th April 1865 :—

Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel E. E. MILLER, Deputy Commissary General, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madras, 1st April 1865, No. 11,040.

No. 11,998 of 16th March 1865.

No. 80, 24th March 1865 (to be returned).

SIR,
Adverting to a letter from this office and your reply thereto, and to subsequent correspondence relative to

the contract for Abkarry within the Military limits of the Cantonments of Cannanore, Trichinopoly and Bellary, I have the honor to forward a letter from the Executive Commissariat Officer, Trichinopoly, on the subject, and to request you will be good enough to inform me whether the usual advertisements calling for tenders for the contract at the above stations for the next Fusly, may be prepared and sent to be published in the "Fort Saint George Gazette."

From Lieutenant J. D. W. SEWELL, Sub-Assistant Commissary General, Trichinopoly, to the Commissary General, Madras, dated Trichinopoly, 24th March 1865, No. 80.

SIR,

1. The Collector of Trichinopoly has informed me privately that he believes the Abkarry Farms at Bellary and Cannanore have already been made over to the Civil authorities.
2. Act III. of 1864 certainly does not say any thing about Cantonment Farms, and as the same is applicable to all India except Madras, and in accordance with the provisions of that Act, he is going to issue fresh licenses to the Abkarry Contractor and Sub-renters.
3. I have, therefore, the honor to request you will inform me whether the Abkarry Farms above spoken have been made over to the Civil authorities, and whether I am to do so with this farm.

1. Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the consideration and orders of the Governor in Council.
2. The Board observe that Act VII. of 1832 was not repealed by the Abkarry Acts, so that the control and management of the Abkarry in all Military Bazaar stations are still vested in the Commissariat Department.
3. The new Cantonment Bill, which has already been passed by the Madras Legislative Council, repeals Act VII. of 1832, so that when this Bill becomes law there will be no impediment to the Civil authorities taking charge of the Abkarry in all Military stations.
4. The Board presume that the Cantonment Act will be applied to all the large Military stations before the 30th of June next; they would therefore suggest that orders be given that the transfer of the management of the Abkarry to the Civil authorities be made from that date.

No. 301. ORDER THEREON, 26th April 1865, No. 857.

Separate Revenue, No. 22.
Abkarry.

Pending the rescission of Regulation VII. of 1832, the course prescribed in G. O. 6th May 1863, No. 779, and 9th March 1864, No. 413, must be followed.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

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No. 6 May 1863 No 779
No 9 March 1864 No 413
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4 to the Board of Commissioners
26th Apr. 1865.

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Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue

Dated 8.
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No.
From the Commsary General
Madras. dt 25 April 55 N^o 1086

Submitting with
remarks letter from the
Commsary General
requesting to be informed
whether the Advertisement
for Abkarry Contract
may be published. —

No 857 - 26 April

With an Order

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C. 20 April 1855