

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1282	Press Mis.
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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
31st May 1866.*

No. 523. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 15th May 1866, No. 3,382.

Read the following letter from the Collector of the Kistna District, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Bapatla, in Bapatla Talook, 14th April 1866, No. 113:—

1. With reference to the Proceedings of the Board, dated 6th instant, communicating the Order of Government of the 26th ultimo, No. 731, I have the honor

* In original to be returned.

to forward, herewith, Extract* from the Proceedings of the Session Court, dated

24th July 1865, No. 104, from which the Board will observe that the charges against P. Balakistna Row were dismissed by the Court on the merits of the case. I must, however, at the same time remark, that, notwithstanding the reversal of the Deputy Magistrate's decision by the Session Court, the general character of the Petitioner is so indifferent, that I do not consider any indulgence should be shewn to him.

2. A copy of Mr. Hodgson's letter of the 20th September 1865, No. 147, is also forwarded for the information of the Board.

From the Session Judge of Guntoor, to the Acting Magistrate, Kistna District, dated Guntoor, 20th September 1865, No. 147.

1. I have the honor, with reference to a Notice, "Magisterial Department," in the Kistna District Gazette of Saturday, 16th instant, in the matter of the successful appeal of Pangana-mamula Balakistna Row, restored to his situation as Sub-Magistrate of Jaggiapett, to draw your attention to the difference between the statement contained in that Memorandum and the precise terms of my judgment in the appeal. The Notice states, that the Sub-Magistrate has been acquitted "with an unblemished character; my judgment says with an unblemished character "as far as the case before the Court is concerned." I was purposely guarded in employing these expressions. I offered no opinion on his general character; my remarks in his favor referred simply and solely to the case before me.

2. It is quite possible, my judgment notwithstanding, that the Sub-Magistrate may be a corrupt man.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Extract.

1. Submitted to Government, with reference to the Order quoted by the Collector.

2. The Government will observe that the charge against Balakistna Row was dismissed on the merits of the case, and not on technical grounds.

No. 529. ORDER THEREON, 31st May 1866, No. 1,282.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council observes that the Collector is evidently of opinion that the indulgence of drawing a higher rate of pay, without passing the Special Test Examination, should not be granted to P. Balakistna Row.

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2. The expression made use of by the Collector with reference to Balakistna Row's conduct is, however, too vague for Government to form an opinion on the point at issue, and the Collector will be good enough to submit his reasons more at length for considering that no indulgence should be shewn.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

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Noted 31st May 66.

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 No. B & Rev. 11th July 1888

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Dated 15th May 1866.

Received
 Cash 6.00
 Received 192.

No. 8,382.

"Submitting letter from Collector of Kistna district forwarding extract from Proceedings of Session Court of Chittoor dismissing charges brought against P. Babukrishna Row, Sub Magistrate of Jaggiupeta.

To the B

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Exd. S. T. Argustin.