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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 2680 Press ~~Mis.~~

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Dated 5- 10- 1866 ..

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 5th October 1866.

No. 118. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 5th September 1866.

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Madras, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Saidapet, 29th August 1866, No. 264 :—

1. I have the honor to report on paragraph 2 of the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 4,954, dated 10th ultimo, with regard to the need of retaining the Special Deputy Collector, Devasikamoney Pillay, in this District on special duty, in connection with a revision of assessment on certain descriptions of land.

2. On the 17th March in this year, Mr. Fane forwarded a letter to his address from Devasikamoney Pillay, proposing to introduce a Ryotwary Settlement in the Amany villages in the District. The Board, in their Proceedings dated 17th March last, No. 1,892, approved the suggestion, and Mr. Fane, on the 30th June last, published a Notification in the District Gazette accordingly, announcing the alteration about to take place, and stating that no offers to farm the villages for the current Fusly would be received.

3. Some of the Tahsildars now write to me, enquiring whether the change announced is actually to be made, and desiring instructions.

4. Devasikamoney Pillay has visited nineteen of the villages, and re-classified the land in them. He has yet to re-classify six villages. The results of his re-classification will take till the end of December to embody in the Statements required, to enable the Curnums to issue Puttahs.

5. In these circumstances I think that if the Board's wishes are to be carried out, the Deputy Collector must remain in the District until the Amany villages have been finally dealt with. I request the instructions of the Board in the matter.

6. I shall report to the Board in a few days, conveying the information with respect to the re-assessment of the Manavary lands, required by paragraph 1 of the Proceedings under reply.

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1. Submitted for the information and orders of Government, with reference to G. O. dated 12th July 1866, No. 1,736.

2. The Board are of opinion that the Deputy Collector should be retained on special duty in the Madras District for the present.

No. 119. ORDER THEREON, 5th October 1866, No. 2,680.

Land Revenue

Sanctioned till the 31st December next.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

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No.
From Bd of Revenue dated 29 August 66
No. 1443.

Submitting letter from Collr of Madras and recommending that Deputy Collr Devasikamoney Pillay be retained on official duty in the District for present.

Sanctioned Rs 2680 Vide the 31 Oct. next.

5 Oct 1866

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6 " " to Genl. Audr.

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Q. 1 Right, Sir.