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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Dated 12—11— 1866.

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No. 248. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 24th October 1866, No. 7,670 :—

Read again letters from the Collector of Salem, dated 22nd November 1865, and 20th February1866, recorded in the Board's Proceedings, dated 1st August 1866, No. 5,267.

Read also the following letter from the Collector of Salem, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated on Circuit at Ahttur, 13th September 1866, No. 169.

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Board's Proceedings of the 1st ultimo, No. 5,267.

2. There are four Assistants attached to this District, viz., Messrs. Bliss, Stokes, Irvine, and Gribble. Mr. Bliss is looking after the Local Fund Works, the Relief Works, and the Relief Houses in the Darampuri Talook, together with the Magisterial charge of that talook. The work which the Sub-Collector is relieved by this arrangement, is not such as to require him to provide Mr. Bliss with the services of a Clerk from his small establishment.

3. Mr. Gribble is employed in looking after the Local Fund, &c., Works and Relief Houses in the Womalur Division, besides taking up petty magisterial cases occurring in that division.

4. Messrs. Stokes and Irvine are in charge of the Printing Press, and the District Tappal, respectively, besides attending to the disposal of petty magisterial cases and other miscellaneous work referred to them by me from time to time.

5. I have made arrangements for providing Gumastahs for Messrs. Stokes and Irvine from my own establishment, and I have the honor to request you will be good enough to obtain sanction for the entertainment of two Clerks on 20 Rupees each per month, one for Mr. Bliss, and the other for Mr. Gribble.

Under the circumstances stated by the Collector, the Board request the sanction of Government for the entertainment of two Gumastahs temporarily, on 20 Rupees each per month, to be attached to Messrs. Bliss and Gribble, Extra Assistant Collectors, employed on special duties.

No. 249. ORDER THEREON, 12th November 1866, No. 3,064.

Miscellaneous.

The Government observe that Mr. Bliss is now Acting as Head Assistant. The Collector will report whether, in the improved circumstances of the district, Mr. Gribble's services are still necessary, and if so, how long and where they are likely to be required.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Collector of Salem.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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