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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 25th July 1867.

No. 495. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 13th July 1867, No. 4,390.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Salem, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 19th June 1867, No. 159:—

1. With reference to paragraph 2 of the Board's Proceedings, dated the 2nd ultimo, No. 2,690, I have the honor to return the Title Deed No. 14,* duly corrected as required.

* Sent by banghy.

2. In regard to the explanation required by the Board in the Case No. 14, alluded to in paragraph 3 of the above Proceedings, I beg to state that the land therein referred to, viz., Acres 80 and Decimals 80, was sold to Captain Short on the 7th April 1865. The Maps for this land were received by the Deputy Superintendent of Revenue Survey on the 13th December 1865, and the Title Deed (with the Map attached thereto) was sent to Captain Short in April 1866 for his signature; but he declined to accept it on the ground that the block of land for which the Title Deed was prepared did not include two other jungle blocks, and addressed a letter, dated 22nd May 1866, to Government on the subject. The matter having been referred to my predecessor by the Board, a report was submitted on the 27th August last. The Government in their Proceedings of the 9th October 1866, No. 2,726, conveyed in the Board's Proceedings of the 13th idem, declined to make over the two jungle blocks to Captain Short as requested, and observed that if Captain Short thought fit, he could apply for them in the ordinary course. On the receipt of the Government Order, the Title Deed was again sent to Captain Short for his signature, but he has again declined to attest the document, stating that he made a reference to the Board on the subject, and until he is made acquainted with their final decision, he cannot sign the document. The Board then in their Proceedings, dated 14th February 1867, No. 896, and 15th March 1867, No. 1,623, have pointed out that Captain Short can apply for the two small jungle blocks in the ordinary course. Subsequent to this order of the Board, Captain Short applied† to me to send the Title Deed No. 14 for his signature. It was accordingly sent and obtained his signature on the 11th March 1867.

† *Vide* letter, dated 25th February 1867.

3. In regard to the Title Deed No. 25, I beg to state that the land, viz., Acres 5, Decimals 23, therein referred to, was sold to Major Hunter on the 20th August 1866, and the Maps for this land were received from the Deputy Superintendent of Revenue Survey on the 16th November 1866. The Deed was prepared and sent for Major Hunter's signature on the 26th February 1867, which was signed and returned to me on the 20th March 1867, and I submitted it to the Board on the 30th idem with my letter, No. 74, for the seal of Government. This Deed bearing the seal of Government, was returned to me with the Board's Proceedings, dated the 20th ultimo.

Enclosure No. 1.—Title Deed in duplicate.

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1. The Title Deed, in duplicate, bearing No. 14, which was returned with the Board's Proceedings, dated 2nd May 1867, No. 2,690, having been received duly

corrected with the letter above recorded, it will now be submitted for the seal of Government in accordance with Rule 5 of the "Subsidiary instructions relating to the sale of assessed waste on the Neilgherries, Shevaroys, and in the Wynaad," recorded in the Proceedings of Government, dated 6th July 1863.

2. The Survey numbers of the blocks should be entered on them in the plans to ensure identification.

No. 496. ORDER THEREON, 25th July 1867, No. 1,692.

Land Revenue.

1. Ordered that the Title Deed, in duplicate, received with these Proceedings, be sealed and returned.

2. The Collector's seal is much broken and should be renewed.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Deed in duplicate.

Ordered that the Title Deed, in duplicate, received with these Proceedings be sealed and returned.

The Collector's seal is much broken and should be renewed.

25th July 1867

By Order of the Board of Revenue Deed in duplicate Despatched

Lith. S. T. Augustine.

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corrected with the letter above recorded, it will now

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 13*th July* 1867.
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No. 4,390.

Submitting for seal of Government revised Title Deed for certain property on the Shevaroy Hills Salem district belonging to Captain Short.

Encl 1892. 25th July

Exd. S. T. Augustin.