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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
18th August 1868.

No. 282. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd August 1868, No. 5,616:—

Read the following letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 9th July 1868, No. 195.

1. I have the honor to forward seven Title Deeds, in duplicate, for lands purchased on the Neilgherry Hills by Mr. T. Marden under the Waste Land Rules, dated the 6th March 1863, No. 478A, and to request that they may be returned to me with the Seal of Government affixed.

Nos. 183 to 189.

2. The erasures in the Deeds in question have been initialed by Mr. N. A. Roupell, Acting Special Assistant Collector.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 to 7.—Title Deeds in duplicate.

1. Ordered that the seven Title Deeds, in duplicate, received with the above letter, be submitted for the Seal of Government, in accordance with Rule V. of the "Subsidiary instructions relating to the sale of assessed waste on the Neilgherries, Shervaroys, and in the Wynaad," recorded in the Proceedings of Government, No. 1,208, dated 6th July 1863.

2. The Board observe that the plans attached to the Deeds numbered 184 and 185 shew that the shape of the lots do not conform to Rule No. IV., regarding the sale of waste land, embodied in the Board's Standing Order No. 151. As however, in both instances, either the adjoining land has been taken up, or is Government waste or reserve, the Board consider that the rule above alluded to does not apply. The rule in question appears to have been originally intended to prevent individuals from choosing exceptionally valuable strips of land omitting the adjoining and less valuable land, and rendering it almost worthless by excluding it from road or river frontage.

3. The Collector should in future see that the tin cases in which these Deeds are forwarded are large enough to contain them, without breaking the Seals.

No. 283. ORDER THEREON, 18th August 1868, No. 2,198.

Land Revenue.

1. Ordered that the seven Title Deeds received with these Proceedings be sealed and returned.

2. In the docket, on one copy of Deed No. 184, the date is erroneously entered as 25th June 1867 instead of 25th June 1868; and in the plan attached to one copy of Deed No. 185 the word "waste" is omitted in the line beginning with the words "Surveyed under the rules," &c. The Collector will have these errors corrected.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with seven Title Deeds in duplicate.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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Ordered that the seven Title Deeds received with these Proceedings be sealed and returned.

2 In the docket on one copy of Deed No. 184 the date is erroneously entered as 25th June 67 instead of 25th June 1868, and in the plan attached to one copy of Deed No. 185 the word "waste" is omitted in the line beginning with the words "Surveyed under the rules" 8th. The Coll. will have these errors corrected.

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