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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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

Read the following papers:—

No. 284. From the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated Chepauk, 20th July 1868, No. 1,041-40:—

I have the honor to submit an original letter, (with its enclosure,) dated 20th June 1868, No. 174-97, from Mr. Gompertz, Assistant Superintendent, Revenue Survey, applying for exemption from passing the lower Translation Test.

Forwarded to the Commissioner for the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations, for his remarks.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
21*st July* 1868.

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

No. 285. From the Secretary to the Commissioner for the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated Madras, 6th August 1868, No. 303.

In reply to Mr. Acting Secretary Dalyell's docket of the 21st ultimo, I am directed by the Commissioner for the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations to state that Mr. Gompertz wishes to qualify for the office of Pleader, and that he must therefore pass the prescribed test in translation. The indulgence Mr. Gompertz seeks has been refused in several other cases, very recently in that of Mr. McGregor, Deputy Collector, and the Commissioner sees no reason for conceding it to him. The Commissioner knows nothing of the Vernacular attainments required by the Survey Department.

No. 286. ORDER THEREON, 18th August 1868, No. 2,199.

Miscellaneous.

1. Communicated to the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, with reference to his letter, dated 20th July 1868, No. 1,041-40.

2. Colonel Priestley will observe that Mr. Gompertz's request is inadmissible.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.
,, the Commissioner for the Uncovenanted Civil Service Examinations.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

1 Comm.rs to the Supt.t of Dev.t Survey with ref.ce to his letter dated 20 July 1880 & No 2199 & 1041/40

2 Col.n Priestley will observe that the Comm.rs request is inadmissible.

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5 — Comm.rs for the N.C.L.Railway