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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 3rd March 1869.

No. 52. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 2nd February 1869, No. 682:—

Read the following letter from the Acting Sub-Collector, in charge of the Kistna District, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Masulipatam, 10th December 1868, No. 377.

1. In Government Order, No. 1,566, dated 6th August 1861, communicated in Board's Proceedings, No. 4,322, dated 9th August 1861, Cacoomanoo was sanctioned as the new Head-quarters of the Sub-Division of the same name, in the talook of Bapatla. The choice of this place could have had reference to nothing but its position. In the hot weather, there is considerable difficulty in regard to water; while in the rains, it is almost inaccessible from want of roads, and the muddy state of the country round. The Jail Committee have recommended a new Cutcherry at Ponoor, where the Subordinate Magistrate is at present stationed. This, though not central, is about as good a place perhaps as could be selected. Villages centrally situated have some at least of the disadvantages of Cacoomanoo; while Ponoor has the advantage of excellent approaches, and a good and plentiful water-supply.

2. Rajapeta, sanctioned in Board's Proceedings, No. 5,217, dated 10th November 1860, as the head-quarters of the talook of the same name, is central certainly, but is a place of no importance whatever; while Narasarowpeta, the present station of the Tahsildar, is a town of very considerable trade, situated on the high road from Ongole to Hyderabad. Here also, the Jail Committee have recommended that a new Cutcherry be built.

Government Order, dated 5th November 1860, No. 2,046.

3. I have the honor to suggest, therefore, that the orders sanctioning Cacoomanoo and Rajapeta as the respective head-quarters of the Sub-division and Talook of these names, be cancelled, and that the head-quarters be retained as at present at Ponoor and Narasarowpeta, respectively.

In the foregoing letter, Mr. Wilson requests that the intended transfer of the Head-quarters of the Sub-Magistrate of the Bapatla Talook from Ponoor to Cacoomanoo, as sanctioned in Government Order, dated 6th August 1861, No. 1,566; and the further transfer of the head-quarters of the Rajapeta Talook from Narasarowpeta to Rajapeta, as sanctioned in Government Order, dated 5th November 1860, No. 2,046, but which have not yet been carried out; may be definitely abandoned.

2. Mr. Wilson shews that in both cases the public convenience would be sacrificed if the present head-quarters are changed; and in a Police point of view also, the Board learn that it would be inexpedient to abandon Narasarowpeta.

3. The Board accordingly support Mr. Wilson's recommendation, that no change should be made in either case, and that the Government Orders above referred to, which have been in abeyance upwards of seven and eight years, respectively, may be cancelled.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
3rd March 1869.

No. 53. ORDER THEREON, 3rd March 1869, No. 541.

Miscellaneous.

In conformity with the Board's recommendation, the Head-quarters of the Talook of Rajapeta may be retained at Narasarowpeta, and the head-quarters of the Sub-division of Cacoomanoo at Ponoor.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. G. A. Turton.

Revenue Department

No. 541.

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 3rd February 1869

Read the following Proceedings
of the Board of Revenue.

Recommending the abandonment of certain intended Tahsildars' head quarters in Kistna District.

Read letter from 2nd February 1869, No. 52

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and the Head quarters of the
Subdivision of Cacoomanoo
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Head-quarters—That of the Talook of Rajapeta in Kistna, ordered to be retained at Narasarowpeta and that of the Sub-division of Cacoomanoo at Ponoor.

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