

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
7th September 1871.*

No. 85. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th August 1871, No. 3,489:—

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Malabar, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Calicut, 20th July 1871, No. 181.

ONE Erakat Koroo *alias* Muthu Nair, died on 9th July 1869, leaving Rs. 30 worth of movable and Rs. 4,000 worth of immovable property, there being no legal heirs.

2. Two persons claim this property, viz., 1st, Kongad Valia Nair, and, 2nd, the daughter of deceased, named Cheriada.

3. I do not consider the claim of the Kongad Nair to be worthy of consideration, but the deceased's daughter claims under a document, an extract of which is subjoined, which at least clearly shows the intention of deceased with regard to his property, and which almost amounts to a will in his daughter's favour.

4. Under the circumstances I beg to recommend that the Government claim be waived.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Extract from a document.

SUBMITTED for the orders of Government.

2. The Board recommend that the claim to an escheat be waived in favour of the daughter of the deceased. They do not think it would be advisable for Government to take advantage of the unnatural provisions of Malabar law with regard to inheritance.

No. 86. ORDER THEREON, 7th September 1871, No. 1,549.

Miscellaneous.

THE Government sanction the surrender of the State claims to the property as an escheat in favour of the daughter of the deceased.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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 Board of Revenue,
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PROCEEDINGS, 17TH AUGUST 1871, No. 3,489.

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Property—left by deceased Erakat Koroo alias Muthu Nair of Malabar District,—Letter from Collector reporting amount of, and recommending that Government claim to property, as an escheat, be waived in favor of daughter of deceased, submitted for favorable orders of Government.

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Handwritten notes:
 The first sentence is immaterial to the case
 claims to the property as an escheat in
 favor of the daughter of the deceased
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