

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
10th July 1872.*

Read again Proceedings of Government, dated 7th May 1872, No. 738.

No. 63. Read also the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 28th June 1872, No. 1,142:—

Read the following letter from W. McQUHAE, Esq., Acting Collector of Madura, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 6th June 1872, No. 169:—

WITH reference to the Board's Proceedings, Miscellaneous No. 3,506, dated 15th May 1872, forwarding for report, the Order of Government, dated 7th May 1872, No. 738, I have the honour to state that the Office of the Deputy-Collector can be accommodated in the space coloured red in the enclosed plan, the space coloured blue being quite sufficient for the Forest Department. The building now to be sold would not, under any circumstances, make a suitable office for him.

2. There is one Deputy-Collector on General duties in the district, and he has charge of the Madura and Tirumangalam Taluqs. He resides in the middle of Madura Taluq, and is only twelve miles from the Cusbah station of Tirumangalam. I can suggest no improvement on this arrangement. The Periakolum Taluq has always been under the Sub-Collector or Collector, and I think it ought to be under a European officer, because it contains some of the most troublesome people in Southern India. The Estates of Bodinaikanrú and Guntamanaikanrú are now under the management of the Court of Wards, but this does not prevent the members of the families from doing all in their power to destroy each other, and the lessor Poligars do the same, each in his degree. Periakolum is entirely separated from the Tirumangalam Taluq and could not be formed into a Division with it.

3. The existing arrangement appears to have been sanctioned after much discussion and consideration.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Plan.

SUBMITTED for the favourable consideration of Government. The Collector points out that a portion of the space set apart for the Forest Department in the Palace may be given to his Deputy-Collector. The present allotment of taluqs to the Deputy-Collector seems the best possible under the circumstances. The Board agree with the Collector in thinking it desirable that the Periakolum Taluq should continue under the charge of himself or the Sub-Collector.

No. 64. ORDER THEREON, 10th July 1872, No. 1,041.

Miscellaneous.

THE sale of the old Head Assistant's office in Madura is sanctioned, and the provision for the office of the Deputy-

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Collector in the Palace as proposed is approved. The sale-proceeds of the old building will be credited to "Provincial."

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

„ the Department Public Works.

„ the Accountant-General.

Govt. of 1872 Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated July 10th.

Recd.

End

G. O., 10th July 1872, No. 1,041.

JULY.
Nos. 63-64.

Head Assistant Collector's Office in Madras.
—Its sale sanctioned and the proceeds ordered
be credited to "Provincial." Provision for
office of the Deputy-Collector in Tirumalai Naik
Palace, approved.

No 2270.
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Board of Revenue,
MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 28TH JUNE 1872, No. 1,142.

Depd 5 July 1872

Encl. 1
Dated

Received 8th July 1872

JUNE.
No. 1,142.

Office of General Deputy-Collector of
Madura. — Letter from Collector reporting that
a portion of the space set apart for Forest De-
partment in the building known as Tirumalai
Naik's Palace may be allotted for — and stating
that he can suggest no improvement in the
present allotment of taluqs to this officer,
submitted to Government.

With Order
No. 1041 of 10 July 1872.

Read again
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The sale of the old H. S. Asst. Office in
Madura is sanctioned. & the provision
for the office of the Dy. Col. in the Palace
as proposed is approved. *S. H. 2*
Records of the old Dy. with his created
provisional

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