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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
5th April 1872.*

No. 38. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st March 1872, Miscellaneous No. 2,123 :—

Read the following letter from the Collector of Malabar, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort St. George, dated Calicut, 9th March 1872, No. 65.

I HAVE the honour to inform you that, in compliance with Government Order, 17th August 1870, No. 1,286, Mr. Bunyan was removed from his appointment of Head Gumasta in the Cochin Custom-house on Rs. 25, and has since been employed in the Huzur on Rs. 15 a month. There is now a step open to him of promotion to Rs. 20, but under the rules he is not eligible.

2. The rules press with special severity on this man, who, but for a break in his service, would probably be drawing Rs. 50 a month; and I trust that he will be permitted to hold the appointment of Rs. 20.

SUBMITTED for the favourable consideration of Government.

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ORDER THEREON, 5th April 1872, No. 557.

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THE Government, with all the facts of the case before them, have twice declined to exempt Mr. Bunyan from

the operation of the General Test Rules. No new reason is adduced on his behalf, nor does the Collector state that he cannot find a properly qualified person for the vacant post. The Government must again decline to make an exception in Mr. Bunyan's favour.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

W. HUDLESTON,

Officiating Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue.

.. the Accountant-General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 1002,

From Board of Revenue

Dated 21st March 1872,

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