Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
25th February 1873.

No. 172. Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Madura, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated 22nd February 1873, No. 333:—

I HAVE the honour to report that the Zamindar of Ramnad died on the 21st [illegible] on the 20th.

2. The estate must be taken over by the Court of Wards on behalf of his minor son, and the necessary report will be made as soon as possible. I have directed Mr. Lee-Warner to take charge of the Chuttrums at once, and in conjunction with Mr. Bird, the Head Assistant Collector, he is seeing that proper arrangements are made regarding the personal property.

No. 173. ORDER THEREON, 25th February 1873, No. 221.

Miscellaneous.

THE Government await the further report to be submitted through the Board of Revenue under Regulation V. of 1804.

2. The Government Solicitor need not now proceed to Madura, pending further instructions. When the management of the estate is assumed by the Court of Wards the opinion of Counsel will be taken as to the party competent to negotiate with Government in lieu of the late Zamindar. The amount of the intended loan will now, it is observed, be diminished, some portion of the late Zamindar's debts not binding the Zamindary. Counsel will be requested in due course to advise generally on the case.

3. These Proceedings will be reported to the Supreme Government and the Secretary of State in continuation of former correspondence.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Government Solicitor.
,, the Collector of Madura.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

No 333

Collector's Office
Madura
22nd February 1875.

From

H. Mc Cahan Esquire
Acting Collector of
Madura

To

The Secretary to Govt
Revenue Department
Fort St George.

Sir,

1. I have the honor to report that the Zemindar of Ramnad died on the 21st February. He had been ailing for some time but serious symptoms appeared only on the 20th.

2. The Estate must be taken over by the Court of Wards on behalf of his minor son & the necessary report will be made as soon as possible. I have directed Mr Lee Warner to take charge of the Chattrams at once, and in conjunction with Mr Bird, the Head Assistant Collector, he is seeing that

that proper arrangements are made
regarding the personal property.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obed.t Serv.t

A Thurston
Ass.t Collector

Warrant 873 Deptt
No 5548
From Secy to Govt
Madras

No 1172-173

To The Secretary to
Government
Revenue Deptt
Fort St George

Dated 23 February 1875
Rec'd 25th

No 384 - 25 February 1875

Respecting the death
of the Zemindar of
Ramnad on the 21st
February.

Written orders

Ans. 221.

The Govt await the further report to be submitted through the Bd of Revenue under Rule II of 1864.

2. The Govt Solicitor need not move forward to Madura, pending further instructions - when the management of the Estate is assumed by the Ct of Wards, the opinion of Govt will be taken as to the party competent to negotiate with Govt in case of the late Zamindar - The amount of the interdicted Coun-

cils now, or it observed, be diminished, one portion of the late Zamindar's debts not binding the Zamindary. Ground will be reported in due course to advise generally on the case -

3. Three Regs will be reported to the Supreme Govt & the Secy of State, in continuation of former Correspondence

Rect of the Board of Revenue on 25 Feb. 14 Septr
a. the Pudukotah
& the Ramnad

25th
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