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No. 277. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd February 1875, No. 235:—

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 8th February 1872, No. 57, Revenue Department:—

ABSTRACT—*Pensions Act*.—Board of Revenue authorized to draw up a few clear and simple rules to guide action in regard to the matters specified in Section 14 of the Act.

IN G. O., dated 8th February 1872, No. 57, Government desired the Board to draw up a few simple rules to guide action in regard to the matters specified in Section 14, Act XXIII. of 1871 (The Pensions Act).

2. These matters are eight in number, and the first seven appear to refer exclusively to grants of money periodically paid and the last to all grants within the scope of the Act. Under the former description fall not only Yeomahs or Service pensions, but Civil superannuation and invalid pensions, Military pensions, and Carnatic and other Political stipends. At present each class has its own set of rules, the first has the Board's Standing Orders, the second the Civil Pension Code, the third the Military, and the fourth regulated by various orders of Government. These regulations are prescribed by different authorities; the matters referred to are purely administrative matters in which nothing would be gained by having the administrative rules which have been prescribed endowed with the force of law; and it would be very inconvenient if on every occasion that a modification of any of these rules were made by order of an independent authority the Board should have to address Government with the view of the necessary notification of the order as a rule under the Act being published in the Gazette. The Board do not recommend that any rules be issued as regards these seven matters.

3. The eighth matter specified in Section 14 is the reference to the Civil Court under Section 6 of persons claiming a right to pensions. The Board think it necessary to prescribe under Section 6 that no certificate referring a claimant to the Civil Court should be issued without the prior sanction of Government; and they would prescribe under Section 5 that Collectors shall "dispose" of claims made before them by reporting them for the orders of Government. These orders will simply continue the procedure existing in this Presidency; and the only object of formally constituting these rules under the Act is to render it beyond doubt that no change in the existing procedure has been introduced by the Act.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

No. 278. ORDER THEREON, 24th February 1875, No. 289.

Miscellaneous.

THE Board's recommendations and proposals are approved.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Accountant-General.
Exd. J. Tulloch.

No. 235.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 3rd February 1875.

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2. These matters are eight in number, and the first seven appear to refer exclusively to grants of money periodically paid and the last to all grants within the scope of the Act. Under the former description fall not only Yeomials or Service pensions, but Civil superannuation and invalid pensions, Military pensions, and Carnatic and other Political stipends. At present each class has its own set of rules, the first has the Board's Standing Orders, the second the Civil Pension Code, the third the Military, and the fourth regulated by various orders of Government. These regulations are prescribed by different authorities; the matters referred to are purely administrative matters in which nothing would be gained by having the administrative rules which have been prescribed endowed with the force of law; and it would be very inconvenient if on every occasion that a modification of any of these rules were made by order of an independent authority the Board should have to address Government with the view of the necessary notification of the order as a rule under the Act being published in the Gazette. The Board do not recommend that any rules be issued as regards these seven matters.

3. The eighth matter specified in Section 14 is the reference to the Civil Court under Section 6 of persons claiming a right to pensions. The Board think it necessary to prescribe under Section 6 that no certificate referring a claimant to the Civil Court should be issued without the prior sanction of Government; and they would prescribe under Section 5 that Collectors shall "dispose" of claims made before them by reporting them for the orders of Government. These orders will simply continue the procedure existing in this Presidency; and the only object of formally constituting these rules under the Act is to render it beyond doubt that no change in the existing procedure has been introduced by the Act.

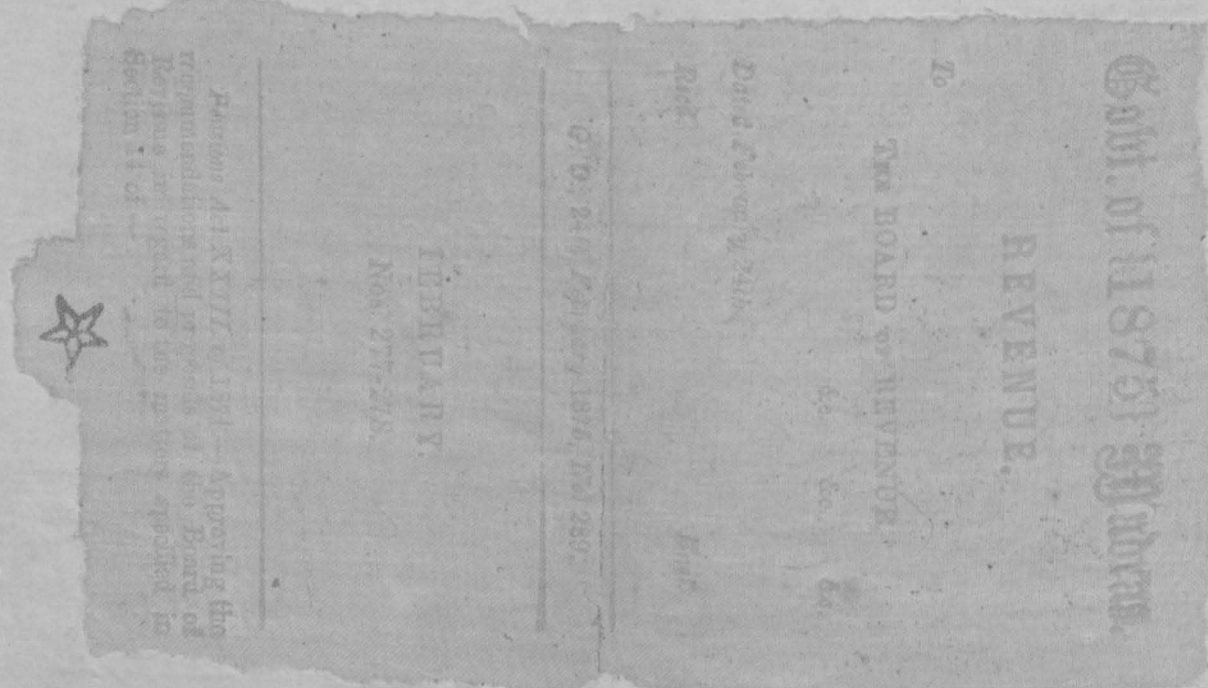
(A true Extract.)

H. J. Talloch

Acting Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Exd. J. Talloch.



REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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Dated 3rd February 1875.

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For follow the recommendation
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Board of Revenue,
MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 3RD FEBRUARY 1875, No. 235.

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FEBRUARY.
No. 235.

Pensions Act XXIII. of 1871.—Govern-
ment informed that Board do not recommend
that any rules be issued to guide actions in
regard to certain matters specified in Section 14
of — relating to grants of money periodically
paid. Remarks passed on the subject of refer-
ence to Civil Courts of persons claiming a right
to pensions. 12/2

The Board's recommendation
is not to be followed
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