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No. 133. Read the following Proceedings of the Court of Wards, dated 3rd May 1875, No. 1,132 :—

Read the following letter from H. G. PRICHARD, Esq., Government Solicitor, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Sub-Secretary to the Court of Wards, dated Madras, 7th April 1875, No. 174 :—

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Proceedings of the Court of Wards, dated 3rd March last, No. 500, together with their enclosures, requesting me to advise as to what modification of the terms of the Deed of Mortgage of the Ramnad Zemindary is required with reference to certain considerations.

2. The Deed of Mortgage having been formerly settled by the Advocate-General in consultation with the Government Pleader, I deemed it desirable to re-submit the matter for their consideration, and having done so I now forward herewith a copy of the Advocate-General's opinion and return the enclosures which accompanied the above Proceedings.

3. The usual fee payable to the Advocate-General in cases like the present is Rupees 140, and I have therefore to request that you will obtain the sanction of Government to my disbursing the amount to him.

Enclosure No. 1.—Opinion of Advocate-General.

Enclosure No. 2.—Copy of Draft Deed.

Enclosure No. 3.—Schedule of Debts.

Enclosures Nos. 4 and 5.—Statements.

There seems to be no longer any obstacle to the execution of the Mortgage Deed of the Ramnad Zemindary, and the Court accordingly resolve to request Government to empower some official other than the Collector to execute it on behalf of the Secretary of State in accordance with the instructions contained in the letter from the Government Pleader, recorded in Board's Proceedings, dated 19th January 1874, No. 86. On receipt of the orders of Government, the Court will formally authorise the Manager of the estate to mortgage it.

2. The Court are not aware of any other claim except that of Ramasawmy Chetty remaining unsettled, and it seems unnecessary to delay the completion of the transaction on this account any longer. Any claims remaining outstanding which may hereafter be established can be liquidated out of current collections.

3. The Collector has reported that interest on so much of the sum as represents arrears of peishcush has been calculated at six per cent., and the Court are of opinion that interest should be calculated at that rate and not at five per cent. The entries in the Draft Deed will have to be revised before execution, so as to include the further interest which has accrued since the calculation was made.

4. With reference to paragraph 3 of the Government Solicitor's letter, the Collector of Madura is requested to remit Rupees 110 direct to the Government Solicitor from the funds of the Ramnad Estate.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

No. 164. ORDER THEREON, 19th June 1875, No. 933.

Miscellaneous.

THE Proceedings of the Board are approved.

2. The deed, when ready, should be forwarded to the Secretary to Government, who will sign on behalf of the Secretary of State.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. MACGREGOR,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Court of Wards.

Lieut. R. C. Thuillier.

No. 1,122.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COURT OF WARDS, dated 3rd May 1875.

Read the following letter from H. G. PRICHARD, Esq., Government Solicitor, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Sub-Secretary to the Court of Wards, dated Madras, 7th April 1875, No. 174 :—

I HAVE the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Proceedings of the Court of Wards, dated 3rd March last, No. 509, together with their enclosures, requesting me to advise as to what modification of the terms of the Deed of Mortgage of the Ramnad Zemindary is required with reference to certain considerations.

2. The Deed of Mortgage having been formerly settled by the Advocate-General in consultation with the Government Pleader, I deemed it desirable to re-submit the matter for their consideration, and having done so I now forward herewith a copy of the Advocate-General's opinion and return the enclosures which accompanied the above Proceedings.

3. The usual fee payable to the Advocate-General in cases like the present is Rupees 140, and I have therefore to request that you will obtain the sanction of Government to my disbursing the amount to him.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Opinion of Advocate-General.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Copy of Draft Deed.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Schedule of Debts.

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2. The Court are not aware of any other claim except that of Ramasawmy Chetty remaining unsettled, and it seems unnecessary to delay the completion of the transaction on this account any longer. Any claims remaining outstanding which may hereafter be established can be liquidated out of current collections.

3. The Collector has reported that interest on so much of the sum as represents arrears of peishcush has been calculated at six per cent., and the Court are of opinion that interest should be calculated at that rate and not at five per cent. The entries in the Draft Deed will have to be revised before execution, so as to include the further interest which has accrued since the calculation was made.

4. With reference to paragraph 4 of the Government Solicitor's letter, the Collector of Madura is requested to remit Rupees 140 direct to the Government Solicitor from the funds of the Ramnad Estate.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with five enclosures to be returned.

Copy to the Collector of Madura, with copy of Advocate-General's opinion.
" to Government Solicitor.
" to Government Pleader.

Ed. E. C. Stuart.

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No. 1,132.

Ramnad Zemindary—in Madura District now under charge of Court of Wards.—Government requested to empower some official other than the Collector to execute the Mortgage Deed of — on behalf of the Secretary of State.—Remarks passed regarding calculation of interest on the arrears of peishcush and the settlement of claims which may hereafter be established by any creditors.—Collector requested to remit direct to Government Solicitor Rupees 140 from the funds of the estate for advice given by the Advocate-General in the matter.

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