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Revenue DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
12th January 1877.*

No. 242. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 30th December 1876, Miscellaneous No. 11,540:—

Read the following letter from H. S. THOMAS, Esq., Collector of Tanjore, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Vallam, 30th November 1876, No. 4,420.

WITH reference to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 20th May 1876, Miscellaneous No. 4,171, I have the honor to report that Mr. W. A. Rouse, the Sea Custom Superintendent of Tranquebar, appeared for the Sea Custom Test in August last, but failed to pass it. This result is not surprising, as there were only two months before him when the Board's order, declining to support my recommendation to exempt him from passing the test and sanctioning his appointment subject to his passing it at the late examination, was communicated to him, and that during the short period he could scarcely have found time to study in addition to performing the duties connected with his office, which duties were new to him, and had also to be learnt.

2. I beg, therefore, that the Board of Revenue will be pleased to sanction his retention in the appointment until he passes the test in August 1877.

SUBMITTED for the favorable consideration and orders of Government.

(A + ... Extract)

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

No. 243. ORDER THEREON, 12th January 1877, No. 106.

Separate Revenue, No. 7.

Customs.

THE Government sanction the retention by Mr. Rouse of the appointment of Sea Customs Superintendent at Tranquebar, until the result of the

Special Test Examination at which Mr. Rouse will present himself is known.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant-General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Revenue Department
Miscellaneous No 4171

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Dated 20th May 1876

Read the following
No 1631

From, H. S. Thomas Esquire
Collector of Tanjore

To, C. A. Galton Esquire
Acting Secretary to the Board of
Revenue, Madras.

Sir, I have the honor to inform you
that in filling up the vacancy
caused by the death of the Sea Customs
Superintendent of Negapatam, I
have appointed Mr W. A. Rouse, En-
glish Record Keeper in my office
as Sea Customs Superintendent
and Conservator of port at Tranquebar

on

301. of 1877 Madras

REVENUE.

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Secy., &c.,

Dated January, 12th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 12th January 1877, No. 106.

JANUARY.

Nos. 242-243.

Mr. Rouse, Secy. Customs Superintendent at
Tranquebar. — Sanctioning the retention of — in
his appointment until the result of the Special
Test Examination is known.

on Rupees 80. Mr Rouse has not passed
the test required for the post. But I
believe his experience in the Department
fits him well for the Sea Customs
Department, which specially requires
honest and careful men who can
be relied on for a set purpose to de-
tect and prevent the frauds which
are all too customary in this Depart-
ment. He is an East Indian of
respectability and good character
and a public servant of more ^{than} 19
years standing, at which age a
man is slow at going to school
again and passing examinations.

2. Under these circumstances
I have the honor to seek the sanction
of

of Government for his exemption
from passing the Sea Customs
Test.

Tanjore Collector's
Office, Willing
28th April 1876

I have &c
(Signed) H. S. Thomas
Collector.

The Board cannot support the
Collector's recommendation that
Mr Rouse should be exempted
from the Sea Customs Test. They
approve his temporary appointment,
however, confirmation being sub-
ject to his passing the Test at the
next Special Test Examination.

(True copy & extract)
[sd] C. A. Galton
As Secretary

To The Collector of Tanjore
copy to Accountant General

(True copy)
[sd] [illegible]
As Secretary

Revenue Department

Miscellaneous No 11540

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Dated 30th December 1876

Read the following
No 4420

From, A. S. Thomas Esquire
Collector of Tanjore

To, A. C. Stokes Esquire
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras.

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of the Board of Revenue dated
20th May 1876 Miscellaneous No 4171.
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Enclosure in No:

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to the Secretary to

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Dated 30th Decr 1876

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Tanjore Collector office } / signed / A. S. Thomas
Vallam 30th November }
1876 } Collector

Submitted for the favorable
consideration and orders of
Government.

/ True Copy and Extract /

J. P. S. S. S.
Acting Secretary

To The Secretary to Government Revenue
Department with copy of Board's
Proceedings dated 20th May 1876.
Miscellaneous No 471.

