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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

12th June 1877, No. 1,964.

Read the following paper:—

No. 327. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 15th May 1877, Miscellaneous No. 7,145.

Read the following letter from W. H. COMYN, Esq., Acting Collector of South Canara, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Kundapoor, 26th April 1877, No. 697.

No. 17, 24th March 1877.

With reference to Board's Proceedings, 27th February 1877, No. 893, calling on me to report how far the work of compiling the Manual of this district has advanced, I have the honor to submit copy of a letter from my Assistant, Mr. Hebbert, from which it will be seen that his time and attention have been taken up chiefly with the preparation of the short statistical account which has already been sent in, and that he has not been able to do more than jot down parts of the first chapter of the Manual.

2. As Mr. Hebbert's health seemed to be [illegible], I asked Mr. Stokes, Head Assistant Collector, if he would, after all, be willing to undertake the Manual, for which work his extensive knowledge and experience of the district would be invaluable, and offered to relieve him of the charge of Mangalore Taluq; but Mr. Stokes, who had previously withdrawn from the undertaking, has expressed his unwillingness to enter upon the work, his few leisure hours being taken up with studying for High Proficiency in Canarese.

Vide Proceedings of Government, Revenue Department, 29th June 1876, No. 336.

3. Mr. Hebbert, whose health seems to have improved, now informs me that he is willing to undertake the work, which he may possibly be able to complete by the end of the year.

4. In preparing the statistical account and descriptive notices already submitted, he has necessarily obtained a fair knowledge of the outlines of the subject, and if sufficient time be allowed him for filling in the details, I have no doubt that the Manual will fare very well in his hands. I beg, therefore, to recommend that the completion of the work may be entrusted to Mr. Hebbert.

Enclosure No. 1.

From F. H. HEBBERT, Esq., Assistant Collector, to W. H. COMYN, Esq., Acting Collector of South Canara, dated Mangalore, 24th March 1877, No. 7.

With reference to your endorsement, No. 428, dated 15th instant, passed on Board's Proceedings, dated 27th February last, No. 893, I have the honor to report that the state of the Manual up to the present moment is as follows.

2. In September last I was requested by Mr. Webster to take up the work and submit the statistical account to Government by the 1st October. No materials had been collected beyond a revenue monograph kindly given me by Mr. Webster. If any had been, I have never seen them. However, in the best way the limited time and my own knowledge permitted, I forwarded the

statistical account by the early part of November. In December it was returned for a few additional points to be filled up. This I furnished to Mr. McIver. In the mean time I was also requested by Mr. McIver to furnish him information on a number of places in the district. This I did as far as I could.

3. You will thus see that since September my time and attention has been chiefly drawn to collecting the materials for the statistical account and information for Mr. McIver. All that I have since done has consisted in jotting down parts of the first chapter.

4. With regard to your second question when I shall be prepared to finish the Manual, it is impossible for me to say. I have seen only parts of the district. I have only been in India fourteen or fifteen months, and no materials whatever have been supplied me. Up to the present moment, too, I have not been quite able to understand what I was expected to do. If I am to prepare the Manual, I should at least be definitely told so, and I should require to be allowed to visit all parts of the district in order, by personal acquaintance, to obtain that familiarity with the places absolutely necessary for any one wishing to write about them. At the same time, my health has been so bad for some time past that I may probably be obliged either to ask for a transfer to another district or home leave, in either of which cases there might be some difficulty in continuing the Manual.

SUBMITTED to Government with reference to G.O., dated 19th March 1877, No. 1,133.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) C. D. MACLEAN,
Additional Sub-Secretary.

No. 228. ORDER THEREON, 12th June 1877, No. 1,964.

Miscellaneous.

HIS GRACE the Governor in Council does not deem it expedient to impose a duty of this kind on an officer of such short service, and desires that Mr. Hobbert may be at once relieved of the work.

2. Messrs. McCallum Webster, Sturrock, and G. Stokes must have accumulated a considerable amount of material for the Manual. This should be collected and preserved. The Government would prefer that Mr. Stokes should, if possible, complete the work, but in the event of his still feeling unable to perform it, Mr. L. McIver, who has been some time in South Canara, might be asked. The Board will report the result of their further inquiry as soon as possible, and the nature of the materials which are available.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.

Board's C.R. 15 No 697
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MISCELLANEOUS No. 7125

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 15th May 1877.

Read the following

FROM W. A. Conyn Esquire
Collector of South Canara.

To W. E. Stokes Esquire
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras.

SIR,

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I have
(Signed) W. H. Crimp
Collector.

S. Canara collector's office
dated 26th April 1877

Submitted to Government with reference to G.O. of 19th June 1877, No 1133.

(True copy)
Chas Sadler
Asst Sub-Secretary.

To The Secretary to Govt: R.D.
with copy of enclosure.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 15th May 1877.
Despatched 15th May 1877.

SUBJECT.

Revenue Department.

No. 2345

From Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 15 May 1877.

FOR ORDERS.

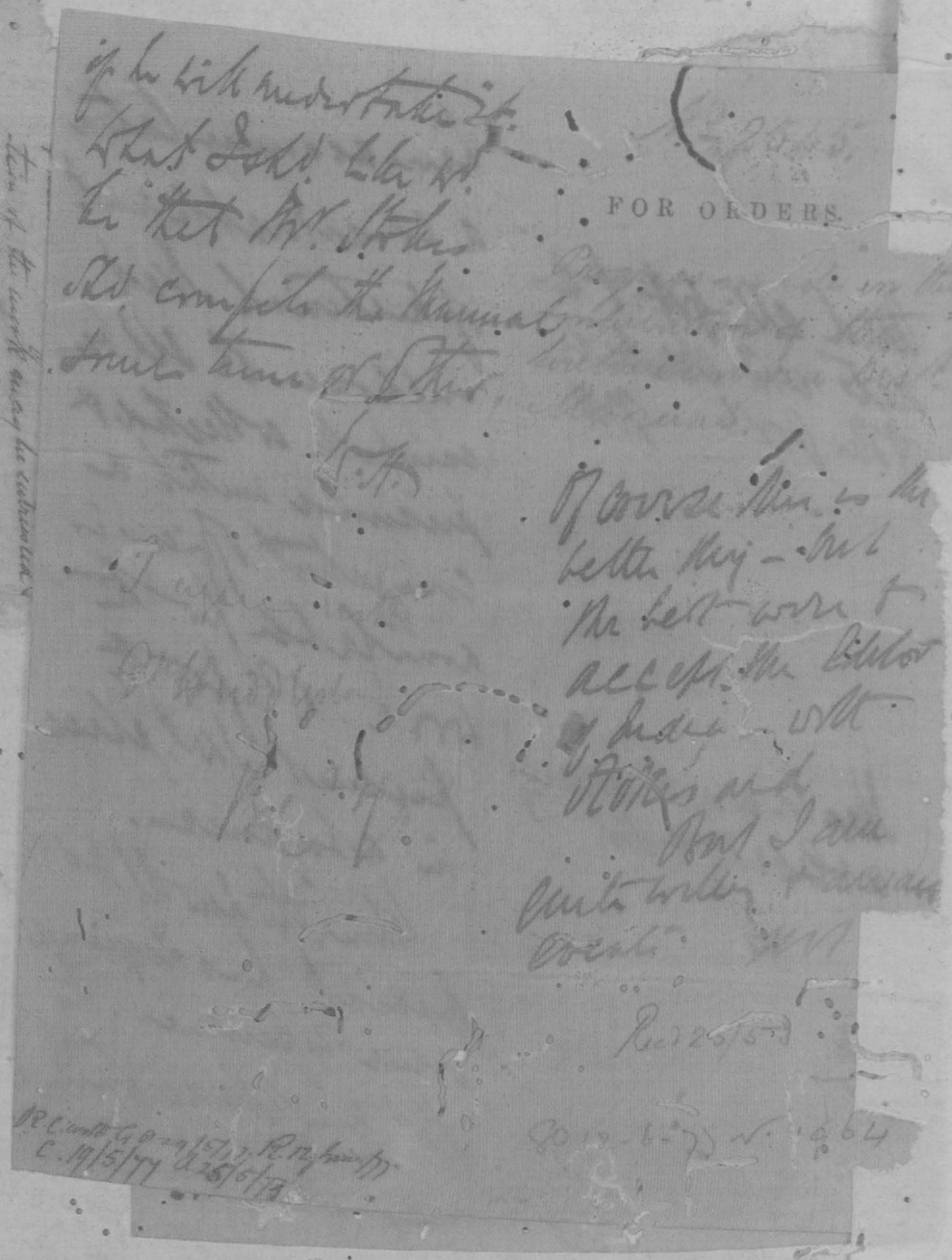
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FOR ORDERS.



Assistant Collector's Office

Mupgalore 24th March 18[illegible].

No 17.

From

H. W. Hilbert Esquire

Asst Collector of S. Canara.

To

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(Signed) H. Robert
Asst. Colr. Genl.

(True copy)
(Signed) W. H. Lowry
Sy. Collector

(True copy)
Chas. Mackay
Asst. Sub. Secretary

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Mr. W. is a friend
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No. 1964.

Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under Date the 12 June 1877.

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Submitting letter from the Collector of South Canara reporting on the progress made in the compilation of the District Manual and recommending that the completion of the work may be entrusted to Mr. Rebbeck.

(R. & S. - May 1877. - Miscl. No. 413.)

His Grace the Governor in Council does not think it expedient to impose on any officer of such high standing and responsibility as Mr. Rebbeck any additional duties of this kind, and desires that Mr. Rebbeck may be relieved of the work at once.

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are available