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To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Miscellaneous.

SIR,—Referring to your letter of
31st January 1874, No. 753, desiring
that in the event of the Madras Govern-

ment anticipating a further need of officers for the work on which Assistant Collectors
are employed, early notice should be given to the Government of India in view to
Civilians being transferred from Bombay—in lieu of appointing Deputy Collectors to
those duties:—I am directed by the Governor in Council to state that there are at

* Arcot, South.
Cuddapah.
Madura.

present three* districts without Assistants,
and it is believed that two or three more
may shortly be in the same condition.

2. A batch of eight newly appointed Civilians joined the Madras Service in
November last, and the Government were enabled to fill up all vacancies. Casualties
of different kinds have brought about the result above mentioned; and, looking
to the number (36) on furlough, several of whom are known as likely to retire; to
the number who are in course of being sent home on medical certificates; to the
fact that four are permanently employed under the Government of India:—it may be
confidently expected that there will be numerous vacancies in the grade of Assistant
Collector during the present year—though not in every case continuing throughout
the year.

3. In these circumstances, and to preclude correspondence on each occasion as
it arises, I am to request that the Government of India will accord a general sanction
to the entertainment of a temporary Deputy Collector of the 4th Class (250 Rs.)
whenever a district may be without its Assistant Collector.

4. It is believed no Civilians can be spared from Bombay; nor would it be
fair to the Juniors of that Presidency to order them round to Madras for short periods
of service.

5. The necessity of having a full district staff is always a matter of great import-
ance; and it is of considerable urgency at present owing to the pressure of an unfavor-
able season. The Governor in Council therefore requests that the sanction of the
Government of India to these proposals may be communicated by telegram.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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

Financial (1876) Department.

Government of Fort St. George.

Dated 23rd February 1876.

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BRINGING to notice the paucity of Assistant Collectors in the Madras Presidency, and requesting to accord general sanction to the entertainment of a temporary Deputy Collector of the 4th Class whenever a district may be without its Assistant Collector.

from Am. 21 Feb

26th Feb Rem. Secy

To Secy. G. S. Financial Secy

Sir,

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Referring to yr letter of 31st Jan 1876 No 753, desiring that in the event of the Madras Govt. anticipating a further need of Officers for the work on which Assistant Collectors are employed, early notice should be given to the Govt. of India in view to Civilian being transferred from Bombay - in lieu of appointing Deputy Collectors to those duties: - I am directed by the Govt. to state that heretofore present time district without Assistants, & it is believed that soon or there more may shortly be in the same condition.

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Arrest. Sante
Cuddalore
Madura

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the present year - though not in
every case continuing throughout
the year...

3. In these circumstances, to preclude
correspondence on each occasion as it
arises I am to request that the G. of P.
will accord a general sanction to
the entertainment of a temporary
Lt Col. of the 6th class (250 Rs.)
whenever a District may be without
its Assistant Col.

4. It is believed no gunboats
can be spared from Bombay; nor
would it be fair to be furnished of that
Port to order them round to
Madras for short periods of service.

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23rd Feb^y 1876