

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
10th January 1861.*

No. 124. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 1 9th December 1860, No. 5,970:—

Read the following letter from *Æ. R. McDONELL*, Esq., Officiating Collector of Trichinopoly, to *W. HUDLESTON*, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort Saint George, dated Trichinopoly, 15th December 1860, No. 10.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to lay before the Board an application forwarded to me by the Reverend *A. Brune*, Pro-Vicar and Superior of the Madura Mission, requesting that exemption may be granted from the payment of the Income Tax, on the ground that the funds derived by the Mission, depend entirely upon voluntary contributions, devoted purely to charitable and religious purposes.

2. I observe from the returns made to me that the income and expenditure are at par, and the items liable to tax, are the Chaplain's salary and the interest accruing on a Government Promissary Note. Income Tax on the former of which is subject to deduction by the Military Paymaster, who is the ex-officio Assessor for Military pay, and the duty on the latter by myself on the Bond being presented at this office.

3. Under these circumstances, I request the Board will be good enough to accord me their sanction for exempting the Mission in question, from the payment of Income Tax, under the provisions contained in Section 133 of Act XXXII of 1860 and the Order of Government, dated 26th October 1860, No. 1,968.

Ordered to be submitted to Government with the Board's recommendation that the Acting Collector be authorized to exempt the moveable and immoveable property of the Madura Roman Catholic Mission from taxation on satisfying himself that it is solely devoted to religious purposes.

(A true Extract and Copy.)

(Signed) *W. HUDLESTON*, Acting Secretary.

No. 125. ORDER THEREON, 10th January 1861, No. 64.

1. Under Section 133 of Act XXXII of 1860, the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt from the duties chargeable under the said Act, all the property, moveable and immoveable, of the Madura Roman Catholic Mission, on proof that it is solely devoted to religious or charitable public purposes.

2. The incomes of the employes of the Mission are unaffected by this exemption.

(Signed) *C. G. MASTER*,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

dated 20th October 1860 No. 1968.

Trichinopoly ...
Collectors Office ...
15th December 1860

I have &c.

Signed / A. B. R. McDonnell
Officiating Collector.

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dation that the Acting Collector be
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immoveable property of the Madurai
Roman Catholic Mission from taxation on
satisfying himself that it is solely devoted
to Religious purposes.

/ A true Extract & Copy /

L. Knowlton
Acting Secretary.

To J. D. Sim, Esq.,

Acting Secretary to Government

Revenue Department

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