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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 230 Press ~~Mis.~~

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Dated 24—1— 1867.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 24th January 1867.

No. 484. Read the following letter from the Collector of the Kistna District, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Rajapetta, 8th January 1867, No. 1 :—

1. The enclosed letters* were received by me yesterday, and as the papers which I have forwarded to the Board of Revenue, regarding the conduct of T. Dhurma Row Moodelliar, Deputy Collector, are now before Government, I send this direct instead of through the Board.

* From W. Hodgson, Esq., to myself.
From T. Dhurma Row Moodelliar to Mr. Hodgson.

2. The impertinence of the Deputy Collector in thus writing to Mr. Hodgson and of me, and the disrespectful tone of his remarks concerning the Board of Revenue, are apparent, and need no remark.

3. His underhand attempts, by false insinuations, to injure the Head Sheristadar of my Office are, however, more serious, and I venture to annex a short Memorandum, pointing out the untruthfulness of his remarks on the conduct of that individual.

4. You will observe that Mr. Hodgson is of opinion that an anonymous petition lately received by him, bore strong internal evidence of having been instigated by the writer of the letter now forwarded. I do not hesitate to express my own belief, a belief which is shared by many others, that all the anonymous petitions addressed to the Board and Government against the establishments of this district were instigated by the same person.

No. 485. ORDER THEREON, 24th January 1867, No. 230.

Miscellaneous.

As the Government have already in G. O. dated 15th January 1867, No. 123, Revenue Department, degraded Dhurma Row, and removed him from the district, they deem it unnecessary to take further notice of his additional misconduct now reported.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Kistna District.
,, the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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almanz in P.O. of 16th January
1867 No. 123 R. S. Aylmer
Thurman Esq. & Jennings
Esq from the District (in
Virginia); they deem it
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additional misconduct
here reported.

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Thursday Mordy. We never have permitted
himself the liberty of slandering people to his
Face for the Co. Judge, unless that Gentleman
has been the opening for such slander
which was afforded by Mr H— questions as
to the corruption & bribery of certain parties
in the District. Mr H's conduct to Mr. Monkhill
of the slanderers letter seems therefore rather

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Rev.e 1867 Department
Rec.d of Govt. No. 133.
From the Collector of the 1.D
To the Secretary to Govt.
in the Revd Deptt.
Fort St George
Dated 8th January 1867.
Rec.d 16th
Rs. 1-
Enclosures. 3 Petns &c
1 original Petition from J.
Shanmaga Moodly &
Bro Hodgson
1 Collectors Answer
1 Letter from Bro Hodgson &
the Collector in the Cause
3 Petns No. 230. 24 Forwarding the above Papers with the Collectors opinion that the insinuations of the Dy Collector J. Shanmaga Moodliar therein contained are false, and stating that all the anonymous Petitions addressed to the Board and Govt are instigated by the said Dy Collector

No. 1,841-1,885.

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