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PART VI.

BILLS OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The following Bill was introduced into the Council of the Governor General for making Laws and Regulations on the 13th day of August 1869, and was referred to a Select Committee with instructions to report thereon in one week:—

Bill No. 13 of 1869.

A Bill to facilitate diministration to harestates of deceased British subjects in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts.

Whereas under the Administrator General's Act, 1867, the Administrator General of Madras is, in the cases therein mentioned, entitled to administer to the estates of deceased British subjects in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts; and whereas the facilities of communication between the said Districts and Bombay are now greater than those between the said Districts and Madras, and it is therefore expedient to substitute, so far as regards the said estates, the Administrator General of Bombay for the Administrator General of Madras; It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Alterations of ActXXIV.
of 1867, sec. 3.

1867, shall be read as if the words "and the Hyderabad Assigned therefrom;

"Presidency of Madras" contained in the third section of the Administrator General's Act, If the words and the Districts were omitted therefrom;

and the definition of "Presidency of Bombay" contained in the same section shall be read as if the following words were added thereto (that is to say): "and also, so far as regards British subjects, the Hyderabad Assigned Districts."

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2. Nothing in this Act shall affect the rights,
Saving of probates and
administrations already
General of Madras.

Administrator General of Madras.

administration heretofore granted to him.

STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS.

Under the Administrator General's Act (No. AXIV. of 1867) the Administrator General of Madras administers to the estates of deceased British subjects in the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, and under section 61 of that Act certain officials in those Districts have to report to the Administrator General of Madras the deaths of persons leaving assets.

To send these reports by post to Madras now takes eight days, while, owing to the direct Rail way communication, Bombay and the Assign Districts are within twenty hours of each other.

Under these circumstances the present But (which has been prepared at the desire of the Resident at Hyderabad, and with the consent of the Governments of Madras and Bombay) propose to substitute, so far as regards the estates of deceased British subjects in the Hyderabad Assigner Districts, the Administrator General of Bomba for the Administrator General of Madras.

(Signed) H. S. MAINE.

Simla,
The 22nd July 1869.

WHITLEY STOKES,

Secretary to the Council of the Governor Gene. for making Laws and Regulations.

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