

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

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2nd August 1860.*

No. 3. Read the following Despatch from the Right Honorable Sir C. WOOD, Bart., Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George, dated India Office, London, 22nd June 1860, No. 42.

1. I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letters in the Public Department, dated the 27th April and 4th May last, Nos. 38 and 41, reporting your proceedings as to the circulation of expositions of the Income Tax and Currency Bills. These letters require no remark.

2. I have also received your Revenue letter, dated the 27th April 1860, No. 39, in regard to which I must observe, that before your letter reached me, the letters therewith transmitted from the Madras Board of Revenue, relative to the Bill for licensing Trades and Professions, and the Income Tax Bill, had appeared in the public newspapers received in this Country.

3. The publication of Official communications of that nature, is obviously most objectionable, and can only result from a breach of Official trust. I desire that you will remind all the servants of Government that except in cases where the publication of Official papers may be duly authorized by the Government, any communication of such documents to the Newspapers, will subject the Officer or servant by whom they may be furnished to the severest mark of my displeasure.

No. 4. ORDER THEREON, 2nd August 1860, No. 381.

Ordered that paragraph 1 be communicated to the Public Department, and paragraphs 2 and 3 to the Revenue Department.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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