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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
19th April 1861.*

No. 33. Read the following letter from W. BALMAIN Esq., Officiating Sub Treasnrer, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 15th April 1861, No. 1,265.

I have the honor to request the sanction of Government to my burning the *whole* of the papers ordered to be destroyed by the Proceedings of Government No. 190, April 13th. The documents, &c. &c., are chiefly bonds of security and indemnity and altogether compose but a small quantity of paper, and though rendered useless by having the signature cut out, it will still I think be objectionable to allow the mutilated documents to pass into other hands.

No. 34. ORDER THEREON, 19th April 1861, No. 198.
The Officiating Sub Treasurer will, as proposed, burn the whole of the papers referred to.
(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No. 1265.

Fort St. George
General Treasury
15th April 1861.

From

To. Balmain Esq.
Off. Sub Treasurer.

To.

J. Percott Esq.
Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

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I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedt. Servant

Balmain
Off. Sub Treasurer.

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