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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, 26th September 1860.

No. 178. Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 26th September 1860, No. 1,241.

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3. In a recent Order, 2nd June last, No. 911, Revenue Department, the Government have prohibited public servants, attending Courts as witnesses, being put under stoppages. Mr. Ratliff seems to have had recourse to this mode of reimbursing Government for the temporary loss of their services.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
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