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Read the following Despatch from the Right Honorable Sir C. WOOD, Bart., Secretary of State for India (Revenue), to His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George, dated India Office, London, 7th June 1861, No. 42:—

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1. The Proceedings which were transmitted in the letter from your Government of the 25th of January, No. 16 of 1861, have been considered by me in Council; and I am glad to find that you regard the progress made by the Committee for improving the Ootacamund station as satisfactory.

2. I approve the limit which, in anticipation of my Despatch, No. 83 of the 15th of December last, you have fixed for the operations of the Committee; and also your instructions to give publicity beyond the Hills, to the notices of sales of land. The limitation of the size of the building lots seems also judicious.

3. Your Proceedings of February last, report the purchase of several Freeholds, which I trust, I may look upon as an indication that the measures adopted at this important station are likely to be successful in providing for its extension and improvement.

ORDER THEREON, 25th July 1861, No. 1,488.

Ordered to be communicated for the information of the Board of Revenue and the Ootacamund Improvement Committee.

(True Extract.)

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
" Secretary Ootacamund Improvement Committee.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

India Office
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