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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department;
4th October 1865.*

No. 68. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Military Department:—

Requesting the Revenue Department to hold
their Order No. 2,151 of 1865, regarding
the disposal of the Bankshall sheds at the Presi-
dency, in abeyance, and to place the buildings
temporarily at the disposal of the Commissa-
riat Department for the storage of Malt Liquor. } (Here enter 29th September 1865, No. 3,627.)

No. 69. ORDER THEREON, 4th October 1865, No. 2,928.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 8.

Communicated to the Superintend-
ing Engineer of the 4th Division.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer of the 4th Division.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers:—

from the Assistant Commissary General for the Deputy Commissary General, Madras, 23rd September 1865, No. 3803; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George.

In my letter, No. 11,110 of the 5th April 1865, I pointed out the extreme inconvenience which would result if the alterations recommended by the Committee are not carried out at an early date, and Government, in their Order, No. 1579, dated 27th April 1865, were good enough to communicate the letter to the Public Works Department, in view to measures being taken as early as possible to carry out alterations in the Arrack and Porter godowns.

2. The alterations to the Arrack godown are being duly carried out, but additions to the Porter godown have not yet been commenced.

3. Meanwhile, the supplies referred to in my former letter have arrived, and there are now about 2,000 Hogsheads for which the Store-keeper General reports at it is impossible to find stowage room.

4. All the up-country stations have received as much as they can hold, and we are piling casks in double tiers, a course attended with the risk pointed out by the Store-keeper General in his letter attached.

5. I beg therefore Government will have the goodness to place some public building at our disposal, or to sanction our renting godowns if these are procurable.

from the Sub-Assistant Commissary General, Madras, 20th September 1865, No. 917; to the Commissary General, Madras.

I have the honor to request sanction to rent godowns for the stowage of Malt Liquor.

2. The granary and the several godowns attached to this office are quite full, I have put me of the casks in the passages between the Arrack Vats, and, there still not being sufficient room, I have been obliged to store on double tiers.

3. This last mode is a most objectionable one, and would not have been resorted to, except as a last resource. Casks so packed cannot be rolled, and there is consequently great risk of the liquor turning sour, particularly in the damp weather now approaching.

4. I have relieved my godowns as much as possible by sending up supplies of Malt Liquor to replenish stock at Wellington, Bangalore and Bellary, but as about 2,000 Hogsheads have still to be received into store, it is absolutely necessary to hire extra stowage accommodation.

from the Assistant Commissary General for the Commissary General, Madras, 25th September 1865, No. 3819; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George.

In continuation of my letter, No. 3803, I have the honor to inform you that,

Dated 23rd September 1865. as my stores are full to overflowing, a very large quantity of Malt Liquor is lying without shelter, and is exposed to the sun and weather.

2. The Agents of the Ship *Leaping Water*, part of whose consignment is thus exposed, naturally complain of this; but I am unable to remedy the matter from a positive want of accommodation.

with Report from the Acting Controller of Military Accounts, 26th Sept. 1865, E.

ORDER, No. 3627, 29th September 1865.

Communicated to the Revenue Department, with the request that the Order in that Department, No. 2151, dated 9th instant, regarding the disposal of the Bank-shalls be held in abeyance for the present, and the buildings made available for the storage, as a temporary arrangement, of the Malt Liquor of the "Commissariat Department."

(True Extract.)

Murchison
Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department.

- .. Commissary General, with an enclosure.
- .. Controller of Military Accounts, with an enclosure.
- .. Barrack Master, Presidency.
- .. Quarter Master General.
- .. Public Works Department.

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Ed. A. W. Cooke.

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No. 17005 in the
Military Report

Sales of 29 Oct 1865
Recd 29 Oct 1865

No. 103627

Regarding the
Rec. Dept. to hold their
Order No. 2157 of 1865 regard-
ing the shipment of the
Barracks about at the
Presidency, in a large
and to place the land-
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the disposal of the Com-
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Communicated to the
Asst Engineer & Division

From 81 George
4th Dec 1865

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