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No. 74. Read the following letter from the Government Solicitor, Madras, to the Under-Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 19th August 1870, No. 456 :—.

Dated 10th August 1870, No. 1,227, Revenue Department.

With reference to the Order of Government noted in the margin, requesting me to report the result of Mr. T. N. Turnbull's appeal to the High Court, Appellate Side, Madras, I have the honour to state, for the information of Government, that the appeal in question has not yet been finally disposed of by the High Court. The High Court by Order, dated 4th August 1870, gave the prisoner a month, from the date of receipt of the order by the Sessions Court at Tellicherry, to adduce evidence in support of his allegation that he is a European British Subject, and as such not amenable to the jurisdiction of the Session Court at Tellicherry ; and the High Court also directed that the evidence should be taken in the presence of the prisoner and the Government Pleader who should also be at liberty to adduce evidence to rebut the evidence produced by the prisoner.

2. When the appeal has been disposed of by the High Court I will inform the result to Government.

No. 75. Order thereon, 7th September 1870, No. 1,402.

Miscellaneous.

The Government will await Mr. Prichard's further report.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Under-Secretary to Government.

To the Government Solicitor.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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