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ESTABLISHMENT, No. 24.

"It is now proper for me to bring to the notice of Government the treatment to which this Overseer was subjected, on evening of 20th September last, when on his way to join Captain Oakes, expected at Tuticorin on following day.

"He was so grossly abused and maltreated by Major Payne that ever since he has been altogether afraid to approach me, or afford me any information regarding works and accounts. Mr. Sub-Engineer McNair was present at the time, and he will be able to confirm the statement, that Major Payne actually subjected him to personal violence; and in presence of a number of people publicly used the opprobrious expressions of "Burwah" and "Pariah," towards him, as also threatened to dismiss him."

As in paragraph 9 of Mr. Sub-Engineer Colquhoun's letter of the 9th November 1870 (quoted in the margin), Major Payne is stated to have employed grossly abusive language towards Overseer Soobramania Pillay, and at the same time to have subjected that Overseer to personal violence in the presence of Mr. Sub-Engineer McNair and a number of people, His Excellency the Governor in Council deems it necessary

to call upon Major Payne for such explanations as he may have to offer.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,

Secretary to Government.

No. 97, ...
 Proceedings of the Madras Government
 Under date the 10th Jan'y/71

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 He also threatened
 to murder him."

Govt. of 1871 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To the Chief Suptending Engrs
8th Division

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G. O. 13 July 1871, No. 97.

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Mr. Subramania Pillay

Explanation called for as
to the ~~conduct~~ ^{conduct} of
Payee's conduct towards
Messrs. Subramania
Pillay.