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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	562	Press ~~Mis.~~
Dated	5-6-	1866

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
5th June 1866.

No. 26. Read the following letter from the Municipal Commissioners for the Town of Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Madras, 1st June 1866.

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Order of Government, dated 29th ultimo, forwarding a copy of the late Sanitary Commission's Proceedings for March last, and requesting us to state whether any, and what, steps have been taken by us with reference to the letter addressed to us by the Sanitary Commission, under date of 23rd March, regarding the latrine at Lang's garden.

2. In reply, we beg to state that, on receipt of the said letter from the Sanitary Commission, we directed the Inspector of Nuisances to take charge of the said latrine, and caused it to be thoroughly cleansed and sand laid on its floor as in the other latrines.

3. We take this opportunity of observing that the dry-earth system, although successful in Prisons, Hospitals, and Barracks, where a deviation from the rules renders the offender liable to punishment, cannot possibly be enforced in a public latrine, where such control and interference would not be tolerated.

No. 27. ORDER THEREON, 5th June 1866, No. 562.

Communicated to the Sanitary Commissioner, and, also, to the Military Department.

(True Extract).

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Sanitary Commissioner.
,, Military Department.

Exd. J. H. Burna.

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San Diego, California
Fort San Marcos

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We have the honor to be
Sir

Your most Obedient servant

Wm. A. Smith

James Smith

J. Smith

James Smith & Co.

a Municipal Commission
for the Town of London

29 May 1866 No 149-150.

into 12 June 2.

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From
The Municipal Council
for the Town of Madras
To
The (Chief Secretary to
Government

Dated 1st { June 1866
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In line a line with reference
to the order of Government
dated 24th Ult. that the
Inspector of Revenue
to the Board of Revenue
at Madras it is hereby
clearly stated - also
observed that the system
is not adapted to
the Board of Revenue.

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With an order

5 June 1866 No 562.
Communicated

To the Sanitary Commi-
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the Military Department.

J. G. S.

To the San. Comm. {
Public Dept. { dated 10/6