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Government of Madras.

DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
4th September 1871.*

No. 12. Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Agriculture, Revenue, and Commerce, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Simla, 16th August 1871, No. 22 (Emigration):—

Referring to the Proceedings of the Government of Madras in the Public Department, Nos. 24 to 26, of the 5th May 1871, on the subject of complaints made by certain return coolies from Natal of ill-treatment received during their residence in that Colony, I am directed to request that, under the orders of His Excellency the Governor in Council, the Government of India may be informed, in due course, of the result of the reference made by the Government of Madras to the Natal Administration.

2. Similar complaints having been made by the Bengal coolies who landed from the same ship at Calcutta, the whole matter has been referred to Her Majesty's Government for full investigation.

No. 13. ORDER THEREON, 4th September 1871, No. 1360.
To be recorded.
(True Extract.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

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G. O., 4th September 1871, No. 1300.

SEPTEMBER 3.
Nos. 1213.

Recording letter from Government of India, asking to be informed of the result of the reference made by this Government to the Natal Administration, regarding the complaints made by certain N. N. natives of ill-treatment experienced by them during their residence in that Colony.

From

J. O. Hume Esq^r C.B.
 Secy to the Govt of India,
 Department of Agriculture,
 Revenue and Commerce

To

The Chief Secy to the Govt of
 Madras.
 Dated the 1st August 1871.

Immigration Sir,

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedt Servt

B. A. B. S. S. S.
Secretary to the East India

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G. O. 4 Sept. 1871, No 1360

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Recording letter from Govt. of India advising to be informed of the result of the reference made by this Govt. to the Natal Administration regarding the complaints made by certain return Coolies of ill-treatment experienced by them during their residence in that Colony.