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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, for the month of May 1860.

No. 49. Read the following letter from H. NEWILL, Esq., Director of Revenue Settlement, to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Madras, 25th April 1860, No. 388:—

Paragraph 1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Proceedings of Government, dated 23rd instant, No. 617, and, in reply, to request instructions as to whether the Order therein contained is limited to communications addressed to Government or whether it embraces all communications from the Head of a Department to Subordinates.

2. I may add that in reviewing the periodical Reports and Returns of my Department, there is great advantage in doing so collectively, as the review is thus more concise, and at the same time in a more convenient form for communication (when desirable) to other individuals beyond those from whose reports questions are brought up. This can only be done by using the third instead of the first person. If Proceedings are objected to in this case, perhaps there will be no objection to the use of the third person in the form of an Order or Memorandum.

No. 50. ORDER THEREON, 3rd May 1860, No. 710.

Mr. Newill will be informed that the Order referred to is limited in its intent, as in its terms, to papers addressed to Government.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

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