

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue

DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
3rd January 1861.*

No. 1. Read the following Despatch from the Right Honorable Sir C. WOOD, Bart., Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George, dated India Office, London, 31st October 1860, No. 70:—

SIR,

1. I have to acknowledge the receipt on the 3rd ultimo, of the letter from your Government, dated the 16th July, No: 80, which has been under my consideration in Council, together with the "Returns of cases" tried under Regulations IX of 1822 and VII of 1828 during the years 1856, 1857, 1858 and 1859, which it transmitted.

2. The attention of your Government, has since 1855 been repeatedly called to the inefficient operation of these Regulations, and in my Despatch of November 11th, No 27 of 1859, I again urged upon your Government the importance of taking measures for a change in this branch of the law. I have as yet received no reply to that Despatch, nor have I been informed that any steps for procuring an amendment so much needed have been taken.

No. 2. ORDER THEREON, 3rd January 1861, No. 1.

1. Communicated to the Board of Revenue.

2. Referring to paragraph 2, the Right Honorable the Secretary of State will be informed that the Draft Acts designed to embody the Revenue laws of this Presidency, and which include an alteration in the provisions of the existing law relating to trials under Regulation IX of 1822, were returned to the Board of Revenue for reconsideration with reference to the views of Government contained in the Order of the 5th March 1860, No. 346, and have not been again laid before Government, but that the Board's attention has been very recently called to the subject.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Acting Secretary to Government.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 3rd ~~January~~ ^{December} 1861.

Recd the following dis-
patch from the Right Honble
the Secretary of State for India.

States that he has received no
reply to the Despatch of November 11th
No 27 of 1859 calling attention to the ineffi-
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(Here enter 31st October 1860 No 70)

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Some Despatches on
the Returns of Cases tried
under Regulations IX of
1822 and XIII of 1828 from
1856 to 1859, communicated
to Board of Revenue.

No 142.

Noted by the
Commander in Chief

General

Proctor