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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 763

Press Mis.

80-81

Dated 6—4— 1861.

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No. 80. Read the following letter :—

No. 605.

Fort William, Home Department, the 21st March 1861.

RESOLUTION.

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The License Tax,
Customs Duties and
Stamps.

The business relating to the Land Revenue, and to all other branches of Revenue excepting those above mentioned will continue as at present with the Home Department. The business of the Post Office and the Electric Telegraph will also remain with the Home Department.

Ordered, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the several local Governments,* with a request that all communications to the Government of India regarding the Income Tax, the Customs Revenue and the Stamp Revenue may be made to the Financial Secretary, and that all communications regarding other branches of the Revenue may be made to the Home Secretary in the Revenue Department.

* *Madras.*
Bombay.
Bengal.
North West Provinces.
Punjab.

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(Signed) W. GREY,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 81. ORDERO THEREON, 6th April 1861, No. 763.

Ordered to be recorded.

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Home Dept
dated 21st March
Rec'd 28th " 1861
No 605

Transfer certain
branches of Revenue
to the Financial Dept
and desire that for
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Lett Ltr Rec'd 6th April 861

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