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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1487
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Dated 8 - 7 - 1862

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 8th July 1862.

No. 121. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 11th June 1862, No. 3,757:—

Read the following letter from Honorable D. ARBUTHNOTT, Collector of Salem, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated 3rd June 1862, No. 122.

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3. A report on the working of the tax will be made in my report on Local Funds for the past official year, which will be submitted in a few days.

4. Measures have been adopted to prevent the destruction of the Teak and Sandalwood plants by setting fire to the jungles.

Ordered to be submitted for the information of Government, with reference to paragraph 4 of their Proceedings, dated 25th April 1862, No. 894.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary.*

No. 122. ORDER THEREON, 8th July 1862, No. 1,487.

Ordered to be recorded.

(Signed) P. P. HUTCHINS,
Acting Deputy Secretary to Government.

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To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.
Copy to Honorable D. Arbuthnott, Collector of Salem.

Exd. J. Wright.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 11*th June* 1862.
Despatched. 16th —
Received. 17th —

No. 3,757.

Submitting for information a letter from the Collector of Salem, regarding Mr Blenkinsop's Suggestion to levy a tax of 12 annas upon each bandy load of bamboos, and six annas on each bandy load of fuel.

No 1487-

From Lt Geo.s
8th July 62.

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