

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
19th November 1862.*

No. 224. Read the following letter from W. H. CRAKE, Esq., Chairman Chamber of Commerce, to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 7th November 1862 :—

SIR,

1. The rules of competition for the Cotton Prizes of the season 1862-63, having been promulgated, and in consequence of the near approach of the planting season, for many descriptions of Cotton, I have the honor by desire of this Chamber to submit to Government the suggestion that instructions should be conveyed to the Collectors of Districts, connected with this Presidency, in which Cotton is grown, directing them to forward monthly Statements of the extent of land brought under Cotton cultivation in this season, with a comparative table of last season's cultivation.

2. Such comparative Statements would be of much commercial importance, both at home and in India; and the Chamber hopes that its suggestion will obtain the favorable consideration of Government.

No. 225. ORDER THEREON, 19th November 1862, No. 2,441.

The Board of Revenue already submit to Government a monthly comparative Statement of the cultivation of Cotton and this is published in the Gazette. They will now be desired to instruct the Collectors to send copies of their Statements also to the Chamber of Commerce and to impress upon them the necessity of ensuring accuracy in the preparation of these returns.

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

Revenue Department

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Proceedings of the Madras Government
under date the 19th November 1862

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letter from the Chairman
of the Chamber of
Commerce.

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July 1881

For
the Board of Revenue Dept. 25th
Chamber of Commerce.

4/10/81

Monthly Statement of
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