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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 4th July 1863.

No. 84. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 7th October 1862, No. 6,721 :—

Read Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 25th September 1862, No. 2,084, Revenue Department, communicating a Despatch from the Secretary of State for India, reviewing he report of the Conservator of Forests for 1860-61, and requesting the Board, in communication with the Chief Engineer, to submit their views on Major Morgan's suggestion in respect to the avenues.

(In Cons. 25th September 1862, No. 6,177.)

Government Order, No. 958, 30th April 1861.
Government Order, No. 1,095, 16th May 1861.
Board's Proceedings, No. 2 515, 17th May 1861.
Government Order, No. 1,486, 8th July 1862.

1. With reference to paragraph 4 of the above Order, and to the correspondence noted in the margin, which ensued on a similar suggestion contained in Dr. Cleghorn's Forests Conservancy Report for 1859-60, the Board have to observe that their views and those of the Chief Engineer in favor of transferring the charge and management of the wood avenues in the several Districts of the Presidency, to the Collectors and their village Officers, have been already laid before Government, who recorded the Board's views in their Order in the Revenue Department, No. 1,486, dated 8th July 1862.

2. They would beg leave to refer to those Proceedings.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary.*

No. 85. ORDER THEREON, 4th July 1863, No. 1,192.

No. 81, 14th August 1862.

1. The charge of public avenues will, as directed by the Home Government, be vested in the Collectors, who will hold the heads of villages answerable for the proper care of the trees. The villagers will be entitled to the usufruct of the trees in return for taking care of them and replacing such as die. Where extensive lopping or felling is necessary, the previous orders of the Collector should be required.

2. Plantations made by the Department of Public Works along channel banks will continue in the charge of that Department.

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

No. 6,721.

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(A true Extract.)

Secretary.

To Honorable T. Pycroft, Chief Secretary to Government.

Exd. J. Wright.

Rev. 1863. Department.

Collectors for Public 03

No. 2831.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 7th October 1862.
Despatched.
Received.

No. 6,721.

Informing that the Board's views respecting the transfer of the charge and avenues in the Districts to the Collectors, have been already laid before Government.

No. 1192.

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Plantations must be [illegible] along canal banks will continue in the charge of [illegible]