M.R.O. 14—13,000—27-9-24.

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 1222	Press ~~Mis.~~
466-465	
Dated 7-7-1863	

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 7th July 1863.

No. 144. Read the following letter from W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 3rd July 1863:—

SIR,

1. Adverting to my letter, dated 11th May 1863, No. 2,786, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that the sanction of Government may be obtained to the charges incurred on contract in the removal of the Board's records, &c., from Government House to Chepauk, amounting to Rupees 395-6-0, as particularized in the Bill forwarded by the Executive Commissariat Officer, Madras, with his letter, dated 12th June 1863.

2. The number of carts, coolies, &c., employed has been compared with the list kept in this Office, and found correct, with the exception of the items marked in red ink in the Bill. These corrections have been made with the consent of the Contractor. The charge incurred on the present occasion exceeds by Rupees 120-6-0 that sanctioned by Government in 1862, for the removal of the Board's records from Chepauk to the Government House. This excess was caused by the larger number of carts and coolies, &c., employed, in order that the removal might be effected as quickly as possible. Only nine days were occupied on the present occasion while on the former it took fifteen days to remove.

G. O. dated 7th March 1862, No 492.

3. Ample provision has been made for the charge in the Board's Budget for 1863-64.

No. 145. ORDER THEREON, 7th July 1863, No. 1,222.

Sanctioned.

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

Rec^d 1863 Department
Records for July
No. 1286.

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From The Secretary to the
Board of Trade
To The Under Secretary to
the Government
Dated 3^d
Dis^d 3^d
Rec^d 4^th July 1863

No
1 Rolls Rec^d

Necessary Enclosure
for the changes intended
to be made on the removal
of the Board records from
Downing Street to
Old Palace Yard -

2^d 1732.

Sanctioned
7^th July/63. I D S

No 144 & 145.

1 Chest Public Records
1 Case Miscellaneous
3 Bundles Papers