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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 22nd January 1863.

No. 274. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 19th January 1863:—

Read the following letter from R. E. MASTER, Esq., Officiating Director of Revenue Settlement, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madras 8th January 1863, No. 23/2.

SIR,

In their Proceedings of the 18th September 1861, No. 5,072, the Board approved of the proposal made by Mr. Newill in concurrence with Major Priestley, that the Village Maps of the Chedambaram Talook in South Arcot, which were generally of a small size, should be sold to the public at 4 Annas each, but no rate of charge has yet been fixed for the Districts generally. The following scale has been prepared in communication with Major Priestley, and I have the honor to recommend that it may be sanctioned. A moderate scale of charge is also proposed for Talook Maps, but for these, there is not likely to be any great demand among the Ryots. If the sale proceeds of the Maps are allowed to be credited to the Survey Department, as recommended in paragraph 9 of my letter of the 30th April 1862, No. 571, and supported by the Board in paragraph 12 of their Proceedings of the 21st July 1862, No. 4,724, I doubt not that a large proportion of the expenditure incurred on lithography will be recovered from the sale of Village Maps :—

For Village Maps.

Under 1,000		Acres in area	4	Annas.
1,000	to 1,500	,,	6	do.
1,500	to 2,000	,,	8	do.
2,000	to 3,000	,,	10	do.
3,000	to 4,000	,,	12	do.
4,000	to 5,000	,,	14	do.
Above 5,000		,,	1	Rupee.

For Talook Maps.

One Rupee per 100 square miles surveyed, not charging for fractional parts of 100 on drawing paper: 8 Annas less for printing paper.

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1. Ordered to be submitted to Government with the Board's recommendation that the scale of prices be sanctioned and that the sale proceeds of the Maps be credited to the Survey Department.

2. The Board's former recommendation to this effect is now before Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed.) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary.*

No 275. ORDER THEREON, 22nd January 1863, No. 140.

1. The proposed rates are sanctioned.

2. The Survey Department can yearly note the receipts from the sale of Maps, but the money should not be credited to that Department in the public accounts.

3. The Government desire to know whether a Ryot wishing to purchase an extract from the Village Map showing his own and the adjacent holdings, can do so, and on what terms.

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

2. The Board's former recommendation to this effect is now before Government.

(A true Copy & Extract)

Secretary.

To,
J. D. Sim Esqre.
Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

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Submitting a letter from the Offg Director of Revenue Settlement with the Board's recommendation that the proposed Scale of rates for Tillage and Taluk maps be sanctioned and that the Sale proceeds of the maps be credited to the Survey Department.

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With order

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