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No. 193. Read the following letter from W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 4th December 1863, No. 7,638 :—

SIR,

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2. The amount is trifling as shown below :—

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Upindangudi ,, ...		93	0	0
Udipi ,, ...		26	0	0
	Total ...	234	9	2

3. The Board consider the collection objectionable, especially as the interest in the last 63 years must have far exceeded the original loan, and they request authority to direct that it be discontinued henceforward.

No. 194. ORDER THEREON, 11th December 1863, No. 2,260.

The Board of Revenue will be requested to furnish a fuller report than is contained in the foregoing letter regarding the Pagoda Loans referred to. The amount of the loan in each case should be stated, as also whether the Tusdeeks of the several Temples from the revenues of which the loans were advanced, include the interes. on the sums lent.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin,

No. 7,638.

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To J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.

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I have the honor to be,
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Your most obedient servant,

W. Hudleston

Secretary.

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE,
Madras,
4th December 1863.

Exd. J. Wright.

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No. 3010.

From the Secretary to the Board of Revenue
To the Secretary to Government, R. D.

Dated 4th December 1863.

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Trans^{d} 18th March / 64
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No. 7,638.

Requesting authority to direct the Collector of South Canara to discontinue the collection of what was called in his accounts the "Interest on Pagoda Loans."

N^{o} 2260. 11th Dec^{r}

N^{o} 193 & 194.

To the Secretary to Govt R. D.

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From Lt. Gen^{l} Jervis
11th Decem^{r} 1863.