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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
18th August 1864.*

No. 264. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th August 1864,
No. 5018.

Read the following letter from J. THACKER, Esq, Veterinary Surgeon, dated Bangalore, 27th
July 1864 :—

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 4,521,
dated 19th July 1864, with enclosure No. 1 (further communication from Mr. McIvor, Superin-
tendent Government Chinchonas, relative to the Cattle Epizootic, and calling for my remarks).

2. The opinion expressed in paragraphs 1 and 2, I think it advisable to leave unnoticed
until the opportunity likely to be afforded me of personally investigating the disease in the Hill
Districts, enables me to form an opinion.

3. With reference to paragraphs 3 and 4, I think that the removal of apparently healthy
animals from an atmosphere already tainted with the Materies Morbi might lead to a further
spreading of the disease were those removed not kept under Quarantine laws.

4. Such a measure as moving all apparently healthy animals from place to place on the
occurrence of every new attack, would entail so much trouble and expense, and practically put a
stop at certain seasons to all agricultural works, that I fear the difficulty and dissatisfaction likely
to arise are considerations of grave importance before legal enactment be enforced, until the
result of removing affected Cattle become more known and reported to Government.

Ordered to be communicated to Mr. McIvor through the Collector of Coimbatore.

No. 265. ORDER THEREON, 18th August 1864, No. 1,491.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

No. 5,018.

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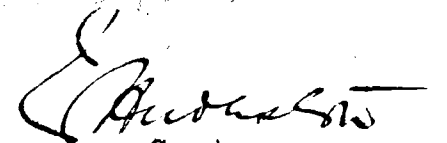
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(A true Copy and Extract)


Secretary.

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

„ P. Grant, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore.

„ Veterinary Surgeon J. Thacker.

„ J. Shaw, Esq., Acting Principal Inspector General, Medical Department.

„ Colonel J. Hill, Commissary General.

„ Honorable R. S. Ellis, C. B., President Sanitary Commission.

Copy to All Collectors.

Exd. J. Wright.

11. August 1/14. 1861

My dear Mr. C. J. Thacker
August 1/14 No 267

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 6th August 1861.

Despatched 11. 8. 61

Received 12. 8. 61

No. 5,018.

Communicating to Mr. McIver, through the
Collector of Coimbatore, letter from Veterinary
Surgeon J. Thacker giving opinion on the com-
munication from the first-named gentleman
regarding the Cattle disease on the Nelgherry
Hills.

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