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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 1751 Press Mis.

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Dated 23—9—1864.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 23rd September 1864.

No. 340. Read the following letter from H. NEWILL, Esq., Officiating Resident of Travancore and Cochin, to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Trevandrum, 5th September 1864, No. 54:—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to submit, for the favorable consideration and orders of Government, the request of the Cochin Sirkar for the exemption from import duty of the iron girders and other materials for the Shoranoor bridge now being landed at the port of British Cochin.

2. The Dewan of Cochin was under the impression that the materials would be considered as coming under the head of "Machinery" and be free of duty; otherwise he would have landed them at the Sirkar port of Narakal.

3. It further appears that the Cochin Sirkar has always allowed goods belonging to the British Government to pass through its territory free of duty, and it now asks reciprocation in the present case, which I trust the Government will be pleased to grant, particularly as the materials are for a work which will greatly facilitate the communication between the British territories and the port of British Cochin, as well as the Cochin State generally, and one which, it may be added, has been undertaken at the sole expense of the latter.

No. 341. ORDER THEREON, 23rd September 1864, No. 1,751.

Separate Revenue, No. 121.
Customs.

Sanctioned as requested in paragraph 1.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.
„ the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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The Offg: Resident of
Travancore & Cochin

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St George.

Dated 5th
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No 54.

Enclosure none.

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Submitting for the favorable consideration & orders of Govt. the request of the Cochin Sirkar for the exemption from Import duty of the Iron girders & other materials for the Shoranoor Bridge now being landed at the Port of British Cochin.

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Sundry Letters & Enclosures

Letter from Govt. dated 23 Sept. 1864.

Letter from Offg. Resident Travancore & Cochin Capt. Gordon dated 5 Sept. 1864.

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