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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Dated 20. 2— ~~19~~ 1864

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
20th February 1864.

No. 289. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department:—

Declining to sanction any further distillation of Alcohol by the Commissariat Department for sale to private individuals. } (Here enter 16th February 1864, No. 531.)

No. 290. ORDER THEREON, 20th February 1864, No. 307.

Resolved that the foregoing Order of Government in the Military Department together with G. O., Revenue Department, 2nd February 1864, No. 179, be communicated to the Board of Revenue, who will be requested to inform the Petitioners referred to in the latter paper that it is the *distillation* not *sale* of Alcohol by the Commissariat Department that has been forbidden from the 1st January 1864. Such quantity of Alcohol as may be still in store is available to the public at the price fixed in the Order of Government, Military Department, 16th December 1863, No. 3,995.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Military Department, No. 531 and Proceedings Revenue Department, No. 179.
„ Military Department.

Exd. R. H. Lee.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following :—

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department.

Referring letter from Chemists and Druggists at Madras appealing against order of Government forbidding the sale to them of Alcohol obtained from the Commissariat Department, and requesting permission to purchase the same from that Department for the next six months,

Here enter 2nd February 1864, No. 179.

ORDER, No. 531, 16*th February* 1864.

The Governor in Council observes that the Order of Government, No. 3995, dated 16th December 1863, in the Military Department, directed that the distillation of Alcohol by the Commissariat Department, should cease consequent upon the Report* of the Revenue Board, that it might be safely discontinued. Paragraph 3 of the same Order, however, regulates the *selling price of the Alcohol remaining in Store*, which it is assumed sufficiently meets the representation of the Chemists and Druggists of Madras, above recorded.

* *Paragraph* 10 *of their Secretary's letter, No.* 7334, *dated* 18*th November* 1863.

2. His Excellency, however, is not prepared to sanction any further *distillation* of Alcohol by the Commissariat Department for sale to private individuals.

(True Extract.)

J. Marshall
Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department. Mad 20 Spare Copies
" Public Works Department.
" Commissary General.
" Controller of Military Finance.
" Military Accountant.
" Examiner of Commissariat Accounts.
" Adjutant General.

Erd. R. Stephenson.

2 December 63 No 52-53
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(1) Revenue Department
Rep. Con. for Feby.
No. 432.

Proceedings of the Madras Government
under date the 20th February 1864.

Read the following
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in the Mily. Department.

Declining to sanction any further distillation of alcohol by the Commissariat Dept. for sale to private individuals.

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No. 289.

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Alcohol by the Commissariat Department that has been forbidden from the 1st January 1864. Such quantity of Alcohol as may be still in store is available to the public at the price fixed in the Order of Govt. Military Deptt. 6th Decr 1863, No. 3995

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Pro: of the Madras Govt
Dy 20th February 1864.

Board of Revenue
requested to inform
certain Petitioners that
it is the distillation not
sale of Alcohol by the
Commissariat Departt
that has been forbidden
from 1st January 1864.

No 284 & 290.