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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
16th August 1865.

No. 271. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 31st July 1865, No. 4,505.

Read the following letter from G. L. MORRIS, Esq., Collector of Tanjore, to R. A. DALYELL, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 13th July 1865, No. 209 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to request that the Board of Revenue will obtain the sanction of the Government for the introduction of the sale of Stamps on the Discount system into this District.

2. I found this system work very well indeed in South Canara, where it was introduced in September last, and I know of no reason whatsoever why it should not answer equally well here.

3. I do not anticipate meeting with the slightest difficulty in finding respectable persons who will be willing to enter into the speculation: indeed I may add that one and all of the present Stamp Vendors have expressed their willingness to do so, and have requested that licenses may be granted to them.

4. I annex, in the margin, a list of the places where stamps are sold at present, and intend, in addition thereto, to grant licenses to Vendors at the Talook Cutcherries of Tirutarapundi, Pattukottai, Mannargudi, Shialli, and Mayaveram, and at the Firka Sub-Magistrates' Cutcherries of Vallam and Nidamangalam.

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Tanjore	do.	Mayaveram	do.
Tanjore Munsiff's Court.		Shialli	do.
Tiruvadi	do.	Tanjore Talook Cutcherry.	
Negapatam	do.	Negapatam	do.
Tiruvalur	do.	Combaconum	do.
Tirutarapundi	do.	Nannilam	do.
Pattukottai	do.	Negapatam Firka S. M. C.	
Mannargudi	do.	Vedarniem	do.
Combaconum	do.	Arandanghi	do.
Valangaman	do.	Adutorai	do.
Papanasam	do.	Valangaman	do.

5. There are in addition to these some more places also, where, I think, licenses may be granted bye and bye: for instance, Kivalur, Koviladi, Avadaiyarkovil, &c., but I should like the new system to be thoroughly introduced and understood, before very largely increasing the number of Vendors all over the District, and the Board may rest assured that I will grant more licenses whenever the requirements of any place or places shew that such are wanted, and are likely to sufficiently remunerate a Vendor.

The sanction of Government to the Collector's proposal will be requested.

No. 272. ORDER THEREON, 16th August 1865, No. 1,908.

Separate Revenue, No. 12.
Stamps.

1. Sanctioned as requested.

2. The Collector will be good enough to avoid the use of such native terms as "Firka," for which an equivalent in English can readily be found.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To W. Hudleston, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, R. D.

Copy to G. L. Morris, Esq., Collector of Tanjore.

Fxd. J. Wright.

Rev. 1865. Department.

Fee of Govt. for August

No. 2147.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 31st July 1865.

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No 4,505.

Requesting sanction for introduction of Discount system in sale of Stamps in Tanjore District.

No. 1908. 16 Aug.st.

With 6 Cir. Orders

"No 271 of 172

" 17 Aug.st/65 No 15"

No. 1908.

Sanctioned as requested.

The Govt. with the Govt. Treasurer to avoid the use of such extra terms as "Fika" for ½ an Equivalent in English & Canarese terms for same. L.R.

16th Aug.st/65.

14. To The Board of Revenue
Dest 17 Aug.st

What sort of Subdivisions are a "Fika" Subdivision? The use in English correspondence of terms which have a meaning only locally understood, & not recognized in any law or rule, is objectionable & embarrassing.

W.B.