

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 2151

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
9th September 1865.*

No. 191. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the
Public Department:—

Intimating to the Revenue Department
that the site of the Bankshall Sheds is } (Here enter 30th Aug. 1865, No. 893.)
not required for any public purpose.

No. 192. ORDER THEREON, 9th September 1865, No. 2,151.

Miscellaneous.

1. Communicated to the Revenue Board, with G. O.
Military Department, No. 2,706, dated 21st July 1865.

2. The Board will inspect the site, and arrange with the Collector of Madras
for its disposal to the best advantage.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, }
.. the Military Department, } With Proceedings Public Department, No. 893.
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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
30th August 1865.*

No. 110. Read the following letter from J. T. BLISSETT, Esq., Director, of Telegraphs, Southern Division, to the Honorable A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Madras, 4th August 1865, No. 896.

In compliance with the Order of Government in the Public Department, dated 3rd August 1865, No. 812, in which I am requested to state, with reference to my letter of the 8th October 1863, No. 1096, whether the site of the Bankshall sheds is required for the use of this Department, I beg to report my having inspected the place in question this morning, and to state that it is totally unsuited in every respect as a site for the erection of a Telegraph Office. The only use to which it could possibly be applied (should the ground be made over to this Department) is the erection, thereon, of a range of godowns for the custody of Stores. I beg to observe that this is not deemed necessary, so long as the Stores belonging to this Department, and now deposited on the North Beach, are permitted to remain there.

2. On my way to the sheds above alluded to, I inspected the ground adjacent to the Stamp Office recently erected on the Beach, and apparently now vacated by the Commissariat Department; and I would here mention that if it is in contemplation by this Government to provide a suitable site for the erection of a building for this Department at the Presidency, none better could be selected than the ground above referred to, it being considered sufficiently large for the erection of a building such as is actually required, and to afford every anticipated accommodation for stores, &c. It furthermore possesses the advantage of a superior location, and is much more central, so far as regards the mercantile community, than the building at present occupied, for which a monthly rental of Rupees 200 is now paid.

No. 111. ORDER THEREON, 30th August 1865, No. 893.

It will be intimated to the Revenue Department that the site of the Bankshall sheds is not required for any public purpose.
(True Extract).

G. J. Arbutnot
Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
" Military Department.

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