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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Dated 8- 9 — 1866.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 8th September 1866.

No. 208. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd August 1866, No. 6,032.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Ganjam, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Chetterpore, 13th August 1866, No. 2,002:—

1. In reply to Board's Proceedings of the 2nd instant, communicating Order of Government of the 28th ultimo, No. 1,874, on the subject of certain timber at Damrah, I have the honor to observe that Damrah, as the Board are probably aware, is in the District of Balasore in Lower Bengal, to which orders should be sent through the authorities of Calcutta.

2. Nine-hundred logs of Sal timber at Gopalpore were, however, inspected by a subordinate from the department of the Commissary of Ordnance, and only twenty approved. I think that in the public interest, it should be brought to the notice of Government, that if the Ordnance Department had made inquiry as to the dimensions of the timber lying at Gopalpore before sending an officer to the spot, both expense and trouble would have been saved, and I would further point out that timber of large dimensions than was brought to Gopalpore can be procured at Russelcondah, and there cut in the rough, in forms and dimensions supplied by the Department, at probably a considerable saving to the public treasury.

3. The timber rejected at Gopalpore has been sold at auction, and the proceeds credited to the Forest account.

Submitted for the consideration and orders of Government, with reference to Government Order, dated 28th July 1866, No. 1,874, Revenue Department.

No. 209. ORDER THEREON, 8th September 1866, No. 2,412.

Forests, No. 6.

Communicated to the Military Department, with reference to G. O. in that Department, dated 20th July 1866, No. 2,534.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Military Department.
,, the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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