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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 20th December 1866.

No. 376. Read again Board's Proceedings, dated 6th November 1866, No. 8,047.

Read also the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th December 1866, No. 8,685.

Read the following letter from the Officiating Director of Revenue Settlement, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 28th November 1866, No. 1,529-57 :—

Referring to the Board's Proceedings of the 23rd instant, No.—, communicating the Order of Government, dated 17th idem, No. 3,149, and calling for a report on the cost of the Settlement Registers now being printed for the Godavery, Kistna, and Kurnool Districts, I have the honor to state that, dividing the amount of the estimate, Rupees 27,000, by the total number of villages for which Registers have to be printed, viz., 1,651, multiplied by the number of copies to be struck off, viz., thirty, the cost per Register will be eight annas eight pies, or, including the value of the paper, about nine annas six pies. On the other hand, the average area of the above villages being upwards of 2,000 acres, the average price, according to the proposed scale, will be ten annas. Wherever from inquiry, it may appear that the demand for Registers is likely to exceed the number which will be available for sale, from the ordinary edition of thirty copies, an additional number will be struck off, and these the contractors are bound, by their agreement, to print without extra charge. This arrangement will tend to reduce the cost of each Register below the sum I have named, though the extent of such reduction cannot be at present estimated.

Submitted to Government, with reference to Government Order dated 17th November 1866, No. 3,149, Revenue Department.

No. 377. ORDER THEREON, 20th December 1866, No. 3,444.

Land Revenue

The Government sanction the rates at which the Acting Director of Revenue Settlement proposes (in his letter to the Board, dated 22nd October 1866, No. 1,368-49,) to sell the Settlement Registers of the Godavery, Kistna, and Kurnool Districts.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Officiating Director of Revenue Settlement.
,, the Accountant General.

Rrd. S. T. Augustin.

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Read again Rd's Pro: of 6th Nov 1866, No. 8047.

Read also No. 4425.

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Revenue settlement proposes in

his letter to the Board dated 22nd Oct.

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