

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
24th July 1868.*

No. 420. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th July 1868, No. 5,237 :—

Read the following letter from the Collector of Sea Customs, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madras, 9th May 1868, No. 529.

1. I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of Board's Order, dated 8th instant, forwarding Order of Government, No. 1,018, of 17th ultimo, submitting correspondence* from the Government of India regarding postponement of

* Will be returned.

revision of the existing tariff on cotton goods.

2. With reference to paragraph 2 of letter from the Financial Secretary to the Government of India, No. 1,259, of February 27th, 1868, I beg respectfully to remark that by the omission of coral, both wrought and unwrought, from the tariff, a loss of at least 50,000 Rupees has already been incurred by Government since April 1867.

Resolved that the letter above recorded be submitted to Government, in view to the attention of the Government of India being drawn to the loss of revenue which the exclusion of coral from the tariff entails.

No. 421. ORDER THEREON, 24th July 1868, No. 2,030.

Separate Revenue No. 20.

Customs.

It is observed that the receipts from the duty on coral in the three Presidencies amounted only to Rupees 55,402 in 1864-65, it is not clear therefore how the

exemption of this article from duty in 1867-68 can have occasioned a loss of revenue of Rupees 50,000 at Madras.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Ed. F. R. Bantleman.

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It is observed that the receipts from the duty on coal in the three Presidencies amounted only to Rs 55,402 in 1864-65, it is not clear therefore how the exemption of this article from duty in 1867-68 can have occasioned a loss of revenue of Rs 50,000 at Madras.

W.D.

24th July/68

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