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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
13th March 1868.

No. 229. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Department:—

Passing orders regarding the site selected by the Municipal Commissioners for a market place in the town of Nellore. } (Here enter 2nd March 1868, No. 282.)

No. 230. ORDER THEREON, 13th March 1868, No. 670.

Miscellaneous.

Communicated to the Revenue Board.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) F. BRANDT,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Public Department, No. 282.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department, 2nd March 1868.

No. 17. Read the following letter from the Acting Magistrate of Nellore, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Allur, 20th February 1868, No. 511.

I have the honor to report that the Municipal Commissioners of Nellore propose to build a market in the centre of the town. For this purpose they have bought out a number of persons who had huts scattered over the site, which have hitherto been a great nuisance. As the ground is very irregular, and full of pits and hollows, they have entered into communication with Mr. Ward, the owner of the Sarvepalli gate bastion of the old fort which adjoins this spot of land, and he has agreed to sell to the Commissioners all his right in the bastion, upon which his out-houses are situated, for Rupees 1000, the Commissioners taking all the stone, brick, and earth, the materials of the old wall, and allowing him to remove the materials of his godowns. The Commissioners propose to level the old bastion and use the earth for filling up the irregularities in the piece of ground they have selected for a market site, and also to make a new approach to the town leading into the main bazaar street across the ground now occupied by the bastion. On one side of the new approach they propose to build houses to be let out as shops.

2. The Commissioners will buy out Mr. Ward, as they have already done the owners of the huts, and they request that Government will allow them to occupy the ground for the purpose stated, as it is part of the village site. It is true that the Commissioners have acquired a right in the site by purchase, but I have thought it better to apply to Government for a final transfer of the land. The proposed alteration will be a great improvement to the town.

No. 18. ORDER THEREON, 2nd March 1868, No. 282.

The Governor in Council sees no objection to the site described in the letter above recorded being used, as suggested, for a market place, provided that there are no persons having claims on the land. Should there be any such claimants, the Magistrate will, if necessary, make the usual application for taking up the land under Act VI of 1857.

(True Extract).

E. Walker
Chief Secretary.

To the Magistrate of Nellore.
" Revenue Department.

Ed. P. E. Bentleman.

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