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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, with one Plan.

Copy to the Commissioner of the Neilgherries.

Exd. T. Cartledge.

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No. 192. ORDER THEREON, 14th October 1869, No. 2,794.

Miscellaneous.

THE Government sanction the grant of acres 9-2-8¼, specified in paragraph 4 of the Commissioner's letter, dated 29th July 1869, No. 106, as compensation to Mr. Marden for the land occupied by the trace cut through the "Hill Grove Estate."

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.

Rd. F. R. Bantleman.

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PROCEEDINGS, 17TH SEPTEMBER 1869, No. 6,955.

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SEPTEMBER.
No. 6,955.

Compensation—for certain land on Neilgherries belonging to Mr Marden, and taken up by P. W. Department, for a road.—Commissioner's report regarding land proposed to be granted to, submitted to Government.

Ct Collector Nly

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Rev. & Dept.

Memo for other
or No. 2224
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On reference to
Government Proceedings
dated 27th May 1869, it
will be observed that the
Public Works Dept. have
put no trees (to be eventually
rendered into roadmetal)
the Bell-grove estate at
Commr. the property of
Mrs. J. Marsden.

2 The rent is limited
down in Act VII of 1857
for taking up lands re-
quired for public pur-
poses, does not
appear

Govt. of {1869} Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated October, 1869.

Read.

G. O., 14th October 1869, No. 2,224.

Forwarded— 24 August/70 Corrbr

OCTOBER.

Nos. 191-192.

Mr. Murdoch's Petition for remission of the Nellgherries.—The grant of the land applied for as compensation, sanctioned.

Therefore requested as
to whether the compen-
sation proposed by
Mr. Brooks is to be
sanctioned.

Moved the same
Mundle Wm

A. J. P.

Revenue Department

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Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 14th October 1869.—

Read the following
Proceedings of the Board of
Revenue:—

Submitting Commissioner's report regarding land proposed to be granted as compensation for certain land on Neilgherries belonging to Mr. Marden used taken up by P.W. Department for a road.— (B. & 17th Sept 1869 No. 6955.)

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"Hill Grove Estate".—

2. It is observed the provisions of Act VI of 1857 do not appear to have been conformed to in this case.—

Sd.

W. Tilleo Esq Revenue Surv. Deputy

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