

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	2856.	Press
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<u>322-3</u>		
Dated	27 th October	1869.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
27th October 1869.*

No. 322. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 24th September 1869, No. 7,114 :—

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Nellore, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd September 1869, No. 1,720.

IN reply to the Board's Proceedings, dated 23rd ultimo, No 6,314, requesting me to report why no sale of old records destroyed has taken place since December last, I have the honour to state that the paper sold on the last occasion has not yet been removed by the purchaser. It appears that he claims that it should be weighed to him, the cost of weighing being borne by Government. Under verbal instructions from Mr. Dykes, the Treasury Deputy-Collector refused to comply with this request.

2. As the records were sold by the maund, they should be weighed in the presence of the purchaser, in order to show him the number of maunds for which he has to pay. I have directed the Deputy-Collector to lose no time in getting the paper weighed, employing the Attenders and Peons, and also coolies, if necessary; any expense so incurred to be defrayed from the sale-proceeds.

3. The records referred to in my letter to which the Proceedings under acknowledgment are a reply, belong to the Huzoor. The reports of the Tahsildars and the divisional officers on the destruction of their records, have not as yet been received. I have called for them, and on receipt thereof, the requisite orders will be issued, and the result reported to the Board.

4. When such a large quantity of waste paper is thrown on the market, the supply exceeds the demand, and it does not find a ready sale. This is no doubt one of the reasons why there has been no sale since December last.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government with reference to paragraph 2 of Government Order, dated 28th October 1867, No. 2,527, and in continuation of Proceedings of the Board, dated 23rd August 1869, No. 6,314.

No. 323. ORDER THEREON, 27th October 1869, No. 2,856.

Miscellaneous.

ORDERED to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. WELLESLEY,

Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Erd. F. R. Bantleman.

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Revenue 1869. *W. P. M.*
Board of Revenue,
MADRAS.
No. 3343.

PROCEEDINGS, 24TH SEPTEMBER 1869, No. 7,114.

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SEPTEMBER.
No. 7,114.

Destroyed records.—Collector's report as to why no sales of, have taken place in District, since December 1868, submitted to Government.

W. P. M. No. 2856
W. P. M. 27 Oct 1869

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