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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	773	Press ~~Mis.~~
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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
20th March 1869.

No. 532. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Department :—

Communicating letter from the Government of India, conveying the request of the Home Government, that all news of importance be communicated to England by telegraph. } (Here enter 13th March 1869, No. 314.)

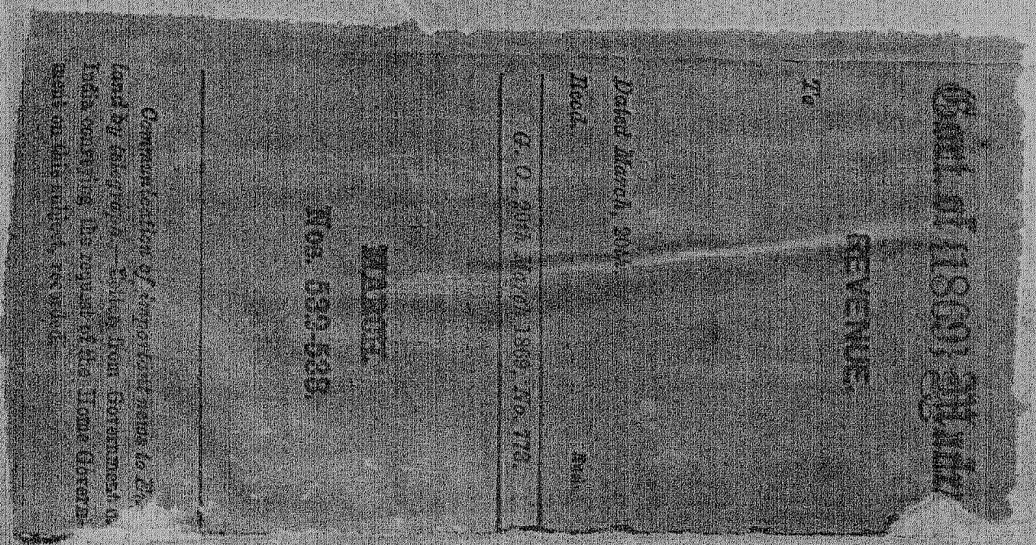
No. 533. ORDER THEREON, 20th March 1869, No. 773.

Miscellaneous. Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. W. WELLESLEY,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

Exd. G. A. Turton.


Govt. of Madras 24 MAR 1869
REVENUE.
To
Dated March, 1869.
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G. O., 20th March 1869, No. 770.
MILITARY.
Nos. 530-538.
Communication of correspondence noted in the margin, received from Government of India regarding the report of the Home Charges Committee, and the reply thereto.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
13th March 1869.

No. 92. Read the following Proceedings of the Government of India, Financial Department, dated Fort William, 27th February 1869, No. 1292.

Read the following:—

Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council; dated India Office, London, 20th January 1869, No. 34, (Financial).

In a Financial Despatch from Sir C. Wood to your Government, dated the 30th April 1864, No. 93, your attention was called to the needless expense incurred in sending, by telegraph to England, a weekly summary of news. In requesting that those summaries should be discontinued, Sir C. Wood stated that it was essential that, in regard to news of real importance, information should be sent at once by the most speedy means.

2. My attention has been called to the fact that telegrams have been received in this country, within the last few days, conveying the important intelligence that heavy rains had fallen in the North-West Provinces, to such an extent, as to be calculated to allay, in some degree, the apprehensions of famine that were entertained.

3. Information of this nature should at once have been communicated to me by your Government by Telegraph, and I have to request that you will take such steps as may be necessary for securing the regular transmission, in future, by telegram, of any intelligence of great importance.

...d above be sent to the Foreign, Home, Military and Public Works Departments, and the Governments of Bombay and Madras, for information and guidance.

(Signed) G. H. M. BATTEN,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 93. ORDER THEREON, 13th March 1869, No. 314.

Communicated to the Secretaries in the Revenue, Military, and Public Works Departments.

(True Extract).

R. Elles
Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
" Military do.
" Public Works do.

Exd. J. Wright.

Rev. Dept.

Govt. of 1869 Madras

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To

THE REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated March, 1869.

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G. O., 18th March 1869, No. 614.

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Nos. 92-93.

Communicating letter from the Government of India, conveying the request of the Home Government that all news of importance be communicated to England by telegraph.

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