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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 202 Press Mis.

Dated 31 - 1 - 1871.

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No. 420. Read the following letter from the Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Fort William, 20th January 1871, No. 401:—

I AM directed to enclose a copy of paragraph 35, page 108, of the Annual Administration Report of Mysore for 1869-70, and to request that you will be good enough to move His Excellency the Governor in Council to consider, in correspondence with the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, whether any means can be suggested to prevent the increase of the Earth Salt Works which cannot but endanger salt revenue.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Extract from a Report on the Revenue Administration of Mysore for 1869-70.

35. *Salt.*—The receipts under this head during the year amounted to Rs. 13,200, or Rs. 847 in excess of the previous year's realizations. The excess was due to the opening out of 41 new pans in the Kolar and Chituldroog Districts. There were 2,703 persons engaged in the manufacture of salt, and 2,798 pans were worked during the year.

No. 421. ORDER THEREON, 31st January 1871, No. 202.

Separate Revenue, No. 32.
Salt.

BEFORE opening correspondence on this subject with the Chief Commissioner of Mysore, the Government resolve to call on the Board of Revenue for a report on the system of Salt Earth Works in the districts under their control.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Govt. of {1871} Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated January 31st.

Read. *Ans.*

G. O., 31st January 1871, No. 202.

JANUARY.
Nos. 420-421.

Earth Salt Works in Mysore.—Letter from Government of India on this subject referred to the Board of Revenue for a report on the system of Salt Earth Works in the districts under their control.

Rec. 27/1/71

F. C. Sec. No 4200

No. 401.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George.

Financial Dept.

Sir,

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I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servant,

Fort William
The 20 January 1871

Under Secy. to the Govt. of India

Revenue Dept
Jan 27/71

From The Under Sec: to the
Lord Lieutenant &c.

Dated 20th Jan: 1871
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A.O.D.

Noted 31 Jan 71

Forwarding copy of Warrant 35 of the Commissioners of Customs & Excise appointing Robert Hyde Hodgkinson to be Surveyor in connection with the Coast Command of Ulster, whether any claim can be expected to arise on the occasion of the issuance of the Warrant for which it will be necessary to provide.

Answer

Reference 1871 Vol 202.

Upon giving consideration to this subject with the Ch. Comm.rs of Inquiry, the Govt. have taken the Bd. of Rev. from whom the Letters of Instruction to the Officers under this Act.

V.K.

31st Jan 71

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