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Sir

You did me the honour to forward me several interesting papers relating to Archæological Research, from the "Proceedings of the Revenue Department", some of which have already been reproduced in the "Indian Antiquary" and another will appear very shortly, viz Sir Walter Elliot's letter (G.O. 7 June 1871 No 1000) Mr Boswell's interesting Report (G.O. 14 Dec.r 71 No 2108) ought to follow. But it would be of interest to Orientalists to know what action has followed on the Govern.t resolution, especially paras 1, 3, 5, 6 and 7. Should any further information be now available, I shall esteem it a great favour if you can supply me with a copy

of the "Proceedings" in which it is contained.

I am at present preparing a small collection of facsimiles executed with the most perfect fidelity to the original sasanams. Some have already appeared in the "Indian Antiquary"; and should any one in Madras be disposed to send me a loan of such copper-plates, I shall be happy to make the facsimile and return the plates, with a few copies.

I have the honour to be
Sir, Your obed.t Ser.t
Jas. Burgess.
Editor
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