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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
24th April 1872.*

No. 262. Read the following Circular Memorandum from the Board of Revenue, dated Madras, 5th April 1872, No. 487 :—

THE Board observe that one effect of the operation of the new Postal Rules in respect of Service Covers is to bring to the Audit Department of the Board's Office very bulky packets of "Service Bearing Covers" as vouchers in support

Vide Government of India Notification, 30th September 1871, No. 4,032, published at page 1649, Fort St. George Gazette dated 24th October 1871.

of charges in the monthly Contingent Bills from the several districts.

2. Besides over-loading the imperial post, the examination of these "Covers" entails on the small number of Audit Accountants in the Board's Office an amount of work utterly disproportionate to its importance.

3. The Board, therefore, resolve, in modification of paragraph 8 of Standing Circular No. 10 of 1866, to direct the discontinuance of the despatch to this Office of the "Covers" on which "bearing" postage is disbursed in the districts.

4. They will continue to be sent as hitherto to the Treasury Deputy-Collector, who will, on due examination, forward to this Office an Abstract Memorandum showing the amount of such postage incurred in each Office, with a certificate at foot to the effect that the sums charged have been ascertained on examination to correspond with the covers received from the respective Offices.

(By Order.)

(Signed) J. B. PENNINGTON,
Sub-Secretary.

No. 263. ORDER THEREON, 24th April 1872, No. 669.

Miscellaneous.

APPROVED.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Officiating Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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"Service Bearing Covers"—not to be sent
to Board's Office in future in support of Postal
charges in monthly Contingent Bills of the
Districts.

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