No. 82. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Departm ent, (Public,) dated Simla, 25th August 1873, No. 44-2,747 :—

Resolution.—The Resolution o ıe Department, 11th September 1871, accepted the conclusion, established eports from all parts of India, that the loss of human life from wild animals venomous snakes is certainly enormous ; and the Governor-General in Council ac sired that every means should be taken for the extirpation of destructive animal s in the neighbourhood of human habitation ; the system of paying rewards for k illing beasts of prey and venomous snakes being understood to be the most effectu al method which the Government could employ. No limit was set to the amou nt of reward which might be given for killing wild beasts, but with regard to sn akes the local Governments were directed to make experiment and to report after t wo years.

2. His Excellency the Governor-General in Council now requests that a report may be prepared and sent y each local Government and Administration, showing the measures that have been taken in accordance with the Resolution of 1871, and the effect, so far as i t can be ascertained, of those measures. The experience of the past two years ou ght to throw some light upon the practical difficulties which have hitherto hin a more rapid extermination of dangerous animals, wherever the attempt has made in earnest. His Excellency in Council will be glad to learn that no pa ins are spared to do what can be done by the local executive ; and His Excellency wishes also to be informed whether any additional orders by the Government of India are thought necessary.

No. 2,748.

Order.—Ordered that a copy of thi s Resolution be forwarded to the several local Governments and Administrations and to the Foreign Department.

(Tr xtract.)

(Signed) A. C. LYALL,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 83. Order therefon, 12t September 1873, No. 974.

Miscellaneous.

G. O., 21st Januar 1871, No. 136.
,, 22nd Sept. ,, ,, 1,65

Forwarded to the Board of Revenue who will be good enough to submit a general report on the destruction of wild animals during the past two years, with reference to the orders noted in the margin.

2. A report has already b tted to the Government of India on the experimental grant of rewards for the d struction of snakes.

(Tru xtract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Ed. F. R. Bantleman.

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vide C.No. 348/24 (P.2 Appendix)

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
12th September 1873.

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RESOLUTION.—The Resolution of Home Department, 11th September 1871, accepted the conclusion, established by reports from all parts of India, that the loss of human life from wild animals and venomous snakes is certainly enormous; and the Governor-General in Council desired that every means should be taken for the extirpation of destructive animals in the neighbourhood of human habitation; the system of paying rewards for killing beasts of prey and venomous snakes being understood to be the most effectual method which the Government could employ. No limit was set to the amount of reward which might be given for killing wild beasts, but with regard to snakes the local Governments were directed to make experiment and to report after two years.

2. His Excellency the Governor General in Council now requests that a report may be prepared and sent up by each local Government and Administration, showing the measures that have been taken in accordance with the Resolution of 1871, and the effect, so far as it can be ascertained, of those measures. The experience of the past two years ought to throw some light upon the practical difficulties which have hitherto [illegible] a more rapid extermination of dangerous animals, wherever the attempt is made in earnest. His Excellency in Council will be glad to learn that [illegible]s are spared to do what can be done by the local executive; and His Excellency wishes also to be informed whether any additional orders by the Government of India are thought necessary.

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(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

15-11-18
3-8-21

No. 444 / 2447.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department (Public),—
under date Simla, the 15th August 1873.

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2. His Excellency the Governor General in Council now requests that a report may be prepared and sent up by each Local Government and Administration, shewing the measures that have been taken in accordance with the Resolution of 1871, and the effect, so far as it can be ascertained, of those measures. The experience of the past two years ought to throw some light upon the practical difficulties which have hitherto hindered a more rapid extermination of dangerous animals, wherever the attempt has been made in earnest. His Excellency in Council will be glad to learn that no pains are spared to do what can be done by the local executive; and His Excellency wishes also to be informed whether any additional orders by the Government of India are thought necessary.

Order.—Ordered, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the several Local Governments and Administrations, and to the Foreign Department.

(True Extract,)

A. Hyde

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 2448.

To The Secretary to Govt.
Fort St. George. No. 974 - 12 Sept. 73

1. Forwarded to the Bd of Rev who will be good enough to submit a memorandum on the destruction of wild [illegible] two years with reference to [illegible]

Govt Sanction No 136 dt 22 Sept/71
Do No 1654 dt 30 Sept/71

The order [illegible] report has also [illegible] the Govt of India on the

Rec'd 1873 Dept

No. 2661.

From
Govt of India Home Dept
(Public) 44
2747

Dated 25th Augt.
Rec'd 1st Sept. 1873

Forwarding copy of Resolution of Govt of India, Home Dept (Public) requesting a report shewing the measures that have been taken in accordance with the Resolution of 1871 for the extirpation of wild Animals.

Withdrawn