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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
9th July 1875.*

No. 100. Read the following Endorsement of the Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce, (Customs and Salt,) dated Simla, 22nd June 1875, No. 214 :—

Read the following despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

Separate Revenue,

No. 4.

INDIA OFFICE, LONDON,

8th April 1875.

MY LORD,—The despatch of your Excellency in Council, dated 15th of January, No. 1 of 1875, transmitting a correspondence on the question of raising the price of salt in Malabar and Canara in the Madras Presidency to a rate covering both the duty for the time being and all charges incurred by Government in supplying these districts with salt, has been considered by me in Council.

2. I have given this difficult question my best consideration, and have come to the conclusion that it would not be just any longer to apply a portion of the Imperial duty to the payment of the charges, consequent on the importation of a superior quality of salt into these districts which are two of the most favored districts in India.

3.* I must, therefore, state my concurrence in the views expressed by your Lordship in Council in the expediency of the legislative measure enabling the Government to raise the price of salt to such an amount as will allow the full duty to be realised on all salt consumed in the Madras Presidency.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) SALISBURY.

To His Excellency the Right Honorable

The Governor-General of India in Council.

Copy forwarded to the Government of Madras for information, in continuation of the telegram from this department, No. 84, dated the 9th March last.

(By Order,)

(Signed) C. J. LYALL,

Under-Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 101.

ORDER THEREON, 9th July 1875, No. 1,033.

Separate Revenue, No. 13.
Salt.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. MACGREGOR,

Acting Secretary to Government.

N^o 4

India Office, London

8th April 1875.

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The Governor General of India,

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Charles Fyfe

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

