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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
20th April 1877.*

No. 483. Read the following letter from Major A. DE C. SCOTT, R.E., Acting Superintendent of Revenue Survey, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated Chepauk, 14th April 1877, No. 1,206-50 :—

I HAVE the honor to report the loss of the Government property detailed in No. 310, five-inch Theodolite by Troughton and the margin under the following circumstances.

Simms.
1 Spare eye-piece.
1 Microscope, 1 screw-driver.
Value Rs. 240.

2. The Theodolite was in charge of Sub-Assistant Mr. Hollingsworth, who is employed with a Survey Party on the Nullamalai Hills, in the Cuddapah District, and with its appendages it was stolen from his camp on the night of the 20th January 1877. The whole party appear to have slept in close proximity to each other in a mandapam near the Nagaluty pagoda. The instrument was placed apparently between the Sub-Assistant and the peons, and there does not seem to have been any neglect of proper precautions for its security.

3. The Police were at once communicated with; but they have hitherto failed to discover the thief or to recover the property. The country is wild and infested with Brinjaries and Chentsoos. It is probable that money was sought for, and that the instrument may have been cast aside in the jungle. I have suggested to the Deputy Superintendent that he should offer a reward for its recovery, and request the approval of the Government to this course.

No. 484. ORDER THEREON, 20th April 1877, No. 1,493.

Miscellaneous.

APPROVED. The amount of the reward offered should have been stated.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Officiating Chief Secretary.

To the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

No. 1206
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Revenue Survey Office,

14th April 1877.

From

The Actg. Superintendent Revenue Survey,

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

SIR,

I have the honour to report the loss of
No. 310, fine inch theodolite the Government Property detained in
by Troughton & Simms the margin under the following circum-
stances.
Spare eye piece
Microscope & screws & dimes
Value Rs. 240

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with a Survey Party on the Nallamalai Hills in
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REVENUE
THE SUPERINTENDENT
REVENUE SURVEY
G.O. 20th April 1877, No. 1480.
APRIL
NO. 458-484
Theodolite lost in Chidambaram District. — As per
the publication of a Notice offering a reward for
the recovery of the — but observing that the
amount of the reward offered should have been
revised.

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Sir,

Your Most Obedt. Servant

Paul Scott

Major R.E.

Az. Superintendent Res. Survey

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