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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 2nd November 1878.

Read the following letter from H. W. BLISS, Esq., Commissioner of Salt Revenue, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Tuticorin, 25th October 1878, No. A-1,300 : —

IN reply to the Board's Proceedings, Miscellaneous No. 10,185, dated 3rd October 1878, I have the honor to state that, if the system is to be maintained whereby transfers are not to be permitted during an official year from a Civil to the Public Works Department Budget, the course proposed by the Chief Engineer will quite meet my views.

2. I should be glad however, if, as September 15th is the date fixed for the submission of the budget of the Salt Department, the same date could be fixed for the submission to the Chief Engineer of the list of works to be executed by the Public Works Department in the ensuing year.

3. I observe that the Chief Engineer speaks of my selecting works to the extent of the grant sanctioned by the Government of India. I hope, however, that it will not be forgotten that the Salt Department is not quite in the same position as in any other departments. The wants of a manufacturing department must be considered by themselves and with reference to its own separate budget, and cannot fairly be submitted to any test depending on the comparative convenience of the execution works departmentally or through the agency of the Public Works Department; otherwise progress must often be checked to the direct injury of the Revenue.

SUBMITTED to Government with reference to G.O., Public Works Department, dated 25th September 1878, No. 3,769-W.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department.
Copy to the Commissioner of Salt Revenue.
" " Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Exd. G. Freeman.

Board of Revenue,

MADRAS.

To

THE SECY. TO GOVERNMENT,
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