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6th December 1878, No. 1,968.

Read the following paper :—

No. 76. From A. O. HUME, Esq., c.s., Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce (Statistics), to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Calcutta, 26th November 1878, No. 559-C.

In paragraph 1 of the letter from this Department, No. 443, dated the 24th October 1877, addressed to the Government of Bombay and forwarded by endorsement to the Government of Madras, it was requested that in all cases of doubt as to the interpretation of the tariff, reference should be made to the Government of India and not from one Custom-house to another. It is understood, however, that these instructions are not acted upon by the Collector of Sea Customs at Madras, who, recently being in doubt as to the classification under the Tariff of velocipedes, referred for instructions to the Collector of Customs at Calcutta.

2. I am to request that the special attention of the Collector of Sea Customs at Madras may be called to these instructions, the careful observance of which is essential if uniformity of practice in the taxation of articles not distinctly specified in the Tariff Schedule is to obtain at the different ports of India. In regard to the particular case of velocipedes, I am to point out that velocipedes (bicycles, tricycles, &c.,) should be classed in the Trade Returns under "Carriages and carts and parts thereof."

No. 77. ORDER THEREON, 6th December 1878, No. 1,968.

Separate Revenue, No. 6.

Customs.

COMMUNICATED to the Board of Revenue with reference to G.O., 6th November 1877, No. 3,201, for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

Signed) L. A. CAMPBELL,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.

No 559 1968
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Drawn.
A.O. Hume, Esquire, C. B.
Secretary to the Government of India
Department of Revenue,
Agriculture, and Commerce

To
The Secretary to the Government of Madras
Calcutta, 26th November 1870

Statistics

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THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

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Telegraphic Communication to the Board of
Revenue, for information and guidance, later
from the Government of India on the subject of
classing in the Trade Returns under "Carriages
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am to point out that velocipedes, tri-
cycles, bicycles, &c., should be classed
in the Trade Returns under "Carriages
and Carts and parts thereof."

I have the honour to be,
Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. Hume

Secretary to the Government of India.

Revenue 1878 Department
No 5299

From
Govt of India
Revenue Dept^l

No 1968

Commemorating
to the Board of Revenue
with reference to G.O.
of January 1877 No 3201
for information and
guidance

Dated 26-10-78
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6 December 1878

To the Board of Revenue
7/12/78

G.O. of January 78 No 1968

Requesting that the
special attention of the Govt of India
may be called to letter dated 21-10-78
No 559, requesting that in all cases of doubt as to
the interpretation of the Tariff, reference
should be made to the Govt of India and not
from one Custom House to another and, further,
that Velocipedes (bicycles, tricycles, etc.)
should be classed in the Trade Returns
as "Carriages & Carts & parts thereof."