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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 6th March 1861.

No. 95. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Political Department, dated 23rd February 1861, No. 118:—

Approve of the arrangement proposed by the Collector of Malabar in view to exempting from duty at British Cochin all Pepper covered by the Certificates of that State, and direct that it be adopted.

(Vide Political Proceedings, 23rd February 1861, No. 72, 73.)

No. 96. ORDER THEREON, 6th March 1861, No. 515.

Ordered to be communicated to the Board of Revenue for their information and for communication to the Collector.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

Political Department

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Read the following:—

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 4th February 1861, No. 609:—

Read the following letter from P. GRANT, Esq., Collector of Malabar, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort Saint George, dated Calicut, 19th January 1861, No. 17.

SIR,

I have received Proceedings of Government and their Order thereon, dated 21st December 1860, No. 743, in which I am directed, after communication with the Resident of Travancore, to state what arrangements I would propose for adoption in view to exempting from duty at British Cochin all Pepper covered by the Certificates of that State.

2. It appears, that all Pepper in Travancore, on which duty has been levied, is covered in transit, through that State, by a Rawana. If meant to be exported from British Cochin, the Exporter can obtain, in lieu of the Rawana which he returns, and which is eventually sent to the Travancore Húzur, a Certificate at the Travancore Frontier Custom House, to the effect that duty has been paid on the Pepper.

3. All that appears necessary, therefore, as Mr. Maltby observes, is the production of these Certificates at the British Cochin Custom House, which should be received in lieu of duty, and transmitted monthly to the Travancore Authorities, by whom they will be compared with the Rawanas issued from the various Táluqs in that State, in view to the discovery of any smuggling.

4. This plan seems simple and easy of adoption, besides being effectual for the repression of smuggling. Any Pepper, unaccompanied by a Certificate, would of course be charged with duty at Cochin.

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1. Submitted to Government with reference to their Order dated 21st December last, No. 743 in the Political Department.

2. The arrangement proposed by the Collector seems to the Board the best that can be adopted under the circumstances.

(A true Extract. and Copy)

(Signed) J. D. SIM, *Secretary.*

ORDER THEREON, 12th February 1861, No. 333.

Communicated to the Political Department with reference to the Order in that Department dated 21st December 1860, No. 743.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Political Department,

Order

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Order thereon 23d February 1861, No 118

Ordered to be communicated to the Resident of Travancore & Cochin in reference to the Proceedings of Government, dated 21st December last No 7413. The Government approve of the arrangement proposed, and direct that it be adopted.

/True Extract./

H Ogg
Chief Secretary.

To,
The Revenue Department

P. Monaxell

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Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Political Dept.

Dated 23d } February

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No 118

Approve of the arrangement proposed by the Coll: of Malabar in view to exempting from duty at British Cochin all Pepper covered by the Certificates of that State, and direct that it be adopted.

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Ordered to be communicated to the Board of Revenue for their information and for communication to the Collector

Fort St George,

6th March 1861.

Copy to the Board of Revenue with Pro: P.D. No 118.

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