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Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
19th January 1867.

No. 400. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 9th January 1867, No. 131.

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Coimbatore, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 15th December 1866, No. 309 :—

1. I have the honor to inform you that, with reference to the Proceedings of the Board, dated 31st October 1866, No. 7,857, the tolls over the Cauvery bridge at Bowany, and over the Bowany at Suttymungalam, were sold by me on the 12th instant for Rupees 1,400 and 1,900 respectively.

2. The income will, therefore, be 3,300 as against 1,092, the net sum formerly realized after paying the establishment. The proceeds of a toll on the bridge over the Bowany at that place would be greater than those of that over the Cauvery, and very little of the traffic would be liable to both tolls, while that over the Bowany bridge is to a great extent due to visitors from a distance who come to bathe in the Cauvery.

3. In paragraph 3 of their Proceedings, under date December 6th, 1864, No. 2,207, the Government decided that it was not then expedient to toll both bridges, but looking at the recent introduction of local taxation into the principal towns, to the working of tolls elsewhere in the district, and to the increasing difficulty in procuring the sums needful for road repair from Imperial Funds, I venture to submit that both bridges might now be tolled, and I recommend that the Collector be authorized to put up the Bowany bridge toll, at an upset price of 1,500 Rupees.

Submitted for the information and orders of Government, with the Board's recommendation in favor of the Acting Collector's proposal.

No. 401. ORDER THEREON, 19th January 1867, No. 190.

Local Funds, No. 3.
Account.

The Collector will forward a rough sketch shewing the relative position of the Cauvery and Bowany bridges, and their connection with the adjoining main lines of road, and will give his opinion on the proposal to establish an additional toll.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Coimbatore.
„ the Board of Revenue.

Exd .S. T. Augustin.

No 190.

[illegible] Ld. Lieut. Lord Howard
a Privy Council Warrant
for Letters Patent for
the Canvey & Benfleet
Bridges & their annexation
to the adjoining Hundred
Lines of Road - with
Plan thereon annexed
proposed to be established
as additional Toll-

Gates

1 Feb. Minutes of Proceedings of 22d
14th Board of Trade

19th May 1857.

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No. 87.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

From Collector of Coimbatore
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No. 131.

Submitting report from Acting Collector Coimbatore of sale of tolls over Cauvery at Bowany bridges, and recommending Collector's proposal to toll latter bridge, which was objected to in 1864.

No 400 to 401.

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