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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 956 — Press Mis.

404-405

Dated 29-4-1867.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 29th April 1867.

No. 404. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 24th April 1867, No. 2,489.

Read the following letter from the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Chepauk, 26th March 1867, No. 489/14 :—

1. In acknowledging the receipt from the Board of Revenue, of the Order of Government, No. 391, dated 16th February 1867, I have the honour to append extracts from the Madras Demarcation Rules :—

Paragraph 30.—* * * "In laying out large tracts of waste into new fields, "straight lines should be drawn at convenient distances apart, and cross lines again "taken to set off the fields."

Paragraph 34.—"For the field boundaries, stones are the best marks where "procurable within a reasonable distance. * * *. A single stone may be "employed for each corner."

2. It will thus be perceived that the plan recommended has been in use in this Presidency for the last seven years, and probably prior to its introduction to the Revenue Survey, Central Provinces.

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1. Submitted for the information of Government, with reference to the Government Order dated 16th February 1867, No. 391.

2. The Board infer that the author of the recommendation alludes to lands sold under Waste Land Rules. The plan is suitable enough, as a general rule, to Ryotwary allotments in the plains; but in the hill tracts purchasers generally prefer selecting their own blocks and pay the expense of survey.

No. 405. ORDER THEREON, 29th April 1867, No. 956.

Land Revenue.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue,

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Pro. 16 Feby 1867 Nos 210-211.

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No. 1074.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 24th April 1867.
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No. 2,489.

Submitting for information with remarks letter from Superintendent Revenue Survey stating that suggestion for permanent ~~works~~ for Government Waste land as adopted by Survey Department Central Provinces has been in use in this Presidency for the last seven years.

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No 1048 dated 30th April 1867 to Govt Rev Dept Cir