

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
21st August 1867.*

No. 164. Read the following letter from the Proprietors of the *Native Advocate* Newspaper, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Madras, 7th August 1867.

We have the honor to enclose a copy of the *Native Advocate* Newspaper, a weekly publication lately started by us, and respectfully wish to be informed if the Madras Government will do us the honor of subscribing to the paper in question.

2. Ours being a Native Newspaper, we have secured a large number of subscribers of some of the most respectable classes among the population. Information of a public character, such as is usually placed by the Government at the disposal of the Press, will, therefore, be very thankfully received by us, and given insertion to in our columns.

3. Our humble and respectful request to you, therefore, is that you would be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government to forward us, for the use of the *Native Advocate*, all the official papers weekly placed on the Editors' table.

No. 165. ORDER THEREON, 21st August 1867, No. 1032.

The Proprietors of the *Native Advocate* are requested to furnish Government with one copy of their weekly periodical, and are informed that the Editor will have access to such official documents as are placed at the disposal of the Press.

(True Extract).

J. Brant
Under
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Proprietors of the *Native Advocate*.

" Accountant General.

" Examiner of Claims.

" Revenue Department.

" Military Department.

" Public Works Department.

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