

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
31st January 1868.*

Read the following papers :—

No. 554. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 27th January 1868.

Read the following :—

Season Report from 1st to 15th January 1868.

RAIN.—No rain, most of the tanks dry.

STATE OF CROPS.—There has been scarcely any cultivation during the fortnight, and great loss of crop, wet and dry, owing to failure of water-supply; some black and green gram, &c., has been cut in dry land, and Samba paddy in wet. Average out-turn from one-eighth to three-eighths of an average crop.

PRICES.—Prices rising very gradually. Export inactive. Imports increasing.

PUBLIC HEALTH.—Small-pox in the talook of Chittoor. In the talooks of Palmanair and Vellore, some fever and ague. In the talooks of Poloor and Wallajah cholera, which had broken out to a slight extent, is disappearing.

CATTLE.—Cattle generally healthy. Pasture and drinking water failing day by day.

WALLAJAH,
23rd January 1868.

(Signed) J. D. ROBINSON,
Collector.

From the Collector of North Arcot, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Wallajahpet, Wallajah talook, 24th January 1868, No. 20.

1. I am happy to have to report that it rained heavily for two hours this forenoon in the neighbourhood* whence I now write.

* Ranipet.

2. It was very cloudy all yesterday, and in the evening there was a short drizzling shower. I have just heard from Chittoor that there was rain there yesterday afternoon, and there is, therefore, reason to hope that the shower has been general. At the time I write, it looks very watery to the eastward, and there is evidently more rain coming up. The rain even which has already fallen, though too late to save much of the perishing crop, will do vast good to the failing pasture.

Submitted for the information of Government.

No. 555. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 7th January 1868.

Read the following letter from the Collector of North Arcot, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Wallajahpet, 25th January 1868, No. 21.

1. In continuation of yesterday's letter, I have the honor to report that the rain-fall from 6 p. m. last evening to 6 a. m. this morning, has been $3\frac{1}{8}$ inches. No floodwater has yet passed down the Palar or Ponne rivers, but the neighbouring tanks have received a month's supply. The rain comes too late to do much for wet crop operations, but will greatly stimulate the cultivation of raggy and cholam in wet land, and will save a good deal of standing rice-crop in the more favorably circumstanced parts of the district.

2. Beyond all, it removes the grave anxiety felt respecting forage and water for the farm-stock during the next two or three months. The skies at this moment look more watery than they have done on any day during the last twelve months. From private reports I gather that the rain is general.

Submitted for the information of Government.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
31st January 1868.

No. 556. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 27th January 1868.
Read the following telegram from the Collector of North Arcot, dated 25th January 1868:—

Average Bazaar prices for week ending 25th January 1868.—Madras measures per Rupee: Paddy first sort, north of Palar, $14\frac{3}{4}$; south of Palar, $17\frac{3}{4}$. Paddy second sort, $15\frac{1}{2}$, $18\frac{1}{2}$. Rice first sort, $6\frac{3}{4}$, $7\frac{3}{4}$. Rice second sort, $7\frac{1}{4}$, $8\frac{1}{4}$. Raggy, 11, $11\frac{1}{2}$. Cholum, $9\frac{3}{4}$, $10\frac{1}{2}$. Camboo, $10\frac{3}{4}$, $12\frac{1}{2}$. Horse-gram, $13\frac{3}{4}$, $12\frac{1}{4}$.

Submitted for the information of Government. The annexed statement exhibits the prices of food-grains during last week and the week previous.

Statement showing the average Bazaar prices in the District of North Arcot for the week ending 25th January 1868.

	PADDY.		RICE.				RAGGY.		CHOLUM.		CAMBOO.		HORSE-GRAM.	
	1st Sort.	2nd Sort.	1st Sort.	2nd Sort.	1st Sort.	2nd Sort.	Week ending 18th January 1868.	Week ending 25th January 1868.	Week ending 18th January 1868.	Week ending 25th January 1868.	Week ending 18th January 1868.	Week ending 25th January 1868.	Week ending 18th January 1868.	Week ending 25th January 1868.
North Palar ...	Measures per Rupee. $14\frac{1}{4}$	Measures per Rupee. 15	Measures per Rupee. $6\frac{1}{4}$	Measures per Rupee. 7	Measures per Rupee. $7\frac{1}{4}$	Measures per Rupee. 8	Measures per Rupee. 11	Measures per Rupee. $11\frac{1}{2}$	Measures per Rupee. 10	Measures per Rupee. $9\frac{3}{4}$	Measures per Rupee. 11	Measures per Rupee. $10\frac{3}{4}$	Measures per Rupee. 13	Measures per Rupee. $13\frac{3}{4}$
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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
31st January 1868.

No. 557. ORDER THEREON, 31st January 1868, No. 270.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered that the above papers be laid on the Editors' Table.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Relief Committee.
,, W. Robinson, Esq.
,, the Editors' Table.

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No. 270.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 31st January 1868.

Read the following
Proceedings of the Lrd of Revenue.

Submitting reports from the
Col^{rs} of North Arcot on the state of
the season in his District. (Here enter 27th Jan^y 1868)

Submitting for the informa-
tion of Gov^t letter from the Col^{rs}
of North Arcot reporting on fall of
rain in the District on the night
of the 24th instant. (Here enter 28th Jan^y 1868)

Submitting for information
Telegram from Col^{rs} of North Arcot
showing the average Bazaar prices
for the week ending 25th January 1868. (Here enter 28th Jan^y 1868)

Ordered that the
above papers be laid on
the Editors' Table.

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1 Copy to the Relief Committee
1 Copy to Mr. Robinson Esq
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Report to Congress
for the year 1868
J. A. Smith

Season Report

No. 270.

Report to the
Commissioner of
the General Land
Office
for the year 1868
J. A. Smith

No. 354. 2557.

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No. 1

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.
dated 27th January 1868.

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Cattle ——— Cattle generally healthy.
Pasture and drinking
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North Arcot, ...
Collr's Circuit Office,
Wallajah, 23rd Jan^y.
1868. } (Signed) J. D. Robinson
Collector.

To, R. A. Dalyell Esq^r.
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras

From, J. D. Robinson Esq^r.
Collector of North Arcot.

To, R. A. Dalyell Esq^r.
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North Arcot, ...
Collr's Office on Circuit,
Wallajahpet Wallajah Taluk
24th January 1868 } (Signed) J. D. Robinson
Collector.

Submitted for the information
of Government.

(True Copies & Extract.)

W. Dalrymple
Secretary.
To, The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

Esq^r H.
Esq^r P. B. Mantranga

Report to Congress
of the Secretary of the
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Submitting report
from the Collector of
H. Creek on the state
of the season in his District

No. 554.

Case No. 31

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Revenue Department.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
dated 27th January 1865.

Read the following-

No. 21

From

J. D. Robinson Esq^r
Collector of North Arcot

To

R. A. Dalzell Esq^r
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras.

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S. Arcot
Collyer's Circuit Office } / signed / S. D. Robinson
Wallapahet 25th }
January 1868 } Collector

Submitted for the information
of Government.

True Copy &c &c

W. A. A. A.
Secretary

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The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

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Submitting for the
information of Govt
letter from the Collector
of N. C. and requesting
in full of same in the
abstract on the receipt of
the 24th Oct 1868
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Revenue Department

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue -
dated 27th January 1868.

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Horse gram $13\frac{3}{4}$ - $12\frac{1}{4}$

Submitted for the information of
Government, the annexed Statement ex-
hibits the prices of food grains during
last

Statements shewing the average Bazar
prices in the District of North Arcot, for the
week ending 25th January 1868.

(A true Copy of Extracts)

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Secretary

To,
The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

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Submitting for information
a Telegram from Collectors of
North West showing the
average Bazar prices for
the week ending 25th January
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