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REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

PATENTS.

RESOLUTION.

No. 9 P

Dated Simla, the 3rd July 1891.

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Order 13th Aug 91: No. 692.
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*Subject has regard
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SUBJECT.

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Gazette

[A. P. B.]

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WITH ORDER

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