

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
3rd May 1861.*

No. 19. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st April 1861,
No. 2,136:—

Read the following letter from W. M. CADELL, Esq., Collector of Tanjore, to J. D. SIM, Esq.,
Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort Saint George, dated Tanjore, 20th April
1861, No. 120.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to report for the information of the Board that, since the commence-
ment of the month the weather has been unusually hot and sultry, and that several heavy but
partial falls of rain have taken place in different parts of the District; these falls have been accom-
panied by much thunder and lightning.

2. The Tahsildar of Pattukottai further reports that, at the sea port of Adrámpatnam on the
10th instant, it blew most violently from the south-east for the space of nearly quarter of an hour,
and that during this short time about 400 thatched houses and 20 tiled ones were almost entirely
unroofed. The top of the Gópurum of a small Pagoda was also blown down, and also the heads
of two or three hundred cocoanut trees. Two boats lying on the shore were also raised by the wind
to a considerable height and dashed to the ground with much violence. Some people were more
or less injured, but fortunately no lives were lost.

3. The area over which this atmospheric disturbance extended was very confined, but as in
connection with similar occurrences, which may possibly have taken place elsewhere, it may be of
interest. I have thought it of sufficient importance to bring the same to the notice of the Board.

Submitted for the information of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM, Secretary.

No. 20.

ORDER THEREON, 3rd May 1861, No. 98G.

Ordered to be recorded.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

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Submitting a
letter from the Collector
of Bangalore reporting on
the state of the weather
and on the circumstances
connected with a gale in
which the Administration
on the 10th of June 1861

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With enclosure
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