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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 9th May 1862.

No. 184. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th April 1862, No. 2,303:—

Read the following letter from G. THORNHILL, Esq., Collector of the Kistna District, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Masulipatam, 15th March 1862, No. 44.

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2. In this order, as well as in the Board's Proceedings quoted in it, I am censured for not having reported the state of the roads at an earlier date. I beg, therefore, very respectfully to bring to the notice of the Board that the state of the roads in this District was pointed out by me both in the Administration Report, dated 28th May 1861, No. 118, paragraph 38, and in the Public Works Report, dated 24th September 1861, No. 235, paragraphs 6 and 10. In addition to these two Reports, I would beg the Board kindly to refer to my letter of the 11th February 1861, No. 34, regarding the supply of bullocks, &c., to travellers in which in paragraph 1, I pointed out that with the exception of the Masulipatam and Hyderabad road, there was not a road on which travelling by posted bullocks was practicable.

20th February 1862, No. 1,333.

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Ordered to be submitted to Government, with reference to their remarks quoted by the Collector. The Board find that the bad state of the District roads was briefly mentioned by the Collector in the letter referred to by him, but so important a subject should have been brought more prominently to notice.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL, *Sub-Secretary.*

No. 185. ORDER THEREON, 9th May 1862, No. 1,021.

Ordered to be recorded.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

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Sub-Secretary.

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.

Copy to G. Thornhill, Esq., Collector of the Kistna District.

Exd. J. Wright.

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Dated 8th April 1862.

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Submitting letter from the Collector of the Kistna District regarding the state of the roads in his district, with the Board's remarks thereon.

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