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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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11th December 1862.*

No. 157. Read the following letter from J. SILVER, Esq., Collector of Tinnevely, to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Tinnevely, 27th November 1862, No. 505 :—

SIR,

1. With reference to the Proceedings of Government, dated the 4th October last, No. 2,136, calling for a report upon the state and prospects of the Cotton cultivation for the current season, and as to whether the cultivation this year is greater than that of the preceding year, I have the honor to state that immediately on the receipt of the above proceedings I called for the necessary returns from the Talooks, but I have not yet received the Statements for some of the Zamindári lands. However as Government have twice directed in their Memoranda of the 5th and 21st instant to expedite the despatch of my report, I beg to state, with reference to the returns I have before me, but which are not yet complete, that the cultivation raised up to the end of October in this year, exceeds that raised during the corresponding period of last year, by about 40,000 Acres. There was favorable rain at the commencement of the season, and the standing plants are thriving well.

2. It will be observed that the above increase is only up to October, and there remain two months in which the cultivation can be carried on.

3. Besides sending repeated orders to the Tahsildars to explain to the Ryots the great demand for Cotton, the high prices obtaining in the market, and the advantage they will derive by extending the cultivation, I have myself explained all this to the Ryots in person, during my last Jamahbundy tour, and as the season is good I anticipate that the area that will be brought under Cotton cultivation this year, will greatly exceed that of last year.

No. 158. ORDER THEREON, 11th December 1862, No. 2,585.

Ordered to be laid on the Editor's table.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

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Sir,
Your most Obedt Servt.

J. Fisher
Collector

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From
Jas. D. Baker of N.Y.

to Wm. D. Secoy
the Joint Secretary
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John David George

Dated 27th November
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