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24th February 1862.*

No. 454. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 15th February 1862, No. 1,091 :—

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3. It is difficult, in the present excited and unsettled state of the Cotton Market, to affix a value to the sample sent, but it is considered that with "good fair" Tinnevely (valued) at 8d. the lb., Cotton of the quality of the sample would be worth at least 10d. the pound in the English markets.

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Ganjam and to Mr. Minchin, and that copy be submitted for the information of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary.*

No. 455.

ORDER THEREON, 24th February 1862, No. 391.

Ordered to be recorded.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

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To G. S. Forbes, Esq., Collector of Ganjam.

„ Mr. Minchin. *Esq.*

„ J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D., for information.

„ the Honorable R. O. Campbell, Chairman Chamber of Commerce.

Exd. J. Wright.

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John W. Dyer
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