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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
26th May 1863.*

No. 300. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st May 1863:—
Read the following letter from J. SILVER, Esq., Collector of Tinnevely, to W. HUDLE-
STON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Kovilpatty, 14th May 1863,
No. 196.

SIR,

I regret to have to report to the Board that the rains which fell last month all over the District and which were heaviest in the northern Talooks, have done much injury to the Cotton crop. I am now in the middle of the Cotton growing Talooks, and from enquiries I have been making, it appears that the heavy April rains coming at a time when the pods were opening, for much of the crop was later this year owing to the North-east Monsoon having set in both earlier and lasted longer than usual, injured the crop greatly. There is a much larger area under Cotton this year than has been known before, but neither the yield nor the quality will be equal to that of the crop of last year. The demand in the market, however, still continues high and Rupees 240 a Candy is given at Tuticorin.

Ordered to be submitted for the information of Government, and to be communicated to the Chamber of Commerce.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Secretary.*

No. 301.

ORDER THEREON, 26th May 1863, No. 904.

Ordered to be communicated to the Home Government.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

My love Selects England
2nd June 1883 B. H. H.

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