

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	710	Press
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Dated	1-4	1865.

Not to be folded or roughly handled

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
1st April 1865.*

No. 1. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 20th March 1865.
Read the following letter from H. G. SMITH, Esq., Collector of Cuddapah, to R. A. DAL-
YELL, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cuddapah, 8th March
1865, No. 27.

SIR,

With reference to the Board's Miscellaneous Circular, dated 18th January 1865, No. III—293,

BEST NATIVE COTTON OF CUDDAPAH DISTRICT, UNCLEARED
WITH SEED.
2½ Candies or 46½ Maunds, each Maund contains 52 Seers,
each Seer is Rupees 20 weight.
INDIGENOUS COTTON OF WEAK STAPLE, UNCLEARED WITH SEED.
2½ Candies or 47 Maunds, each Maund contains 40 Seers,
each Seer is Rupees 24 weight.

I have the honor to advise you of my having
this day despatched to your address the bales
containing Cotton, as specified in the margin,
and request that you will take charge of them
on arrival at Madras by the Railway train.

Ordered that the country Cotton, received with the foregoing letter, be forwarded to Govern-
ment, with reference to their Order, dated 5th January 1865, No. 19.

No. 2.

ORDER THEREON, 1st April 1865, No. 710.

Miscellaneous.

* 2½ Candies or 46½ Maunds best uncleaned Native Cotton
of Cuddapah with seed.
2½ Dn. or 47 do. uncleaned Indigenous Cotton of weak
staple with seed.

Ordered that the four bales* of Cotton
received with the Board's Proceedings above
recorded be forwarded to the Collector of Sea
Customs, who will take the earliest opportunity
of despatching them to the Secretary of State
(re-packed if necessary) by a sailing vessel,

intimating at the same time the name of the ship and the date of its departure, with the Invoice,
for communication to the Home Government.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Sea Customs.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

MISCELLANEOUS CIRCULAR, No. III.

Board No. 293.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 18th January 1865.

Read the following:—

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following Despatch from the Right Honorable Sir C. WOOD, Bart., Secretary of State for India (Revenue), to His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George, dated India Office, London, 17th November 1864, No. 56:—

1. I forward herewith, for the information of your Excellency in Council, twenty-five copies of a Memorandum which has been prepared by Dr. Forbes Watson "relating to Dr. Forbes's objections to the Emery Saw Gin, and suggesting certain experiments to test the effect of Saw Gins upon native cotton, and to determine the influence exercised by high pressure in baling; with tables shewing the cubic contents of the bales and density of the cotton exported from India, &c."

2. I have to request that you will take measures for procuring and forwarding to England the quantities of the different descriptions of seed cotton specified in paragraphs 8 to 21 of the Memorandum.

ORDER THEREON, 5th January 1865, No. 19.

Communicated to the Board of Revenue in continuation of paragraph 2 of the Proceedings of Government marginally noted, with instructions to attend to the requisition in paragraph 2 of this Despatch.

22nd December 1864, No. 2,303.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,

Under Secretary to Government.

1. Ordered that the copies of the Memorandum be distributed to Collectors. The Board gather from paragraphs 20 and 21 of it, that 14 Candies of uncleaned native cotton are required from this Presidency, of which a moiety is to be of the best kind that can be got, and the remainder of weak staple.

2. The Collectors of Tinnevely, Coimbatore, and Cuddapah will be requested to purchase and forward each 2½ Candies of the *best* native cotton of their respective Districts *uncleaned*, and the *same quantity* of indigenous cotton of a naturally weak staple similarly uncleaned.

3. The supply from Tinnevely should be sent by sea.

4. The Collectors will submit bills for the costs incurred.

(True Extracts.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) H. M. C. KELLY,

Acting First Assistant.

To All Collectors, with copy of the Memorandum.

Exd. J. Wright.

Distributing copies of Dr. Watson's Memorandum, suggesting certain experiments to test the effect of Saw Gins upon native cotton, and requesting certain Collectors to forward 24 Candies of the best uncleaned native cotton, and the same quantity of uncleaned cotton of a weak staple.

Board No. 293.

Dated 18th January 1865
Received

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,
To All Collectors.**

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X $2\frac{1}{3}$ candles 0146 $\frac{1}{2}$ mowers Best mechanical Natural Bottom of Buckle pack with 0142.
 $2\frac{1}{3}$ - 0147 $\frac{1}{2}$ So Buckle and Ludger and Bottom Peak Staple with 0142.

2. Sent to the Home Govt. -
 1st. Apr. 1865 -
 2. By the Coll^y of Sea Customs -
 1st 3rd Apr.

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The 4 bales
the Board's
be forwarded
to the Collector of Sea Customs, who
will take the earliest opportuni-
ty of despatching them to the Secy.
of State (repacked if necessary) -
by a sailing vessel intimating at
the same time the name of the
ship and the date of its departure
with the Invoice for communication

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Ordered that the 4 bales of Cotton received with the Board's Pro: above recorded be forwarded to the Collector of Sea Customs, who will take the earliest opportunity of despatching them to the Secy. of State (repacked if necessary) by a sailing vessel intimating at the same time the name of the ship and the date of its departure with the Invoice for communication

to the Home Govt.
 16/3/1865
 By the Collr. of Sea Customs
 Des 30/1/1865

x 2 1/2 bales of cotton received with the Board's Pro: above recorded be forwarded to the Collector of Sea Customs, who will take the earliest opportunity of despatching them to the Secy. of State (repacked if necessary) by a sailing vessel intimating at the same time the name of the ship and the date of its departure with the Invoice for communication to the Home Govt.
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Board No. 293.

Distributing copies of Dr. Watson's Memorandum, suggesting certain experiments to test the effect of Saw Gins upon native cotton, and requesting certain Collectors to forward 2 1/2 Candies of the best uncleaned native cotton, and the same quantity of uncleaned cotton of a weak staple.

No. 5th January 1865

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Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue

Dated 20th
Despatch 20th
Dec. 20th March 1865

From the Coll^y of Sea Customs
Madras 5 April 1865

Forwarding 2 1/2
Candies of uncleaned
Country Cotton received
from the Collect^r of
Cuddalore.

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10th 1st Apr

With regards
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