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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
4th July 1866.*

No. 41. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 26th June 1866.

Read the following:—

Season Report for the second fortnight of May 1866.

In this fortnight there has been a scanty fall of rain in all the Talooks except Usur. In the Salem, Trippatur, Trichengode Talooks, Poonjah lands have been ploughed in places where the rain was good, and have been sown with Cumboo, Cholum, and other seasonable dry grains. Prices of grain and condiments are increasing so much so that poorest classes are obliged to use different roots for their food. Cattle are dying for want of water and fodder in places where no rain has yet fallen. Cholera and fever and cattle disease have not ceased in parts of Kistnagherry, Dharampury, and Salem Talooks. Lands which have the benefit of well irrigation have been sown with "Karoo" paddy and garden products, and the crops are in a pretty good condition. In dry land the standing crops of Cholum are withering away for want of rain.

SALEM, ON CIRCUIT,

SANKARIDRUG,
19th June 1866.

(Signed) D. ARBUTHNOTT,
Collector.

Submitted for the information of Government.

No. 42. ORDER THEREON, 4th July 1866, No. 1,631.

Land Revenue.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Ed. S. T. Augustin.

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