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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department
29th January 1866.

No. 502. Read the following letter from the Collector of Malabar, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Calicut, 15th January 1866, No. 8 :—

19th October 1864, No. 210.

1. Adverting to the Proceedings of Government noted, I have the honor to report on the result of the experiment with the Carolina Paddy.

2. The seed was distributed to the several Tahsildars in the District, and to Mr. Brown of Anjerakandi.

3. In Wynaad the experiment was a total failure, which the Deputy Collector there attributes partly to the badness of the seed and partly to heavy rains.

In the Cherkal and Kurumbranad Talooks the seed sprouted partially, but the plants with few exceptions withered away.

In Palghat the seed sprouted, but the plants perished from want of rain.

4. Of the seed sown in North Malabar only one-fourth germinated.

Mr. Brown states that the seed itself was bad, but my Acting Sub-Collector thinks that it was sown at a wrong season. He writes that had the seed been sown in March, the proper sowing season, instead of October as appears to have been done, what did germinate would still be flourishing.

5. In other parts of the District success cannot be said to have attended the experiment.

No. 503.

ORDER THEREON, 29th January 1866, No. 254.

Miscellaneous.

Communicated to the Board of Revenue.

(True Extract.)

Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

„ the Collector of Malabar:

„ the Editor's Table.

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Revenue Department

Fort St George

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14. To the Board of Commissioners
of the Revenue Department

Referring to the
order of the Government
in the case of the
Collector of Customs
Calcutta, dated 18th Dec
1863.

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