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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
13th November 1866.

No. 278. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 12th November 1866.

Read the following :—

Season Report for the fortnight ending 31*st October* 1866.

1. The rain-fall has been general throughout the District, and very heavy in some parts ; the crops are flourishing, pasture is in abundance. The Huggry and Toombadra rivers are full. The tanks and wells in the District have also received large supplies.

2. Agricultural operations are being actively carried on. White Cholum, Cotton, and Paddy are being sown, while Raggy and other crops are being reaped. The standing crops are reported to be flourishing, while the partially faded crops of the Talook of Madaksera are reviving.

3. The distress in the District, though mitigated to a very great extent, still prevails in some parts. The able-bodied poor, excepting those who have to attend to their fields, are still employed on Famine Works, while the infirm poor still continue to be relieved.

4. Cholera still prevails in some parts of the District. 338 deaths are reported in five Talooks during the past fortnight. 262 deaths from fever are reported in four Talooks. Cattle are free of disease.

BELLARY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,
8th November 1866.

(Signed) W. S. LILLY,
Head Assistant Collector, for Collector.

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1. Submitted for the information of Government.
2. Copy to the Relief Committee.
3. The prospects of the season appear to be exceptionally good.

No. 279. ORDER THEREON, 13th November 1866, No. 3,079.

Land Revenue.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Relief Committee.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

Rev. 1866. Despatch
Pro: of Govt. dated 22nd November
No. 4054.

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of Bellary for 2d fortnight
of Oct 66.

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