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2. The Collector recommended remission of half the arrears due, as well as the loss by re-sale, on the ground that petitioner's losses were large; but the Board refused to remit what was actually due, on principle, because such a course is calculated to deceive future bidders, and encourage improvident offers.

3. The extraordinary causes of loss enumerated at the end of the petition are evidently exaggerated, and are the result of an afterthought.

No. 281. ORDER THEREON, 14th August 1867, No. 1,888.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Government admit the force of the Board's reasons for refusing to remit any portion of the sum of Rupees 640 due for Fusly 1275; but as their object is not to enforce payment of an extravagant rent, but only to check reckless bidding, they consider that it will be sufficient to require payment of Rupees 400 only. The Board will issue instructions accordingly.

2. The following Endorsement will be passed on Petition 507 of 1867 :—

"Petitioner is referred to the Collector, who will receive instructions on the "subject of this petition."

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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~~The Govt having considered~~ will receive instructions under the subject of ~~this petn~~ the Collr to call upon the Petr to enter into this petn

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Minute to say we collect 400 & remit the rest

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The object is not to enforce payment of rent but to check reckless bidding & the Govt consider that the sum of Rs 640 due for the Fasli should be collected for the purpose

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