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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 13th May 1868.*

No. 303. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th May 1868.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Bellary, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Camp at Alur, 22nd April 1868, No. 80:—

1. Adverting to paragraph 6 of the Board's Proceedings, dated 17th instant, I beg to apologize for neglecting to comply with the Board's instructions regarding the submission of weekly reports on the condition of the district.

2. Previous to receipt of their orders on the subject, I had issued instructions to the Tahsildars to submit weekly reports to me, but owing to the defective arrangements connected with the Talook Tappal in this large district, for which there is no remedy at present, I have only up to date received them from eleven talooks. These are appended, and will, I trust, be considered favorable, the time of the year being taken into consideration.

SEASON REPORTS.

| No. | Name of talook. | Rain-fall. | Prices. | Supplies in market. | Public health. | Pasturage. |
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| 1 | Bellary (6th to 12th April). | Slight rain at Bellary and in 8 villages lying on the north and south. | Paddy 23 Seers.<br>Rice 9½ „<br>Cholum 23 „<br>Sujjalu 24 „<br>Ragi 28 „ | Well supplied. | Slight fever at Sergooppa and Kenchanagoodda. Five deaths among cattle from the Moosra at Ibarampuram. | Abundant. |
| 2 | Allur (7th to 13th April). | No rain. | Rice 9½ or 10 Seers<br>Cholum 24 „<br>Korralu 40 „<br>Sujjalu 24 „ | Do. | Good. | Do. |
| 3 | Raidrug (7th to 13th April). | Do. | Rice 1st sort 9⅓<br>„ 2nd „ 10½<br>Cholum 26<br>Ragi 27<br>Sujjalu 23<br>Horse-gram 26 | Do. | Fever and Moosra disease prevail in some villages. Further particulars will be given in future reports. | Do. |
| 4 | Hospett (5th to 11th April). | Slight rain on the 5th and 11th. | Paddy 1st sort 19<br>„ 2nd „ 22¼<br>Rice 1st „ 8<br>„ 2nd „ 9¼<br>Cholum 31<br>Sujjalu 29<br>Ragi 34<br>Horse-gram 32 | Do. | Do. | Do. |
| 5 | Gooty (5th to 11th April). | No rain. | Rice 8 Seers.<br>Cholum 21 „<br>Ragi 24 „<br>Sujjalu 23 „ | Do. | Fever and small-pox slightly prevail in some villages. | Do. |
| 6 | Kudlighi (7th to 13th April). | Slight rain. | Paddy 24<br>Rice 1st sort 10<br>„ 2nd „ 11<br>Cholum 32<br>Ragi 34<br>Horse-gram 32 | Ordinarily supplied. | Fever and Moosra disease prevail in some villages. Particulars will be furnished in future reports. | Do. |

SEASON REPORTS.—(*Concluded.*)

| No. | Name of talook. | Rain-fall. | Prices. | Supplies in market. | Public health. | Pastura |
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| 7 | Annantapur (6th to 12th April). | No rain. | Rice 1st sort 10½<br>„ 2nd „ 11½<br>Cholum 22<br>Ragi 25<br>Sujjalu 22<br>Horse gram 24 | Well supplied. | One death from small-pox out of 40 attacked in the village of Peddacotelu. | Scanty. |
| 8 | Huvinhudgaly (7th to 13th April). | Do, ... | Rice 10 seers<br>Cholum 40 „<br>Horsegram 44 „<br>Korralu 30 „ | Do. ... | Slight fever in some of the villages. | Abunda |
| 9 | Dhurmaveram | Do. ... | Rice 1st sort 10½<br>„ 2nd „ 13<br>Paddy 1st sort 23<br>„ 2nd „ 28<br>Cholum 20<br>Ragi 21<br>Sujjalu 22 | Do. ... | Ten persons at Cusbah had been attacked with small-pox, all recovered. | Scanty |
| 10 | Adoni, (ending 20th April). | Do. ... | Paddy 1st sort 18<br>„ 2nd „ 24<br>Rice 1st „ 10<br>„ 2nd „ 10½<br>„ 3rd „ 11<br>Cholum 24<br>Ragi 30<br>Sujjalu 25<br>Horsegram 25 | Do. ... | Good. | Abunda |
| 11 | Madacsera. (7th to 13th April). | Do, ... | Paddy 1st sort 26<br>„ 2nd „ 28<br>Rice 1st „ 12<br>„ 2nd „ 13<br>Cholum 24<br>Ragi 28<br>Sujjalu 20 | Do. ... | Fever and Moosra disease prevail in some villages. Further particulars will be given in future returns. | Scanty |

(Signed) H. E. SULLIVAN,
*Collect*

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1. Submitted for the information of Government.

2. Copy of two reports of the Acting Collector of Cuddapah on the sta the Kadiri talook, with Proceedings of the Board and of Government, are here transmitted to the Acting Collector, who will arrange for a careful inspection c adjacent portion of the Bellary district with a view to ascertaining that no si condition of affairs exists.

3. Should any distress be discovered, the Acting Collector will be guide the spirit of the orders of Government in the case of the Cuddapah District.

4. He will understand that he has full discretion to incur any expendi he may deem requisite, in the event of an emergency similar to that in Kadiri



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No. 304. ORDER THEREON, 13th May 1868, No. 1,331.

Miscellaneous.

The Board's Proceedings are approved, but it is observed that the distressed portion of the Kadiri talook is not that adjoining Bellary.

(True Extract.)
(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
*Secretary to Government.*

To the Board of Revenue,

Exd. S. T. Augustin,

No. 1331. 35

The Petr. prays
an Appeal. Intimn.
is ordered that the
Distress for Costs &
the Landing Warrant be
set aside & nothing
further done.

13th May/68

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Wood

In Consr. Court Bd. of Revs. Decr. 14