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No. 529. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 16th May 1868:—

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Madras, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madras, 13th May 1868, No. 150.

1. I have the honor to submit the season report for the week ending 10th of May.

2. There has been no alteration in the state of the country or people.

3. Very slight showers fell in Ponnery and Trivellore talooks on the 9th instant, but not sufficient to produce any good results; the cattle are everywhere suffering much from want of water and pasturage. In Madurantakam and Chingleput want of water and pasture is now beginning to be felt.

4. Small-pox and fever continue prevalent. Prices are stationary, except in Ponnery, where there has been a rise in the price of paddy, the price of rice not having been affected. About 500 men and women, employed in the Chembrambakkam tank, were thrown out by the stoppage of the works; it is not stated that any distress was caused by it, but such sudden stoppages of work in a season like the present, are to be greatly deprecated.

Submitted for the information of Government.

No. 530. ORDER THEREON, 22nd May 1868, No. 1,436.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Relief Committee.
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