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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Revenue DEPARTMENT

G.O. No.
B.P. No.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
25th August 1874.

No. 225. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 5th August 1874, No. 2,106:—

Read the following letter from C. T. LONGLEY, Esq., Collector of Salem, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 20th July 1874, No. 259:—

With reference to the Board's Miscellaneous No. 3,354, of the 13th ultimo, I have the honor to state, that the only taluq which did not suffer in any way by the Cyclone of May last, is Namakul. In all others, there has been loss of cattle, and damage, more or less, as follows:—

Salem.—Five irrigation works were breached. Two persons (a male and a female) were killed by lightning and 40,738 head of cattle perished.

Ahtur.—A child of six years old was killed by the falling of a wall. Five thousand nine hundred and sixty-five cattle perished.

Trichengode.—Loss of cattle 2,519. No other damage.

Darampoory.—Three tanks were breached, drowning a man and a woman who were passing at the time. Nine thousand eight hundred and thirty-two head of cattle perished.

Krishnagherry.—Eighteen tanks and three anicuts breached, and 5,449 cattle died.

Oosoor.—The walls of several houses fell. One tank breached, and three were damaged. Ten thousand and fourteen head of cattle perished.

Tripatūr.—Nearly 300 houses fell. Twenty-two tanks and four anicuts breached, and 1,525 head of cattle died.

Utengeri.—Six anicuts and thirty-three tanks were breached, a few houses damaged, and 46,893 head of cattle perished.

2. The Board will perceive from the above, that the loss of cattle throughout the district, amounting to 1,22,935, (of this number half were sheep and goats,) especially in the taluqs noted in the

Salem, Oosoor, and Utengeri. margin, has been most serious, and far exceeds the loss by the Cyclone of May 1872, when only 52,226 cattle perished. The damage to irrigation works was comparatively slight, and far below the damage done by the former cyclone above alluded to. Irrigation works in the district suffered most.

SUBMITTED to Government, with reference to G. O., dated 29th May 1874, No. 655.

No. 226. ORDER THEREON, 25th August 1874, No. 2,107.

Miscellaneous.

THE Governor in Council desires that the Board of Revenue, will state whether they would recommend any, and what measures of relief in respect of the serious loss of cattle reported by the Collector of Salem.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
25th August 1874.*

2. It should be also stated whether the repairs of the tanks have been attended to.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Rev.

Exd. G. A. Turton.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 5th August 1874

Read the following:

No 259.

From,

The Collector of Salem

To,

The Secretary to the Board
of Revenue
Madras

Sir,

With reference to the
Board's Miscellaneous No 3954 of
the 13th ultimo, I have the honor to state
that the only Taluk which did not
suffer in any way by the Cyclone
of May last is Namakkal. In
all others, there has been loss of
cattle

REVENUE.

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated August 25th

G. O., 25th August 1874, No. 1,072.

AUGUST.
Nos. 225-226.

Serious loss of Cattle in Salem District, in the
Cyclone of May 1874. Desiring Revenue Board
to report whether they would recommend any
and what measures of relief in respect of the
and also whether the reports of the J. M. have
been attended to.



cattle and damage, more or less as follows.

Salem.

Five irrigation works were breached. Two persons (a male & a female) were killed by lightning and 40,738 head of cattle perished.

Akthi —

A child of six years old was killed by the falling of a wall. 59,750 cattle perished.

Trichingode - Loss of cattle 2,519.

Other damage.

Darampoory -

Three tanks were breached, drowning a man and a woman, who were passing at the time. 9,832 head of cattle perished.

Trishnagherry -

Eighteen

tanks and three anicuts breached, and 5,449 cattle died.

Opoor -

The walls of several

several houses fell. One tank breached, and three were damaged - 10,014 head of cattle perished.

Tripathur -

Nearly 300 houses fell.

Twenty-two tanks and four anicuts breached, and 15,25 head of cattle died.

Vitengiri -

Six anicuts and

thirty-three tanks were breached, a few houses fell, and 46,893 head of cattle perished.

2.

The Board will perceive

from the above that the loss of cattle throughout the District, amounting to 1,22,935 (of this number half were sheep and goats) - especially in the Taluqs noted in the margin, - has been most serious, and far exceeds the loss by the Cyclone of May 1872, when only 52,226 cattle perished. The

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Salem
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-paratively slight, and far below
the damage done by the former cyclone
above alluded to. The irrigation works
in Triplicane & Tuticorin suffered most.

Salem Collector's Office } I have the
Salem 20th July 1874 } (signed) C. J. Lingley
Collector

Submitted to Government
with reference to G. O. 29th May 1874
No 655.

(True copy & Extract)

J. Gore

Secretary

The Secretary, Government
Revenue Dept.

C. J. Lingley
Salem
Collector

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 2040

From Pro. B^d of Rev. Dated 5th August 1874.

FOR ORDERS.

The 5000 cattle which
have been lost here, as
in the past by old animals
be killed by being run over
to live till death should
be taken them. The cattle
might be all made to give an

So 29 May 174 No. 279-8.

No. 2640.
Revenue 1874 Sept 11
Proceeding of the
Board of Revenue.

Patil 5th August
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Submitting of
letter from Collector
of Balan, regarding the
loss of cattle and
damage done in the
last cyclone in the
District.

So 25 August 174
No 1072
For orders

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advance to the right
as have lost ploughing
cattle to the same extent
as to about their means
of cultivation.

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has advanced on
asked Nov 12/8

whether the P. George
any which measures of
relief in respect of the serious
loss of cattle. 1/15/8

7/10/82

Have the reports
of the Parker been
submitted to?

FOR ORDERS.

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C 8th Aug 74 R 17th

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Revenue Department.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 25th August 1874
Read the following

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Submitting to Govt letter from
Collector of Salem regarding the
loss of cattle and damage done
in last Cyclone in the District.

N.E. 5 August 1874, N^o —

The Governor in Council
desires that the Board of
Revenue will state whether
they would recommend
any, and what, measures
of relief in respect of the
serious loss of cattle reported
by the Collector of Salem.

It should be also
stated whether the repairs
of the Tanks have been
attended to.

[Signature]

Seen
24/8 MM

L. B. P. A. M.
2/2/9/74

[Signature]

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Loss of cattle in the
Saline D. in the Cyclone
of May last.

On
June
19th

R/27/8/42
R/27/8/43

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