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No. 2,235.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 10th August 1875.

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 8th July 1875,  
No. 1,448, Financial Department:—

ABSTRACT.—*Provincial Services.*—Letter from Government of India inquiring whether agricultural exhibitions cannot be made self-supporting, and, if not, whether the charges cannot be transferred to Provincial with a small assignment, communicated to the Board of Revenue for their opinion.

THE Board see no prospect of agricultural exhibitions in this Presidency being made self-supporting. No receipts have been derived from the Addanki and Nellore Shows, and at the Madras Agricultural Exhibition of 1874 they amounted to only Rupees 314 against a total expenditure of Rupees 8,890.

2. The Board see no objection to the transfer of the charges on this account to Provincial from Imperial revenues, provided an adequate assignment from the latter is made. Provincial revenues have as good a claim to a contribution for this purpose as for model farms, but the assistance proposed by the Government of India will be merely nominal. The grants for the last five years have been as shown in the margin and the period, say Rupees 10,000, might be taken as a fair allotment.

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| 1871-72 ... .. | 5,000  |
| 1872-73 ... .. | 4,000  |
| 1874-75 ... .. | 14,000 |
| 1875-76 ... .. | 21,000 |

(A true Extract.)

Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department.  
Copy to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Ed. J. W. Fischer.

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**BOARD of AGRI-CULTURE,  
MADRAS.**

PROCEEDINGS, 10TH AUGUST 1875, No. 2,235.

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**AGRICULTURAL Exhibitions—in Madras Presidency.**—Government informed that Board see no prospect of — being made self-supporting, but that there is no objection to the transfer of the charges on this account to Provincial from Imperial revenues, provided adequate assignment from the latter is made.

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*List.*

*1 To the Board of Agr. Dec 1875*

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