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No. 361. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st September 1876, No. 2,403:—

Read the following letter from G. D. LEMAN, Esq., Collector of the Kistna District, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Masulipatam, 12th September 1876, No. 1,598.

I HAVE the honor to report on the high fresh in the Kistna which occurred early in August and was noticed in by season telegrams of 3rd and 9th August 1876.

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3. No loss of life has been reported, but the cattle appear to have suffered to some extent for want of fodder for a few days. The localities affected by the flood are the taluq of Repalli and the Divi Division of Bandar Taluq and the Zemindaris Devarakotta, Vallur, and Nuzvid.

4. In Repalli breaches were caused to the embankment of the western bank channel through which the water forced its way and flooded the neighbouring tract of country. The Tahsildar and the Sub-Engineer did what was possible to close the breaches and were successful in preventing their occurrence in some places where their existence would have resulted in much loss.

5. In Divi the river embankment and some of the tanks breached. Most of the breaches in the tanks have been closed and the necessary repairs in respect to others are in progress. Many of the tanks received their supply.

6. The season for the cultivation of early dry crops had just begun, and, as the south-west monsoon had not fairly set in, the ryots had been in no hurry to put in their early dry crops. The flood has not caused much damage. Paddy had not been transplanted, and if there was any damage at all it must have been to seed-beds.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

2. The Board are glad to learn that but little damage has been caused by the inundation.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

No. 362. ORDER THEREON, 29th September 1876, No. 1,382.

Miscellaneous.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Public Works Department.
Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Revenue Department. 1362 ✓

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.
Dated 21st September 1876.
No. 2403.

Read the following

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As Secretary

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