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No. 356. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 11th November 1876, No. 2,808:—

Read the following letter from J. H. GARSTIN, Esq., Collector of South Arcot, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cuddalore, 8th November 1876. No. 528.—

I AM glad to be able to report that rain has again, at length, fallen. During last night 2.40 inches fell, and since day-break 1.03 inches. I trust the fall has been general, for it was very much wanted.

2. Prices have risen very high* and the poor are in consequence suffering considerable distress. I hope that the recent fall of rain will, by enabling the rice-fields to be planted out and agriculture generally to be undertaken, tend to lower prices and provide occupation for those who stand in need of it for their subsistence.

* Prices at Cuddalore on 8th November 1876:—

1st-sort rice, 5 measures per Rupee.			
2nd do.	5	"	"
Gram	6½	"	"
Raggi	8	"	"
Cumboo	8½	"	"

P.S.—Since the above was written more than three inches of rain have fallen.

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H. E. STOKES
Acting Secretary.

No. 357. ORDER THEREON, 21st November 1876, No. 1,738.

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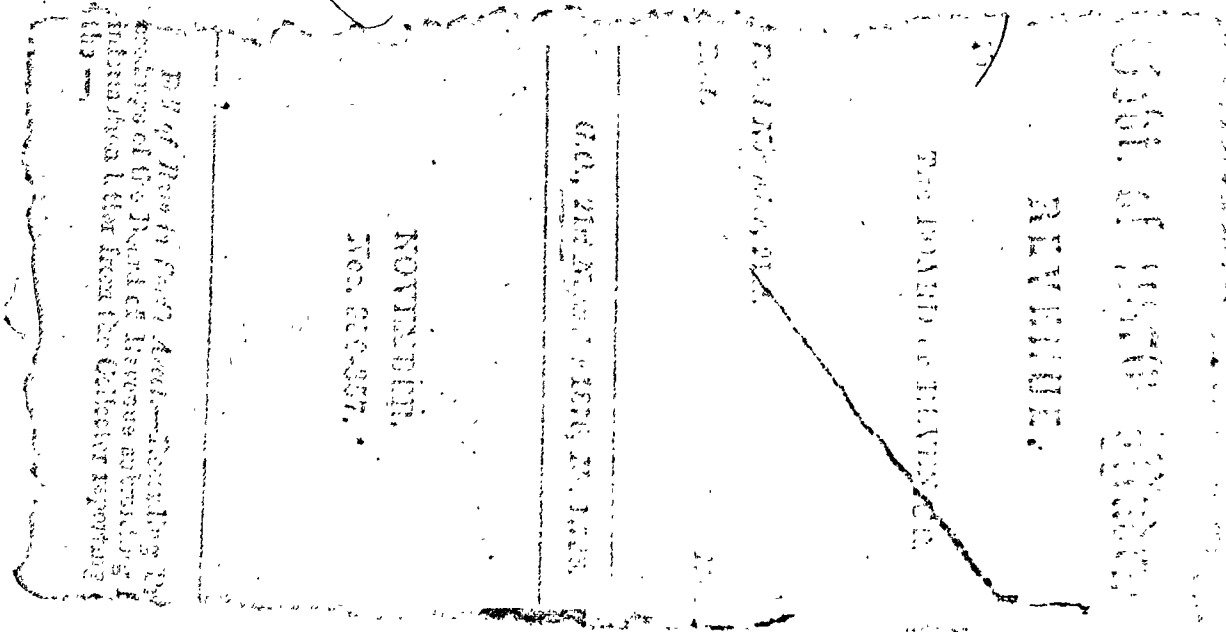
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(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Dated 11th November 1876

Read the following:—

No. 528.

From J. H. Fursten Esq.

Collector of South Arcot.

To H. E. Stokes Esq.

Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras.

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Collector's office } (Sd) J. H. Forsyth
Cuddalore. }
24. Nov 1876 } Collector.

P.S. Since the above was written
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9th November. (Sd) J. H. F.

Submitted for the information

of Government.

/ True copy retained
W. H. S.
Secy Secretary.

To

The Secretary to Government.
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