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REVENUE DEPARTMENT

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Famine Relief.

No. 41. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 12th April 1877:—

Read the following letter from A. J. STUART, Esq., Acting Collector of Tinnevely, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Virdupatū, 27th March 1877, No. 190.

In continuation of my report, No. 164, dated 8th instant, I have the honor to inform the Board that the late rain, though it has done much good in improving the supply of drinking water, is probably too late to improve materially the agricultural prospects of the year.

2. I have, since writing the report referred to, been over most of the Sattur Taluq, and find that large areas where cotton was sown three or four months ago, but where the seed did not germinate for want of rain, are now showing the young plants above the ground. I am credibly informed that if there are timely rains, at least two more, one within ten or fifteen days and some later, these crops will produce a slender harvest of cotton; but I am sorry to say that this is the reverse if probable at this time of year. Gingelly and a kind of cumboo which takes two months only to mature have been sown, but only in a few places and very sparingly; whether this will come to anything depends similarly upon future rain.

3. In a few places tanks have received a supply sufficient to enable the ryots to raise garden crops.

4. On the whole the benefit will be to the water-supply only unless we have further rain—I regret to say an improbability.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Secretary.

No. 642. ORDER THEREON, 25th April 1877, No. 1,560.

Miscellaneous.

RECORDED.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Additional Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Financial Department.

GOVT. OF INDIA
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 No. 641-042
 P. O. 250 2nd April 1877 No. 1024
 Take care at Treasury, District, Recording
 Proceedings of the Board of Revenue on 17th
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 are much good in improving the water supply

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Revenue Department

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 12th April 1877

Read the following.

No. 190

Board's L.R.
No. 3453.

Shri
 A. J. Stuart Esq.
 A. Collector

L. H. C. Stokes Esq.
 Secretary to the Board of Revenue
 Madras.

Sir,
 In continuation of my
 report No. 44 dated 5th Instant, I
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Trimmerly Collector
Arcot District
Vidupatti 24th
March 1877

I have &c.
J. Stuart
C. Collector

Submitted for the
information of Government.
(True Copy & Extract)

John Stuart
Secretary -

To
The Asst. Secretary to Govt.
Rev. Dept.

Call

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Proceeding of the
Board of Revenue

of 12th April 1877 -

Item 13 - 28.10.76

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