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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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No. 123. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 20th February 1861, No. 957 :—

Read the following letter from J. SILVER, Esq., Collector of Tinnevelly, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort Saint George, dated Trichendúr, 15th February 1861, No. 82.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to report on the present state of the season in this District for the information of the Board.

2. Since the heavy burst of the monsoon in the beginning of December, and reported by me on the 15th of that month, no rain has fallen, and the returns of cultivation up to the end of January show a deficiency of Nanja seed cottahs 24,612 as compared with the corresponding period of last year and representing a deficiency of Revenue of Rupees 2,41,138 as shown in the margin.

	Cultivation to end of January last year.	Cultivation to end of January thisyear.	Increase.	Decrease.	
	s. c.	s. c.	s. c.	s. c.	Rs.
Nanja.....	1,26,714	1,02,102	.....	24 612	2,41,138
Bagayet.....	6,762	7,550	788	.....	....
	Chains.	Chains.		Chains.	
Punja.....	1,80,184	1,77,245	.....	2,939	.....

3. Hopes were entertained of a fall of rain about Christmas, but there was none, and the season both for Carr and Peshanum has been singularly unfavorable.

Submitted for the information of Government.

(A true Extract and Copy.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM, *Secretary.*

No. 124. ORDER THEREON, 7th March 1861, No. 529.

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(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

~~Rd 25 September~~

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Submitting for information a letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly reporting on the State of the Season.

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