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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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No. 323. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 16th January 1861, No. 290:—

Read the following letter from E. G. R. FANE, Esq., Collector of Vizagapatam, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort St. George, dated Vizagapatam, 9th January 1861, No. 17:—

SIR,

1. Referring to the Proceedings of the Board, dated 14th December last, No. 5,883, I regret to have to inform you that the recent rains to which the Board refer did not extend to Vizagapatam. Matters as regards the season therefore are much in the same state as when I last wrote.

2. Even if the rains now alluded to had extended to this District in December, they would have been too late to save the already ruined paddy crops. They would no doubt have been of service to the pyra or dry cultivation, which now is also very unpromising, and is only likely to be productive where there are wells or where the fields are near the beds of rivers.

3. My Principal and Senior Assistants are both out in the District engaged in the Jamabandi of the Sub-Division of Sarvasiddi and Gólkonda. Should I hear any thing from them as to the probable good or bad prospects of the year, I shall not fail to intimate the same to the Board.

Ordered to be submitted for the information of Government in continuation of the Board's Proceedings, dated 14th December 1860, No. 5,883.

(A true Extract and Copy.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON, *Sub-Secretary.*

No. 324. ORDER THEREON, 23rd January 1861, No. 163.

Ordered to be recorded.

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

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gapatam reporting on the
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