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No. 147. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 28th February 1867.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Tanjore, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Vellum, Tanjore Talook, 19th February 1867, No. 44:—

1. During the first half of this month little or no rain has fallen in this district, and none is expected now, since the agricultural season has for the most part closed, and the hot season already set in.

2. In the delta, the harvest of the Sambapishanam, the staple produce of the district, is in active progress. The out-turn is found to be generally abundant.

3. In the dry talooks some of the wet and dry crops have been reaped, but owing to the deficiency of rain, their yield has been far short of the average, while those crops which have not yet come to maturity are languishing.

4. Prices are fast rising in consequence of the increased exportation of grain inland to the Southern Districts.

5. Sickness among men, more specially fever and dysentery, prevail in parts of the district, but not to any considerable extent. The health of cattle is generally good, and there is no want of pasture at present.

Submitted for information of Government.

No. 148. ORDER THEREON, 8th March 1867, No. 576.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,

Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Relief Committee.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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