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No. 342. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 19th February 1867, No. 1,022.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Bellary, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Camp at Dhurmaveram, 28th January 1867, No. 13 :—

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2. The Board observe that the Collector is required to distribute medicines gratis, among the poorest of the population when epidemic diseases appear.—(See Standing Order No. 11.)

No. 343. ORDER THEREON, 20th March 1867, No. 670.

Miscellaneous.

The Government do not approve of the Collector's proposal to *sell* the fever pills in the places where the disease prevails. The *distribution* should be gratuitous. It may be notified, if thought necessary, that further supplies can be obtained on payment.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Copy to the Collector of Bellary.

Exd. J. Wright.

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Submitting letter from Collector of Bellary reporting that Medical Department have been addressed for supply of Fever pills, and observing with reference to Collector's proposal to sell the pills to the population that Board's Standing Order require that Medicines during epidemics be supplied gratis.

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In Govt. dont. return of
the fever pills in the Cuddapah
& Kurnool districts. The
Govt. in Council desire
that every effort may be
made to sell the pills
to the people.

20th March 67

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