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Read the following:—

BOARD OF REVENUE (REV. SETT., L. RDS. AND AGRI.), 25TH NOV. 1892, No. 758.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(REVENUE SETTLEMENT, LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE).

READ—the following letter from H. M. WINTERBOTHAM, Esq., Acting Collector of Tanjore, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated Vallam, 22nd November 1892, No. 740:—

In reply to the Board's Proceedings, No. 691, dated 21st October 1892, and Mis. No. 8486, dated 2nd November 1892, and memorandum No. 2120, dated 17th November 1892, Routine, I have the honour to submit, herewith, the revised list of Famine relief works for the year 1892-93 in form A and C, together with a statement in form B for Tanjore and Patukóta, the deltaic taluks having been exempted from the operation of the rules (*vide* Board's Proceedings, dated 21st October 1892, No. 691).

2. The list has been prepared, on the best information at present available, for irrigation, road-making and miscellaneous works. No forest-fencing is proposed. The reserves are mostly scattered plots of uncultivable land, which do not yield enough thorns (except prickly-pear) for a thorn fence, and in a year of real drought, it would be impossible to construct mud walls, for there would be no water available and the soil does not easily lend itself to the purpose. If the Forest officers think that any of the reserves can be fenced, the work will, in consultation with the Conservator of Forests, be included in the next year's list.

3. The programme provides for works in the Patukóta taluk aggregating Rs. 5,88,250, sufficient to give employment to more than 24 per cent. of the population in it for three months. In the Tanjore taluk, though works have been provided for to the amount of Rs. 6,04,710, they can, at the ordinary rate of progress (as estimated by the Superintending Engineer and Local Fund Engineer), employ only 10.96 per cent. of the population. Supposing, however, it were necessary to employ such numbers of work-people as would complete the works in three months, they will afford labour to 19.67 per cent. of the population of the whole taluk at 1½ annas per head *per diem*.

4. I regret the delay in submitting this revised list. The statements called for from the Divisional officers, the Superintending Engineer and others, were received late and were incomplete. The latest return, viz., that submitted by the Deputy Collector, Tanjore Division, was received only on the 14th instant.

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