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To

THE COMMISSIONER

The Public Works Dept.

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SUBJECT.

Recording Board's Proceedings
submitting the abstract of the famine
Relief works programme for 1894-95
of the Cuddalore District.

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Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records
and Agriculture),

MADRAS.

Printed May 18th.

Proceedings, 2nd May 1894, No. 180.

Famine-relief works programme for 1894-95.—
Submitting to Government abstract received from
the Collector of Cuddapah.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Read—Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, (Revenue Settlement & Records)

dated 2nd May 1894, No. 180.

Subject:—

Order thereon, 21st May 1894, No. 1995. Mis

Recorded.

(True Extract.)

Wickham
for a. Under Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement &c.

" P. W. Dept. ✓

" Land & M. Dept.

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RESOLUTION—dated 2nd May 1894, No. 180.

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3. Several Public Works Department works shown in last year's programme have been excluded from this programme as not being in a sufficiently advanced state of preparation as to justify their inclusion. The Chief Engineer will be good enough to state what progress has been made in regard to the preparation of the plans and estimates mentioned in paragraph 3 of his letter, dated 24th October 1893, Mis. No. 592, disposed of in the Board's Proceedings, dated 23rd November 1893, No. 6645.

4. The Collector has not explained why no allotment for land improvements to be executed by State loans has been made in Pullampet taluk, where only 9.12 per cent. of the population is provided for. From Statement B it appears that in several taluks the repair of all the irrigation works in charge of the Public Works Department has not been provided for. This also should be explained.

5. Estimates are reported to be ready for works to cost Rs. 8,92,776, or 42 per cent. of the total provision exclusive of loan works.

6. The following discrepancies appear in the statements submitted by the Collector:—

(1) In form A Rs. 11,200 provided for repairing the Pullampet tank feeder and four minor works are shown under large works; while in form C they appear under simple works.

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These mistakes should be rectified in the Collector's copies of the statements.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
„ the Collector of Cuddapah.
„ the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.

1894.

Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records
and Agriculture),

MADRAS.

To

The Under Secretary
to Government P.W.D.

Enclosed (200)

Deco: 11.6.94

No. of Enclosures.

Proceedings, dated 8th June 1894,

No. 1101 Routine

Subject.

Ordering Supply of
Certain Copies of Board's
Proceedings to the Under
Secretary to Government
as requested.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE

(REVENUE SETTLEMENT, LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE).

READ—the following letter from J. HEWETSON, Esq., Acting Collector of Cuddapah, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated 12th April 1894, Current No. 69-Eng.:—

I have the honour to forward herewith the Statements A, B and C to the famine relief programme for 1894-95. Provision has been made in them for works which could afford labour for 20.60 per cent. of the population of the district, whilst land improvement loans could employ 1.62 per cent. Taken by taluks, the provision made falls below 20 per cent. in Sidhout, Pullampet and Fulivendla taluks. This is due to the exclusion of the Public Works Department works included in last year's programme which have not yet been investigated. The rough estimated cost of many of the irrigation works shown under "additional" has not been noted in Statement A, as the Executive Engineer expresses his inability to furnish the information, the works not having been investigated.

2. There is a decrease of about 13 lakhs in the current year's programme as compared with that of last year. This is due to the fact that many of the irrigation and the forest fencing works had to be excluded from the current year's statement in conformity with the instructions contained in Board's Proceedings, No. 243, dated 20th June 1893 and Mis. No. 6645, dated 23rd November 1893.

3. Out of the 709 minor irrigation works shown in Statement B as being out of repair, provision has been made for repairing 534 works. The attention of the Divisional-officers concerned has been drawn to their omission to provide for the remaining 175 works, and they have been requested to include them without fail in the next year's programme. Instructions have also been issued to the officers concerned to get estimates prepared at once for all works for which estimates are not yet ready.

*Enclosures
to B.P. 1101 Routine*

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

1894.

Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records
and Agriculture),

MADRAS.

Printed May 19th.

Proceedings, 2nd May 1894, No. 177.

Famine relief works programme for 1894-95.
Submitting to Government abstract received
from Collector of Anantapur.



Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture).

Dated 8th June 1894.

No. 1101 Routine

READ *Memorandum from the Under Secretary
to Government, P.W.D., dated 4th June 1894*

Resolution

Ordered accordingly

(True Extract)

*Signature
Secretary*

To
*The Under Secretary to Govt. P.W.D.
with spare copies.*

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RESOLUTION—dated 2nd May 1894, No. 177.

The abstract of the programme of famine-relief works for 1894-95 received from the Collector of Anantapur will be submitted for the information of Government.

2. The programme provides for the construction of a new irrigation work, viz., a tank in Tadpatri taluk, at a cost of 41 lakh, and repairs to existing works, 2.93 lakhs; the construction of 60 miles of new roads to cost 87 lakh and repairs to old roads 6.30 lakhs, and miscellaneous works to cost 86 lakh. The last item includes 66 lakh provided for land improvements to be carried out by the aid of State loans. The total provision amounts to Rs. 11,36,932 and the works are estimated to be sufficient to provide employment during three months for 21 per cent. of the total population of the district. The provision made is generally adequate.

3. Estimates are reported to be ready for works to cost Rs. 7,12,592 or 66.5 per cent. of the total provision exclusive of the land improvements.

4. Under the latter heading, the provision made in several taluks is small and might, the Board considers, be increased. Statement B further shows that adequate provision for the repair of existing irrigation works that require repair has not been made. The rules direct that attention should, in the first place, always be given to irrigation works as relief works.

5. The following discrepancies are noted in the statements:—

(1) The provision made for land improvements in Tadpatri taluk is entered as Rs. 1,100 in statement A, while it is shown as Rs. 1,110 in Form C. The correct figure should be reported.

(2) In column 3 of Form (C), the Collector has entered the population actually provided for instead of 20 per cent. of the total population in column 2 (*vide* paragraph 2 of Board's Proceedings, No. 411, dated 7th June 1892). The necessary corrections have been made in the Board's office.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) P. RAJARATNA MUDALIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
„ Collector of Anantapur.

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to B.P. 1101. Confine

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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Board of Revenue

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and Agriculture),

MADRAS.

Printed May 18th.

Proceedings, 2nd May 1894, No. 180.

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BOARD OF REVENUE (REV. SETT., L. RDS. AND AGRI.), 2ND MAY 1894, No. 177.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE

(REVENUE SETTLEMENT, LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE).

READ—the following letter from K. C. MANAVEDAN RAJAH, Esq., Acting Collector of Anantapur, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture, dated Anantapur, 11th April 1894, Disposal No. 1126:—

I have the honour to submit herewith the programme of famine-relief works for 1894-95 in forms A, B, and C, prescribed in Board's Proceedings, No. 411, dated 7th June 1892.

2. Provision has not been made for forest-fencing works and for the construction of a new tank in Potulakunta village, Penukonda taluk, as directed in Board's Proceedings, No. 231, Press, dated 13th June 1893, and No. 5100, Mis., dated 28th August 1893, respectively. But the construction of a new tank at Pinnapalli, Tadpatri taluk, has been included in the programme.

3. The delay in the submission of the programme is due to the late receipt of information from the President, District Board, and the Chairman of Anantapur Municipality, i.e., on the 2nd and 3rd instant respectively.

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Form C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Cuddapah district for the year 1894-95.

2 BOARD OF REVENUE (REV. SETT., L. RDS. AND AGRI.), 2ND MAY 1894, No. 180.

Taluka.	Population by Census of 1891 in thousands.	Persons provided for by relief works daily for 3 months.					Irrigation works.				Forest fencing works.		
		Numbers on			Total per cent. of population.	New.	Repairs.		Amount.	Number.	Amount.		Number.
		Large works for which District-officers can carry out agency is required.	Other simple works which District-officers can carry out with ordinary staff.	Land improvement, well-sinking, clearance &c., to be carried out by aid of State loans.			Number.	Amount.			Number.	Amount.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
Badvel	93	18,600	17,976	4,141	..	26.65	1	1,66,000	6	Rs. 5,815	..	Rs. 15,630	
Sidhout	67	13,400	3,313	..	..	13.38	..	..	35	10,348	4	..	
Pullampet	149	29,800	9,704	4,685	..	9.12	..	..	16	2,170	..	23,480	
Cuddapah	155	31,000	24,487	3,890	..	23.37	2	24,810	17	30,290	..	..	
Proddatur	98	19,600	12,466	10,598	..	18.06	..	..	16	20,624	..	..	
Jammalamadugu	101	20,200	18,677	3,435	..	26.03	2	24,766	9	16,000	1	4,000	
Kadiri	135	27,000	28,883	5,609	..	25.09	..	..	46	25,714	..	..	
Rayachoti	113	22,600	19,000	3,010	..	26.22	..	..	8	12,000	..	..	
Madanapalle	127	25,400	30,768	8,683	..	31.17	..	..	11	6,550	..	..	
Vayalpad	125	25,000	24,266	5,470	..	26.39	..	..	4	10,800	..	..	
Pulivendla	106	21,200	12,481	3,264	..	17.37	..	..	65	16,578	1	6,000	
Total	1,269	253,800	201,991	59,458	20,582	22.22	5	2,15,576	594	3,06,612	24	1,14,820	

Form C.—Abstract of programme of famine relief works in the Cuddapah district for the year 1894-95—cont.

BOARD OF REVENUE (REV. SETT., L. RDS. AND AGRI.), 2ND MAY 1894, No. 180. 3

Taluka.	Road works.				Miscellaneous works.				Grand Total.				Works for which estimates are ready.	
	New.		Repairs.		Others.		Total.		Grand Total.		Grand Total.		Works for which estimates are ready.	
	Number.	Miles.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Approximate cost.	Number.	Cost.	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Badvel	21	39½	Rs. 38,010	4	10,906	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sidhout	5	16½	13,400	3	10,368	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pullampet	11	35½	30,491	9	27,145	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cuddapah	9	27½	33,899	24	1,26,441	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Proddatur	2	12	16,000	10	69,640	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Jammalamadugu	5	24½	36,400	6	85,300	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kadiri	..	..	..	10	2,11,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Rayachoti	..	..	..	10	1,42,500	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Madanapalle	..	..	..	22	2,27,750	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vayalpad	..	..	..	11	1,82,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pulivendla	..	..	..	6	90,410	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	53	155½	1,71,110	115	11,83,460	124	26,515	2,617	2,57,593	2,84,108	3,532	22,75,686	556	8,92,776

NOTE.—With regard to the irrigation works under the Public Works Department, only half the amounts proposed for these works has been taken in calculating the number of persons for whom they could afford labour, as the Executive Engineer has informed that the remaining half of the amounts consists of skilled labour not suitable for famine labour.

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