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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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277. 278

Dated 16 11 — 1865.

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No. 277. Read the following letter from the Chairman of the Madras Trade Association, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 13th November 1865:—

1. With reference to my letter of the 7th instant, regarding the funds at the disposal of the Committee of the Masulipatam Relief Fund, I beg leave to forward copy of a letter from Colonel Temple, the Honorary Secretary, stating that the whole of the funds contributed by the public have been remitted to the local Committee on the spot, and by them distributed.

2. No relief therefore from this source, I am sorry to find, can be afforded to the poor at Ganjam, who are suffering from the scarcity of grain in that District.

From the Honorary Secretary Masulipatam Cyclone Relief Fund, to the Chairman of the Trade Association, dated Madras, 10th November 1865.

1. I have the honor, in acknowledgment of your communications dated 7th and 8th instant, to inform you that the whole of the funds contributed by the public for the relief of the sufferers by the cyclone at Masulipatam have been forwarded to the Local Committee on the spot, and by them distributed.

2. The last remittance of Rupees 3,147-0-4 was made by the Treasurers Messrs. Parry & Co. on the 19th October, and closed the accounts of the fund.

No. 278. ORDER THEREON, 16th November 1865, No. 2,808.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Chairman of the Trade Association.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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D/ 7th July No 31 of 1866 Mr

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From the Chairman Madras Trade association

Dated 13th Oct
Received 13th " 1865.

Forwarding copy of a letter from the Honorable Secy Masulipatam Cyclone Relief Fund informing that the whole of the Funds have been remitted to the local Committee on the spot & by them distributed & stating that no relief from that source can be afforded to the poor at Cuyaur.

Fr. 2808.

1 Encl. Chairman Madras Trade Association Dec 11th 1865

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