

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1182

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
18th May 1866.*

No. 323. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 15th May 1866.

Read the following Telegram from the Collector of Ganjam, dated 14th May 1866 :—

“ Will the Board grant Tuccavi for seed-grain up to ten per cent. on the Shist?”

1. Ordered to be submitted to Government, with the Board's recommendation, that in consideration of the exceptional and distressing circumstances of the year, the Collector be vested with discretionary authority to make advances to Ryots in the Government Talooks, for the purchase of seed-grain, taking all necessary precautions to ensure that the money reaches the proper parties, and that in the cases in which it is given they are really in need of assistance.

2. The Board do not consider that nearly ten per cent. on the Shist will be necessary.

3. This would amount to upwards of Rupees 60,000 on the Ryotwary revenue of Ganjam for Fusly 1274.

No. 324. ORDER THEREON, 18th May 1866, No. 1,182

Land Revenue.

1. Under the special circumstances of the case, the Government vest the Collector of Ganjam with discretionary power to make advances to the Ryots for the purchase of seed-grain.

2. The Government concur with the Board that ten per cent. is too high a rate of advance, and they desire the Collector to attend to the precautions mentioned by the Board.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Ganjam.
,, the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant General.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Under the special
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case the Govt. rest the full
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tionary power to make
advances to the Govt. for
the purchase of seed-pain.

The Govt. can see with
the Govt. that 10 per cent
is too high a rate of ad-
vance & they desire the Govt.
to attend to the precautions
mentioned by the Govt.

18th May 1886

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