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# MADRAS RECORD OFFICE

## GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Revenue DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government*  
*Public Works Department*  
*Read the following -*

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department.*  
19th July 1872.

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No. 139. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 6th July 1872, No. 1,237:—

Read the following letter from R. J. MELVILLE, Esq., Acting Collector of Vizagapatam, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 26th June 1872, No. 653:—

I HAVE the honour to report on the progress of relief-works during the month of May.

2. The relief-works in progress were inspected by the Principal and Senior Assistants, and the work was found to be progressing satisfactorily.

3. Towards the end of the month, owing to numerous applications for employment, the number of coolies at work on the Trunk Road south of Anakapilly largely increased. The number employed in the portion of the road north of Anakapilly was much less than in the preceding month. This is no doubt owing to rain which fell in the northern part of the district but did not extend far to the south.

4. Towards the end of the month all the coolies employed on the road from Salur to Tadivalsa struck for higher wages, and on this concession being refused them they left the work in a body. Heavy rains had fallen in the neighbourhood and work in consequence was obtainable in their villages which they naturally preferred to road-work at some distance.

5. The total number of coolies employed throughout the district, including those employed by the Manager of the Maharajah of Vizianagaram, was considerably less than in the preceding month owing to rain which fell pretty generally in the northern parts of the district.

6. Towards the middle of the month, some 500 or 600 persons came into this town from the surrounding country, driven in partly by distress and partly attracted by the fact that several poor-houses had been opened by philanthropic native gentlemen. The Honourable G. N. Gajapathi Rau has opened a poor-house in this place besides others in various parts of his estates. Tiyyala Ramaswamy a gentleman who has for some time past kept one open at Aganampudi half way between this and Anakapilly, has also opened one here. At these places, and at those established at different points in the Vizianagaram Zemindari, large numbers of the poor have been fed. The Municipality found employment for such of the immigrants as were able and willing to work.

7. Under the circumstances mentioned in paragraph 4, the grant of Rupees 2,500, the transfer of which to the Salur and Tadivalsa road, was sanctioned in Govt. Order, Rev. Dept., dated June 11th, 1872, No. 922, will no longer be required for this work. With the sanction of Government I would propose to transfer it to the trunk road south of Anakapilly should necessity arise. Matters, however, have greatly improved throughout the district within the last few days. The monsoon has commenced and rain has been general throughout the district for the last five days. I am sanguine that when the present grants have been expended, no further expenditure on relief works will be necessary.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,  
19th July 1872.*

SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

2. The Board observe with pleasure the liberality displayed by the Honourable G. N. Gajapathi Rau and Tiyyala Ramaswamy in opening houses for the relief of the poor.

3. The sanction of Government to the transfer proposed in paragraph 7 is solicited should it appear necessary, but the Board have great hope that with the late rains all need for relief will have disappeared.

No. 140.

ORDER THEREON, 19th July 1872, No. 1,080.

Miscellaneous.

The Collector is authorized to make the transfer of funds should necessity arise for it; but the Government trust soon to learn that all need for maintaining relief-work is at an end.

2. The Collector will convey the thanks of Government to the gentlemen whose charitable action he reports.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Vizagapatam.  
„ the Board of Revenue.  
„ the Financial Department.  
„ the Accountant-General.  
„ the Public Works Department.

Ed. T. Cartledge.

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*Order thereon 10 August 1872 No 104*

*Communicated to the*

*Superintending Engineer of the 1<sup>st</sup> Division - The grants, if utilized, should be transferred from the credit of the Revenue to that of the Public Works Department -*

*True Extract*

*Acting Under Secretary to Govt  
for  
Secretary to Govt  
P.W. Dept*

*To The Revenue Department*

*Accepted*

Revenue 1872-1873

About of 118723 3/4 annas.

REVENUE No. 267

THE COLLECTOR OF VIZAGAPATAM.

Dated 21st July 1872  
Recd. Aug. 12. 1872

G.O. No. 11872, No. 11872

JULY.

NO. 138140.

By Mr. H. O. S. in Vizagapatam District  
Collector authorized to make the transfer of  
funds by certificate with them should a necessity  
arise.

Wm. J. H. S. J. H. S.  
Wm. J. H. S. J. H. S.

1. To the Collector of Vizagapatam, Dec. 1902

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Revenue Department.

**MINUTE**

Fort St. George. 7 May 1872.

The President proposes the following appointment.

C. Sribalaya  
Deputy Collector and  
Magistrate of South  
Arcot to act as a  
Deputy Director of  
Revenue Settlements  
during the absence  
of Mr. Rundall on  
leave or until further  
orders.

Minute of appt  
 Sribataya is appointed  
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Appointing S. Sribataya  
 to act as Deputy Director  
 of Revenue Settlement during  
 Mr. Munnell's absence on  
 leave.  
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 10. May 1872

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.  
 No. 1695-1749-1872  
 Minute of Appointment.  
 Dated 7th May 1872  
 Minutes 14th May 1872

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,  
 1872

MINUTE.

The President proposes the following  
 Appointment

C. Sribataya a Deputy  
 Director to act as a Deputy  
 Director of Revenue  
 Settlement during the  
 absence of Mr. Munnell  
 on leave or until further  
 orders.

A. J. Munnell  
 In making this nomination  
 I think it right to observe  
 that in the present state  
 of the Civil Service there  
 is no Commanded Officer  
 who can be placed in  
 charge of the Revenue  
 Settlement in that position

in accordance. I must  
also remark that in my  
opinion the duties of the  
Settlement Department are  
spiritually such as can be  
discharged with great efficiency  
by a most worthy native  
officer. Sri Balaya has  
a very high character both  
as regards integrity & efficiency.

Y. S.  
B.

As the new thing  
Native Officer of highly efficient &  
ability reference by Mr. Mueller &  
himself in the D. O. who worked under  
him in service in the D. O. in Salem  
S. Dept. Sri Balaya is a very able & efficient  
man who has borne a heavy weight  
as an excellent character. As to his other  
qualities let me state  
that there is a  
Native Asst. Director  
in the D. O. - very

S. D. S.  
He can be spared  
from Salem.

Revenue 1872-1873

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Transit by the Hon.  
the President

Patented 7th Aug.  
Revenue 1872-1873

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Expenditure of  
Subsidies by the Hon.  
the Secy. of the Revenue  
1872-1873

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16th Aug 1873