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No. 299. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th October 1876, No. 2,602 :—

Read the following letter from J. H. MASTER, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 14th October 1876, No. 379.

IN consequence of the adverse nature of the season in the present year the price of grain is daily rising. Relief works have been opened throughout the district for the preservation of the poorer classes of people under the orders of the Board and Government.

2. Complaints have been received from those public servants who are paid low rates of salary regarding the inadequacy of their emoluments for the support of themselves and of their families.

3. During the prevalence of similar distress in this district in 1866 sanction* was accorded by Government for the payment of an additional allowance of Rupees 3 per mensem to servants whose pay was Rupees 10 and under and at Rupees 2 to those whose pay was above Rs. 10 and up to Rupees 15. I have, therefore, the honor to request the sanction of the Board for the payment of extra allowances at the same rates to all those servants on the Huzur and Taluq Establishments of this district receiving salaries of Rupees 15 and less as long as the distress continues. Cholum now sells at 8 seers per rupee and rice at $6\frac{1}{2}$ seers.

The Board are of opinion that the time has not yet arrived for considering this application. Prices have not yet approached the level which they reached in 1866, and, if the monsoon is early and moderately sufficient, all necessity for the measure proposed will disappear.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

No. 299A.

ORDER THEREON, 31st October 1876, No. 1,541.

Miscellaneous.

THE Government understand that the Board, with the further information before them at the present date, no longer oppose the Collector's recommendation. They will ascertain whether the indulgence may not be properly extended to the officials in Cuddapah and Kurnool also. But the Government are not disposed to go beyond a concession in favor of officials drawing 10 Rs. a month or under, at present.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Accountant-General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

No. 2,602.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 18th October 1876.

Read the following letter from J. H. MASTER, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 18th October 1876, No. 375.

In consequence of the adverse nature of the season in the present year the price of grain is daily rising. Relief works have been opened throughout the district for the preservation of the poorer classes of people under the orders of the Board and Government.

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(A true Copy and Extract.)

H. E. Stokes
Acting Secretary.

To the Collector of Bellary.

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Exd. J. W. Fischer.

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THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

18th October, 1876.

G.O., 51st October 1876 No. 1551.

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Nos. 239-239A.

Public Servants on low rates of Salary in Bellary District.—Observing that it is understood that the Board, with the further information before them, no longer oppose the Collector's recommendation for payment of extra allowance to—during the prevalence of famine; and requesting the Board to ascertain whether the indigence may not be properly extended to officials in Cuddalore and Kumbakonam also.

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OCTOBER.

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Public Servants.—on low rates of salary in Bellary District.—Passing orders on Collector's application for sanction for payment of extra allowances to—during the prevalence of famine.

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My dear Mr Carmichael

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The Board are no longer in the same mind as regards the proposals to grant extra pay to inferior servants in Bellamy as prices are now as high as they were in 1866, and are likely to rise higher.

Yours sincerely
H. E. Stokes