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Famine Relief.

No. 513A. From C. E. BERNARD, Esq., C.S.I., Secretary to Sir RICHARD TEMPLE, to J. H. GARSTIN, Esq., Additional Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Madras, 14th March 1877, No. 129.

With reference to the statement of "Grants made on account of Famine Relief," which is given in the margin of the last (and of previous) despatches from the Madras Government to Her Majesty's Secretary of State, Sir Richard Temple desires me to submit the following suggestion.

2. In some of the districts to which considerable grants had been made, such for instance as Tinnevely or Madras, comparatively little relief appears to be now needed. It is not impossible, therefore, that those grants may be in excess of actual requirements in some districts; and in some parts of India there might be a fear lest money so granted might be spent by energetic Collectors on public objects which, though very excellent in themselves, might not have close relation to Famine Relief. Sir Richard Temple cannot say whether such a course is likely to be taken in any Madras District. But if it were possible, he would suggest, for the consideration of the Government of Madras, whether it might be advisable to take precautions against such expenditure.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Additional Secretary to Government.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
FORT ST. GEORGE,
16th March 1877.

No. 1,096A.

No. 513B.

FROM

J. H. GARSTIN, Esq.,
Additional Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,

TO

C. E. BERNARD, Esq., C.S.I.,
Secretary to Sir Richard Temple.

Miscellaneous.

SIR,—I am directed to acknowledge receipt of your letter, No. 129, of the 14th instant, and in reply to inform

you that the Madras Government will not omit to watch the expenditure of the grants referred to by Sir Richard Temple.

2. Those to Madras appear large in consequence of the number of items charged against the Presidency in connection with general relief arrangements and the purchase of the grain reserve.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Additional Secretary to Government.

Encl. A: F. Goodall.

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From J. H. Carter Esq.
add! Sec. to Govt.
To C. E. Bernard Esq.
Ct. I.
Sec to Mr. Tupper

Sir - I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 129 of the 14th Inst. & to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours truly,
J. H. Carter

The great trouble in the Province of Quebec is largely in consequence of the famine relief provided by the Government. The number of persons who are suffering from the effects of the famine is very large. The Government has taken the necessary steps to provide relief, but the execution of these measures is very slow. It is, therefore, very important that the Government should take prompt action to provide relief to the suffering population.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours truly,
J. H. Carter

Govt. of 1877: *St. John's*

REVENUE.

C. E. BERNARD, Esq., C.S.I.

Dated March, 1877.

Recd.

G.O., 16th March 1877, No. 1,092A.

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No. 513A-513B.

FAMINE RELIEF, No. 761A.

It is requested that care will be taken to watch against the expenditure of the grants on works having no close relation to Famine Relief.

No. 129.

From

C. E. BERNARD, Esq., C.S.I.,
Secretary to Sir Richard Temple,

To

J. H. GARSTIN, Esq.,
*Additional Secretary to the
Government of Madras,
Dated MADRAS, 14th March, 1877.*

SIR,

With reference to the statement of "grants made on account of Famine Relief," which is given in the margin of the last (and of previous) Despatches from the Madras Government to Her Majesty's Secretary of State, Sir Richard Temple desires me to submit the following suggestion :

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I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

C. BERNARD,
Secretary to Sir Richard Temple.

F. No. 1539.

Revenue {1877} Department

From

C. E. BERNARD, ESQ., C.S.I.,
Secy. to Sir Richard Temple.

Dated 14th }
Recd. 15th } March, 1877.

No. 129.

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From J. H. Smith Esq
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To C. E. Bernard Esq
Secy. to Sir R. Temple

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16/3/77

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