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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,*
*19th March* 1877.

**Famine Relief.**

No. 588A. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th March 1877, No. 1,085.

Read the following letter from R. W. BARLOW, Esq., Collector of the Chingleput District, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Chingleput, 23rd February 1877, No. 133.

I HAVE the honor to report, for the information of the Board, that, under instructions from the 2nd Member of Council, I have applied to Colonel Drever for the scale of diet prevailing in the Madras Town Relief-houses in view to adopting the same at the camps of this district.

2. The Hon. Mr. Ellis gives as his reason for this change, that until the scales are assimilated the "great numbers" of Chingleput paupers in Madras will not be got rid of. I shall be very glad of any information the Board can give me as to the exact numbers of these; the northern trunk road, having been left unguarded, has doubtless increased them (*vide* my No. 113, dated 17th February 1877), and assimilation of diet, *i.e.*, raising the scale here, will make the non-working paupers content to remain; but Madras and Chingleput *Districts* are differences more of name than of reality, and the former is but the capital of the latter, and people of the mendicant class of any tract of country will always congregate to the principal towns in time of distress, no matter what works are organized, unless prevented by the Police.

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THE Madras dietary is given in Colonel Drever's report which has been communicated to the Collectors.

2. A reference has been separately made to the Commissioner of Police for the information wanted as to numbers of Chingleput paupers in the Madras Relief-camps.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

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

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No. 588B. ORDER THEREON, 19th March 1877, No. 1,134A.

Miscellaneous. RECORDED.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Financial Department.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.

Chingleput

Cott. of (1877) Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated March, 19th.

Recd. Encl.

G.O., 19th March 1877, No. 1,134A.

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Nos. 588A-588B.

FAMINE RELIEF, No. 775D.

*Diet prevailing in the Madras Relief-houses.*—Recording Board's Proceedings passing remarks on letter from the Collector of Chingleput regarding the scale of —.

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Revenue Department

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 8th March 1877, No. 1085

Read the following

No. 133

Board No. 2031

From R. W. Barlow Esquire
Collector of the
Chingleput District

To H. E. Stokes Esquire
Secretary to the Board of
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I have &c
(sign) R W Barlow
Collector.

Chingleput Dist
collector's office
on circuit, Chingleput
23rd February 1877

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(True copy & Extract)
(Signed) H. E. Stokes
Secretary

To, The Collector of Chingleput

(True copy)
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Secretary

To, The Addl. Secretary to Govt.
Revenue Department

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is high & I believe Dr
Cornish thinks it may be
reduced somewhat Bd 15/3

19 Mar 1877

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Dr Cornish to [illegible]
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