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REVENUE DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
5th April 1877.*

Famine Relief.

No. 138. Read the following endorsement of the Under Secretary to Government, Financial Department, dated 28th March 1877, No. 747:—

Read the following letter from J. H. MASTER, Esq., Collector and President of the Municipal Commission, Bellary, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Fort. St. George, dated Dhurmavaram, 22nd March 1877, No. 130.

I HAVE the honor to acknowledge the Proceedings of Government, Financial Department, No. 933, dated the 17th instant, appointing Major E. H. Thomas as a Commissioner for the town of Bellary.

2. Major Thomas has, however, by G.O., Revenue Department, No. 1,074, dated the 14th instant, been transferred to Kurnool.

3. He had previously been placed at my disposal for the supervision of famine relief operations, and I had arranged that he should work under Mr. Howe at Bellary on purpose that his services might not be lost to the Commission.

My reasons for doing so were these. Major Swanston, our former Vice-President, has just left for England. Major Thomas had kindly agreed, when appointed a Commissioner, to take up his work, and the Commissioners had in anticipation elected him as Vice-President.

4. I beg to point out that there is not another officer on the Commission (a list enclosed) who has time to perform the duties of the office as they must be, if the Municipality is to continue at all. At present I am in great straits, there being no body in charge, and I myself at a distance.

5. Under these circumstances, I respectfully request that the Government will be pleased to retransfer the services of Major Thomas from Kurnool and appoint another military man there to superintend the transport of laborers to Nellore.

6. I would not have made this request if I could possibly have helped it, but I do not see my way to any other arrangement. There is no Madras Civilian in Bellary.

7. I have already proposed Mr. Kisch, of the Bengal Service, to be Vice-President of the Local Fund Board of the Bellary Circle.

TRANSFERRED to the Revenue (Famine) Department.

(Signed) J. STURROCK,
Under Secretary.

No. 139.

ORDER THEREON, 5th April 1877, No. 1,344.

Miscellaneous.

THE Governor in Council resolves to retransfer Major Thomas to Bellary from Kurnool as Famine Relief Officer, and to appoint Captain Hackett to Kurnool in Major Thomas' place. On arrival at

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Bellary Captain Hackett will be directed to proceed to Kurnool and report himself without delay to the Collector for orders.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Collector of Bellary.
„ the Collector of Kurnool.
„ Major E. H. Thomas, Bellary.
„ Captain Hackett, Bellary.
„ the Board of Revenue.
„ the Accountant-General.
„ the Financial Department.
the Secretary, Secy

Exd. A. F. Goodall,

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In order.

The Master has been
hardly dealt with by change
of officers - I thought
Thomas was a Kumool
officer when I returned
on Thursday to have found
reports of progress by him
others - as however I got this
on the 17th confirmed his
appl. in Bellary let him
stay - & find another -
I do not think Kengal
D.S. should be appointed

Aj a Thomas is
the officer selected
to be transport officer
in Kumool -

Mr. Foster now wants
him to be allowed
to reside in Bellary
as District Relief
officer & in order to
be Vice President of the
Municipality of which
he appears to have been
elected a member
only on the 17th inst.
Mr. B. White the D. Col.

Govt. of (1877). Mysore.

REVENUE.

COLLECTOR OF BELLARY,

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Dated April, 5th.

Encl.

G.O. 5th April 1877, No. 1344.

APRIL.

No. 1344/3

PAVANE RELIEF, No. 801.

Major Thomas. - Resolving to retransfer - to
Bellary from Kumool as District Relief Officer, and
to appoint Captain Hackett to Kumool in the
former officer's place. Directing Captain Hackett
on his arrival at Bellary to proceed to Kumool and
report himself to the Collector for orders.

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BELLARY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE

No.

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Dated

12th March

1877

Vandana Sumanam
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From,

THE COLLECTOR

President Municipal Comm
BELLARY.

To.

The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir,

Madras.

I have the honor to acknowledge
the Proceedings of Government Finance
No. 933 dated the 17th Instant, appoint-
ing Major S. Thomas as a Commissioner
for the Town of Bellary.

2. Major Thomas has however by G.O.
Revenue Department No. 1074 dated the 14th
Instant been transferred to Turbhat.

3. He had previously been placed at my
disposal for the supervision of Famine
Relief Operations and I had arranged
that he should work under my orders
at Bellary on purpose that his
services

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services might not be lost to the Commission...

My reasons for doing so were these. Major Swanton our former Vice President has just left for England. Major Thomas had kindly agreed, when appointed a Commissioner to take up his work, and the Commission had in anticipation elected him as Vice President.

4. I beg to point out that there is not another officer on the Commission (a list enclosed) who has time to perform the duties of this office as they must be, if the Municipality is to continue at all. At present, I am in great straits, there being no body in charge, and I myself at a distance.

5. Under these circumstances I respectfully request that the Government will be pleased to retransfer the services of Major Thomas from Burma and appoint another

another Indian man there to superintend the transport of Calcutta to Mandalay.

6. I would not have made this request if I could possibly have helped it, but I do not see my way to any other arrangement. There is no Madras Christian in Burma.

7. I have already proposed Mr. [Name] of the Bengal Service to be Vice President of the Local Board of the [Name] Circle.

I have signed the
Circular.

Yours most obedient servant
W. [Name]
Collector & President

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BELLARY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.

Dated 22nd March 1877 No. 1301

To, The Chief Secretary to Government.

Madras

Enclosure.

Received 26th March 1877.

Respects that the same
of Mr. Major Thomas (late)
applicable to the same
month, (March) may
be referred to the
story where he has
been placed in
the history of the
Madrass.

Stamps

17 March 1877 Rs 933 Rs
Sum 14/3/77 Rs 1094
Add 808. Rs 1804 25

Trinité, 1877 / DEPARTMENT
BELLARY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.
Dated 22nd March 1877 No. 1301
To, The Chief Secretary to Government.
Madras
Enclosure.
Received 26th March 1877.

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Disc showing the present constitution of the Municipality of Bellary.

No.	Name.	Rank.	Official or Non Official.	Date of Appointment.
1	H. Master Squire...	Collector & Resident.	Ex officio.	1 st July 1871.
2	Majra N. Swamshi...	By Appts Master General Officer.		4 th Aug 1855.
3	Captain R. G. Briggs...	Superintendent of Police.		1 st June 1875.
4	B. M. Telaka Squire...	Deputy Collector.		5 th -
5	J. L. Finto Squire...	Subaltern.		2 nd May 1876.
6	P. Rangayadani Master General Officer.	Master G. P. School Bellary.		16 th December 1876.
7	William D. A. Loring...	In charge of the duties of Civil Surgeon.		30 th January 1875.
8	Henry H. Loring Squire...	Inspector of schools & divisions.		5 th -
9	M. Lingarajulu Master General Officer.	Deputy Inspector of schools.	Non Official.	2 nd May 1876.
10	A. H. Seane Squire.	"		27 th January 1876.
11	M. Canara Squire Chetty Squire.	"		3 rd February 1876.
12	L. Chottaswamy Pillay Squire.	"		2 nd May 1876.
13	P. N. Devanarayana Master General Officer.	"		30 th January 1877.
14	M. Ibrahim Squire...	"		5 th -
15	A. Canara Squire Master General Officer.	"		5 th -
16	Ibrahim Squire.	"		5 th -
17	D. Krishappa Squire.	"		5 th -
18	B. Rayhanda Squire.	"		5 th -
19	T. Coomaraswamy Squire.	"		5 th -
20	Majra B. S. Thomas...	Majra.	Official.	17 th March 1877.
21	Michael W. Jackson...	Range Officer.		27 th January 1874.

W. Master
Collector & Resident

Jan 7 2056.

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