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Famine Relief.

No. 212. *Proceedings of Government, 17th March 1877, No. 966.*

Ordered that the following telegram be despatched to the Hon. T. C. Hope, Additional Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Revenue, Agriculture, and Commerce:—

Government consider it imprudent to vary distribution of reserve grain at well-considered places.

Suggested sale of grain now remaining in Madras would necessarily interfere with trade, and would be a breach of faith after public pledge that it was strictly held for emergencies. Government therefore cannot accept either of these suggestions and have announced this decision as publication of suggestion in Gazette has much unsettled trade. Your announcement of this decision to Calcutta and Burmah will be useful to reassure trade.

(True Extract.)

J. H. M. R. S. S. S.
for Offg. Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue (Famine) Department.

Exd. T. D. Ryan.

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Private Note - Telegram despatched to Comptroller of India with reference to the proposed very low distribution of reserve grain at certain places and to ask the Government to consider the same.

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