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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

31st May 1877, No. 1,865-A.

Famine Relief.

Read the following paper:—

No. 623-A. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 25th May 1877.

Read Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, dated 12th May 1877, No. 1,707-A.

ABSTRACT.—Passing orders on Board's Proceedings submitting report of Special Assistant Collector, Cuddapah, on the effect of the reduction of wages.

THE Board respectfully beg reconsideration of the foregoing orders, which, if made general, will introduce very great confusion and leave wages almost entirely at the discretion of subordinate relief officers. There is no certainty in price quotations supposed to prevail in outlying places, and the proposed system will make the ascertainment of the real price in such places more difficult than it is now, as it will be the interest of every one to deceive the officers in charge of the works upon the point. The system will cause confusion in audit, and will lead to constant changes of rates. The Board submit that the benefit to the coolies will be very slight, as it will be soon on a par with the scale given in the Board's Proceedings printed in G.O., 12th February 1877, No. 529, Financial Department, that for all prices from six seers per rupee to ten seers a difference of 10 per cent. in the price makes a difference in no case more than 1 Pie in the rate. As regards Cuddapah, Bellary, and Kurnool, where prices are highest, the necessity of the case is sufficiently met by the concession allowed in G.O., 30th March 1877, No. 1,272.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Secretary.

No. 623-B. ORDER THEREON, 31st May 1877, No. 1,865-A.

Miscellaneous.

THE new scale of wages introduced by G.O. of the 22nd May 1877, No. 1,788, probably removes the necessity for the nicety in calculation which was contemplated, but the Board can ascertain from the Collector of Cuddapah how this is.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Financial Department.
,, the Sanitary Commissioner.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.

Cuddapah

Revenue Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 25 May 1877.

Read Proceedings of the Madras Government Revenue Department, dated 12 May 1877, No. 1470, passing orders on Board's proceedings submitting report of Special Assistant Collector Cuddapah on the effect of the reduction of wages.

The Board respectfully beg reconsideration of the foregoing orders, which, if made general, will introduce very great confusion and leave wages almost entirely at the discretion of subordinate relief officers. There is no certainty in price quotations supposed to prevail in outlying places and the proposed system will make the ascertainment of the real price in such places more difficult than it is now as it will be the interest of every one to deceive the officers in charge of the works upon the point. The system will cause confusion in audit and will lead to constant changes of rates. The Board submit that the benefit to the Coolies will be very slight as it will be seen on reference to the scale given in the Board's proceedings printed in G.O.

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REVENUE.

TO THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

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G.O. 31st May 1877, No. 1800-A.

MAY.

No. 625-A-625-B.

FAMINE RELIEF, No. 2222-A.

Resolution of the Board under which the prices ruling at the end of a year should be made those upon which payments are calculated to the extent of allowing those existing in force on 1st Jan. to govern the rates upon such works. —Obeying, with reference to Board's Proceedings requesting a reconsideration of the Government Order sanctioning the — that the new scale of wages introduced by G.O. 22nd May 1877, No. 1798, remains the measure for the fixing of calculation which was contemplated.

J No. 3923

From Pres: of the Board of Revenue

Dated 25th May 1877.

FOR ORDERS.

The officers must
see that rates suffice
if not must report
to Collector of Dist.

If local bazaar
keeps same rates
or any thing is tried
the government
be placed in mind -

I do not see
main order can
with a draft on
it and
B.C. 1/1

Lord see that it
can be considered.
For mean the
order is not for and less
than one lb.
But the new rate
removes the necessity of
great fines as
29/1 - 1/1.

Lord say that the
executive order probably
removes the necessity
for the price in calcutta.
It was continuing but
that the Bd. can ascertain
from the fold. how this
is. L.H.

12th February 1877. P. 227. Financial Department,
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seers, a difference of 10 per cent in the price makes
a difference in no case more than one pie in
the rate. As regards for Adapak, Bellary and
Kurnool where prices are highest, the necessity
of the case is sufficiently met by the concession
allowed in G.O. 30th March 1877. P. 1272.

Yours truly
J. H. B. 1/1

Respectfully
Secretary Board of Revenue

The Additional Secretary to Govt
Revenue Department

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The record of the

of the 1877 No. 1788

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