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13th June 1877, No. 1,978-A.

**Famine Relief.**

Read the following paper:—

No. 256-A. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 1st June 1877.

Read the following letter from W. OLDHAM, Esq., Taluq Officer, Adoni, to J. H. MASTER, Esq., Collector of Bellary, dated 25th May 1877, No. 84.

As I have lost the services of Captain Shortland, R.A., and Mr. A. J. Oldham, Assistant Engineer, I have the honor to apply for a superior officer in their place, who can take charge of a work and some 20,000 relief laborers.

2. The numbers on my works are now nearly 70,000, and to control them I have only Captain Hamilton. The works on which they are employed bear an aggregate length of over 90 miles, their terminal points being 33, 30, 35, and 17 miles from head-quarters. To control the organization properly and to try the numerous cases of fraud which, with our complete organization, are now being constantly detected, I find myself daily more and more confined to head-quarters.

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[illegible] ARDED to the Board of Revenue for favorable consideration. Mr. Oldham really does require the services of another officer.

BELLARY,
*27th May* 1877.

(Signed) J. H. MASTER,
*Collector.*

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[illegible] SUBMITTED for the favorable consideration of Government.

2. The Board regret to hear that the numbers in Adoni are again approaching 70,000. Additional control is obviously wanted.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

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

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No. 256-B. ORDER THEREON, 13th June 1877, No. 1,978-A.

Miscellaneous.

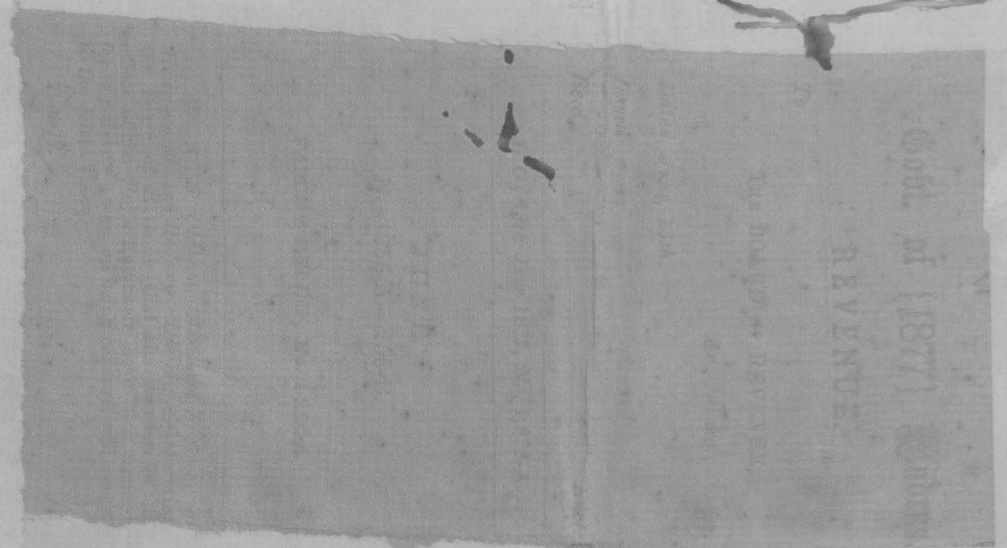
THE services of an officer of Royal Engineers have been applied for to relieve Mr. A. J. Oldham, who, on being relieved, will revert to the Adoni Taluq.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
" the Public Works Department.
" the Consulting Engineer for Railways.
" the Collector of Bellary.
" the Accountant-General.
" the Financial Department.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.



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Revenue Department

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 15th June 1857

Read the following

Bd's Cy. R. No 5933 No 84

To

The Collector of

Bellary

Sir

As I have lost the services of Captain Shortland R.A. and Mr A.J. Oldham, Assistant Engineer, I have the honor to apply for a Superior Officer in their place, who can take charge of a work and some 20000 relief Labourers.

The numbers on my works are now nearly 70000 and to control them

I have only Captain Hamilton.
The works on which they are employed
lie at an aggregate length of over
90 miles, their terminal points being
33, 30, 35 & 17 miles from Head Quarters.
To control the organization properly
and to try the numerous cases of fraud
which with our complete organization
are now being constantly detected, I
find myself daily more and more
confined to Head Quarters.

D.S. May 1877 — I have &c
Adoni — Sd/ W. Oldham
— Taking Officer Adoni

(True Copy)

Forwarded to the Board of Rev,
for favourable consideration. Mr
Oldham really does require the
services of another officer.

27-5-77 — Sd/ J. H. Master
Bellary — Collector

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Submitted for the favorable
consideration of Government.

2. The Board regret to hear that
the numbers in Adoni are again
approaching 20000. Additional
control is obviously wanted.

(True copy & Extract)

Rules
Secretary

To
The additional Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

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Items:

Letter: N.J. Oldham
Send back to Addn
Should look at the
timber in the Railway
a young Rile might be
be also sent from
Bangalore - to
Mr L. Oldham - Guide
to R.L. who is to go
to the Hubli Railway
in place of Mr
N.J. Oldham.

Get me certain

Where is Col Shadlow
gone - why was
he moved without any
explanation?

B.C. 2/6

Mr Goldsmith
Oldham

J.H. 2/6

This is certainly a
very serious matter
& Gram's removal
to Belgaum to

Submitting for the favourable
Consideration of Government
ment the Letter from Lieut. Col.
a Letter from Mr. W. Oldham
Salute Officer 7 Adjutant
the Army Staff
Officer Corps
Captain Maitland
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Board of Ordnance
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Memorandum & Letter from
Lieut. Col. A.J. Oldham
Salute Officer Mysore
dated 7 June.

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Save the R.S.D
Railway out of
difficulties as a
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been a mistake
Pl. I think they
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Pl. send 2 civ
-ilians at once
One to be Engr
for Pol-
11/9 VR

C.J. Collins
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Lt Baldwin R.E. to
Lt Col Major Hall
+ W. Holland R.E.
Wing & Adjt.
Inst. for. Instructions
Lt Col. Fortune.
D.A.A. Gen. Volunteers
for Road - Lt