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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
18th January 1877.*

No. 529. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 9th January 1877:—

Read Relief Report from Eurnool District, dated 3rd January 1877, for week ending 30th December 1876.

Read also Report from Kistna District for the same period, dated 4th January 1877.

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2. *Kurnool*.—A taluqwar abstract of the relief report is enclosed. The present report gives the "probable cost or sum sanctioned" for all the works. The total is Rs. 23,82,893, of which 7,98,433 belongs to Nundial and Koilkuntla. The works are almost entirely road-works, and the rates per mile for the distances given are very high. Nine works in Ramalakota, three in Nundikotkur, one in Cumbum, three in Koilkuntla, one in Pattikondah, four in Nundial, and two in Sirwell come to Rs. 30,000 and upwards. The Collector is requested to report on what basis the amounts which exceed those entered in former statements are arrived at. In some cases the amounts are very largely exceeded.

3. The outlay in the week on relief works is given at Rupees 1,89,241, which differs from that reported by telegram. The outlay on gratuitous relief seems to have been in some cases included with that on relief works. The total outlay to date on works is Rupees 9,72,382.

4. The number of coolies employed in the several taluqs is contrasted in the margin with those given in the previous reports. The increase is not great except in Nundial and Markapur; in Koilkuntla and Ramalakota the maximum number has, as Board hope, been nearly reached. There was a decrease in the week ending 23rd December in the latter taluq. The decrease in Cumbum shown in this return must be due either to bad management or incorrect entry.

5. The curious difference as to the distribution of the men, women, and children on the east and west of the Nullamalais noticed in last week's report continues as shown by the per-centages in the margin. The rates of wages in each taluq are shown in the following table with the equivalent quantities of rice.

	23rd Dec.	30th Dec.	
Ramalakota...	64,930	66,818	+ 1,888
Nandikotkur..	17,331	20,427	+ 3,096
Koilkuntla ...	33,962*	35,001	+ 1,039
Nundial ...	43,987	49,830	+ 5,843
Pattikonda ...	8,874	12,335	+ 3,461
Sirwell ...	16,460	20,109	+ 3,649
Cumbum ...	41,954	35,213	— 6,741
Markapur ...	9,194	14,885	+ 5,691
	239,742	254,618	+ 14,876

* On 16th December.

	Men.	Women.	Children.
Cumbum and Markapur. { 23rd...	52.7	40.3	6.9
{ 30th...	51.9	40.6	7.5
Rest of the District. { 23rd...	38.4	43.7	17.9
{ 30th...	38.7	43.6	17.7

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
13th January 1877.

		Wages			Equivalents in Rupee		
		Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Children.
Bamalikota	Money.	2 as. 6 p.	1 a. 3 p.	1 a. 0 p.	Rs. 1.23	Rs. 1.23	Rs. .73
Nundikotkur	Money.	3 as. 0 p.	2 as. 0 p.	1 a. 0 p.	2.19	1.47	.73
Cumbum	Grain.	2 as. 6 p.	1 as. 3 p.	1 a. 0 p.	2.19	1.47	.73
Markapur	Money.	2 as. 6 p.	1 as. 3 p.	1 a. 0 p.	2.19	1.47	.73
Koilkuntla	Money.	2 as. 6 p.	1 as. 3 p.	1 a. 0 p.	2.19	1.47	.73
Pattikonda	Grain.	2 as. 6 p.	1 as. 3 p.	1 a. 0 p.	2.19	1.47	.73
Nundial	Money.	2 as. 6 p.	1 as. 3 p.	1 a. 0 p.	2.19	1.47	.73
Sirwell	Grain.	2 as. 6 p.	1 as. 3 p.	1 a. 0 p.	2.19	1.47	.73

From this it will be evident that grain-payments have been considerably extended, but there is the widest diversity in the real wages. The 3-anna rate is now in force only in Nundikotkur.

6. *Gratuitous Relief*.—8,409 persons, of whom no less than 4,918 men in Cumbum were fed without labor. The proportions of men, women, and children, respectively, 56.8, 31.5, and 11.7 per cent. The proportion of men is thus far too high.

The total outlay is reported as follows:—

Relief works	Rs. 9,72,382
Gratuitous relief	1,859
	9,74,241

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

H. E. STOKES,
Acting Secretary.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
18th January 1877.

Talukwar Statement of Relief for the W. ending 30th December 1876.

Taluk.	District.	Grants of Funds sanctioned up to 30th December 1876.	Probable Cost of Works or Run sent home for their Expenditure.	Outlay on Works in progress		Total Outlay since the commencement of the District		Cost of Relief during the Week.	Number of Coolies employed on the last Day of the Week.				Number of Persons in receipt of Gratuitous Relief.		Remarks.
				In the Week.	To the end of the Week.	On Relief Works.	Gratuitous Relief.		Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	
Bamalikota	Kurnool.	Rs. 14,45,000	Rs. 1,53,250	Rs. 1,53,250	Rs. 1,53,250	Rs. 1,53,250	Rs. 1,53,250	Rs. 1,53,250	20	23,189	11,825	66,818	..	..	26, 19, 1-0, 4, 4, 4.
Nundikotkur		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	8,911	4,470	20,427	106	477	30, 20, 1-0, 4, 4, 4.
Koilkuntla		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	15,670	5,175	35,001	65	220	20, 20, 1-0, 1.
Nundial		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	21,218	9,107	49,850	94	182	26, 16, 1.
Pattikonda		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	6,658	1,922	12,335	10	23	26, 2-0, 1-0
Sirwell		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	8,732	3,655	20,109	2	3	4, 4, 4.
Cumbum		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	14,886	934	31,213	3,218	4,918	4, 4, 4.
Markapur		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	6,423	2,842	14,885	146	269	26, 1-3, 4, 4.
Total		3,21,000	23,82,823	1,89,241	1,72,382	9,72,382	1,859	538	106,3	103,698	39,731	264,618	3,840	754	6,409

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
17th January 1877.*

No. 350. ORDER THEREON, 18th January 1877, No. 239.

Miscellaneous.

RECORDED.

2. The Government require the Collector of Kurnool to give his earnest attention to the remarks of the Board of Revenue, in view to the defects noticed being avoided in his future progress reports.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

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

Ed. F. B. Pantlema.

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No. 93.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 9th January 1877.

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Read also Report from Kistna District for the same period dated 4th January 1877.

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2. *Kurnool*.—A taluqwar abstract of the Relief Report is enclosed. The present report gives the "probable cost or sum sanctioned" for all the works. The total is Rupees 28,82,893, of which Rupees 7,98,433 belongs to Nandial and Koilkuntla. The works are almost entirely road works, and the rates per mile for the distances given are very high. Nine works in Ramalkota, three in Nandikotkur, one in Cumbum, three in Koilkuntla, one in Pattikonda, four in Nandial, and two in Sirwell, come to Rupees 30,000 and upwards. The Collector is requested to report on what basis the amounts, which exceed those entered in former statements, are arrived at. In several cases the sums entered have already been very largely exceeded.

3. The outlay in the week on relief works is given at Rupees 1,89,241, which differs from that reported by telegram. The outlay on gratuitous relief seems to have been in some cases included with that on relief works. The total outlay to date on works is Rupees 9,72,382.

4. The number of coolies employed in the several taluqs is contrasted in the margin with those given in the previous reports. The increase is not great, except in Nandial and Markapur; in Koilkuntla and Ramalkota, the maximum number has, the Board hope, been nearly reached. There was a decrease in the week ending 23rd December in the latter taluq. The decrease in Cumbum shown in this Return must be due either to bad management or incorrect entry.

5. The curious difference as to the distribution of the men, women, and children on the east and west of the Nallamalais noticed in last week's report continues as shown by the following percentages:—

			Men.	Women.	Children.
Cumbum and Markapur ...	23rd	...	52.7	40.3	6.9
	30th	...	51.9	40.6	7.5
Rest of the district ...	23rd	...	38.4	43.7	17.9
	30th	...	38.7	43.6	17.7

The rates of wages in each taluq are shown in the following table with the equivalent quantities of rice:—

	WAGES.			EQUIVALENTS IN RICE.		
	Men.	Women.	Children.	Men.	Women.	Child.
B. S. Taluq. Money	2 a. 6 p.	1 a. 9 p.	1 a. --	183	128	73
B. S. Taluq. Grain	1 m.	1 m.	1 m.	219	147	73
N. S. Taluq. Money	3 a.	2 a.	1 a.	237	158	79
N. S. Taluq. Grain	1 m.	1 m.	1 m.	219	147	73
C. S. Taluq. Money	1 m.	1 m.	1 m.	219	147	73
C. S. Taluq. Grain	2 a. 6 p.	1 a. 3 p.	1 a. 3 p.	230	145	73
M. S. Taluq. Money	1 m.	1 m.	1 m.	219	147	73
M. S. Taluq. Grain	1 m.	1 m.	1 m.	218	139	80
K. S. Taluq. Money	2 a. 6 p.	1 a. 9 p.	1 a.	199	179	113
K. S. Taluq. Grain	2 a. 6 p.	2 a.	1 a.	224	133	89
P. S. Taluq. Money	1 m.	1 m.	1 m.	177	133	89
P. S. Taluq. Grain	2 a. 6 p.	1 a. 6 p.	1 a.	161	97	65
N. S. Taluq. Money	1 m.	1 m.	1 m.	219	147	73
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From this it will be evident that grain payments have been considerably extended but there is the widest diversity in the real wages. The 3-Anna rate is now in force only in N. S. Taluq.

On 31st Dec. 1876 there were four hundred and nine persons, of whom not less than 1,918 were in Cambay, were fed without labor. The proportions of men, women, and children are, respectively, 55.3, 31.5, and 11.7 per cent. The proportion of men is thus far too high.

The total outlay is reported as follows:—

B. S. Taluq. works	Rs. 9,72,382
G. S. Taluq. relief	1,869
Total	9,74,251

(A true Extract.)

(Signed)

H. E. STOKES,

Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with two original statements, to be returned, and Taluqwar Abstract
to the Collector of Kistna.
E. A. S. Rodgers.

Recorded.
The Secretary to Government is requested to give his earnest attention
to the above report, and to the defects noticed therein
and to the defects in the progress of the work.

Board of Revenue,
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Proceedings, 7th January 1877, No. 63.

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Kundi Kotkur	Money 2 a 0 p Grain 3 1/4 m	2 a 0 p 1/2 m	1 a 0 p 1/4 m	2.34 2.19	1.58 1.47	.73 .73
Cumbum	Grain 1 1/4 m	1/2 m	1/4 m	2.19	1.47	.73
Markapur	Money 2-6 Grain 3 1/4 m	1-3 1/2 m	1-3 1/2 m	2.30 2.19	1.54 1.47	.73 .73
Koilkuntla	Money 2 a 0 p Grain 2 a 0 p	1 a 0 p 1/2 m	1-0 1/4 m	1.99 1.99	1.29	.58
Pattikonda	Money 2 a 6 p Grain 1 m	2 a 0 p 3/4 m	1/2 m	2.24 1.47	1.79 1.33	1.12 1.89
Kandiak.	Money 2-6	1-6	1-0	1.61	.97	.65
Sirwell.	Grain 3 1/4 m	1/2 m	1/4 m	2.19	1.47	.73

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(True Extract)

W. L. W. W.
Acting Secretary

To The Secretary to Government, Prov. Dep.
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