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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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30th July 1877, No. 2,406-B.

**Famine Relief.**

Read the following paper :—

No. 562-C. Endorsement of the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 25th July 1877, No. 1,450.

Read the following letter from Apothecary E. S. MAYLEY, in Medical charge Relief-camp, Venkatagiri, to the Secretary to the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department, dated 15th July 1877, No. 15.

I HAVE the honor to enclose, for the information of the Surgeon-General, the return of sick for the week ending Saturday, the 14th July 1877.

(*b.*) *Water-supply*.—Quality good, quantity sufficient but diminishing.

(*c.*) High winds continue, with intervals of close, trying weather; days have been cloudy; winds are hot till 8 or 9 P.M. Thermometer 100°.

(*d.*) *Health of Camp* fair. Numbers are increasing daily; very many cases of starvation; the worst of these cases are taken into hospital, and constitute nearly two-thirds of the total sick; the admissions have been large during the week, owing to more accommodation being supplied by three more lean-to sheds. Strength of camp—men 286, women 573, children 819; total 1,678.

(*e.*) *Public health* fair.

(*f.*) 54 deaths in hospital and three in camp, making a total of 57 against 28 in the previous week; more than one-half of the deaths are from famine diarrhœa.

(*g.*) Apothecary E. S. Mayley in medical charge; First-class Hospital Assistant P. Nagappah Pillai, No. 535.

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No. 442.

FORWARDED to the Chief Secretary to Government for the information of Government.

*Fort St. George,*
*20th July* 1877.

(Signed) G. SMITH, M.D.,
*Surgeon-General, Indian Medl. Dept.*

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TRANSFERRED to the Revenue (Famine) Department.

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
*Chief Secretary.*

*Revenue Department, 30th July 1877, No. 2,406.*

No. 562-D. ORDER THEREON, 30th July 1877, No. 2,406-B.

Miscellaneous.

COMMUNICATED to the Sanitary Commissioner.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Sanitary Commissioner.
,, the Surgeon-General, Indian Medical Department.
,, the Board of Revenue.
,, the Financial Department.
,, the Collector of Nellore.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.

Nam[illegible] of Hospital Camp Venkatagiri

[illegible]turn of Sick for [illegible] Week ending Saturday the 14th July 1877

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Govt. of {1877} Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER,

&c., &c., &c.

*Dated July 30th.*

*Issued in MS. August 4th.*

*Printed August 10th.*

*Read.* *Encl.*

*G.O., 30th July 1877, No. 2,406-R.*

JULY.

Nos. 562-C—562-D.

FAMINE RELIEF, No. 1,504-D.

*Venkatagiri Relief-camp.*—Communicating to the Sanitary Commissioner report of the Medical Officer in charge of — on its sanitary condition for the week ending 14th July 1877.