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10th September 1877, No. 2,694-A.

Famine Relief.

Read the following paper:—

No. 167-A. Telegram from the Collector of Vizagapatam, to the Secretary to Government, Madras, dated Vizianagram, 7th September 1877.

RAIN well distributed. Paddy ready. All transplanted. Distress no way relieved. Prices maintained at starvation rates. Prospects good. Agricultural labourers' health condition good. Receivers of money wages on half rations. Beggars would starve unless relieved in towns. Labour provided sufficient. Landlords and merchants liberal. Government expenditure limited to a camp at Vizagapatam and village relief to small amount. Details post.

Transmitted to Revenue (Famine) Department.

8th September 1877.

Chief Secretary.

No. 167-B. ORDER THEREON, 10th September 1877, No. 2,694-A.

Miscellaneous.

THE Government await the Collector's promised report.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
" the Financial Department.
" the Collector of Vizagapatam.

Exd. A. Raiff.

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Kings College
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Academy
John and Mary
a telegram was sent
last found emergency
from recent news that
expected relief prospects.
this is the reply -