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Revenue DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
1st February 1877.*

No. 14-A. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd January 1877, No. 206:—

Read the following letter from A. WEDDERBURN, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 18th January 1877, No. 20:—

I HAVE the honor to inform the Board of Revenue and Government that, with the view to keep myself acquainted with the state of crime over the district, I requested the District Superintendent to cause his Assistant to furnish me direct with a crime return for the Assistant's division. This had never been customary, but Major Guthrie at once sanctioned the return.

2. My general instructions to my Tahsildars all over the district are to report special crimes and occurrences to me direct, but the Police are in a position to do this in regard to crime with greater celerity.

3. From the return from the division for the past week, out of twenty-four crimes I find six dacoities, and sixteen of the total number of twenty-four reported offences are thefts of cattle, sheep, and grain, showing pressure.

4. This in itself is a good guide to relief, and accordingly works are opened out with the view to decrease the temptation to such crime.

5. In Oodoomulpettah of the Head Assistant Collector's division there were three dacoities in the week ending 13th January. I despatched Mr. J. H. Cook, my

6. Mr. Mackenzie has one taluq only to attend to the relief of, but that will occupy him fully. There will be probably 20,000 requiring relief in that taluq, viz., Pulladam. In Coimbatore, on the other hand, field hands have still some occupation, while many artizans are out of work.

7. Mr. C. A. Mackenzie of the Northern Division is forwarding his works for which now there is need, and Mr. McWatters is most successful in the amount of valuable work he has had already done and in the early administration of relief.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

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

No. 14-B.

ORDER THEREON, 1st February 1877, No. 481-A.

Miscellaneous.

COMMUNICATED to the Judicial Department.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Judicial Department.

Edw. J. W. Fischer.

No. 256.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 23rd January 1877.

Read the following letter from A. WEDDERBURN, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 18th January 1877, No. 26:—

I HAVE the honor to inform the Board of Revenue and Government that with the view to keep myself acquainted with the state of crime over the district, I requested the District Superintendent to cause his Assistant to furnish me direct with a crime return for the Assistant's division. This had never been customary, but Major Guthrie at once sanctioned the return.

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SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
Copy to the Collector of Coimbatore.

Exd. W. J. Lewis.

Recd the following

From
A. H. Tuley Esq
Collector of Coniba Town

To
H. E. Stokes Esq
Acting Secretary to the
Board of Revenue and so.

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JANUARY.
No. 256

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Louisiana Office, Shreveport
18 January 1897 - J. A. Wadsworth
Collector.

Submitted for the inform-
-ation of Government.

/True Copy and Extract/

W. H. M.

Secretary

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The Secretary to

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before, informing
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to cause his affidavits
to be made a record
between for 1877
view to keep himself
acquainted with the
state of affairs over
the District.