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Revenue DEPARTMENT

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

27th January 1877, No. 300

Famine Relief.

Read the following papers —

No. 356. From M PARTHASARATHY CHETTY, Secretary to the Relief House near Cundasawmy Pagoda, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 8th January 1877.

I beg respectfully to submit to Government the enclosed copy of the Proceedings of the Managing Committee for the Relief House at Moothoocommarasawmy Muntapum, near Cundasawmy Pagoda, and also an abstract of receipts amounting to Rupees 1,720-11-9, and charges incurred for feeding the poor from 8th November to 31st December 1876 amounting to Rupees 1,826. I am desirous to solicit the Government will kindly be pleased to favor the Committee with a grant-in-aid equal to the amount of subscriptions collected by them—vide G.O., Financial Department, No 2183, dated 4th December 1876

2. I am also desirous by the Managers to convey their humble respects to Government for the aid they have been already giving to this relief house in allowing four bags of rice since 9th December 1876

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Referred to the Commissioner of Police for report

FORT ST. GEORGE,
11th January 1877.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Chief Secretary.

No 14.

No. 357.

MEMORANDUM.

Has the honor to return the letter of the Secretary to the Moothoocommarasawmy Muntapum Relief House, forwarded with his endorsement of the 11th instant, and to inform him that the feeding of the poor at the above Relief House commenced on the 8th November 1876. The average daily number fed at its first starting was 400, which number has now increased to about 2,000. The food served out at first was merely conjeewater and rice, but since Government were pleased to aid the Committee the food consists of cooked rice and vegetable curry for three days in the week, and cooked rice and buttermilk for the rest of the week—caste is observed. The ticket system introduced and the food distributed between 10 A.M. to 6 P.M. The poor are said to speak well of the food they receive

MADRAS,
25th January 1877.

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

(Signed) W. S. DREVER,
Commissioner of Police.

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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT, 27TH JANUARY 1877, No. 300.

No. 358.

ORDER TIFRLOV, 27th January 1877, No. 300.

A Government grant-in-aid of Rupees 500, debitable to Imperial Famine Relief, is sanctioned.

2. The Governor in Council observes that the Committee have practically received the Government contribution which they seek in the form of grains given to them

(True Extract)

[Signature]
Chief Secretary

To the Secretary to the Relief House, Cuandasawmy Pagoda

" Commissioner of Police.

" Accountant-General

" Revenue Department

" Board of Revenue.

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