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## GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

REVENUE DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,*
*25th April* 1877.

**Famine Relief.**

No. 702A. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th April 1877, No. 1734:—

Read the following letter from A. WEDDERBURN, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, to J. H. GARSTIN, Esq., Additional Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George (through the Board of Revenue), dated 31st March 1877, No. 55.

With reference to your circular, No. 652, of 13th February 1877, calling for report as to how far the works now in progress, or contemplated, will provide employment for the probable number of persons standing in need of relief during the next seven months, I have the honor to inform you that the probable cost of the projected works in this district is Rs. 5,02,996, and the expenditure already incurred up to 24th March was Rs. 1,75,955, exclusive of Rs. 13,535 expended on the purchase and carriage of tools and stores, &c. The estimates of uncommenced works and the unworked balances of works in progress amount to Rs. 3,87,041; the numbers at present on works are nearly 25,000, and it is believed they will not exceed 30,000 in the worst part of the season.

2. I append a taluqwar abstract of sanctioned estimates, actual outlay, and unworked balances; the only taluq in which the projected works within its limits would be insufficient is Oodoomulpetta, where I contemplate proposing fresh works and transferring the surplus allotments of other taluqs thereto. So there need be no anxiety about our projected works being insufficient on the whole to tide over the unfavorable season if it really lasts so long as August.

Enclosure No. 1.—Statement.

Submitted to Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Secretary.

No. 702B. Order thereon, 28th April 1877, No. 1,591A.

Miscellaneous.

Recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

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

Exd. A. F. Goodall.

Govt. of (1877) Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD of REVENUE,

&c., &c., &c.

Dated April, 28th

Read,

Ended

G.O., 28th April 1877, No. 1,591A.

APRIL.

Nos. 703A-703B.

FAMINE RELIEF. No. 1049A.

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*Abbreviations in Collectorate Districts.*—Read-ing Proceedings of the Board of Revenue on Col-lector's letter regarding the period for which in progress, or contemplated, will provide employ-ment for people in distress.

Revenue Department.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 17th April 1877.

No. 734

Read the following

B^d G.R. No. 3442

No. 55

From

A. Wedderburn Esq^re

Collector of Coimbatore.

To

J. H. Garstin Esq^re

Add^l Secretary to Government

Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your Circular No. 652 of 13th Feb. 1877 calling for report as to how far the works now in progress, or contemplated, will provide employment for the probable number of persons standing in need of relief during the next 4 months, I have the honor to inform you that the probable cost of the projected works in this District is Rs. 562996 and the

the expenditure already incurred upto
24th March was Rs 175955 exclusive of
Rs 13535 expended on the purchase and
Carriage of Tools & Stores &c. The Estimates
of uncommenced works and the unworked
balances of works in progress amount
to Rs 387041; the numbers at present
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Coimbatore Collrs office
31st March 1877.

I have &c
T.S. Wedderburn
Collector.

Submitted to Government.

/True Copy & Extract/

Secretary

To
The Additional Secretary to
Govt Revenue Departt
with Copy of Enclosure

Abstract of Estimates of Famine Relief Works and of Expenditure incurred upto 24th March 1877 in Coimbatore District.

| Talugs. | Amount of Estimate | Expenditure upto 24th march 1877 | Balance on 25th march 1877 | Remarks. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Coimbatore | 31,458 | 14,028 | 17,430 | Exclusive of Rs 3090 spent in purchasing Tools &c |
| Pollachy | 13,530 | 139 | 13,391 | — |
| Pulladum | 108,287 | 40,164 | 68,123 | Exclusive of Rs 3098 spent in purchasing Tools &c |
| Oodumulpettah | 79,655 | 47,169 | 32,486 | — |
| Darapooram | 40,414 | 9,654 | 30,760 | Exclusive of Rs 37 spent in purchasing Tools &c |
| Caroor | 68,653 | 10,844 | 57,809 | — |
| Erode | 112,060 | 30,245 | 81,815 | Exclusive of Rs 1809 spent in purchasing Tools &c |
| Bhowany | 35,528 | 13,025 | 22,503 | — |
| Collegal | 15,600 | 182 | 15,408 | Exclusive of Rs 27 spent in purchasing Tools &c |
| Sattyamungalum | 57,811 | 10,505 | 47,306 | Exclusive of Rs 81 spent in purchasing Tools &c |
| Total District | 5,62,996 | 175,955 | 387,041 | Exclusive of expenditure on Tools &c in Talooks Rs 8,142 Huzoor — 5393 Total 13,535 |

Coimbatore
31st March 1877.

15/4. Weddeburn
Collector

/True Copy/
H Weddeburn
Secretary

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Addl. Secy to Govt. R.D

dated 17 April /77

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Recd G.O. 28 April /77

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