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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
10th February 1877.

No. 619. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 10th February 1877, No. 561 :—

Read the following letter from J. F. PRICE, Esq., Acting Collector of Cuddapah, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Kalkudapa 1st February 1877, Extra No. 1.

I have the honor to request that the Board of Revenue will be pleased to sanction, in consideration of the prevailing distress and failure of rains, the grant this year of remissions on account of dry lands in this district.

2. I consider that the proposed measure is imperatively necessary.

3. What the actual amount which will have to be remitted, if the concession sought is made, I am not in a position to, with any certainty, state, but I believe that I am not far out in expressing the opinion that it will be pretty nearly, if not quite, two-thirds of the demand of the district under the head of "Dry."

4. Full remission should, I consider, be granted on all lands not cultivated, or the crops upon which have entirely failed, and a percentage, which will probably average between two-thirds and three-fourths, but which may possibly turn out, on scrutiny, less, for the whole district on those lands from which there has been some outturn; a village in such cases being taken as the "tract" upon which remission is given.

The Board sanction the Collector's proposals, but settlement officers should bear in mind that when anything beyond a nominal crop has been realized the high prices obtained for produce has left the ryots a margin for paying the assessment on dry lands.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

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

No. 620. ORDER THEREON, 19th February 1877, No. 748.

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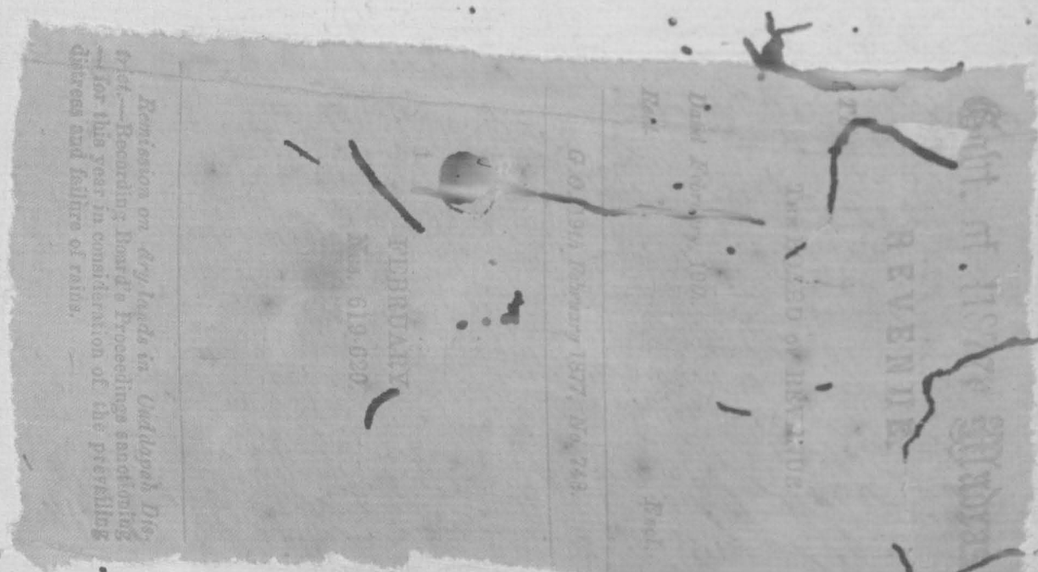
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(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. A. F. Goodall.


Remission on dry lands in Cuddapah Dist.—Boarding Board's Proceedings sanctioning for this year in consideration of the prevailing distress and failure of rains.

FEBRUARY

Revenue Despatch

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 10th February 1877.

No. 561

Read the following

Extract No. 1.

From J. F. Pinhey Esqr.

officiating Collector of Cuddapah

To H. D. Stokes Esqr.

officiating Secretary to the

Board of Revenue &c. &c. &c.

I have the honor to request that the Board of Revenue will be pleased to sanction, in consideration of the prevailing distress and failure of crops, the grant this year of remissions on account of dry lands in this District

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Cuddapah Collector's Office } (sign) J. F. Price
Camp. Kalkendla } Actg Collector.
1st February 1877 ——

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/True Copy & Extract/
(sign) H. D. Stokes
Actg Secretary.

To
The Collector of Cuddapah.
/True Copy/

Solomon
Actg Secretary.

To
The Additional Secretary to
Government. R. D.

W.C.H.
C.S.

Consolidated Board of Revenue

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