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*Revenue* DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,  
8th March 1877.*

**Famine Relief.**

No. 246A. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 3rd March 1877, No. 1,019:—

Read the following letter from J. H. MASTER, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Bellary, 27th February 1877, No. 138.

With reference to the Proceedings of the Board, Miscellaneous No. 2,386, dated 17th instant, I have the honor to annex, for the approval of the Board, copy of a telegram sent by me to Government, copy of their reply, and copy of a letter addressed by me to Divisional Officers thereon.

*Enclosure No. 1.*

*Service Message.*

Telegram from J. H. MASTER, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to J. H. GARSTEN, Esq., Additional Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated 22nd February 1877.

"Government Order, Financial, No. 529, dated 12th instant.

Your letter to Mr. Bernard, No. 753, dated 20th instant.

Am I authorised to use discretion as to the particular grain to be selected as a standard for commutation of wages."

*Enclosure No. 2.*

*Service Message.*

Telegram from J. H. GARSTEN, Esq., Additional Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, to J. H. MASTER, Esq., Collector of Bellary, dated 22nd February 1877.

"Use your discretion in fixing standard grain for commutation of wages according to circumstances and prices in different taluqs."

*Enclosure No. 3.*

From J. H. MASTER, Esq., Collector of Bellary, to the Divisional Officers, dated 23rd February 1877, No. 550.

In my foot-note on G.O. No. 529, dated the 9th instant, I requested that second-sort rice might be considered as the standard grain, the price of one pound of which was to be taken in calculating the commutation of wages.

Government in their Order, Financial, No. 529, dated the 12th instant, also decided that this course was the correct one.

2. I have, however, just received a telegram from Government as per margin, and with reference thereto, I request that you will, in fixing the money value of a pound of grain, take the grain which is cheapest, if readily procurable everywhere, in the taluk and report which you have selected and the value thereof.

3. The Board's instructions contained in their Proceedings, No. 131, dated the 3rd instant, as to periods of revision of this commutation value, should be followed; a report should immediately be submitted after each revision.

(True Copy)

Signed J. H. MASTER,  
Collector.

Proceedings of the Marine Government, Revenue Department,  
8th March 1877.

Submitted to Government.

3. Orders of Government are awaited on Board's Proceedings, dated 24th February 1877, No. 851, on Government Order communicating letter to Mr. Bernard, No. 748, dated 20th January.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,

Secretary.

No. 146B.

Order received 8th March 1877, No. 852A.

Marine Government

Copies were passed on the Board's Proceedings of the 5th volume, No. 852, on the 37th plate, and a manuscript copy of the T.O. was sent to the Board's office on the 28th.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,

Additional Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue,  
The Revenue Department.

Edw. A. Guler.

Revenue Dept

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.  
Dated 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1907.

Read the following:

No 138.

From The Collector Bellary.

To The Secretary to the  
Board of Revenue Madras.

Board of Revenue } Sir  
With reference to the Proceedings  
of the Board, Miscellaneous No. 2358  
dated 17<sup>th</sup> instant, I have the honor  
to annex for the approval of the  
Board, copy of a telegram sent  
by me to Government, copy of their  
reply, and copy of a letter addressed  
by me to Principal officers Bellary.

I have the honor to be,  
Sir, your obedient servant,  
(Sd/-) J. H. Viner  
Collector  
Bellary  
1907

Revenue

Service Message

Bellary  
Collector

To Madras  
To the Secretary  
Public Works Department  
Government

Dated 20<sup>th</sup> February 1916

Government order, Madras No. 529  
dated 12<sup>th</sup> instant.

Your letter to Mr. Bernard,

dated 20<sup>th</sup> instant.

As I am charged to use  
the particular price  
selected as a standard for  
the calculation of wages.

(Sd/-) J. H. Bernard  
Collector

Service Message

To Bellary  
To Collector

Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February 1916

See your direction in fixing  
standard

standard price for computation of  
wages according to circumstances  
and prices in different taluqs.

No. 529

Collector's Office

Bellary

23<sup>rd</sup> February 1916

The Divisional Officer

Sir

In my footnote to Government

Order No. 329 dated the 31<sup>st</sup> ult.  
I requested that 2<sup>nd</sup> list may be  
considered as the standard price,  
the price of one pound of which  
was taken in calculating the  
computation of wages.

Government in their Order, Madras  
No. 529, dated the 12<sup>th</sup> instant,  
has decided that this course was  
the correct one.

I have, however, just received  
telegram from Government, as per  
you and with 222 February  
see your discussion in fixing  
standard price for common  
that you take of wages according  
fixing the circumstances and price  
also you in different things  
of price take the grain  
in chapter of road and  
even other in the state and  
which you have selected  
the value of.

The Board instructions in  
the Board Proceedings, re  
dated the 31. In fact, as to  
mode of revision of the com-  
mon value should be followed,

a report should immediately be sub-  
mitted after each revision.

I have to  
(Sgd) J. H. Master  
Collector  
/ True copy /  
(Sgd) J. H. Master  
Collector

Submitted to Government

Order of Government are annexed

in Board's Proceedings dated 24  
February 1917, no 802 in G.O. commu-  
nicating letter to Mr Bernard no  
753 dated 20.1.1917.

/ True copy at hand /

To  
The Secy  
The Secy to Govt  
The Secy

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