# Revenue (189 7) Department.

PRESS SERIES.

G.O., No. 164

DATED 15th Mar: 1897

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[Despatch Abstract.]

1 Sanctioning the appointment of a Special Assistant to the Coll.r of Cuddapah under Sec. 25 of the Famine Code & sanctioning also an extra clerk on Rs 50 & Accountant on Rs 35.

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# Revenue (1897) Department.

**CURRENT No.**

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
16 MAR 97
SECRETARIAT

Spl Asst. Collr. Cudd. case.

*From* The Collector of Cuddapah

Dated 11/3/97

Rec'd 15/3/97

*Order* s

Report No. 874 Rev 097

the Collector of Cuddapah sends Copy of a letter addressed to the Board in which he urges the appointment of a Special asst Collector to his district and requests that orders may be sent to him by wire the necessity for such an appt was considered in the notes under G.O. 669 26-11-96 when it was held that a Special assistant was not then necessary.

A Special Deputy Collector do relieve the Divisional officer of Traddakur, Proddatur, Jammalamadugu at Jammalamadugu has been appointed, as also three Dy Tahsildars do relieve the Tahsildars

*Dated* 4th March 1897

*Received*

*Registered*

*Enclosures*

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*Noted* / *Issued* } SUBJECT.

Submitting copy of a letter to the Board (Sett. Dept.) requesting the early appointment of a Special Assistant to the Collector, as the necessity for the same

and Jammalmadugu

2. The Collector wishes also to strengthen his office by the appointment of a clerk on Rs 50 and an accountant on Rs 35

The Tahsildars in this District are not large ones & there are what may be called 4 works open. The next four months will be taken up in inspecting & this is the busiest time of the year for the Revenue Officers as Jammabundy has to be done & this District is not a district in which much work can be done in the hot weather. There is undoubtedly room and need for such an Officer there but whether it is one can be spared for the Special Officer asked for Mr. Tate might be left to the Collector to say.

The Contingent Establishment might be allowed on behalf of the Cuddapah Collector's Office if generally suitable for Clerks.

11/6/97.

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Chief Sec. is very desirable to have one Revenue Officer for Chingleput

Yes and will nominate one Officer at once.

Secy. Govt. 11/6/97.

Very Respectfully

Referred No. 894 Rev of 97

CUDDAPAH COLLECTOR'S OFFICE,

Dated 4th March 1897.

ENCLOSURES

FROM

A. C. Tate Esq

COLLECTOR OF

*Cuddapah,*

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE COMMISSIONER OF
REVENUE SETTLEMENT AND DIRECTOR OF
THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND RECORDS
AND AGRICULTURE,
*Madras.*

SIR,

In my letter current No. 894 Rev of 97 dated 20.2.97, I requested the Board to recommend the appointment of a Special Assistant under Section 25 of the Famine Code to discharge the routine duties of my office and also to sanction the entertainment of a clerk on Rs 50 and an Accountant on Rs 35 in my office. There are 4 works in progress already and 8 have issued instructions

one Dy Collr to relieve the chief Officers in charge of Tanuku & Jammalamadugu & three Officers of the grade of Dy Tahsildars to relieve the Tahsildars of Proddatur, Pulivendla and Jammalamadugu - have also to be appointed
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or an arranging for 5 more works being started in the current fort night.

2. As the necessity for the additional establishment is very real, I request that Government may be moved to send me an Assistant at an early date and to sanction the establishment by wire, if possible.

Yours etc
(Sd) A.C. Tate
Collector

(True copy)

To the Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Madras.

P. Ramachandra Rao
4.3.97
for Collector

4.3.97

4-3-97

# Revenue (1897) Department.

**CURRENT No.**

The Hon. the Board of Revenue

RECEIVED MADRAS
12 MAR 97

***From***

The Board of Revenue
Rev: Secretariat Fort St: George
Chepauk, Madras.

***For Orders***

No. 1645 Rev:

***Dated*** 5th March 1897.

***Received***

***Registered***

***Enclosures***

***Spare copies***

## SUBJECT.

Submitting for favourable consideration Government application of the Collector of Cuddapah for the appointment of a Second and Assistant Collector, remarking that the clerical establishment is at present

from confirmation of the Collector's letter ~~and~~ Copy of which was received direct has been already submitted for orders

RJ
8-3-97

I have no such letter yesterday. The Dy. Assist Collr seems to have badly worded

I think, two extra clerical assistance is needed. Things cannot move on there from Bellary.

11.3.97

8/3/97

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE MADRAS.

(No. 22)

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# Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.)

*Dated* 5th March 1897.

No. 1645 Inis:

READ the following letter from the Collector of Cuddapah dated 20th February 1897. Covering his No. 854 Rev:

I have the honor to request that the Board will recommend the appointment of a Special Assistant under section 25 of the Examine Code for discharging the routine duties of my office. The affected area which comprises portions of four taluks forming the north-eastern section of the

is large enough to demand the greater portion of my attention and the approaching Jamabandi renders it essential that I should ask for this help. The District consists of Eleven Taluks. Allowing two Taluks for each Divisional Office, the Jamabandi of 3 Taluks generally falls to the share of the Collector. and following the practice, I have reserved Cuddapah, Proddatur and Madanapalle for my Settlement: and a portion of the Jamabandi work will also have to be done by the Special Assistant.

2. As regards my office, there is considerable increase of work both in the Revenue Account &c

returns to be submitted from the Revenue Branch are noted in the margin. At present, the services of the 2nd English clerk on Rs 50 are solely utilized for correspondence connected with the state of the season, his ordinary work being done by others and his hands are so overfull that he is also assisted by another clerk in the preparation of the Jamabandi Programme. For the past four months, the clerk on Rs. 50 has been doing no other work than that connected with the season, while the other clerk has been doing the work mentioned above in addition to his ordinary duties. I am accordingly

† Vide last page

there has been an increase of pressure on the ordinary staff, which it will not be able to successfully cope with, in a climate like that of Cuddapah.

3. The approach of Jamabandi is an additional reason for strengthening the staff. Every member of the Ordinary Establishment will be badly wanted to get through the Jamabandi in an unfavourable season, when, owing to the necessity for the grant of permissions of various kinds, the scrutiny of accounts should be as thorough as possible in order both to safe-guard the interests of Government [illegible] in every direction.

4. As regards the additional work in the Account Branch, I have to bring to the notice of the Board that the work of checking the vouchers connected with the Weavers' relief scheme and relief Kitchens, is increasing day by day. 1007 vouchers are reported to be now awaiting check and in consideration of the allotment of Rs 1,25,000 sanctioned by Government for the relief of weavers, it is found very difficult to get through this work promptly and efficiently without extra aid.

5. I have therefore the honor to request early sanction for the entertainment of a clerk on Rs 50 in the Revenue Branch and an Accountant

in the Account Branch of any office.—

X 1. The fortnightly narratives
2. The fortnightly task returns
3. Monthly Statements noted below—
D1. Progress reports of relief works in operation during the month.
D2. Abstract of Expenditure on all relief works.
E1. Statement showing the hrs. fed at Kitchens and in poor houses.
E2. A statement of village relief—When that form of gratuitous relief is being given.
E3. Statement of gratuitous relief to relief workers children on relief works
H. Statement of advances made under the Loans Act
G. Statement of advances made to Weavers.
H. Statement of appointments made in any office.

I. Statement showing the amount of grain purchased. 57
L. Statement showing the hrs on relief works of each class.
A Statement showing the amount of revenue suspended.
M. Statement showing the monthly death-rate.
N. Statement showing the audited Expenditure.
4. Quarterly Planning Programme.

Resolution.

The Collector's application for the appointment of a Special Assistant Collector under section 25 of the Planning Code, will be submitted for the favourable consideration of Government in reference [illegible] Government Order No. 665 [illegible] Collector

Revenue dated 26th November 1896.

2. The Board is not prepared to endorse the Collector's application for clerical assistance at present, especially as none such has been found necessary in Bellary, where relief is being administered on a far larger scale than in Cuddapah, and none was granted in Cuddapah in 1892, when relief measures there were on a larger scale than they now are, which the returns under the present Famine Code are much less numerous than those sent in in 1892.

(True copy and extract)

R. V. Smiles
Secretary

To the Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

Sir,

With reference to the letter from the Collector of Cuddapah

1951.

Read C. Nos. 2040

G.O. (Revs) No. 1648 dated 15th March 1897

The Govt sanctions the appointment of a Special Assistant to the Collector of Cuddapah under section 25 of the Famine Code.

2 As a portion of the Cuddapah Collector's office establishment is generally unfit for duty owing to the unhealthiness of the town more clerks will be needed in Cuddapah than in Bellary, other things being equal. The extra clerk on Rs 50 and accountant on Rs 35 required by the Collector will also be sanctioned temporarily

3 ~~Ordered that~~ and the Collector informed accordingly by wire.

I have written today to the Secretary on Rs 15 a copy of the letter from the Collector of Cuddapah requesting for the sanction of the extra establishment
15/3/97

Lieut Governor
15/3/97

To the Bd (Accts) dis. 16.3.97
To the Govt (Dept) dis. 17.3.97
To the P.D (with copies of H.G's note) dis. 17.3.97

Copy to the A.G. 50/5

of telegram to Collector

Clerk and accountant sanctioned.

RS
12-3-97

13/3/97

The Govt. Pleader for Cuddapah informed

# Government {1897} of Madras.

## REVENUE.

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**G.O., No. 164, 15th March 1897.**

## MARCH.

**Season.**

Sanctioning the appointment of a Special Assistant to the Collector of Cuddapah under section 25 of the Famine Code and sanctioning also an extra clerk on Rs. 50 and an accountant on Rs. 35 as a temporary measure.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

## REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), dated 5th March 1897, Mis. No. 1649 :—

*Read*—the following letter from A. C. TATE, Esq., Collector of Cuddapah, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated 20th February 1897, Cur. No. 894-Rev. :—

I have the honour to request that the Board will recommend the appointment of a Special Assistant, under section 25 of the Famine Code, for discharging the routine duties of my office. The affected area which comprises portions of four taluks forming the northern section of the district is large enough to demand the greater portion of my attention and the approaching jamabandi renders it essential that I should ask for this help. The district consists of eleven taluks. Allowing two taluks for each Divisional officer, the jamabandi of three taluks generally falls to the share of the Collector, and following the practice, I have reserved Cuddapah, Proddatur and Madanapalle for my settlement ; and a portion of the jamabandi work will also have to be done by the Special Assistant.

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*Resolution*—dated 5th March 1897, Mis. No. 1649.

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(True Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) R. V. SRINIVASIAR,
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
„ the Collector of Cuddapah.

READ—the following letter from A. C. TATE, Esq., Collector of Cuddapah, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated 4th March 1897, Ref. on Cur. No. 894-Rev. :—

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ORDER—No. 164, Revenue, dated 15th March 1897.

Miscellaneous.

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(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. STOKES,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture).
„ the Financial Department.
„ the Public Works Department (~~with copy of His Excellency's note~~).
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