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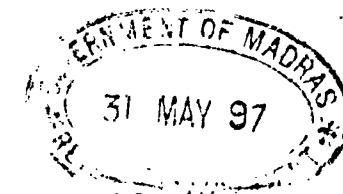
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## Revenue (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 527

The Hon<sup>ble</sup> Secretary  
to the Government



Order no. 2879 of 7th June 97  
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From The Board of Revenue Revenue  
Settlement Land Records and  
Agriculture Matters

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No. 3738 Dno

Dated 26 May 1897

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## SUBJECT.

Recording letter from the collector  
of Cuddapah reporting the action  
taken in reference to the Government  
order directing the appointment of Civil  
Inspectors & the distribution of  
gratuitous relief & calling upon  
the special deputy collector to  
explain why he failed to carry  
out the instructions in Board's  
Proceedings No 306 of 1897.

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Dated 22<sup>nd</sup> April 1897.

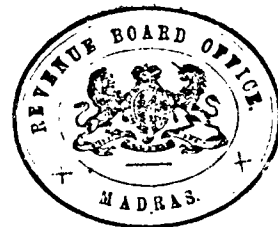
Copy of Board's Proceedings No: 306  
 Press dated 19<sup>th</sup> April 1897 communi-  
 cated to the Special Famine Relief  
 officer and the Deputy Collector of  
 Cuddapah Division for information and  
 guidance. They should at once divide  
 the Taluks into Relief Inspector's charges  
 and organise the relief as soon as  
 possible. Proposals for the appointment  
 of Circle Inspectors should be submitted  
 at once. Pending their appointment,  
 the necessary lists should be  
 prepared at once with the aid of  
 the Village Establishments and the  
 staff of Revenue Inspectors and  
 the distribution of relief commenced.  
 Great care should be exercised in  
 the registration of the recipients for  
 relief. This should be treated as a  
 very urgent matter and the necessary  
 action taken without any delay  
 whatever. Copy to all Tahsildars  
 of affected Taluks and to the Dy:

Collector, Jammalamadugu Division.

(Signed) A.C. Date  
7-5-97  
Collector.

(True Copy)

*Ameluz*  
Famine Secretary.



# Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.)

Dated 11<sup>th</sup> May 1897.

No. 3318 Mis.

READ The following letter from The Collector of Cuddapah, dated 7<sup>th</sup> May 1897 Reference on Current no: 216/7 of '97: -

With reference to Board's Proceedings no: 3122 Mis. dated 4<sup>th</sup> May 1897, I have the honor to forward herewith a copy of the footnote, with which Board's Proceedings no: 306, dated 19<sup>th</sup> April 1897, issuing instructions for gratuitous relief, was communicated on 22<sup>nd</sup> April to the Deputy Collector of Cuddapah Division and Special Famine Deputy Collector, Jammalamadugu Division with copies to Tahsildars of affected Taluks and to the Deputy Collector, Jammalamadugu Division. From this footnote, the Board will observe that

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I have authorized and enjoined on those officers to commence the distribution of relief pending my sanction for the proposals that may be submitted by them for the division of taluks into Circles. The Deputy Collector of Cuddapah Division has reported that he is engaged in arranging the matter. I have not heard from the Special Famine Dy. Collector Mr. V. Narayanasami Pillai, what progress he has made. I have been ~~employed~~<sup>encamped</sup> on a large work at Rayalapuram, in Pulivendla Taluk since the beginning of this month, and have personally seen to the establishment of two additional kitchens in view to feeding as many people (dependants of workers) as possible. (I beg that the Board will not consider that this is all the work I have been doing). I have called for a detailed report as to the progress made in each taluk and will submit a further report as soon as full information is

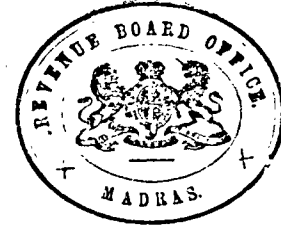
is to hand.

2. The order quoted by the Board reached my office at Cuddapah and was opened by my Special Assistant on 17<sup>th</sup> April. It appears to have reached me in Camp with the concerned clerk's notes on 20<sup>th</sup> April when I was moving into Cuddapah. I reached Cuddapah on 21<sup>st</sup> idem - the day the Honorable Mr. Crole visited the town and that morning (21<sup>st</sup>) I received Cyclostyled Copies of Board's Proceedings no. 306 above quoted. The full and clear instructions in this paper were communicated the next day, i.e., 22<sup>nd</sup> April with the enclosed footnote enjoining on my subordinates to start at once distributing relief.

3. The Board's Proceedings under reply has reached me today.

#### Resolution

What the Board requires, requires to know is, not what orders the Collector



# Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.)

Dated 26<sup>th</sup> May 1897.

No. 3738 Mis.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Cuddapah, dated 16<sup>th</sup> May 1897. Reference on Current No.  $\frac{216}{7}$  997:-

To A

With reference to Board's Proceedings No. 3318 Mis. dated 11<sup>th</sup> May 1897 received on the evening of 14<sup>th</sup> instant, I have the honor to state that with a view to give immediate effect to the orders of Government, I authorised the special Deputy Collector, Jammalamadugu and the Deputy Collector, Cuddapah Division to start the relief immediately. The taluks of Proddatur and Jammalamadugu have been divided into Circles - Some of them will be in charge

Collectors may have issued, but what, as a matter of fact, has been done in obedience to the orders of Government directing the appointment of Circle Inspectors and the institution of gratuitous relief. The Collector will be good enough to supply the information by return of post.

(True Copy + Extract)

(Signed) L. E. Buckley

To The Collector of Cuddapah. Famine Secretary.

(True Copy)

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28/5

Famine Secretary

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charge of Revenue Inspectors and separate Circle Inspectors have also been appointed for 3 Circles two in Jammalamadugu and one in Proddatur. The proposals for Cuddapah and Pulivendla taluks have not yet been received.

2. In Proddatur, a Kitchen was opened and 14 adults and 9 children were fed on the 13<sup>th</sup> May.

3. More Kitchens will be shortly opened in Anakapalle, Chintamani, Duvvuri, Nandigallampeta and Kalamakla. In Jammalamadugu a Kitchen was opened on 13<sup>th</sup> May 1897 but was not attended. The special Deputy Collector Mr. R. Narayana Sastry Pillai reports that the people except those of the Rangaraju caste, have no caste objections to partake of cooked food in Kitchens but that he believes that people are withholding attendance in view to compel the payment of money doles as was done by the Indian

Famine Charitable Relief Fund which not only paid doles in money but paid at higher rates than B class wages. The Deputy Collector promises to try again, and get people to go to the Kitchen. Every endeavour is being made to give effect to the order of Government. In Pulivendla I distributed grain doles to 32 adults and 15 children in 2 villages last evening pending the opening of a Central Kitchen. Strict orders have been sent to the Deputy Collector, Cuddapah to allow no further delay in the matter. The Tahsildar of Cuddapah has reported that he was starting a Kitchen in Cuddapah. I am awaiting further report from this Tahsildar and the Deputy Collector. From my letter Reference on Current no. 383/7 of '97 dated 13<sup>th</sup> May 1897, the Board will observe that the Indian Famine Charitable Relief Fund

Fund Committee was not strict in regard to admitting only destitutes for relief from its funds and that Government cannot draft them all in a body to state relief without giving room for a scandal. Careful enquiry should be made before admitting each person to relief under the Famine Code. I also enclose for the Board's information an extract from the Cuddapah Tahsildar's remarks in his recent fortnightly narrative about the ~~recipients~~ recipients of Charitable relief in Cuddapah town.

4. I beg to add that the delay, if any, is due partly to defective postal and telegraphic communications. The Special Famine Deputy Collector states that he received my orders of the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> on the 13<sup>th</sup>. I must also bring to the Board's notice that the Head Quarter Deputy Collector Mr. R. P. Theenathayalu Naidu and the

the Special Famine Deputy Collector Mr. R. Narayanasami Pillai have not carried out the express orders given to them by me to start the relief. The former is still 'taking steps' and 'hopes to start the work soon'. He has only one taluk. The latter has been asking for 'instructions' and has only registered about 350 people in various villages whose lists he has left with the Reddies for future use. I submit herewith a copy of his letter reference on Current No: 269 7 dated 1<sup>st</sup> May 1897 and footnote quoted therein for the Board's information. I can assure the Board that I have been as anxious as the Board itself to see that really deserving people are promptly aided by state relief.

Resolution

Recorded with reference to

to Board's Proceedings No. 3625/1897  
dated 22nd July 1897.

2. The orders issued in Board's  
Proceedings 306/97 were explicit,  
and the special deputy collector  
Mr. R. Narainasami Pillai Avergal  
should be cabled upon to explain  
why he failed to carry these out  
at once.

(True Copy & Extract)

Director 28/5 -  
Famine Secretary.

To  
The Collector of Cuddapah.

Copy to the Secretary to Government.

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