

Revenue (1897) Department.

PRESS SERIES.

G.O., No. 302

DATED 5th May

[Despatch Abstract.]

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Recording Board's Progs. passing orders on the several points raised by the —, sanctioning the establishment proposed for him and stating that orders will issue in the Financial Department for the grant of a permanent advance of Rs 25 to that officer.

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CURRENT No. 3367

The Hon. Mr. Currie C.S. & Mr. Governor

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From The Board of Revenue
Rev. Lett. L.R. & Agri.
Madras

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SUBJECT.

Weavers' Relief.

Issuing instructions to the Special Deputy Collector for _____, as to the nature of his duties, and other matters relating thereto.

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Note. The Spl. D.C. will find it very difficult to get a house to live in at Gumbakal. His H.O. has and is ^{practically} ~~not~~ as convenient. Gumbakal - The Hon. Mr. C.S. for consideration.

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Board of Revenue

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APRIL.

Weavers' Relief.—Issuing instructions to the Special Deputy Collector for —, as to the nature of his duties, and other matters relating thereto.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(REVENUE SETTLEMENT, LAND RECORDS AND AGRICULTURE).

READ—the following letter from M.R.Ry. S. RAMU IYER Avergal, Deputy Collector on special duty for the supervision of the weaving operations in the Deccan districts, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated Camp Adóni, 3rd April 1897, C. No. 2:—

I have the honour to report that on the forenoon of the 2nd instant, I entered upon my special duty. But I have not yet received any instructions as to the nature of my duties, what establishment I am to entertain and what place is to be regarded as my head-quarters. I request that I may be allowed a permanent advance of Rs. 25. I beg also to be informed to whom I am to apply for stationery and furniture.

2. I solicit the favour of your supplying me with a set of copies of Board's Proceedings relating to the weaving operations in the Deccan districts.

3. As regards the establishment, I beg that the Board will be good enough either to appoint itself the clerks sanctioned for my office, or to order the Collectors of the several districts in which my work lies to send me competent hands. I am obliged to make this request, as it is hopeless for me to find suitable candidates in these parts for taking up the clerkships in question, as so many extra hands have been, or are being, entertained on account of the famine operations.

READ—also the following letter from M.R.Ry. S. RAMU IYER Avergal, Deputy Collector on special duty on weavers' relief operations, Deccan districts, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement and Director of the Department of Land Records and Agriculture, dated Adóni, 6th April 1897, No. 4:—

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2. As I am informed that weavers' relief operations are going on at Pattikonda, Kodumur and Kurnool in the Kurnool district, and as proposals have been made for starting similar operations at Yemmiganuru in this district and the scheme will have to be introduced before long at Kosigi also, it seems to me that it would be best to make Adóni my head-quarters. From here, I can easily run up by rail to Tadpatri in Anantapur district and to Jammalamadugu and Proddatur in Cuddapah district.

3. I beg that you will be pleased to supply belts and badges for the use of peons allowed to my office.

RESOLUTION—dated 8th April 1897, No. 293.

In the above papers, the Deputy Collector on special duty for the supervision of weavers' relief operations in the Deccan districts, seeks instructions on the following points:—

- (1) The nature of his duties.
- (2) The strength and pay of his establishment.
- (3) The situation of his head-quarters.
- (4) The source from which he is to obtain his stationery and furniture.

2. The duties of the Special Deputy Collector are to visit constantly each weavers' relief circle, to see that the relief rules are strictly carried out, paying special attention to the proper appraisal of cloths, careful storage and punctual payments, and to recommend the opening of other circles where he considers them necessary. He is now furnished with copy of paragraph 7 of G.O., No. 216 of 97, from which he will see that his first duty will be to visit the various weaving centres rapidly and bring the tasks and rules into some degree of uniformity, adopting the Adóni system as far as possible as his guide. In B.P., dated 5th April 1897, No. 281, he has been called upon to submit a detailed report as to—

- (1) the tasks to be prescribed for each kind of cloth;
- (2) the number of working hours to be taken as equivalent to a day;
- (3) the desirability of allowing a weekly holiday on relief works;
- (4) the proposal to allow B class wages;
- (5) the relief of dependants.

The Deputy Collector is responsible for the general working of the weavers' relief scheme in the Deccan districts. He will be subordinate to each of the Collectors of Kurnool, Bellary, Anantapur and Cuddapah, so far as their districts are concerned, and will submit his communications to the Board through them.

3. No establishment has as yet been sanctioned for the Deputy Collector but Government will be requested to accord sanction for the entertainment of two clerks, one on Rs. 30 and one on Rs. 25, and two peons on Rs. 7. He will apply to the Collectors of Kurnool and Cuddapah for one clerk apiece.

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6. A file of Board's Proceedings relating to the relief of weavers will be forwarded as requested.

7. The sanction of Government will be solicited for a permanent advance of Rs. 25.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Buckley.
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Famine Secretary.

To the Special Deputy Collector in charge of weavers' relief operations,
with a file of papers relating to the relief of weavers.
" Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
" Collectors of Deccan districts.

Government {1897} of Madras.
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(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) L. E. BUCKLEY,
Famine Secretary.

To the Special Deputy Collector in charge of weavers' relief operations,
with a file of papers relating to the relief of weavers.
" Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
" Collectors of Deccan districts.

ORDER—No. 302, Revenue, dated 5th May 1897.

Miscellaneous.

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2. Sanction is accorded to the entertainment of the establishment proposed for the Special Deputy Collector. Orders will issue in the Financial Department for the grant of a permanent advance of Rs. 25 to that officer.

3. The Government intends that the Special officer should be constantly on the move inspecting and superintending. The Board of Revenue should instruct him to keep it informed of his movements either by sending copies of his diary or in any other convenient manner.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement,
Land Records and Agriculture).

" Financial Department.
" Accountant-General.

Exd T. K. Narayana Aiyangar.
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