Revenue (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 5240

DATED 7 Oct^r

[Despatch Abstract.]

Requesting the Famine Comm^n to modify his instruction^s regarding to closure of relief in Cuddapah that it should depend upon the re-establishment of ordinary conditions such as ordinary prices.

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Revenue (1897) Department.

The Hon: Mr Cruse C.S.
H. Mr Governor

CURRENT No. 8326

From
The Board of Revenue
Revenue Settlement
Land Records & Agriculture
Madras

No. 7845 dno

For Orders

~~Recorded with reference~~

~~[illegible]~~

With reference to para 3 of the BP. we shall have to wait long before ordinary conditions are re-established

[signature] 18/9/97

Dated 23rd September 1897
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RS
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To the Fam. Commr.

Where is the quotation about "ordinary conditions" taken from? Now that the people of the North have found out how to get grain from the Deccan, prices won't fall to their former level for a long time — perhaps never. The Bd's para 3 seems to me too restrictive, & a remark [illegible] be made to that effect

Please see concluding portion of Indian letter in P. G. No. (7; A) 28.9.97

SUBJECT.

Recording with remarks letter from the Collector of Cuddapah reporting the closure of Samudrampalli channel work in Cuddapah Taluk and suggesting the advisability of bringing the famine operations to a close, the season having turned out favourable.

Draft to be submitted to the H.Sh.

[signature] 6/10/97

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.)

Dated 23rd September 1897.

No. 7845 mis

W.J.H. Le Fanu Esquire.

(Famine Commissioner).

READ the following letter from the Collector of Cuddapah Def. on. C. No. 1897/7 dated 13th September 1897:-

I have the honor to report that the Samudrampalli channel work in Cuddapah Taluk has been closed as the Coolies have left the works.

2. The Season has turned so favourable and is now so good that a very speedy closures of famine operations seems advisable.

Resolution

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2. The Collector should bear in mind that the employment now found in the fields is probably

to a considerable extent only temporary, and that there is likely to be a lull in the demand for labour between this and harvest time. It is quite possible that many of those who have recently quitted the work, will require state aid again until the time comes to reap the crops now being sown.

3. The orders of the Government of India are to close relief "as soon as ordinary conditions are re-established." Ordinary conditions infer, ordinary prices which have not yet been reached in Cuddapah. ?

(True Copy & Extract)

[signature]
24/9
Famine Secretary

To,

The Collector of Cuddapah
The Secretary to Government,
Revenue department

Ew P.S. 24/9

The Hon'ble Officer [illegible]

JG
11/10/97

Issue
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[illegible]
x then consulted H.M.

C. No. 8326

G.O. mis No 5240 dt 7 Octr 97

Now that a trade in grain has been established between this Presy and the northern parts of India, ~~[illegible]~~ prices may perhaps never fall to their former level, at any rate it will be a long time before they do so. The instructions in para 3 will therefore prolong relief operations indefinitely even after the necessity for them has ceased to exist and should be modified.

[signature]
(Test from Holders)

The Famine Comm

[signature]
8/10/97

RS
6-10-97