

PRESS SERIES.

G.O., No. 551

Dated 10th July 1897.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Military officers for famine duty.

Requesting the Deputy Adjutant-General to move His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces, Madras, to warn certain Military officers referred to by him to be in readiness for famine duty.

Order No.	Quantity	Unit Price	Total
1	100	1.00	100.00
2	200	2.00	400.00
3	300	3.00	900.00
4	400	4.00	1600.00
5	500	5.00	2500.00
6	600	6.00	3600.00
7	700	7.00	4900.00
8	800	8.00	6400.00
9	900	9.00	8100.00
10	1000	10.00	10000.00

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with reference to the L. C. again ahead above the D. A. G. will be informed ^{that} the season in some of the affected districts has taken an unfavourable turn and he will be requested to move H. Q. the L. C. C. to warn the officers referred to in his letter 2-6-97, if their services are still available, to be in readiness for famine study

(List from orders)

The D.A. G. 11/11/1.
 Fannie Carr.
 Public kept. Evesham 10/7/19
 RS
 9-7-97
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following G.O., Mis. No. 3158, Revenue, dated 23rd June 1897 :—

Read—endorsement of the Public Department, No. 1042, dated 14th May 1897, referring to the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, for favour of reply, Proceedings of Revenue Department, No. 322, dated 12th May 1897, regarding the services of Sappers and Miners for famine duty.

Read—also endorsement of the Public Department, No. 1179, dated 3rd June 1897, transferring to the Revenue Department the following letter from the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command, dated Ootacamund, 2nd June 1897, A.—N.T. No. 8658 :—

In returning your endorsement, No. 1042, dated 14th May 1897, on G.O., No. 322, Revenue, dated 12th idem, regarding the services of Sappers and Miners for famine duty, I have the honour, by desire of His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces, to inform you that 1 British officer and 3 or 4 Native officers of the "Queen's Own," Madras Sappers and Miners, can be made available.

Order—Mis. No. 3158, Revenue, dated 23rd June 1897.

The Deputy Adjutant-General will be requested to convey the thanks of Government to His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces.

2. Now that there is every indication of a favourable monsoon, it is hoped that there will be no need for the services of extra officers for famine duty, but, should such a need arise, the Government will again address His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command.

Copy to the Public Department.
" " Famine Commissioner.

ORDER—No. 551, Revenue, dated 10th July 1897.

Miscellaneous.

With reference to the Government Order again read above the Deputy Adjutant-General will be informed that the season in some of the affected districts has taken an unfavourable turn and he will be requested to move His Excellency the Lieutenant-General Commanding the Forces to warn the officers referred to in his letter, dated 2nd June 1897, if their services are still available, to be in readiness for famine duty.

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Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Deputy Adjutant-General, Madras Command.

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" " Famine Commissioner.

Exd. W. De'Moss.

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