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Coltr. to extend the time for submitting his report
on dry remissions in the Anantapur Dt.

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SUBJECT.

Remissions.
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his report on dry—
in the Anantapur
District.

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test.

Note. It seems to be clear from
para 3 of the Collector's letter.
That it is only the dry tract
for February that he
proposes to postpone

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BOARD OF REVENUE (REV. SETT., L. RDS. AND AGRI.), 2ND FEB. 1897, No. 86.

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

READ—the following letter from K. C. MANAVEDAN RAJA, Esq., Acting Collector of Anantapur, to the Secretary to the Commissioner of Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture, dated 27th January 1897, Ref. on C. No. 3425 of 1896 :—

With reference to B.P., dated 6th November 1896, No. 322, I have the honour to report that, on personal inspection of a large portion of my district, I find the state of affairs very unfavourable, and consider it necessary to postpone the collection of the revenue demand and to remit a portion of the same.

2. A statement showing the rainfall in the current year as compared with that in the previous famine years is enclosed. From the statement it will be seen that the rainfall during the north-east monsoon is far less than that in the famine years of 1884-85 and 1891-92. The November rains have not bettered the prospects of the district.

3. In all cases in which the wet assessment is practically certain to be remitted, I have ordered the postponement of the collections pending jamabandi. I have also made arrangements for careful and detailed inspection. Proposals for remission on dry lands are being drawn up with all possible expedition; but, as the crops sown in November and December last as per enclosed statement are not yet ripe for harvest, nor can their outturn be fairly estimated now, there is no prospect of full information being ready for submission to the Board before the end of this month as directed in paragraph 4 of Board's Standing Order No. 23. I have therefore the honour to request that the Board will be pleased to extend the time for the submission of my proposals for dry remissions till the end of the next month, and to authorize me to suspend the collection of the February kist.

ENCLOSURE No. I.

STATEMENT showing the rainfall in 1896-97 as compared with that recorded in the previous famine years in the several taluks of the Anantapur district.

Names of taluks.	Rainfall.									
	In the south-west monsoon, i. e., from April to September.					In the north-east monsoon, i. e., from October to March.				
	Famine year of 1876-77.	Famine year of 1884-85.	Famine year of 1891-92.	1896-97.	Average rain-fall.	Famine year of 1876-77.	Famine year of 1884-85.	Famine year of 1891-92.	1896-97.	Average rain-fall.
	INCHES.	INCHES.	INCHES.	INCHES.	INCHES.	INCHES.	INCHES.	INCHES.	INCHES.	INCHES.
1. Anantapur	3.70	3.27	5.46	8.50	14.36	0.75	4.97	4.74	2.02	6.82
2. Gooty	7.67	8.34	5.86	13.81	18.36	1.10	3.41	5.00	2.23	7.00
3. Tadpatri	4.08	5.92	7.67	12.04	17.21	1.59	4.65	6.83	2.58	7.37
4. Dharmavaram	5.25	3.47	6.03	8.11	13.87	0.85	8.12	3.84	2.80	7.64
5. Penkonda	6.79	2.11	6.04	15.28	15.42	2.55	8.55	8.02	3.09	9.15
6. Hindupur	7.95	3.15	8.60	12.67	14.97	0.80	10.52	4.20	2.92	7.85
7. Madakasira	6.30	6.79	7.59	17.23	16.30	0.80	8.37	4.52	3.75	9.12
8. Kalyandrug	Vide particulars against Dharmavaram, being newly formed in fasli 1304.					Vide particulars against Dharmavaram, being newly formed in fasli 1304.				
Total	41.74	32.05	47.15	96.53	124.43	8.44	48.59	37.15	22.44	61.18
Average for the district	5.96	4.72	6.73	12.06	15.55	1.21	6.94	5.31	2.81	7.55

REMARKS.—Figures given for 1896-97 for the north-east monsoon show the rainfall up to date.

ENCLOSURE No. II.

STATEMENT showing in detail the dry cultivation in November and December 1896 and the total cultivation including the second crop up to December 1896.

Names of taluka.	Total cultivation up to December 1896.	Cultivation in November 1896.	Cultivation in December 1896.	Total cultivation in November and December 1896.	Percentage of November and December cultivation to the total cultivation up to December 1896.
1. Anantapur	ACS. 161,694	ACS. 9,360	ACS. 4,845	ACS. 14,205	8.7
2. Gooty	270,087	213	91,650	91,863	34.1
3. Tadpatri	154,445	4,254	38,628	42,882	21.2
4. Dharmavaram	104,148	4,064	6,157	10,221	9.8
5. Penukonda	77,857	4,668	5,707	10,375	13.3
6. Hindupur	47,856	1,884	3,200	5,084	10.6
7. Madakasira	66,396	2,294	2,373	4,667	7.0
8. Kalyandrug	140,966	2,845	21,918	24,763	17.5
Total ..	1,023,447	29,580	174,478	204,058	19.9

RESOLUTION—dated 2nd February 1897, No. 86.

In the circumstances reported, the Board sanctions the Collector's proposal that the time for the submission of his report on dry remissions may be extended to the end of February. As regards his proposal to suspend the collection of the February kist, the Collector is requested to state whether he would suspend the collection of the entire kist, both wet and dry, and how he proposes to modify the kists in consequence.

(True Copies and Extract.)

R. V. Srinivasan
Secretary.

To the Collector of Anantapur.

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
" " Land Revenue Department.

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