

Revenue (1899) Department.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

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writing off the accounts the
sum of Rs 1,11,666-5-3, the post
of the advances made to beaver
in the Gangam St. reported to
be irrecoverable.

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Revenue (1899) Department.

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From

The Board of Revenue
Revenue Settlement,
Land Records and Agriculture
Madras.

No. 1858 Misc.

Order his.

Sanction is accorded
for writing off the accounts
the sum of Rs 1,11,666-5-3
as recommended by the
Board of Rev.

Dated 8th April 1899.

Received 17th do

Registered 19th do

Enclosures 4.

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To the Board of Rev (Rev. Lott)

Accountant General

Note. The account practice
in respect of charges incurred
for the relief of weavers was
to debit ^{the charges} to 33-Famine Relief.
and at the same time to allow
them to remain against the

SUBJECT,

Requesting Government to
Sanction the writing off of certain
amount as irrecoverable from
the advances to weavers in
Saurjam District.

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officers concerned until the cost of the articles manufactured had been realised and shown as per contra credits in the accounts, or the amounts have been

written off the books — vide B.P. 158 of 25-2-97 in go 181 18-3-97

Hence the application for writing off the irrecoverable portion, which is the net cost of Weavers' relief

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What was the arrangement with Bury & Co. ? & how are the recoveries so small

24/5/98

(Sett. 13-3,000-25 4 98.)



Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture),

Dated 8th April 1899.

No. 1858 Mys.

READ

the following letter from H. D. Taylor, Acting Collector of Sangam, Dis 2395 D dated 1st February 1899:-

x copy attached

In continuation of my letter Dis No. 2395 dated 4th January 1899, and with reference to Board's Proceedings (Revenue Settlement) Dis No 7133 dated 12th December 1899 I have the honour to enclose a copy of the Accountant General's letter No 9.a.c. 179 dated 11th January 1899 with its enclosure 2. Detailed statement showing the cha

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and recoveries in each month is
attached for information and reference.

and also the following Reference thereon

No 453 dated 1st March 1899 to the Accountant General:—

It appears from the papers read
before that the advances made on account
of relief to weavers in Gaupam during the
late famine amounted to Rs 2,48,098.

$\frac{Rs}{25.14}$
 $\frac{Rs}{28.898}$ that the recoveries up to 30th September
amounted to Rs 1,41,138 leaving a sum
of Rs 1,06,960 to be written off. A sum of

Rs 1,920-8-6 has since been refunded to $\frac{Rs}{3-12-8}$
Messrs Bunny & Co and it appears that

there may have been other items of expenditure
in and recovery under this head since
September last. The Accountant General
is requested to furnish the Board with
statement showing the charges and
recoveries.

recoveries under weavers' relief in Gaupam
from 1st October 1898 up to date, and
to state how much of the total has not
yet been recovered. On receipt of this
information, the sanction of Government
will be sought for writing off the
balance as irrecoverable.

Read also the following letter from T. Hesketh
Biggs Esquire, Accountant General Madras
No 1017 dated 15th March 1899:—

In reply to Board's reference No 453,
dated the 1st March 1899, I have the honour to
furnish on the reverse a statement showing
the balance under Weavers' Relief on 30th
September 1898 up to 31st January 1899
and to state that a sum of Rs
1,11,666-5-3 has yet to be
recovered:—

Advances under weavers' Relief made in Ganjam Rs 248,098-1-11
 Deduct recoveries up to 30th September 1898 - 141,138-6-11

Balance — Rs 106,959-11-
 2,900-0-0
 Add amount erroneously adjusted in Ganjam instead of in Vizagapatnam 1,920-8-6
 Add refund of excess recovery made in Ganjam —
 Total — 111,780-3-6

Deduct amount adjusted from 1st October 1898 to 31st January 1899. 113-14-3
 Balance yet to be recovered — 111,666-5-3

Resolution

Submitted to Government for Sanction.

2. From the papers read above, it appears that the advances made to weavers during the famine of 1897-98 amounted to Rs 248,098-1-11, and out of this amount, Rs 136,431-12-8 have been recovered by the sale of famine cloths, etc., leaving a balance of Rs 111,666-5-3. No further recoveries are likely to be made and the Board accordingly recommends that the sum of Rs 111,666-5-3 may be ordered to be written off the accounts, as required by the Accountant General in his letter No 546 dated 17th February 1897 recorded in G.O. Revenue dated 18th March 1897.

(True copy and extract)

B. S.

for Secretary

To The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, with copies

R. F. C. 129 of 1898
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From

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D. Srinivasa Rao Pantulu
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Treasury Deputy Collector
 Ganjam.

To

The Collector of Ganjam.

Dated Chatrapur 31st December 1898

Sir

I have the honour to return herewith the papers bearing your endorsement No. N.R.G.B. 549 of 97 dated 21st Instant, and to state that the report mentioned in para 2 of the said Endorsement was submitted on the 12th Instant under No F.C. 124 of 1898.

2. As regards the difference noticed by the Board in its Proceedings which bears the above quoted endorsement, I have to state that information is not available in my office, to account for the difference. As far as possible the amount of weavers' advances and their recoveries were carefully and thoroughly sifted and balance struck.

out accordingly at the end of September 1898 was found to agree with the Accountant-General's figures with a difference of Rupees 2900 appertaining to the Vizagapatam District, the adjustment of which does not seem to have been effected by that office. This being so, there is no reason why his figures furnished to the Board of Revenue should vary from those of the District (except in the case of Rupees 2900 in question) and I have therefore found it necessary to address that officer and have done so furnishing him with a statement of all the transactions since the starting of the advance upto date. On receipt of his reply, its result will be reported to you.

I have etc.

(Signed) D. Srinivasarao
Treasury Deputy Collector

(True Copy)

(Signed) A. Gurumurti
for collector.

(True copy)

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1899
REVENUE DEPT.

Encl. No.

Cur. No. 2535

Dis $\frac{2375}{71}$ of 1897.

From,

H. D. Taylor Esquire I.C.S.
Acting Collector of Ganjam

To,

The Secretary to the Commissioner
of Revenue Settlement and
Director of the Department of
Land Records and Agriculture,
Madras.

Dated Chatrapur 4th January 1899.

Sir,

With reference to Board's Proceedings No 7133 Miscellaneous: dated 12th December calling for explanation as to certain discrepancies under 33C Weavers' relief in the statement furnished by me as compared with those given by the Accountant-General I have the honor to state that the figures were taken from the figures as exhibited in the District Treasury.

No R7C 129 and 31-12-98
Copy attached

2 I enclose letter from my Treasury Deputy Collector stating that the figure

quoted by him appear to be accurate and will submit a further report after agreement has been effected between the Accountant General's figures and those of the District Treasury.

I have the honor to be,
 Sir
 Your most obedient servant.

(Signed) A. Guruswami
 for collector.

(True Copy)

For Secretary.

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 21/7/98

Encl
 1/3/98

REVENUE DEPT.

Encl. No.

Cor. No. 2535

Statement of Advances and Recoveries on account of Weavers' Relief during 1896-97, 97-98 and 98-99.

Month and year	Advances as per Treasury account gross debit	Recoveries as per cash recovery statement	Remarks.
March 97	104 0 3 26 2 .		Add Rs 26-2-0 to advances as per <u>Acct</u> dated 8 th July 97.
1896-97	130 2 3		advances 130-2-3 Recoveries nil
April 1897	2306 8 1		
May	15359 1 .	102 5 9	
June	36688 5 10	45 0 9	(a) Including Rs 3 Communicated in item 25 of the office objection statement for June 1897.
July	76361 15 4		
August	89565 10 9	391 10 6	
September	22164 0 7	2623 2 10	(b) Do Rs 454-12-7 to item no 8 of objection statement for September 1897.
October	4260 3 10	5917 8 5	(c) Excluding Rs 71-14-5 to item 35 of Do for October 97.
November	402 7 10	2961 6 6	(d) Including Rs 362-9-3 to item 6 of Do - Do -
December		2251 2 10	
January 1898	400 5 2	9002 4 7	(e) Excluding Rs 13-2-4 to item 36 of Do for January 1898
February	23 14 4	5282 4 11	
March	235 6 11	24545 14 4	(f) Including Rs 989-8-6 to item 6 of Do for March 1898
1897-98	247767 15 8	53122 13 5 + 2170 7 2	(g) 55293-4-7 includes Rs 2170-7-2 adjusted by transfer entries as shown below :-
April		19210 2 5	3-10-6 Communicated in <u>Acct</u> 7/11-8-97
May		17203 15 7	138-13-8 - Do - <u>Acct</u> dated 16-10-97
June	200 .	16948 6 7	308-1-8 - Do - <u>Acct</u> 3/16-3-97
July		19255 3 10	149-7-9 - Do - <u>Acct</u> dated 14-6-97
August		12924 10 2	272-14-3 - Do - <u>Acct</u> dated 14-6-97
September		281 2 9	349-7-5 - Do - <u>Acct</u> dated 1-9-97
			4 - Do - <u>Acct</u> dated 1-9-97
			891-8-7 - Do - <u>Acct</u> dated 1-9-97
			52-14-4 - Do - <u>Acct</u> dated 21-7-98
			(g) 2170-7-2
	200 .	85823 9 4	Balance on the 30-9-98 248098-1-11 106959-11-0 erroneous by 2900 Rupees 141138-6-11 + 2900 = 144038-6-11 106959-11-0 109869-11-0 District of by adjusted in the statement of the Board of Revenue
	248098 1 11	141116 13 11 + 219 .	(h) Boards Proceedings No 4909 dated 12 th July 1898 communicated in the objection statement for July 1898 but included in the statement for October 1898 submitted to the Board of Revenue

(Signed) D. Prinjvas Rao
 Collector

(True Copy)

No R7C 129 and 131-12-98
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 Copy attached

Deputy Co.

Treasury account, *ist.* Fort Saint George

Accountant General's
Office
11th January 1899

By J. a. c. B.
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From

The Accountant General
to the Government of Madras

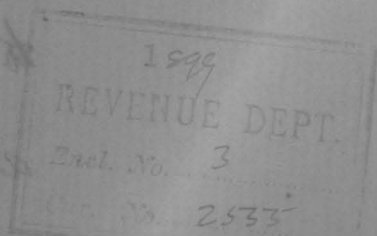
To

The Treasury Officer
Sengam

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 129
dated the 26th December 1898, I have the honor
to append a statement showing the details
of advances and the recoveries up to September 1898
on account of Weavers' relief furnished by this
office to the Board of Revenue. The total advance
amounts to Rs 248,098 and the recoveries to
Rs 141,138 leaving a balance of Rs 106,960 ex-
cluding the recovery of Rs 2,900 appertaining
to the Vengalpatam District. But the balance
arrived at by the Board in their Proceedings
No 7133 Dns. dated the 12th December 1899 is

Rs



Rs 107263 making a difference of
Rs 303 between the two sets of figures.
This is due to the Board having omitted to take
into account the recovery of Rs 281 in September
1898 and Rs 22 referred to in Board's Proceedings
No 4909 dated 12th August 1898.

I have etc

(Sd) W. H. Dawson
Dy. Accountant General.

Communicated to the Collector of Gaupur in
continuation of this office R. F. C. No 129 of 98
dated 31st December 98. From this it is clear
that there was no disagreement between the
District account and the Accountant General's
figures up to September 1898 as already stated
in the above reference and that the difference is
due to the Board's office not taking into account
sum of Rs 303.

Chattrapur
23-12-98

(Sd) D. Srinivasarao
Treasury Dy Collector

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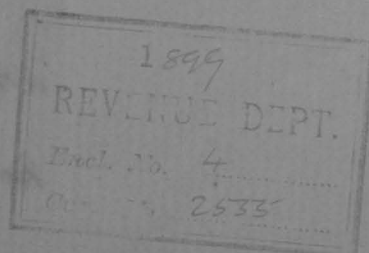
(Signed) D. Srinivasarao

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for collector

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for Secretary



Revenue Department

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To U.S.

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B.O. 158 & 25-2-97 in G.O.
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net cost to Govt of weavers'
relief.

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Secretary

(Sd) N. E. M.

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What was the arrange-
ment with Binny & Co? and
how are the recoveries so
small.

(2412) C. S. F.
4-5-98

To R.S.

Messrs Binny & Co.
took up the stock of famine
clothes at Berhampore at
11 pice per cubit for all but
one kind which was taken
at 8 pice per cubit. The
value of the stock at this rate
was Rs 103,000 against
Rs 145,000 the value at the ~~current~~
^{of December 1897}
market rates ~~of previous months~~,
and the offer was accepted
as it was doubtful whether
better offers could be expected.
The recoveries were further
reduced by the amount of
commission paid to Messrs
Binny & Co.

2. No figures are
available for comparing
the ^{above} market rates
with the actual cost of the
clothes

Telephonic message in B.P.
673 under G.O. 659
1-2-98 8-2-98

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Telephonic message ibid

X

Para 2 of B.P. 8457
3.11.97

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clothes, viz, the price of the
materials advanced + wages
expressed in grain + cost
of establishment. The extra
demand for materials on
account of weavers relief
must have sent up their
price, and the Board report-
ed that there was a fall
in the price of yarn at the
time of Messrs Binny & Co's
offer. The wages expressed
in grain but paid in money
must also have been
~~excessive~~ ^{excessive} owing to high prices.
~~during the famine~~
These appear to be the
causes of the short recoveries
as compared with the ac-
tual cost. Reference is
solicted to the Board's
remark in its Progs
recorded in G.O. 5859 dated
13-11-97 - viz,

"There must be some
"loss on the sale. x x x
"It would be hopeless ex-
"pect to get the price given
"in materials and wages
+

" + the cost of establishment
 " and it is not even proba-
 " ble that the price will
 " be obtained;

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The amount may
 be written off

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