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[Despatch Abstract.]

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accepting with remarks the latest revised
estimates of famine expenditure for 1897-98
submitted by the B^d of Rev. (ms. 4122a)

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers:—

G.O., Nos. 62, 63, Financial, dated 25th January 1898.

ABSTRACT.—Directing, with remarks, that the allotments required for famine expenditure in the Nellore district in the current year as well as the estimate of expenditure on relief measures in the Markapur taluk of the Kurnool district be added to the estimate contained in G.O., No. 1090, Financial, dated 30th December 1897; and addressing the Government of India on the subject.

G.O., Nos. 245, 246, Financial, dated 8th March 1898.

ABSTRACT.—Furnishing the Government of India with certain particulars regarding the average number of persons actual or expected on relief daily in the Nellore district in the months of December 1897, January, February and March 1898; stating that no further relief measures are required in the Kurnool district in the current official year; and approving the revised estimates submitted by the Board of Revenue of famine expenditure in the months of February and March 1898. Copy to the Government of India.

READ—also the following papers:—

Telegram from the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Calcutta, 7th March 1898.

Your telegram 25th February. Additional grant seventy-five thousand rupees sanctioned for famine relief in Madras in last three months 1897-98.

From the Accountant-General, dated 9th March 1898, No. 13—Famine.

Statements from the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, No. 317-A/B., dated 10th March 1898, and from the Accountant-General, No. 6—Famine Expenditure, dated 10th March 1898.

[Statements.]

STATEMENT showing the Expenditure under "33. Famine Relief Works" in charge of Public Works Department during, and to end of, February 1898.

Districts.	Civil Buildings.				Communications.			Miscellaneous Public Improvements.			Irrigation.		
	Up to the end of January 1898.	In February 1898.	Total to end of February 1898.		Up to the end of January 1898.	In February 1898.	Total to end of February 1898.	Up to the end of January 1898.	In February 1898.	Total to end of February 1898.	Up to the end of January 1898.	In February 1898.	Total to end of February 1898.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Anantapur ..	..	..	..	..	Rs. 16,41,813	Rs. 20,082	Rs. 6,61,895	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. 63,196	Rs. 2,772	Rs. 65,968
Bellary ..	..	..	..	..	Rs. 19,80,335	Rs. 97,789	Rs. 20,78,124	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. 86,231	Rs. 1,050	Rs. 87,281
Cuddapah ..	..	..	..	..	Rs. 6,86,825	Rs. 44	Rs. 6,86,869	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. 2,31,152	Rs. 7	Rs. 2,31,159
Ganjam ..	..	..	..	..	Rs. 1,68,419	Rs. 1	Rs. 1,58,418	Rs. 85,248	Rs. 9	Rs. 85,239	Rs. 44,859	Rs. 14	Rs. 44,873
Godavari (Eastern Division) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kurnool ..	..	..	..	..	Rs. 18,34,512	Rs. 14,509	Rs. (a) 18,49,021	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. 6,902	Rs. 15	Rs. 6,917
Madras (Public Works Stores) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Rs. 4,662	Rs. ..	Rs. 4,662	Rs. 21,706	Rs. 225	Rs. 21,931
Nellore ..	..	..	..	..	Rs. 1,69,643	Rs. 5	Rs. 1,69,648	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. ..	Rs. 2,810	Rs. 92	Rs. 2,902
Vizagapatam ..	..	..	..	..	Rs. 64,71,547	Rs. 1,32,428	Rs. (a) 56,03,975	Rs. 39,910	Rs. -9	Rs. 39,901	Rs. 5,19,367	Rs. 2,810	Rs. 5,22,177
Total ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Districts.	Construction of Railways.			Establishment.			Tools and Plant.			Total.		
	Up to the end of January 1898.	In February 1898.	Total to end of February 1898.	Up to the end of January 1898.	In February 1898.	Total to end of February 1898.	Up to the end of January 1898.	In February 1898.	Total to end of February 1898.	Up to the end of January 1898.	In February 1898.	Total to end of February 1898.
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Anantapur ..	Rs. ..	..	..	Rs. 38,582	Rs. 784	Rs. 39,366	Rs. 37,368	Rs. 21,813	Rs. 15,550	Rs. 7,80,959	Rs. 1,820	Rs. 7,82,779
Bellary ..	..	..	..	Rs. 68,795	Rs. 1,294	Rs. 70,089	Rs. 1,21,069	Rs. 95,523	Rs. 25,487	Rs. 22,68,430	Rs. 4,551	Rs. 22,60,881
Cuddapah ..	..	..	..	Rs. 49,766	Rs. 1,638	Rs. 51,404	Rs. 22,479	Rs. 8	Rs. 22,487	Rs. 9,90,222	Rs. 1,697	Rs. 9,91,919
Ganjam ..	..	..	..	Rs. 19,283	Rs. 848	Rs. 20,131	Rs. 8,040	Rs. 1	Rs. 8,011	Rs. 3,08,151	Rs. 853	Rs. 3,10,004
Godavari (Eastern Division) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kurnool ..	..	..	..	Rs. 78,581	Rs. 2,400	Rs. 80,981	Rs. 24,785	Rs. 64	Rs. 24,849	Rs. 20,03,199	Rs. 16,988	Rs. (a) 20,20,187
Madras (Public Works Stores) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	Rs. 1,23,097	Rs. 238	Rs. 1,22,869	Rs. 1,23,097	Rs. 238	Rs. 1,23,335
Nellore ..	..	..	..	Rs. 11,907	Rs. 447	Rs. 12,354	Rs. 6,843	Rs. 23	Rs. 5,866	Rs. 2,13,761	Rs. 756	Rs. 2,14,517
Vizagapatam ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	Rs. 43,302	..	Rs. 43,302	Rs. 2,63,914	Rs. 7,411	Rs. 2,74,325	Rs. 3,42,681	Rs. 1,77,001	Rs. 2,25,680	Rs. 66,83,721	Rs. 25,639	Rs. (a) 67,09,360

The expenditure shown in this statement for February 1898 is only approximate, having been obtained from some of the Executive Engineers of Famine Divisions by wire for the purpose of this statement. The figures marked "(c)" include a sum of Rs. 44,822, for which credit is anticipated from the Civil Department, and of which Rs. 31,698 has been advised as credited in the next accounts by the Accountant-General, Madras.

No. 317-A/B.

Forwarded to the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department, Madras, with reference to memorandum from that department, No. 2059, dated 5th October 1897.

10th March 1898.

(Signed) E. A. DENNIS,
Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

STATEMENT showing the Expenditure under "33. Famine Relief" up to the end of February 1898.

Districts.	Salaries and Establishment.				Relief Works in charge of Civil Officers.				Weavers' Relief.			
	To the end of January 1898.		In February 1898.		To the end of January 1898.		In February 1898.		To the end of January 1898.		In February 1898.	
	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
Ganjam ..	34,552	13 3	158	13 4	84,711	10 7	21,174	0 3	21,147	1 7	5,258	0 7
Vizagapatam ..	14,215	4 5	21	3 4	14,238	7 9	18,099	9 9	18,097	10 4	7,432	2 3
Goddavari ..	4,944	7 7	10	8 0	4,933	15 7	6	15 0	72,847	15 0	..	..
Kistna ..	85	12 11	52	9 3	138	6 2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nellore ..	98	9 11	65	5 1	163	15 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cuddapah ..	12,828	14 0	305	2 8	13,134	0 8	..	..	..	..	..	..
Anantapur ..	27,511	2 6	647	8 9	28,158	11 3	18,163	7 1	18,068	6 10	113	9 0
Bellary ..	32,277	0 4	810	13 11	33,087	14 3	11,862	11 8	11,270	5 4	5,000	0 0
Kurnool ..	42,636	12 1	1,013	7 0	43,650	3 1	20,411	1 5	20,411	1 5	4,749	10 8
Chingleput ..	18	5 4	..	..	18	5 4	..	..	..	..	305	4 1
North Arcot ..	93	6 1	..	..	93	6 1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tanjore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trichinopoly ..	7	14 5	..	..	7	14 5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salem ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Canara ..	103	10 4	..	..	103	10 4	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maklar ..	672	8 5	..	..	672	8 5	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bangalore ..	216	10 8	..	..	216	10 8	..	..	..	..	..	..
Presidency ..	2,375	8 0	473	3 1	2,848	11 1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	1,72,638	12 3	3,558	1 8	1,76,196	13 11	1,00,022	11 7	12,465	2 8	1,12,507	14 3
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											10,04,832	15 1

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Statement showing the Expenditure under "33. Famine Relief" up to the end of February 1898—cont.

Districts.	Gratuitous Relief.				Miscellaneous.				Total.			
	To the end of January 1898.		In February 1898.		To the end of January 1898.		In February 1898.		To the end of January 1898.		In February 1898.	
	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	A. P.
Ganjam ..	4,64,036	0 9	48	5 11	4,64,033	10 10	2,013	10 10	4,66,046	1 9	5,080	5 10
Vizagapatam ..	1,26,264	1 8	203	7 7	1,26,467	10 1	679	1 1	1,27,146	11 2	7,616	5 11
Goddavari ..	14,886	7 4	..	..	14,886	7 4	..	..	14,886	7 4	70	8 0
Kistna ..	695	1 5	122	5 5	817	6 10	..	..	817	6 10	62	9 3
Nellore ..	1,14,350	3 5	23	4 0	1,14,373	7 5	..	..	1,14,373	7 5	13,189	1 10
Cuddapah ..	94,085	0 6	230	10 9	94,315	11 3	151	2 7	94,466	14 0	441	15 6
Anantapur ..	2,60,739	2 7	4,534	0 8	2,65,273	1 11	1,295	7 0	2,66,568	12 1	5,783	3 3
Bellary ..	2,80,285	2 5	338	6 11	2,80,623	11 6	..	..	2,80,623	11 6	681	1 7
Kurnool ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	731	4 2
Chingleput ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
North Arcot ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tanjore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Trichinopoly ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salem ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South Canara ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malabar ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bangalore ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Presidency ..	383	5 4	100	0 0	483	5 4	1,241	6 8	1,724	11 2	573	3 1
Total ..	13,50,824	9 5	4,893	0 11	13,55,717	8 6	5,045	9 8	13,60,762	17 4	8,718	10 4
											20,44,604	5 5

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NOTE.—The figures in column "To the end of January 1898" represent audited expenditure, but those in column "February 1898" represent unaudited expenditure.
• Relates to famine districts for which details have been called for.

No. 6—Famine Expenditure.

To the Chief Secretary to Government, Financial Department, with reference to Official Memorandum No. 2059, dated 5th October 1897.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
10th March 1898.

(Signed) F. C. HARRISON,
Accountant-General.

Endorsement in the Revenue Department, Mis. No. 1263, dated 12th March 1898.

Read—the following paper:—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), Mis. No. 1708, dated 9th March 1898.

Resolution—Mis. No. 1708, dated 9th March 1898.

With reference to paragraph 3 of G.O., No. 33, Financial, dated 5th January 1898, the Board begs to submit the estimates of famine expenditure during the current month. The actuals of expenditure up to date have not yet been received from the Examiner of Public Works Department Accounts and the Accountant-General; a consolidated estimate in proper form will be submitted as soon as this information is received.

2. The estimates for Nellore are based on the assumption that the numbers on relief works and on gratuitous relief will not on an average exceed the numbers noted on the margin. As works in charge of civil officers have been ordered to be placed under the management of the Public Works Department, the bulk of the provision made under 33-B will have to be transferred to 33-F if the Public Works Department take charge of the works during the current month.

3. The provision made under 33-A in Bellary and Anantapur is to meet the cost of the establishment retained for the audit of vouchers of famine expenditure and in weavers' depôts, as observed in Board's Proceedings, No. 71, dated 10th February 1898.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

L. E. BUCKLEY,
Famine Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with a statement.

ENCLOSURE.

ESTIMATE of Famine Expenditure in March 1898.

33. Famine Relief.	Detailed account number.	Nellore.	Bellary.	Anantapur.	Cuddapah.	Karnool.	Total.
Salaries and establishments	33-A	RS. 350	RS. 100	RS. 382	..	..	RS. 832
Relief works in charge of civil officers.	33-B	10,000	..	..	..	..	10,000
Relief to people employed otherwise than on relief works	33-C	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gratuitous relief	33-D	300	..	..	..	..	300
Miscellaneous	33-E	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, Civil Department	..	10,650	100	382	..	..	11,132
Relief works in charge of Public Works Department officers	33-F	10,000	..	..	..	..	10,000
Total, 33. Famine Relief	..	20,650	100	382	..	..	21,132
Famine expenditure debited to other service heads	33-G	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other measures of relief, viz., relinquishment of revenue on account of famine	33-H	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grand Total of Famine Relief Operations	..	20,650	100	382	..	..	21,132

Endorsement—Mis. No. 1263, Revenue, dated 12th March 1898.

Transferred to the Financial Department in continuation of endorsement, No. 814, dated 17th February 1898.

(Signed)

N. E. MARJORIBANKS,
Ag. Under Secy. to Government.

To the Financial Department.

„ Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement).

G.O., Mis. No. 1331, Revenue, dated 18th March 1898.

Read—the following paper:—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), No. 121, dated 14th March 1898.

Read—again Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture), No. 1708, dated 9th March 1898.

Resolution—No. 121, dated 14th March 1898.

With reference to paragraph 1 of the proceedings read above, the Board begs to submit the consolidated statement therein promised.

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

L. E. BUCKLEY,
Famine Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Statement.

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Order—Mis. No. 1381, dated 18th March 1898.

Order—Mis. No. 1381, dated 18th March 1898.
Transferred to the Financial Department in continuation of endorsement,
No. 1263, dated 12th March 1898.

No. 1263, dated 12th March 1898.

2. It is observed that the figures now given as the outlay in the previous months of 1897-98 differ in many instances from those reported in the estimates submitted in Board's Proceedings (Settlement), No. 71, dated 10th February 1898, and that in cases where there is an increase, the estimates submitted with those proceedings omitted any provision for outlay in February and March. The cause of the variations should be explained.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) N. E. MARJORIBANKS,
for Ag. Secy. to Government.

To the Financial Department.
" Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement).

ORDER—No. 301, Financial, dated 23rd March 1898.

In the telegram recorded in G.O., No. 245, Financial, dated 8th March 1898, the Government of India was informed that the latest revised estimate of famine expenditure in 1897-98 amounted to 93·79 lakhs, the actual outlay up to the end of December having been 93·04, as shown on pages 3 to 5 of the same proceedings. In its reply of the 7th March, the Government of India has sanctioned an additional grant of ·75 for expenditure during the last three months of the year, the distribution being as shown in the margin.

	Civil Department.	Public Works Department.	Total.
Latest revised estimate	26·96	66·83	93·79
Expenditure up to December 1897	26·50	66·54	93·04
Grant for last three months ..	·46	·29	·75

	Civil Depart- ment.	Public Works Depart- ment.	Total.
Actuals up to end of February 1898 ..	26.45	67.09	93.54
Estimate for March 1898 ..	11	10	21
Total, Estimate ..	26.56	67.19	93.75

The revised estimates are accepted.

3. In the detailed statements furnished by the Board of Revenue and the Accountant-General no mention is made of the adjustments to be eventually effected on account of recoveries from weavers, or of contributions from Local to Provincial to be credited in the accounts of 1897-98. It is, however, presumed that the recoveries from weavers are adjusted monthly and that the whole of the amounts (1-15) specified in G.O., No. 199, Financial, dated 28th February 1898, and (2-16) in G.O., No. 234, Financial, dated 16th March 1898 will be adjusted in due course.

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4. It is observed that the Government of India has fixed the final revised estimate of the year at a net figure of 92.86 lakhs.

(True Extract.)

To the Revenue Department. ✓
" Local and Municipal Department.
" Public Works Department.
" Accountant-General.

28. March
for Chief Secretary.

ENDORSEMENT—No. 302, Financial, dated 23rd March 1898.
Copy to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department.

A. T. ARUNDEL,
Chief Secretary.



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