

## Revenue (1898) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 2477

DATED 11<sup>th</sup> June

[Despatch Abstract.]

Requesting the Collector of Godavari to report whether the duties performed by Mr J. A. Colridge in connection with the Califamine in the Godavari &c were exceptionally arduous.

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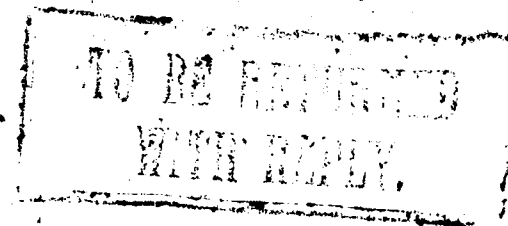
*McFinnell*  
*Chief Secretary*

From

*The Collector*  
*Madras*

No.

Order



Dated 1<sup>st</sup> April }  
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SUBJECT.

*Forwarding application from*  
*Mr. J. A. Colledge for one*  
*month extra privilege leave*  
*for family duty.*

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Dear Sir,  
 Public Current No. 110/337  
 The Agent, Ganjam  
 for forwarding to the  
 Godavari and Krishna Collectors  
 for endorsement and forwarding  
 to the Chief Secretary, Government  
 Madras.  
 I have the honor to request you  
 to forward this application to the Godavari  
 and Krishna Collectors for their endorsement  
 and to request that it may then be  
 forwarded to Government.

Forwarded through the Collector  
 of Godavari  
 Belapur  
 27-2-98  
 15 MAR 1898  
 10-3-98  
 forwarded through the  
 Collector Krishna  
 2 Mr. Coleridge was engaged with  
 active famine duties in the  
 Godavari Agency from June 2nd  
 to September 2nd and from Sept 2nd  
 to 23rd when he was in charge  
 of the Special Assistant Appal  
 office at Rajahmundry and as  
 Spl. Asst. Agent in charge generally of relief  
 operations in the Godavari District  
 40 MAR 93  
 10 MAR 93  
 10 MAR 93

Government having decided to grant me  
 months extra leave for every five months  
 famine work I now submit my application  
 on the following grounds.  
 On April 1st I was ordered by the  
 Krishna Collector to proceed to Kondapet  
 and thence via Jaggaipet to proceed  
 along the upper Krishna, visiting the  
 villages and making enquiries of the  
 necessity of throwing open the forest reserve  
 for cattle grazing to the famine and to report  
 also on whether the villagers would con-  
 to relief works if opened for them.  
 I was engaged on this work till the  
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famine. which only  
for 4 wks. + 22 days

only eight days less than the term prescribed, as a condition of the loan. I do not think myself that we should be shirking a point by giving Mr. C. the loan, but even if we did shirk it a little, I think we should be justified in doing so.

RS 12.5.98

See before  
 8/16/98

I understood the Secy of State to have granted the concession only to officers who have done famine duty for not less than 5 mos (Under 3(1) of the Act.) The accompanying statement here is a famine or not can hardly be called famine duty.

Nevertheless I will not object in this case, if H.E. will think we should be justified in holding that the concession applies to Mr. Colridge.

RS  
 19/5/98

To A.E. the Governor

8/21/5/98

It is true that in para 3 of the Governor General's Resolution the term "famine duty" is used; but I think it may be held that this term is governed by the words "employed on duties connected with famine"

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"famine relief", to be found in the first sentence of the Resolution. If this be held Mr. Colridge's case would be included.

RS 44

23.5.98

The Hon Secy H. Blair

8/25/98

It certainly seems to be stretching the rules rather far. Moreover, the length of time Mr. C. was employed on famine duty seems almost to have been overlooked. But there is another point, para 3(ii) of India's Rules. Was Mr. Colridge's duty in connection with famine "exceptionally arduous as to involve the assumption of the responsibilities attached to the post of Secy. of State? I do not know. Indeed, I do not recollect Mr. Colridge's name coming to the public attention in connection with the Agency. Mr. Woodhouse is a District Officer & a Commissioner were the persons whose names were most often mentioned. I think there was nothing "exceptionally arduous" about the change of the Secy. of State's office at that time. I am sorry for the 3 & 5 p.m. But I think, I think, the concession should not be granted.

RS

27/5/98

Am. Mr. Gurne again.

11/6/98

As I said, I will not object; but I think it would be well to make of the duty was "exceptionally arduous".

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RS

4/6/98

11/5/98

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G.P. No. 2477 of 11th June 98

The collector of Gadavari is requested to report whether the duties performed by Mr. J.A. Colridge in connection with the late famine in the Gadavari Dt were <sup>exceptionally unusually</sup> ~~so unusually~~ arduous

RS 24-48 As to whether he is deserving of the concessions offered in the Govt of India Resolution printed in B.P. 31 (set) 18-1-98

11/6/98

To the Collector of Gadavari.

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