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No. 52. Read the following letter from Colonel J. C. BOULDERSON, Commissioner of Police; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated 14th November 1857, No. 154.

SIR,

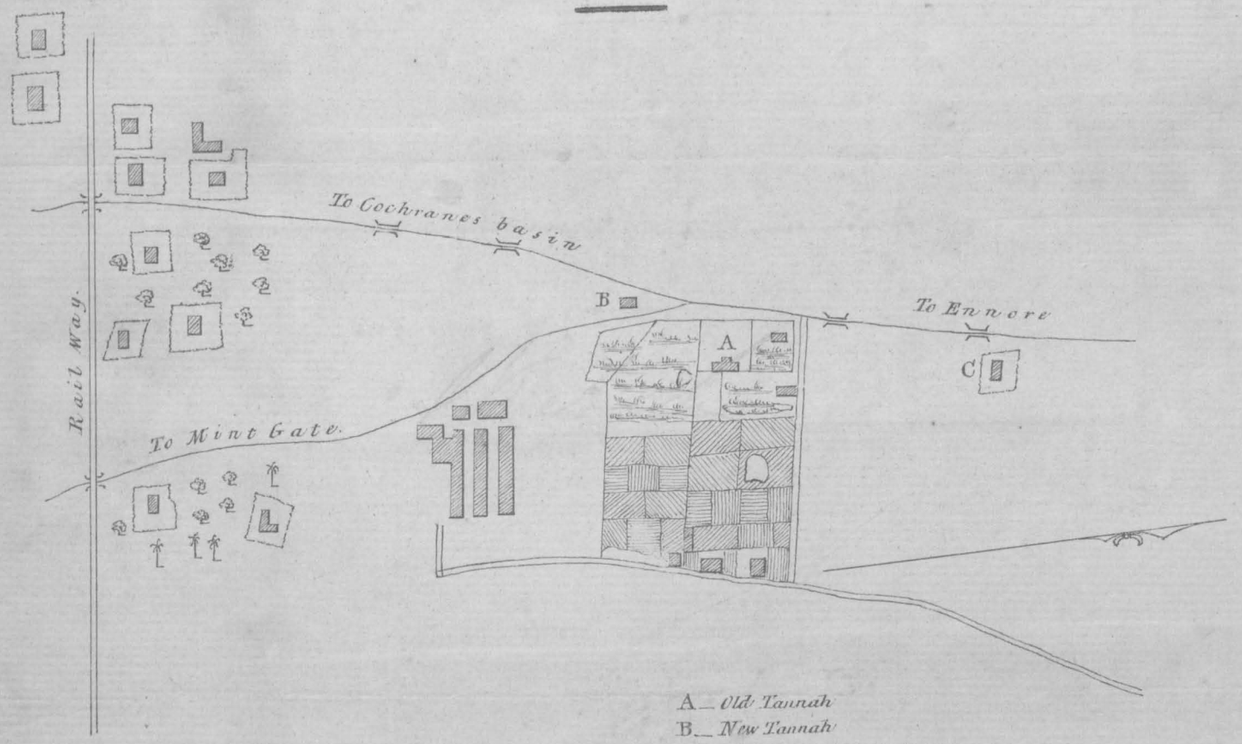
1. I have the honor to inform you that during the late rains, on account of the injury done to the building, I was obliged to remove the Duffadar and Peons from Chinnamoothan Choultry, the first Tannah on the outer Ennore road into the Jemadar's Tannah in Washermen's pettah. The removal of the Tannah Peons from that neighbourhood caused an uneasy feeling in the minds of the inhabitants of the locality in which the Tannah Peons were posted, and in view to get them returned as soon as possible, they, the inhabitants, have given to me for public use a water Choultry, which Mr. Elliot, my predecessor had for years vainly endeavoured to obtain possession of.

The water Choultry is very near the old Tannah, and the enclosed sketch will show you that its situation is far more favorable for Police purposes than the spot I have been obliged to abandon.

2. My desire is that the Barrack Master may be required to receive this Tannah on the List of his Public Buildings, to cause it to be repaired in the usual way (the cost of which may probably amount to 120 or 130 Rupees) and to preserve in his Office the agreement* under which the Choultry has been delivered over for public use, as a Police Tannah.

* Herewith forwarded.

(Signed) J. C. BOULDERSON,
Commissioner of Police.



A—*Old Tannah*
B—*New Tannah*
C—*House in which the Gang Robbery was committed in the Year 1853.*

No. 53. ORDER THEREON, No. 1522; dated 20th November 1857.

Referred to the Public Works Department.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

No 1522

Referred to the Public Works Department.

For C. St. George
20 November 1857

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Copy to Court of Police
" Public Works Dept.
with an Agreement

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