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Fort St. George, Judicial Consultation, 8th January 1858.

No. 12. Read the following letter from T. J. KNOX, Esq., Acting Collector and Magistrate, Masulipatam; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Kunkepaud, 9th December 1857, No. 508.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to submit for the consideration of Government my request to be permitted, under Section XII of Act 3 of 1857, to pay the expenses incurred for construction of Pounds throughout the District.

2. I beg to enclose a Memorandum shewing the fines and surplus proceeds collected monthly in each Talook. The Pounds have been erected by the Village Moonsiffs, under a promise that they should be reimbursed, but I am not at present able to state the amount due on this head.

3. I reported for the information of the Court of Foujdary Udalut, that Rupees 9,625 was the sum I expected 1,387 Pounds would cost, but I presume, I am correct in seeking sanction direct from the Government. I beg instructions as to remunerating the Pound keepers, I think a per centage should be allowed them.

4. I must inform the Government that the collections, fines under this Act, may be expected to decrease; there is a strong feeling in the country against the Act, and I expect that soon no bonâfide prosecutions will be made for trespassing.

5. I venture to suggest that a general order be passed allowing these fines, the necessary expenses being paid, to be expended by the Magistrate for sanatary measures and improvements in the village in which they were collected. I could work great reform in many villages, but I have no money to expend.

(Signed) T. J. KNOX,
Acting Collector and Magistrate.

Cattle fines and sale proceeds of stray Cattle under Act 3 of 1857, from May to the end of November 1857.

Talooks.	May 1857.	June.	July.	Augt.	Septr.	Octo-ber.	Novr.	Total.	Sale proceeds of stray Cattle included in the total.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bunder	.....	4	29	205	21	26	44	330	39
Padavah.....	.....	6	2	0	10	27	36	80	12
Deevy.....	.....	34	13	17	161	47	37	308	13
Goodewadah	.....	2	0	0	53	61	39	156	23
Ellore.....	.....	0	47	14	31	49	66	206	7
Ralunghy	.....	2	0	15	18	4	0	40	31
Poutapaudoo.....	.....	4	75	107	36	31	34	286	0
Kycaloor	.....	21	39	52	25	34	34	205	9
Bezwadah.....	.....	24	11	476	66	57	63	697	206
Nundegamah.....	.....	0	0	0	0	69	554	623	125
Juggiapetta.....	.....	15	0	0	0	4	0	19	19
Tirwoor	.....	0	0	24	0	0	9	33	33
Gollapully.....	.....	7	0	0	0	0	132	139	15
Noormastalum	.....	71	19	48	0	0	214	352	14
Chullapully	.....	25	31	39	137	179	102	510	73
Pondrakacotaur.....	.....	30	0	35	19	1	0	85	0
Sea Custom.....	.....	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	0
Total	.....	250	265	1,032	575	589	1,365	4,074	619

Masulipatam, Magistrate's Court,
17th December 1857.

(Signed) T. J. KNOX,
Acting Magistrate.

No. 13. ORDER THEREON, No. 1678; dated 24th December 1857.

Before passing orders on the above letter, the Government wish to know, so far as the Acting Magistrate has been yet able to ascertain, what sum has been expended by the Village Moonsiffs in the construction of Pounds.

2. The Court of Foujdaree Udalut will be requested to expedite the submission of the information called for in Extract Minutes Consultation 4th and 18th April 1857, Nos. 399 and 441.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Dated 24th December 1857.

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(Here enter 9th Dec/57 No. 508)

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