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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

From C. D. MACLEANE, Esq., Acting Collector and District Magistrate of Salem, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Judicial Department, dated 26th January 1883, No. 252 General.

I have the honor to report, for the information of Government, that the criminal trials connected with the Salem riots being now brought to a conclusion by the delivery of judgment in the High Court on the principal appeal cases, I have dismissed six cutcherry servants and punished, by reduction or transfer, fourteen others, and three cases regarding Government officials remain for the orders of Government.

2. Speaking generally, the charge against these persons is that before the riots of 16th August, they gave no warning of the conspiracy in the town, so as to put the authorities on their guard, and that after the riots they gave no assistance in detecting the culprits, though it was in their power to do either.

3. The situation immediately preceding the riots of 16th August was as follows (see my telegram in G.O., dated 21st August 1882, No. 1050-A, Judicial, and end of paragraph 2 and paragraph 3 of my letter in G.O., dated 24th August 1882, No. 1082, Judicial):—Riots had occurred a fortnight before. There was no precedent for a renewal of riots. I anticipated a vigorous warfare in the law courts. When I was in Salem at the close of the week immediately preceding the 16th August, I questioned a great number of people, and it was well known that I was anxious for information regarding affairs in the town. I was, however, very seriously misinformed as to the real state of the case. Reference may be made to paragraph 26 of the memorandum by the Rev. Mr. Foulkes in G.O., dated 21st October 1882, No. 1644, Judicial. During the three days preceding the riots of the 16th, the Head Assistant Mr. Mullaly was in charge. It is probable that in those three days the actual conspiracy to destroy the mosque took tangible form. On the last of those three days at any rate, the 15th August, the matter must have been fully ripe. Messengers had gone to all parts calling in men from distant villages. Supposing it even to be granted that as matters stood on the 12th, it was no one's business to make me better informed than I was, this cannot be said of the situation with Mr. Mullaly on the 15th. If I can bring it home to any servant of the Government that he knew then what was going to happen on the 16th, and gave no information to the officer in charge of the station, he is liable to exemplary punishment varying in degree according to the responsibility of his position.

4. The situation immediately after the riots would be best understood by the Government from the report of the criminal inquiry and trials, which is about to be submitted (paragraph 1 of my letter in G.O., dated 24th August 1882, No. 1082, Judicial). This report is, however, delayed for want of certain judgments from the superior Courts. Briefly, the ringleaders were arrested on the 30th August; the Special Police Agency began work on the 23rd; from the 16th to the 23rd we were only able to invite information. The difficulty of the situation which prevailed during the seven days just mentioned is known only to those who were

on the spot at the time. With the exception of the Muhammadans who had suffered, and who were almost as much in the dark as the executive, and of a few persons apprehensive for their property, who, however, could give no information, the whole town was against the authorities engaged in endeavouring to detect crime. The general impression, I believe, was that the Government were at fault, and could do nothing. The committing Magistrate in his summaries, which have been made public, has graphically described a Sudra league, then existing, in his opinion, in the town. There was no doubt such a league, and I add the native servants of Government, and especially the Collector's cutcherry, were in it. Two-thirds of the Collector's cutcherry, as then constituted, were Sudras. On the morning of the 18th, I spoke to all the cutcherry servants, telling them that it was their duty if they had information to come forward and give it. I intimated the same to all the other officials in the town. Even if allowance be made for Revenue officials who remained silent after a Special Police Agency had definitely taken on themselves the responsibility of the inquiry, say after the 23rd August, no excuse of any sort exists for their not coming forward at a time when they were specially appealed to, and when their assistance was specially required, or during the period between the 16th and the 23rd August. They gave neither information nor clue, and the executive received absolutely no assistance from any native Revenue servant. It is incredible but that some had information, and it is considered that those selected did have it.

5. This is the general case against the officials selected for punishment, which will differ, however, in detail in different instances.

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On the one hand, I do not wish to attach undue importance to *obiter dicta* of a learned Judge regarding matters not immediately the subject of judicial inquiry; on the other hand, Mr. Wigram's own opinion is here very clearly expressed, and I quote it. I think it probable that the Sarishtadar knew nothing about the actual conspiracy before the riots; but I consider it established that enough came to his knowledge on the 15th to make it absolutely incumbent on him to go to Mr. Mullaly and advise him. I consider that after the riots it is improbable but that he had some clues which he might have put at the disposal of his employers. In saying this I express a very guarded opinion, and am almost disposed to go farther. As to the Sarishtadar's general character, it is my duty to state that I have come to the conclusion from the conduct of work before me during the last six months that he has unduly exposed himself to the influence of the Mittadars, which means

corruption. I think it is out of the question that Venkata Subba Rao should serve again in this district, and would recommend that Government transfer him to a Tahsildarry in another district at such grade as they may think fit. The Sarishtadar is on leave on half pay. His leave expires on the 15th February. I wish to advertise for a new Sarishtadar.

9. *P. Veeraraghava Mudali*, Tahsildar of Salem on Rs. 250.—This official has been in Salem for a number of years in different official positions, and is intimately acquainted with the town and its inhabitants. He certainly knew that riots were going to take place on the 16th, but gave no information. On the day of the riots, he did not appear till 2 o'clock. Giving evidence before the Special Magistrate, he professed himself unable to identify any prisoner put before him. Looking to his caste, his antecedents, and the general rumour regarding him prevalent in the town, I believe him to have been privy or at least a silently assenting party to the whole affair. If he did not know of such things, Government can expect that as a Tahsildar he should know of them. This official bears a very bad character for corruption, and I believe there is no Collector before myself who would not have been glad to get rid of him. I find the following on record by Mr. Stokes in the English draft of a Takeed issued to the Salem Tahsildar on the 3rd April 1882:—

"The Collector has had to postpone the Salem Taluk Jamabandi after taking up a few villages in consequence of the disgraceful state of unpreparedness in which the accounts and other Jamabandi business were found. The state of things is very disgraceful to the Tahsildar and to the whole of the Taluk Office. The Tahsildar himself appears to be very negligent of his duties; to pay no attention whatever to the accounts work in his office; and to neglect equally out-door work. For this there is no excuse, as though the taluk is undoubtedly a heavy one, the Tahsildar has very little magisterial work. The Tahsildar's correspondence and reports are very badly done, and it is plain that he leaves most of it to be done by his clerks. The Collector considers this state of things very unsatisfactory, and cannot avoid the conclusion that the Tahsildar is unfit for his post."

I recommend that the Tahsildar be dismissed. He is on half pay. His leave expires on the 22nd February.

10. *C. Manikam Mudali*, late Town Deputy Tahsildar of Salem on Rs. 100.—I only accuse this official of inefficiency. I do not consider that he had the same knowledge as the Tahsildar, but he was present at the Police Head-quarter Inspector's house at the meeting where at any rate "boycotting" was discussed. A Town Sub-Magistrate is supposed to keep an eye on everything occurring in his town, and after what has occurred, I think he should be reduced. I recommend that he be made 1st-Class Revenue Inspector on Rs. 30. He was transferred by me in August to the Deputy Tahsildarry at Vaniembady on Rs. 70, where he now is.

11. The information acquired regarding the officials selected for punishment has been derived from three sources; the record of the criminal trials, the investigations of the Special Police Agency, and some three or four hundred petitions which have reached me in the course of my current work. Neither of these sources of information would be enough perhaps by itself; but as one has been set against the other, and as the matter has been under consideration now for five months, I have some confidence that no error has been committed, and no injustice has been done.

12. The following punishments, I observe, have already been inflicted on members of the Police Force, mostly for "neglect or treachery":—

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the active support of trustworthy and loyal natives. The superior Native Officers in particular would seem to be given considerable emoluments and very high position, with little other object than that they should be the eyes and ears of Government. The incidents of Soondrum Chetty's conspiracy are so romantic, the idea of a whole caste setting itself to plan a gigantic crime under the very eyes of authority is so alien to the ordinary experiences of official life and of modern civilisation, and the public attention drawn to these affairs has been so over-strained owing to the protracted nature of operations in the criminal Courts, that I feel there will not unnaturally be a re-actionary tendency and a disposition to think that the matter has been exaggerated. There could be no greater mistake. The accounts of this affair given to Government have never been over-colored. The Government charged with the preservation of order have been face to face with an almost irresistible combination intended to thwart it, and with gross treachery on the part of its own public servants; and I feel that in what it has fallen to me to do my self in the direction of punishing officials, it will more likely be found that I have erred on the side of leniency than that I have erred on the side of severity.

ORDER—dated 10th February 1883, No. 353, Judicial.

The cases on which the Collector now seeks the orders of Government are stated in paragraphs 7, 8, 9, and 10 of the letter read above.

2. His Excellency the Governor in Council notes that the Resolution of the G.O., 15th September 1879, No. 1401, Public. Government of India on the subject of the removal of public servants provides that when facts or inferences against such persons are elicited at a judicial trial, nothing further is needed.

3. Against the Sarishtadar *A. Venkata Subba Rao*, there is his own evidence at the trial and the comments thereon by the Additional Sessions Judge. There is also the Collector's report as to his being corrupt. This is sufficient to warrant his dismissal, and the Government direct that he be dismissed accordingly from the public service.

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(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.]

To the Collector of Salem.

„ Board of Revenue.

„ Revenue Department.

„ Accountant-General, order only.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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Directing the dismissal and degradation of certain Upper Subordinates in the Revenue Department of the Collector's office for complicity in the riots.



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By Collector & Magistrate

on 15th July. I did not see 2nd prisoner speak at the Town Hall meeting. When the Collector left, the people left. I stayed for a few minutes and advised both parties to compromise. I left after that. There were no rumours of threatened disturbance on Saturday, Sunday or Monday. We all hoped that there would be a compromise. I went to Mr. Mullaly on 15th August and told him that there was a sale fixed for the next day on the Shevaroy. That morning the Sub-Magistrate came to my house. He said the shops were closed, because the Hindus were afraid of the Mahomedans, the next day being Khutba. I said he had better go and speak to Mr. Mullaly and get the shops opened. I do not remember having seen 2nd prisoner that morning. I saw him between 5 and 6 p.m., in the evening.

I saw Mr. Mullaly between 12 and 1. At my suggestion he sent for the Town Sub-Magistrate and the Police Inspector. I don't remember seeing 2nd prisoner at the cutcherry that day. I live in the Agraharam street. 2nd prisoner also lives there. I met him near the Huzur Sheristadar's house where I had halted. He asked me whether I was going to the Shevaroy Hills the next day. He said that the following day was Khutba and that the Mahomedans might cause disturbance and that I had better not go. I told him that I had spoken to Mr. Mullaly and that it had been arranged that the Mahomedans were not to go in procession to the Mosque, and that there was no fear of their causing any disturbance.

On the morning of 16th August before I started, I heard that it was not Khutba day.

(Cross-examined.)—I was convinced when I started that there would not be a row.

I only knew 2nd prisoner since my arrival in Salem. I was thankful to receive any assistance at the Mosque, on 28th July. I did not know that 2nd prisoner had any particular influence.

(By the Court.)—When I spoke to 2nd prisoner on 15th August, the Huzur Sheristadar was present. I did not carry out my promise to 2nd prisoner to mention him to the District Magistrate.

Read over to the witness in English and acknowledged to be correct.

Salem, 14th November 1882.

(Signed.)

7TH WITNESS.—Vencatasubba Row, solemnly affirmed, deposes. I have been Huzur Sheristadar for the last six years. Before that I was Tahsildar of Uttankari. I was in Salem at the time of the July and August riots. I have known 2nd prisoner for the last four years. He practised in the District Magistrate's Court for the last two years. He had not a large practice. I live in the Agraharam. I am not in the habit of going to the Bazaar street. I cannot say whether the shops were closed after the July riots.

I remember the Town Hall meeting. After the Collector left the people began to disperse. Gopalasamy Mittadar, called the people back and said that the Hindus and Mahomedans ought to come to some compromise. Some of the respectable Hindus and Mahomedans went into a little room and talked and then went together to the Mosque. I remember that Raja Mudaly, and Sundram Chetty were among them. About 5 p.m., they came back from the Mosque. They said they would have some shops built near the Mosque, and divert the road. Both parties seemed to agree to this. One Mahomedan said that some other Mahomedans must be consulted, and that four days would do. I think Gopalasamy proposed to meet again on Wednesday. The Mahomedans said that Wednesday would be Khutba day. Some one then proposed Friday. The Mahomedans did not like Friday and eventually Saturday was fixed. It was about 5-30 p.m., when this arrangement was come to. I went to the Collector's Bungalow and reported what had taken place. When the Collector first came to the meeting the Mahomedans complained that there was a Hindu league against them. He said they might open shops of their own. At the meeting some Mahomedans suggested four days time to discuss a compromise. 2nd prisoner stayed with me whilst Hindus and Mahomedans conferred together, and went to the Mosque. There were no rumours of threatened disturbance on Sunday or Monday. On Tuesday there were various rumours. The Schools were closed. On Tuesday morning I heard that the Khutba Mosque at Shevappett and a Hindu temple had been wrecked. I saw the Village Munsiff of Shevappett and asked him about it. He said the rumour was false. He said nothing of the kind was apprehended, but the Mahomedans were going to attack the Hindus and had stored arms and rockets in a house in Salem. I told him to report the matter to Inspector Hayman. He said he would do so. I saw 2nd prisoner on the evening of the 15th August near my house. I was speaking to the Deputy Collector Kristnasawmy Iyer. He stopped and said that the town was in an excited state and asked the Deputy Collector to stop the next day instead of going to Yercaud. The Deputy Collector said he had already spoken to Mr. Mullaly and that it had been arranged that there should be no Khutba processions, and that nothing was to be feared. I don't remember 2nd prisoner having said that a quarrel had taken place that day at the Shevappett market. About 10 a.m., on the 15th August I asked the Town Sub-Magistrate to write an Urzi and to speak to Mr. Mullaly. This was after I had spoken to the Shevappett Village Munsiff. I did not go to the Cutcherry on 16th August. I saw Mr. Mullaly ride through Salem in the morning. My back-yard runs up to the Salem river. I

saw some Mahomedans, on the opposite bank in Metu Teruvu. There was fighting going on in the afternoon between the Mahomedans on one side of the river and the Hindus on the other. I was in my house up-stairs. There was occasional beating of drums by the Mahomedans. The crowds then collected. We could see smoke in different parts of the Town.

(Cross-examined.)—The fighting took place about 3 p.m. I heard firing. I saw Inspector Hayman on the bank of the river. There was occasional beating of drums in the morning. I could see the Mahomedans on the bank of the river armed with clubs. I could not see the Hindus so well. It is not part of my duty as Sheristadar to be the medium of communication between the Collector and the people. As a citizen and Government official it is my duty to report what I hear, not as Sheristadar. I had no interview myself with Mr. Mullaly. I did not see Mr. Mullaly after the Town-Hall meeting. I knew very few people in Shevapett. I did not know Sundram Chetty before the Town-Hall meeting. I had heard his name before. After the 12th August I thought that there would be peace between the Hindus and Mahomedans of Shevapett. I go to office between 11 and 12 o'clock every day. I heard that riots were going on and stayed at home on the 16th August.

(Re-examined.)—There was fighting in the Agraharam at the July riots. No Brahmin was wounded.

Read over to the witness in English and acknowledged to be correct.

Salem, 14th November 1882.

(Signed.)

8TH WITNESS.—*Tirthagiri Chetty, solemnly affirmed, deposes.* I am a Grain and Oil Merchant at Krishnagiri in Salem District. I know 1st Prisoner. He is a merchant of Shevapett. I have had dealings with him. I received the letter shown to me at Krishnagiri on 2nd Avani (16th August) by post (Exhibit X). It is written from Negapatam on the 14th August. I subsequently received the letter written on 2nd Avani (16th August). I received it on 18th August (Exhibit XI). I replied the Exhibit X on the 16th August. This is my answer (Exhibit XII). I got a reply, dated 18th August to my letter (Exhibit XIII).

(Cross-examined.)—I am a partner in certain trade transactions with 1st Prisoner. We have joint speculations. I have no agent in Negapatam. Dandayudapani Chetti is 1st Prisoner's agent in Negapatam. He used to write to me from Negapatam before. It is usual for us Merchants when we go to different places to communicate the Market prices. I keep my correspondence. I have no other letters from 1st prisoner written from Negapatam. I had received these letters only a short time before I got the summons. 1st prisoner's partner Ananda Chetty told me to produce these letters. This was after I received the summons to give evidence. I saw 1st prisoner a year ago when I came to Salem. I have had business transactions with him. He has sent me gall-nuts for sale. I have not sent any thing to him as no profit was to be made. Our accounts for the gall-nuts have not been settled. Krishnagiri is 50 or 60 miles from Salem. There is a Rail to Tirupatur and then road for 27 miles. I am not related to 1st Prisoner.

Read over to the witness in Tamil and acknowledged to be correct.

Salem, 14th November 1882.

(Signed.)

9TH WITNESS.—*Dandayuda Pani Chetty, solemnly affirmed, deposes.* I am a grain and oil merchant at Negapatam. I know Sattyappa Chetti and Ganapathi Naik at Negapatam. The first is a broker. The second is a merchant. I know 1st prisoner. I have had dealings with him for 9 or 10 years. The dealings have been on a large scale. When he comes to Negapatam he puts up in my house and takes his food in the Chattrum. My father died on 8th Vyasi (20th May). I sent notices to my friends. I sent one to first prisoner. The letter shown to me is the one I sent (Exhibit XIV). It is usual for friends to pay visits of condolence. 1st prisoner came to me at the end of Adi (14th August). He stayed 6 or 7 days. I have been corresponding with him on business up to that time. I spoke to him on several subjects and I asked him especially if he could send rape-seed and oil-cake for sale. My accountant wrote the letter (Exhibit XV) to 1st prisoner's firm on 31st Adi (14th August). That letter was written whilst 1st prisoner was staying with me. Exhibit XII is addressed to my care at Negapatam. I know Poovana Subraya Chetty of Karur. He is a merchant and friend of mine. The letter shown to me (Exhibit XVI) is in the hand-writing of one of Poovana Subraya Chetti's clerks. He is my broker. We heard of the destruction of the Shevapett Mosque. That was three or four days after 1st prisoner arrived. He was still there.

(Cross-examined.)—He was six or seven days at Negapatam. It was two days after the news about the Mosque that he left. I think he returned to Salem. He said he must go and look after his wife and children when he heard about the riots. I am 1st prisoner's partner in certain trade transactions. I have no business with Krishnagiri. The letters sent are numbered in order. I keep a file book. It contains an abstract of the letters. I have not got that

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NOMINAL LIST OF OFFICIALS SERVING IN THE
SALEM DISTRICT ON 6TH DECEMBER 1882.

COVENANTED OFFICERS.

Name.	Appointment, &c.	Remarks.
F. H. Wilkinson	Judge.	
H. E. Stokes, B. A.	Collector	Ag. Collr. of Tanjore.
C. D. Maclean, M. A.	Acting Collector.	
B. N. Overbury	Sub-Collector	Ag. Dt. Judge of
L. Moore	Acting Sub-Collector	S. Malabar.
E. C. Johnson	Head Assistant Collector	On Furlough.
M. Hammick	Acting do.	

MILITARY OFFICERS.

Major C. J. T. Whitlock	Superintendent of Police.
Surgeon-Major H. J. Hazlett	Zillah Surgeon.

OTHER OFFICERS.

W. Goodrich	Supt. of the Central Jail.	
E. S. B. Stevenson	Asst. Supt. of Police, Salem.	On special duty.
O. R. Jones	Ag. do. do.	
J. W. Cherry	Dy. Conservator of Forests on Special duty.	
A. W. C. Stanbrough	Dy. Conservator of Forests.	
J. M. Bell	Executive Engineer	
Dr. J. Bradshaw	Inspector of Schools, 4th Division.	Ag. Inspector of Schools Presidency Divn.
W. Morgan	Ag. do.	Hd. Master Calicut Govt. College.

DEPUTY COLLECTORS.

A. Sudershana Row	General Dy. Collector... 500
T. Appajee Row	Treasury Dy. Collector. 350

HUZUR ESTABLISHMENT.

1 Ammanchi Vencatasubba Row	Huzur Sherishtadar ... 250	On furlough for three months.
Cutchi Ramaseshiah, B. A.	Ag. do.	English Hd. Clerk.
2 Cutchi Ramaseshiah, B. A.	English Head Clerk ... 150	Ag. Huzur Sherishtadar.
S. Vencatasubbier	Ag. do.	Dy. Tahr., Omalur.
3 Salem Gurusamy Pillai	Treasurer 125	
4 D. M. Kanagaratnam Pillai, B. A.	English Hd. Accountant 85	
5 O. Sundara Row	L. F. District Auditor... 75	L. F. Acctt.
6 Kanchi Madusoodana Row	Vernacular Head Clerk. 70	
7 Poongolam Seshiah	Translator 70	Ag. Dy. Tahr. Omalur.
T. V. Lokanadha Iyer, B. A., B. L.	Ag. do.	Acctt. Rev. Board.
8 T. Rama Rao	Temporary Clerk, Act III of 1882 70	6th English Acctt.

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
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COLLECTOR'S PRESS.

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
95 T. Vijianatha Mudaliar ...	Superintendent ... 50	
96 S. Munisawmi Naidu ...	2nd Compositor ... 30	
97 S. Rangasawmy Naidu ...	3rd Do. ... 20	
98 T. Muthusawmy Pillay ...	4th Do. ... 15	
99 T. Narayanasamy Naidu ...	5th Do. ... 12	
100 Syed Jallal Sahib ...	6th Do. ... 10	
101 P. Sundram Naidu ...	1st Apprentice ... 7	
102 B. Coopposami Naidu ...	2nd Do. ... 7	On probation for 6 months.
103 L. Cooppanah Pillai ...	Head Pressman ... 12	
104 Syed Chekin Sahib ...	2nd Pressman ... 10	
105 K. Lutchuma Naidu ...	Head Ballman ... 8	
106 L. Vencatachellam Pillai ...	2nd Do. ... 7	

SUB-COLLECTOR'S ESTABLISHMENT.

P. A. Ramasawmy Iyer ...	Sub-Division Sheristadar. 150	
Bowani Sunkera Row ...	Head Clerk. ... 50	
Sivoji Venkatasier ...	English Clerk ... 35	
Bommaganty Subba Row ...	Ver. Clerk ... 30	
N. Narasinga Row ...	Local Fund Clerk, Oosoor Circle. ... 30	
Chingleput Ellappa Mudali ...	Vernacular Clerk ... 20	
K. Ragavendra Row B. A. ...	English Clerk ... 20	
Srikantiah ...	Vernacular Clerk ... 15	
Narasimma Razu ...	Do. do. ... 15	
Streenivasa Iyer ...	Local Fund Attender ... 10	
Hanuma Razu ...	Muchee ... 10	
Kristna Rao ...	Attender ... 8	Ag. Clerk, Hd. Asstt. Collector's office.
Rama Razu ...	Acting do. ...	

HEAD ASSISTANT COLLECTOR'S ESTABLISHMENT.

Arcot Ramasamy Iyer ...	Head Clerk ... 70	
C. Vedavinayakam Mudali ...	2nd Do. ... 25	
T. Ananda Row ...	Vernacular Clerk ... 15	
Vacant ...	Do. ... 15	
T. N. Kistna Row ...	Ag. do. ...	Attender Sub-Collector's Office.
T. Narain Rao ...	Muchee ... 10	
Hanumantha Rao ...	Acting do. ...	Ag. Gumastah Tripatur Taluq.
Fuzululla Sahib ...	Attender ... 8	
N. P. Subbaramania Iyer ...	Acting do. ...	Dufferbund, Uttankarai Taluq.

NAMAKAL DEPUTY COLLECTOR'S ESTABLISHMENT.

C. Tirumal Row ...	Head Clerk ... 45	
T. Ramachendra Row ...	Clerk ... 20	
D. David Pillai ...	Vernacular Clerk ... 15	Suspended for six months.
Mahomed Azin-ud-din Khan Sahib ...	Acting do. ...	
G. Rathnasawmi Pillai ...	Do. ... 15	

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
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TALUQ REVENUE ESTABLISHMENTS.

Salem.

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
Porasapakam Veeraragava Mudali ...	Tahsildar ... 250	On private leave. Tahsildar of Trichengode.
K. V. Lukshumana Row ...	Acting do. ...	
Charles Henry MacBride ...	Dy. Tahsildar of Shevaroy Hills ... 150	
S. Venkataramanier ...	Do. of Salem Town ... 100	
S. Vencatasubbier ...	Do. of Omalur ... 70	Ag. English Hd. Clerk, Huzur office. Translator, do.
P. Sheshiah ...	Ag. do. ...	
C. Krishnasawmy Mudali ...	Do. of Rasipur ... 70	
M. Sivaramier ...	Sheristadar ... 60	
A. Sarvothama Row ...	1st Class Rev. Inspector ... 30	
L. Vencatasubbier ...	2nd Class Rev. Insptr. ... 25	Suspended for Six Months.
Y. Singier ...	Ag. Do. do. ...	
Y. Singier ...	3rd Class Rev. Inspector ... 20	3rd Class Rev. Insptr. Ag. 2nd O. Rev. Insptr. Gumastah on Rs. 15.
C. Ramasawmy Mudaliar ...	Ag. Do. do. ...	
V. Streenivasa Row ...	3rd C. Rev. Inspector ... 20	
D. Betiah ...	Head Gumastah ... 20	
U. Naranaier ...	Nagadi Goomastah ... 20	
J. David ...	Gumastah, Dy. Tahsildar's office, Shevaroy Hills. 20	
M. Subramania Iyer ...	Goomastah ... 15	
Sethu Rao ...	Do. ... 15	
N. Seshiah ...	Do. ... 15	
C. Ramasawmy Mudaliar ...	Do. ... 15	Ag. 3rd C. Rev. Insptr. Attender Razipur Dn.
Kristna Rao ...	Ag. do. ...	
S. Sethu Row ...	Goomastah ... 15	
C. Gurumurthi Iyer ...	Do. ... 15	
S. Kesava Iyer ...	Do. ... 15	Suspended for Six Months. Dufferbund, Salem Tq.
Samier ...	Ag. Do. ...	
C. Venkatesa Chetty ...	Shroff ... 15	
Vencatramanier ...	Goomastah, Dy. Tahsildar's office, Omalur ... 15	
R. V. Kistnasawmi Iyer ...	Do. ... 15	2nd Clerk, Home Branch.
Narayana Row ...	Ag. do. ...	
C. Ramakistna Iyer ...	Goomastah, Dy. Tahsildar's office, Rasipur ... 15	
Mohideen Sheriff ...	Do. do. Salem Town. 15	
S. Padmanaba Iyer ...	Do. do. ... 15	Suspended for three months. Attendar Dy. Th. office Salem Town.
Ragothama Rao ...	Ag. do. ...	
G. A. Neale ...	Do. do. Shevaroy Hills 15	
Anantha Chetty ...	Shroff ... 15	On leave without allowances.
Subramania Chetty ...	Ag. do. ...	
C. Narasimma Chetty ...	Dy. Shroff, Salem Taluq 10	
Samier ...	Dufferbund do. 7	Ag. Gu. Salem Tq.
Kuppusawmy Naidu ...	Ag. do. ...	
Ragothama Rao ...	Attender Dy. Tahsildar's office, Salem Town... 7	Ag. Gum. Dy. Thr's. office, Salem Town.
Ahmed Saheb ...	Ag. do. do. ...	
Kristna Rao ...	Attender do. Razipur ... 7	Ag. Gu., Salem Tq.
Subba Rao ...	Ag. do. ...	
Mathwa Rao ...	Attender do. Omalur ... 7	

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
Namakal.		
Colandai Anantharama Iyer ...	Tahsildar ... 225	Ag. Dy. Tahr. Haroor. Do. Pennagaram.
V. Vencatasamy Naidoo ...	Dy. Tahsildar, Paramathy 70	
S. V. Arunachellier ...	Acting do. ... 60	
Tirupatur Bheema Row ...	Sheristadar ... 60	
N. Streenivasa Iyer ...	Manager of Erumapatti, &c., Estates ... 50	Under Suspension.
E. Hanoomantha Row ...	Temporary do. ... 30	1st Class Rev. Inspector.
E. Hanoomantha Row ...	1st Class Rev. Inspector. 30	Ag. Manager of Erumapatti Mittah.
Kristna Row ...	Acting do. ... 25	2nd C. Rev. Inspr.
Krishna Row ...	2nd Class Rev. Inspr. ... 25	Ag. 1st Class Rev. Inspector.
D. V. Aswathanarayana Iyer ...	Acting do. ... 20	Hd. Gu. Namakal Tq.
V. R. Streenivasiengar ...	3rd Class do. ... 20	Ag. 2nd Class Revenue Inspector.
D. V. Aswathanarayana Iyer ...	Head Gumastah ... 20	
T. D. Thathojee Row ...	Ag. do. ... 20	
T. D. Thathojee Row ...	Nagadi Goomastah ... 20	
S. Kistna Row ...	Ag. do. ... 15	Gumastah, Dy. Tahsildar's office, Paramathi.
M. Mathu Row ...	Goomastah ... 15	On leave without allowance.
K. Ramaswami Iyer ...	Do. ... 15	Dufterbund.
Strenivasa Row ...	Acting do. ... 15	Ag. 2nd Goomastah, Namakal Taluq.
Subbier ...	Goomastah ... 15	
Gurusawmi Iyer ...	Do. ... 15	
Kistna Row ...	Do. ... 15	
Hanumantha Row ...	Do. ... 15	Ag. Gu., Nam. Tq.
Ragavendra Row ...	Do. ... 15	
Ramakistna Chetty ...	Shroff ... 15	
S. Kistna Row ...	Goomastah, Dy. Tahsildar's office, Paramathy ... 15	
Obilisami Naidu ...	Ag. do. ... 10	Ag. Gu., Nam. Tq.
Jevanna Row ...	Goomastah ... 10	
Patchamuthu Chetty ...	Dy. Shroff, Namkal Tq. ... 7	
Streenivasa Rao ...	Dufterbund do. ... 7	
Kader Khan ...	Ag. do. ... 7	Ag. Gu., Nam. Tq.
Subba Rao ...	Attender Deputy Tahr.'s Office, Paramathi ... 7	

Tiruchengode.

K. V. Lakshumana Row ...	Tahsildar ... 225	Ag. Tahr. of Salem. Interpreter, High Ct.
Saiyed Khader Padshah Sahib ...	Ag. do. ... 70	
B. Streenivasachari ...	Dy. Tahsildar ... 60	
Namakal Soobba Row ...	Sheristadar ... 60	
C. Mathu Row ...	Agent Puthur, &c., Mittas ... 75	1st Ver. Acctt.
P. Seshagiri Row ...	1st Class Rev. Inspector 30	
K. Seshagiri Row ...	2nd Class do. ... 25	
Appasamy Pillay ...	3rd Class do. ... 20	
S. Ramier ...	3rd do. ... 20	Ag. Gu., Nam. Tq.
G. Subbaramiah ...	Head Gumastah ... 20	
Annamalai Chetty ...	Nagadi Goomastah ... 20	
T. Subba Row ...	Goomastah ... 15	
T. Dyriam Pillai ...	Do. ... 15	Ag. Gu., Nam. Tq.
M. Vencata Row ...	Do. ... 15	
N. Pothurazu Naidu ...	Do. ... 15	
S. Govinda Row ...	Do. ... 15	
Chenlgal Row ...	Do. ... 15	Ag. Gu., Nam. Tq.
Cuppusawmi Iyer ...	Do. ... 15	
Arthanari Chetty ...	Shroff ... 15	Ag. Gu., Nam. Tq.

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
Nagojee Row		
Gopalra Iyengar ...	Gumastah Dy. Tahr's Office, Sankaridroog ... 15	Leave without allowances.
D. Kistna Row ...	Ag. do. Temporary. Goomastah ... 15	
Soorianarayana Chetty ...	Dy. Shroff, Trich. Tq. 10	
Chennakasava Iyer ...	Dufterbund do. ... 7	
Sashagiri Rao ...	Attender, Dy. Tahsildar's office, Senkagiridroog. 7	Leave without allowance for 6 months.
Streenivasa Mudali ...	Ag. do. ... 7	
Atur.		
A. S. Prabalanadam Pillai ...	Tahsildar ... 200	
Uttankarai Streenivasier ...	Sheristadar. ... 60	
T. Subba Row ...	1st Class Rev. Inspector. 30	
N. Kupier ...	2nd do. ... 25	
G. Subramania Iyer ...	3rd do. ... 20	
D. Narasinga Row ...	Head Gumastah ... 20	
S. Ramachendrah Rao ...	Nagadi Goomastah ... 20	
C. Vithianathier ...	Goomastah ... 15	
T. Chengalvaraya Iyer ...	Do. ... 15	
T. Subba Row ...	Do. ... 15	
M. Eswariah ...	Do. ... 15	
C. G. Shanmugavelu Pillai ...	Do. ... 15	
Subbier ...	Do. ... 15	
A. Naranier ...	Do. ... 15	
Subbanna Chetty ...	Shroff ... 15	
Vencoba Rao ...	Dufterbund ... 7	
Oosoor.		
C. Kupiah ...	Tahsildar ... 200	
N. Gopinadier ...	Dy. Tahr., Denkanikotta. 70	
J. Ramachendra Row ...	Sheristadar ... 60	
Y. Ardanari Iyer ...	1st Class Rev. Inspector. 30	
R. Lakshumana Naidoo ...	2nd do. ... 25	
N. Gopalier ...	3rd do. ... 20	Ag. 3rd Class Rev. Inspr.
R. Adaickalam Pillai ...	Ag. do. ... 20	Krishnagiri Taluq.
V. Babu Row ...	Head Gumastah ... 20	Gumastah, Kristnagiri Taluq.
W. Govinda Chetty ...	Nagadi Goomastah ... 15	
M. Nagamuthu Naidu ...	Goomastah ... 15	
Narana Row ...	Do. ... 15	
Aramuga Mudali ...	Do. ... 15	
D. B. Vencatasubba Row ...	Do. ... 15	
V. Thandavaroya Mudali ...	Do. ... 15	
T. Gundoo Row ...	Do. ... 15	
Y. Seshagiri Row ...	Do. ... 15	
O. Lakshmana Naidu ...	Shroff ... 15	
S. Parthasarathi Pillai ...	Goomastah, Dy. Tahsildar's office, Denkanikottah 15	
K. Samier ...	Do. ... 15	
B. Kuppamma Pandithar ...	Dufterbund Hosur Tq. ... 7	
Vencatarama Naidu ...	Attender Dy. Tahsildar's Office, Denkanicotta. 7	Ag. Gumastah, Krishnagiri Taluq.
Thimmachari ...	Ag. do. ... 7	

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
Tirupatur.		
Vembakkam Ramiengar ...	Tahsildar ... RS. 200	Privilege leave for 40 days.
C. Manickam Mudali ...	Dy. Tahr., Vaniyambadi 70	
T. Ramasamy Iyengar ...	Sheristadar ... 60	
T. Munisamy Mudali ...	1st C. Rev. Inspector... 30	
C. Ranga Row ...	2nd do. ... 25	
Narayana Row ...	3rd do. ... 20	Leave.
R. S. Vencataramana Iyer ...	Head Gumastah ... 20	
K. Kassim Sahib ...	Nagadi Goomastah ... 20	
P. Hari Row ...	Goomastah ... 15	
Kuttia Pillai alias Vedamuthu Pillai...	Do. ... 15	
Fasalulla Sahib ...	Acting do. ... 15	Attendar, Hd. Asstt. Collr's Office.
Ohennakesava Row ...	Goomastah... 15	Leave.
T. Narayana Row ...	Acting do. ... 15	Muchi, Head Asstt. Collr's Office.
R. Venkatasawmi Naidu ...	Goomastah ... 15	
E. Kistnasawmi Naidu...	Do. ... 15	
K. Seshagiri Row ...	Do. ... 15	
T. Ramaswami Chetty ...	Shroff ... 15	
G. Appoo Row ...	Goomastah Dy. Tahsildar's Office, Vaniyambadi. 15	
B. Venkoba Row ...	Do. ... 15	
K. Abdulla Sahib ...	Dufterbund Tripatur Tq. 7	
Goolam Mahomed Sahib ...	Attender Dy. Tahsildar's Office Vaniyambadi. 7	

Dharmapuri.

C. Baboo Mudali ...	Tahsildar. ... 175	Ag. Dy. Tahr. Paramathy Sheristadar Uttankarai Taluq.
S. V. Arunachellier ...	Dy. Tahsildar Pennagaram 70	
K. Sashachella Naidu ...	Ag. Do. ... 60	
Raichoor Samier ...	Sheristadar ... 30	
C. Subbiah ...	1st C. Rev. Inspector... 25	
S. Streenivasa Row ...	2nd Class Rev. Inspector. 25	Leave on forfeiture of full pay. Dufterbund.
N. Narasiah ...	3rd do. ... 20	
T. D. Nagojee Row ...	Head Gumastah ... 20	
M. Lakshuminarasier ...	Nagadi Gumastah ... 20	
K. Vencata Row ...	Goomastah ... 15	
V. Annajee Row ...	Do. ... 15	Leave without allowance for 6 weeks.
K. Ragothama Row ...	Do. ... 15	
R. Govindasawmi Naidu ...	Do. ... 15	
P. Vencatramanier ...	Ag. do. ... 15	
Lukshmanier ...	Goomastah ... 15	
P. Naranier ...	do. ... 15	
K. Vetraya Chetty ...	Shroff ... 15	
P. Srinivasaiyengar ...	Goomastah, Dy. Tahsildar's office, Pennagaram... 15	
P. Vencataramanier ...	Dufterbund Dharmapuri Taluq ... 7	Ag. Gumastah.
D. Sashagiri Iyer ...	Ag. do. ... 7	
Rangachariar ...	Attender, Deputy Tahr's. Office Pennagaram... 7	

Krishnagiri.

Tirupatur Munisamy Pillai ...	Tahsildar ... 150
C. Soorappa Charri ...	Sheristadar ... 60
Samuel Moses Pillai, B. A. ...	1st C. Rev. Inspector... 30
A. Vencatramanier ...	2nd do. ... 25

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
K. Singaravelu Mudali ...	3rd do. ... RS. 20	Ag. 2nd Class Rev. Ins-pector, Uttankarai Taluq.
N. Gopaliah ...	Ag. do. ...	3rd C. Rev. Inspr. of Hosur.
T. Ramasubbiah ...	Head Gumastah ... 20	
V. Bheema Row ...	Nagadi Goomastah Rs. 20	
C. Ramachendra Row ...	Goomastah ... 15	
P. Ragavendra Row ...	Do. ... 15	
R. Adaikalam Pillai ...	Do. ... 15	Ag. 3rd Class Rev. In-spector, Hosur Taluq.
Venkatarama Naidu ...	Ag. do. ...	Attendar Dy. Tahr's Office Denkanicota.
N. Subbier ...	Goomastah ... 15	
M. Kistnasawmi Iyer ...	Do. ... 15	
H. Ramier ...	Do. ... 15	
Jeevannah ...	Shroff ... 15	
Sreerangacharri ...	Dufterbund ... 7	Ag. Ver. Clerk Collr's. Office.
Sama Rao ...	Ag. do. ...	

Uttankarai.

Vacant ...	Tahsildar ... 150	Dy. Tahr. Harur. Ag. Tahr. of Uttankarai. Dy. Tahr. Paramathi. Ag. Dy. Tahr. of Pen-nagaram. 1st L. F. Acett. Collr's. Office.
Chakravarti Vencatacharlu ...	Ag. do. ... 70	
O. Vencatacharlu ...	Dy. Tahsildar, Haroor. 70	
V. Venkatasamy Naidoo ...	Ag. do. ... 60	
K. Seshachella Naidoo...	Sheristadar ... 60	
E. B. Appoo Row ...	Acting do. ...	One month's leave on half pay.
T. D. Sama Row ...	1st C. Rev. Inspr. ... 30	
Syed Ahmed Sahib ...	2nd do. ... 25	
C. Naranier ...	3rd do. ... 20	
C. Subba Row ...	Head Gumastah ... 20	
V. Vencata Row ...	Nagadi Goomastah ... 20	Ag. Attendar Hd. Asst. Collr's. Office.
V. Streenivasa Iyengar...	Goomastah ... 15	
T. Ramachendra Row ...	Do. ... 15	
Venkatasawmi Naidu ...	Do. ... 15	
Aramuga Mudaliar ...	Ag. Do. ... 15	
C. Subba Row ...	Goomastah ... 15	Ag. Attendar Hd. Asst. Collr's. Office.
M. Subramania Iyer ...	Do. ... 15	
P. Narayanasawmi Naidu...	Do. ... 15	
Varadarajulu Chetty ...	Shroff ... 15	
N. P. Subbaramania Iyer...	Dufterbund ... 7	
C. Beema Row ...	Gumastah, Dy. Tahr's Office Harur ... 15	
Ramiah ...	Attender do. ... 7	

JUDICIAL.**District Munsiffs.**

S. Ponnosamy Mudaliar ...	District Munsiff of Dharmapuri ... 250
P. Dorasami Iyer ...	Do. Salem ... 200
E. Muthusamy Iyer ...	Do. Namakal ... 200
C. Srinivasa Sastri ...	Do. Tripatore ... 200
A. David Pillai ...	Do. Hosur ... 200

Court Office.

C. Comaravelu Pillai ...	Court Sheristadar ... 150
I. Vencatasamy Naidu...	Do. Hd. Clerk & Nazir. 100
P. Seetharamiah ...	Do. Translator. ... 75

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
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**Bench Magistrates for the Town of Salem under Section 50-53,
Criminal Procedure Code.**

Cuppusami Naidu.	Iyaloo Naidu.
Sreenivasa Iyengar.	Sreenivasa Chettiar.
Habeeb Sahib.	Mynudin Sahib.
Gopalasami Mudaliar.	

POLICE.

Head Quarter Office.

T. Ranganada Rao	Hd. Qr. Inspector	Rs. 150
W. W. Johnson	Reserve Inspector.	100
C. Soobramaniya Iyer	Audit Inspector	95
C. Theenathayaloo Naidu	Hd. Quarter School	50
A. Moothookrishna Mudaliar	do. Office.	40

Taluq Establishment.

B. Seshagiri Row	2nd Class Inspector of Police Salem Taluq.	150	
W. B. Leonard	Inspector of Police Kristnagiri	200	On one year's furlough.
A. A. Lowe	Inspector of Police Tirupatur	150	
Mahomed Raza Hussain Sahib	Sub-Protom 3rd C. Inspr., Dharmapuri.	100	
K. Sethoo Row	Inspr. of Police, Sankari-droog	100	
W. B. Henderson	Do. Oosoor	130	
T. Venkatasawmi Naidu	Do. Atur	75	
Shaik Abdool Khader Saib	Do. Do.	50	
P. Soobbier	Do. Uttankarai	75	
T. Ramachendrier	Inspr. of Police, Haroor	65	
C. Seshagiri Row	Do. Paramathy	50	
Guffoor Khan Saib	Do. Tiruchengod	50	
Alley Beg Saib	Do. Namakal	50	
M. Pattabeeramier	Do. Pennagaram	50	
Mahomed Cassim Saib	Do. Womalur Div.	35	
Syed Abdul Basit	Sub-Inspr. of P., in School	30	
T. K. Sankaralinga Moodaliar	Do. Rasipur	30	
G. Syed Abdool Lutheef Sahib	Do. Krishnagiri	30	On one month's privilege leave.
V. Meyyu Iyengar	Do. Salem Taluq.	30	

Salem Town.

R. Hayman	Inspector of Police Salem Town	150
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FOREST.

Office Establishment.

B. Kristna Row	Hd. Clerk, Spl. Dy. Conservator's Office.	50
T. Babu Row	2nd Do. do.	30
J. D. Ponnusawmi Pillay	Hd. Clerk Dy. Conservator's Office	45
S. Venkatramanier	2nd Do. do.	25
R. Narayana Row	3rd Do. do.	15

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
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Taluq Establishment.

C. G. Appavoo Pillai	1st Class Forest Ranger Tripatur	Rs. 100	Allowance Rs. 25.
C. N. Lakshumana Row	2nd Class Forest Ranger Atur	80	Allowance Rs. 20.
V. S. Gurunatha Pillai	3rd Class Forest Ranger Salem	60	Allowance Rs. 15.
Mr. O. Neil	3rd Class Forest Ranger Denkinicotta	60	Allowance Rs. 15.
V. Sadasiva Mudali	1st Class Forester Shendamungalam	30	
V. R. Govindasawmi Naidu	Do. do. Pennagaram	30	
Patchamiah Saib	2nd Class Forester Rasipuram	20	
M. Latchumiah Naidu	Do. do. Dharmapuri	20	
S. Mahomed Ally Saib	Do. do. Harur	20	

POSTAL.

J. Bower	Superintendent.	250	
W. G. Wright	Postmaster, Salem	100	30 Rs. Deputation Allowance.
P. Nallathambi Chetty	Inspector	60	

PUBLIC WORKS.

Imperial.

R. Kaliyanaramier	Supervisor 2nd Grade.	150	
S. Ragava Iyengar	Overseer 1st Grade.	100	
V. Subraya Pillai	Do. 2nd Grade.	80	
C. Masilamony Mudali	Do. do.	80	
C. Murugesu Mudali	Do. 3rd Grade.	60	
P. Gnanamoothu Pillai	Accountant	80	Including the Divisional allowance of Rs. 20.
V. Davanayagam Naidu	Head Clerk	50	
V. R. Manikum Mudaliar	2nd Clerk	34	
A. G. Oblisawmy Naidu	3rd Clerk	30	
J. D'Cruz	4th Clerk	25	
V. Govindarajoo Mudali	1st Draftsman	40	
Zahid Khan Saib	2nd Do.	20	

District.

C. Scott	Engineer, Salem Circle.	500	
A. W. Hunter	Do. Hosur Circle	200	On leave without Allowances.
C. Lowry	Ag. do.		
J. E. Rogers	L. F. Overseer, Salem	80	
S. T. Venkatapathy Iyer	Do. Tiruchengod	60	
T. Pragasa Mudali	Do. Atur	60	
P. Thomas Pillay	Do. Namakal	45	
M. Moothoo Naidu	Do. Tirupatur	45	
Thamsoodien Sahib	Do. Uttankarai	45	
T. S. Seshadriacharry	Do. Hosur	60	
K. Govindasawmi Pillai	Do. Kristnagiri	60	
A. C. Murugasa Mudali	Do. Dharmapuri	60	
J. Samuel Pillai	S. C. L. F. Engineer's Hd. Clerk	40	
Rajagopaul Naidu	Do. 2nd Clerk	20	
C. S. Muthuthandavaraya Mudali	Hosur Circle, Engineer's Clerk	20	
A. Ramachendra Razu	Do. 2nd Clerk	12	
Syed Babji, Salem	Sub-Overseer	25	
Chinnasawmy Iyer	Clerk under L. F. Overseer Salem Taluq	15	

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
Coopposamy Iyer	Do. Atur RS. 15	
Sankaram Pillai	Do. Namakal 15	
Soobbu Chetty	Do. Tiruchengod ... 15	
Mathan Singh	Do. Uttankarai ... 15	
Munisawmy Naidoo	Do. Tirupatur ... 15	
Solomon Pillai	Tempy. Sub-Overseer	
	Atur 25	
Isaac	Ghaut Overseer Shervaroy	30
Salem Town.		
Subbarayalu Nayadu	Maramut Maistry ... 25	

MEDICAL.

Provincial.

V. Perumal Naidu	2nd C.H.A. Jail Hospital	35
J. Savriappan	Do. Collector's do.	35
P. Veloo Mudali	Do. Sub-Collr's Estt.	35
C. Appasawmy Pillai	Do. Hd. Asst. do.	35
Vadanayakum Pillai	Civil Hospl. Asst. Police	
	Hospital, Salem ...	25
C. Moothosawmy Mudally	Do. do. ...	25
A. Rajoo Chetty	Do. Jail Hospital ...	25
R. Palaniyandi Pillai	Do. Dy. Collr's Estt.,	
	Namakal	25

District.

S. T. Browne	C. Apothecary Yercaud.	50	Allowance Rs. 25.
G. M. Green	Do. Tirupatur ...	50	Do.
W. J. Dunlop	Do. Atur	50	Do.
B. F. Powell	Do. Hosur	50	Do.
G. W. Leach	Do. Dharmapuri ...	50	Do.
Ennoos Khan	Do. Krishnagiri ...	50	Do.
Narayanasawmy Pillai	1st C. Hospl. Asst. San-		
	karai Drug	60	Do. Rs. 10.
Shaik Tippoo Saib	Do. Namakal	55	Do.
B. Laul Singh	2nd C. Hospital Assist-		
	ant Harur	35	Do.
Komarasawmy Mudali	Do. L. F. Dispensary		
	Uttankarai	25	Allowance Rs. 10.
Samuel Steady	Do. do. Vaniemboddy	25	

Salem Town.

R. N. Manicka Mudaliar	Native Surgeon ...	200	Suspended.
Vittal Viswanada Putinker	Assistant Surgeon ...	100	
T. R. Soobaraya Pillai	Do. Asst. Civil.		
	Dispensary, Salem...	25	

EDUCATION.

Provincial.

J. Small	Head Master, Salem		On Sick Leave.
	College	300	
S. Ramadoss Aiyar	1st Assistant	125	On other duty.
Y. Amritanayagam Pillai	Dy. Inspector of Schools,		
	Salem Circle	100	
Veeraragava Iyengar	Do. Hosur Circle ...	100	
T. V. Subrahma Aiyar	Ag. 1st Asst. Salem College	95	
A. Subba Rao	2nd Do.	90	

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
T. V. Subrama Aiyar	3rd Asst. Salem College.	70 On other duty.
N. Venkoba Rao	Ag. Do.	64 Sub-protem.
N. Venkoba Rao	4th Do.	64 On other duty.
D. A. Hobday	Ag. Do.	60 Sub-protem.
C. Elaiyatambi Pillai	5th Do.	50 On Sick Leave.
S. T. Kallapiran Pillai	Ag. 5th Do.	40
S. T. Kallapiran Pillai	6th Do.	40 On other duty.
R. Koneti Aiyar	Ag. Do.	40 Sub-protem.
P. Thambachi Pillai	7th Do.	40
T. V. Appanna Aiyangar	8th Do.	30
A. K. Amirtham Pillai	9th Do.	20
P. Bhujunga Rao	Writing Master, Clerk & Librarian	20

District.

T. Ramalinga Pillai	Adl. Dy. Inspector of Schools	70
B. Moonesamy Mudaly	Inspecting School Master	
	Dharmapury Range..	35
Rangasamy Iyengar	Hd. Master L. F. Normal	
	School, Salem ...	30
Kesaviah	Hd. Master, L. F. School	
	Sankeridroog ...	26
Soobba Row	Do. Womalore ...	25
Coopposamy Iyer	Inspecting School Master,	
	Salem Taluq	25
Aravamutha Iyengar	Do. do. Namakal ...	25
Krishna Row	Do. do. Tiruchengod..	25
Varada Charri	Do. do. Tirupatur ...	25
S. P. Ramakrishna Aiyar	Do. do. Dharmapury..	25
Veeraraghava Iyer	Do. do. Uttankarai ...	20
Gopala Iyengar	Do. do. Atur	20
Moothosami Pillai	Asst. Teacher, L. F. Nor-	
	mal School, Salem...	20
Y. Arthanari Iyer	Do. L. F. School San-	
	keridroog	20
V. Subramania Iyer	Ag. do. (Sub-pro-tem.)	
Vijendra Row	Do. do. Womalore ...	20
Soobramania Iyer	Asst. Master L. F. School	
	Sankeridroog	15
E. Naganadha Iyer	Ag. do. (Sub-pro-tem.)	
Soobbaraya Iyer	Do. do. Womalore ...	15

Salem Town.

V. Raghunatha Aiyer	Hd. Master, Salem Town		
	School	40	
R. Singam Iyengar	Assistant Master ...	20	Ag. Asst. Master Govt.
S. Rama Row	Ag. do. (sub-pro-tem)		Middle School, Na-
A. Doraisawmy Pillai	Hd. Master Shevapett		makal.
	Town School	30	
R. Kandoo Row	Assistant master ...	20	
G. Benjamin Pillai	Assistant Master ...	15	
Goolam Hoossain Sahib	Head Master Mahomedan		
	School	20	
Sultan Hamed Sahib	2nd Do.	15	

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
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VACCINATION.

District.		RS.
B. Ramasawmy Naidu	1st Class Dy. Inspector Salem Circle	60
T. M. Veerappa Pillai	2nd Class Dy. Inspector Oosoor Circle	40
Gnanamoothoo	1st Class Vaccinator Salem Taluq	18
T. Ramasawmy	Do. Atur do	15
M. Ramasawmy	Do. Tiruchengod do	15
Lakshmithevi	Do. Tirupatur	15
Arumooгам Pillai	Do. Namakal do	15
V. Narasimulu Naidoo	Do. Uttankarai do	15
Seshachellam	Do. Hosur do	15
Khader Mohideen	Do. Krishnagiri do	15
Venugopaul	Do. Dharmapury do	15
Theroovengadam Pillai	2nd C. Vacc. Razipur.	10
Rayappen	Do. Mecheri	10
Narayanasawmy	Do. Womalore	10
A. David Pillay	Do. Koratti	10
Velayutham Chetty	Do. Vaniyambadi	10
Savoorinayagam	Do. Tiruchengod	10
Canniah	Do. Yedapady	10
S. Ramasawmy	Do. Ailoor	10
Veerasawmy	Do. Thedavoor	10
Krishnama Naidoo	Do. Atur	10
Parthasarathi Mudaly	Do. Morapoor	10
Soundria Naidoo	Do. Haroor	10
Sooria Pillai	Do. Paramathi	10
Veeraragavalu Naidoo	Do. Mahadevi	10
Shaik Atham	Do. Hosur	10
Shaik Mamuthoo	Do. Do.	10
Byroji Row	Do. Krishnagiri	10
Sami Muthoo	Do. Do.	10
Narayanasamy	Do. Dharmapury	10

Salem Town.

Velu Pillai	Town Vaccinator	10	Rising to 15 Rs.
Syed Peer Bacha	Do. do.	10	
Akkammal	Female do.	7	

JAIL.

J. Perkins	Jailor	105	
S. Wheeler	Deputy Jailor	50	
T. C. Oandauchee Pillai	Head Clerk	45	
G. K. Goroonaatha Iyen	2nd do.	25	Under suspension.
A. Vurtharajaloo Naidu.	Ag. do.		
I. V. Koteh	Matron	35	
R. Bruce	Chief Warder	20	
T. Muthusawmy Pillai	Storekeeper	30	
V. Ponnusawmy Pillay	Manufactory Clerk	25	Under suspension.

Name.	Appointment & Salary.	Remarks.
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REGISTRATION OF ASSURANCES.

C. Sambasiva Iyer	District Registrar	200	Ag. Regr. of Madura.
S. Strinivasa Iyer	Ag. Do.		
R. Sundaresa Mudeliar, B. A.	Sub-Registrar, Namakal	50	
T. Sundara Row, B. A.	Do. Paramathy	30	
K. Ramaswami Aiyar	Do. Rasipur	40	
C. G. Vencatanarasappiah	Do. Dharmapury	40	
S. Ekambara Iyer, B. A.	Do. Krishnagiri	35	
B. C. Sundara Sastri, B. A.	Do. Tirupatur	40	
T. Tholasinga Mudeliar	Do. Vaniyambadi	30	
Mahomed Azizudin Hussain Sahib	Do. Atur	25	
T. Ramaswami Kottadiyar	Do. Tiruchengod	25	
K. Sankaraiyer, B. A.	Do. Hosur	25	

SANITATION.

Salem Town.

Mahomed Ghouse Saib	Sanitary Inspector	40
S. H. Cashmere	Do.	40
L. Cashmere	Assistant do	20
W. R. Ringrose	Do do	20
Malaya Pillai	Birth & Death Registrar	
	1st District	17½
Esakhan Sahib	Do. 2nd do.	17½

Enclosure No. 2

to Letter

No. 252 of 1883
General.

Nominal List of
Officials serving in
the Salem District
on 6th December 1882.

Recd. 25/10/83

at judicial trial - nothing further is needed -

Well, as to the Sainikandan, we have his own evidence at the trial, & what Wigram says of it - We have also the Police report that he is believed to be corrupt - This is enough - he is to be dismissed -

As to the Tahildar - we have his evidence before me, & Stokes's condemnation of him - Enough for his dismissal -

There remains the D. Tahildar on the main case - He is not only degraded him; but surely he is only a trifling offence - however, I will degrade him, as the Gov. proposes -

D. 5/2/83.

P.S. As to the Def. Collis note to the Collector in red ink - Tell Muslem he will of course get the Def. to make to the bottom the alleged misconduct of the officials mentioned. What a sort of corruption Salem seems to be -

I quite agree - W. Muslem is lucky to have one such trustworthy official as Adak Sainikandan Rao

W

7/2

Judicial (1883) Dept.
(Salem Dist.)

From the Collector

and District Magistrate,

Salem.

To

The Chief Secretary to
Government
Judicial Department

Dated 26th January 1883

No. 252 295
General

SUBJECT.

REG. NO. 295
Regarding Revenue
Officials in connection
with Salem Dist.

1st As to men dismissed by Muslem, we need not go into that - unless - until they complain -

2nd As to the Head Sainikandan, Tahildar & Def. Tahildar, whom he reserves for Gov. to decide about - I write that the Resolution - vide G.O. 15th Sept/79, in the bundle -

9th of Dec. provides that when facts or inferences as to public servants are clear

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

No. 295

From Collector
Salem

26 January 83

FOR ORDERS.

It may be mentioned with reference to this paper that Dr. Hackme endeavoured without success to obtain from Mr. Stokes, the confirmed Collector of the District, an opinion upon the views which Dr. H. had formed regarding the Revenue officials in Salem. vide D.O. No. 17 A 4/11/83.

The notes about
the Salem Revenue
Officials some
time since sub-
mitted by Dr. Mac-
lean are in
circulation with
other D. O. Salem
Papers.

Dr. Maclean
has also sent me
a bearing on the
subject & note wh^{ch}
he has received
from A. Sudar-
na Rao, his General
duty Deputy
Collector, an officer
who bears a very
high character!

Q/LC
12/9/1

Salem Riots

FOR ORDERS.

Hon D. F. (C. C. V. C.)

See notes enclosed
on Maclean's letter

By 57/3

Office of the Collector and Magistrate,

Salem,

27th January 1883.

My dear Sir,
I have submitted to
the Board of Revenue some copy of
my letter to Government no. 252
regarding Revenue Officers, which
procedures I hope may be
approved.

With reference to P. O.
of 15th September, 1879. no. 1401.
Public, it has seemed to me that
no written statements were
necessary from the Officers, under
the special circumstances of the
case & with a view to para
2, second sentence of the P. of
India Resolution. I think a

9th. any occasionally &
an act of state, a purely
this is a very small one.
your very sincerely
Charles M. Nelson

the only one of the
kind in the world
is a very small one
and is very small
and is very small

Dr Maclean
Dec 29. 1883

Ind. Print

About officials

Circulate in
Continuation

Yours
29/11

Chief Secretariat
Madras. 10th Feby 1883.

My dear Maclean,

In returning A. Sudar-
sana Rao's letter to
you of the 22nd ultimo
which reached me with
your confidential N^o 252
dated 26th idem, I am
to say that the Govt.
expect of course that
you will get your Deputy
to probe to the bottom
the alleged misconduct
of the officials mentioned.
You are fortunate in
having so trustworthy
an official in this nest
of corruption!

Yrs very sincerely
Sd/- C. G. Master

C.D. Maclean Esq^r } Despd
Coll^r of Salem } 10/2/83
with Encls. att^d.

Confidential

Judicial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following

^{Collyer}
From the ^{Ag.} District Magistrate, Salem,
dated 26 January 1883, N. 252.

Order. 18th Feby 1883, N. 353.

The cases on which
the collector now seeks
the orders of Government
are stated in paragraphs
7, 8, 9 & 10 of the letter
read above.

2. A.E. the Governor in
Council notes that the

G.O. 15th Sept 1879, N. 1401 Public. Resolution of the Govt.
of India on the subject
of the removal of Public
servants provides that

when

when facts or inferences
against such persons
are elicited at a judicial
trial nothing further
is needed.

3. Against the
Sarichtadar A. Venkata
Subba Rao there is his
own evidence at the trial
and the comments thereon
by the Additional
Sessions Judge. There is
also the Collector's report
as to his being corrupt.
This is sufficient to
warrant his dismissal
and the Govt. direct
that he be dismissed
accordingly from the
public service.

4. The case against
the Tahsildar of Salem
P. Viraraghava Mudaliar,
is

is based upon his
evidence before the
Special Magistrate
and his condemnation
by the late Collector
Mr. Stokes. There is quite
enough to shew that
he is unfit to be retained
in Government employ
and he will be also
dismissed the service.

5. There remains the
case of C. Manikam
Mudaliar, late Deputy
Tahsildar & Sub Magte
of Salem. Though he
would appear to be
only a trifle less
blameworthy than the
other two, the Government
accept the Collector's
proposal and he
will be degraded

accordingly
(From orders)

Qut

Salem Officials

To
The Collector of Salem
Board of Revenue
Revenue Deptt.
Acett Grant order only

Recd
17/2/83

Secy of State 23/2/83
Indy of India 23/2/83

[Despatch]

READ AGAIN Order of Government, dated
188 , No. Miscellaneous.

ENCLOSURES.

CURRENT No.

295. a

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

ORDER, &c. OF GOVERNMENT—A.

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Letter
Collection

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[Despatch Abstract.]

*Salem Riots. Denoting the
humiliation & degradation of certain
upper subordinates in the Revenue
Dept of the Collector's office
for complicity in the riots.*