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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
3rd August 1874.*

Read the following papers :—

No. 53. From Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. FISCHER, R.E., District Engineer, Godavery, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Dowlaishweram, 23rd May 1874, No. 588.

I HAVE the honor to forward, for submission to the Government, the traffic Return up and down the river for the month of April last; at the same time I beg to annex an abstract for the three months for which these have been maintained, showing the total value of the trade in this period to have amounted to Rupees 1,24,010. As the whole value of the trade at Dumagudiem for the year 1873 amounted to only Rupees 2,15,779, it is quite clear from the returns now submitted that I was correct in reporting to Government that a very much larger trade existed on the river than the Dumagudiem returns showed.

No. 54. From Major J. BEATTY, R.E., District Engineer, Godavery, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R.E., Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Dowlaishweram, 2nd July 1874, No. 1,033.

IN herewith resubmitting, duly corrected, the register of traffic in the Godavery river maintained at Polaveram, returned with your memorandum, No. 404, dated 8th ultimo, I have the honor to inform you that, by a clerical error, instead of entering the value of the 4,000 green plantains, viz., Rupees 16, in the "value" column, it was erroneously entered in the "quantity" column, and the number of boats conveying castor-oil seeds, etc., to Tallapudy, viz., two, was omitted.

2. The calculation in your office of tonnage for grain and other articles both up and down does not agree with what is made out in this office. The correct figures appear to be as now entered, and the particulars of how they have been arrived at are as follow :—

Up.				Down.			
			PTS. MDS.				PTS. MDS.
Rice	...	...	22 0	Castor-oil seed	...	...	23 5
Rice	...	...	1 0	Hemp seed	...	...	2 0
Rice	...	...	27 10	Gingely „	...	...	26 10
Rice	...	...	2 5	Green gram	...	...	6 10
Rice	...	...	0 10	Black „	...	...	1 10
Cholum	...	...	7 0	Wheat	...	...	1 0
Rice	...	...	2 0	Red gram	...	...	0 5
Rice	...	...	2 0	Horse „	...	...	0 11
			62 5	Bengal „	...	...	5 5
or lbs. 31,125 = nearly tons 14				Castor-oil seed	...	...	0 10
				Bengal gram	...	...	0 5
				Castor-oil seed	...	...	0 5
				Green gram	...	...	0 5
				Cow „	...	...	0 5
							68 6
				or lbs. 34,150 = tons 15			

The rest of the cargo has been brought under the head "Other Articles."

3. I take this opportunity of inquiring whether you desire to have these registers submitted monthly; in which case I solicit the sanction of Government to my entertaining a Traffic Gumasta on Rupees 15 per mensem.

Register of Traffic in the Godavery River maintained at Polaram during the Month of April 1874.

No. of Boats, etc.	UP.			To what place.	No. of Boats.	DOWN.		
	Name.	Quantity.	Value.			Name.	Quantity.	Value.
15	Rice	POTTIES MDS.	RS. A. P.	Dumagudim.	1	Passengers, No. 50	POTTIES MDS.	RS. A. P.
	Fish	22 0	1,100 0 0			Bamboowalking		25 0 0
	Salt	1 0	20 0 0			sticke.	12 0	120 0 0
	Pots	8 0	400 0 0			Cowdy do.	9 0	45 0 0
	Jaggery	0 6	150 0 0			Firewood	6 0	3 0 0
3	Passengers, No. 5	0 8	4 0 0	Vuddegudem and Kondamodal.	3	Bamboowalking	9 0	37 8 0
	Onions	1 0	50 0 0			Gall nuts	447 3	17,886 0 0
	Rice	0 1	17 8 0			Iron	32 3	632 0 0
	Tobacco	0 5	10 0 0			Passengers, No. 1383		727 8 0
	Pots	0 6	1,370 0 0			Castor-oil seed	23 5	1,162 8 0
21	Rice	27 10	4 0 0	Budrachellum and Tikurru.	148	Hemp seed	2 0	80 0 0
	Fish	0 4	10 0 0			Tamarind	59 4	569 0 0
	Pots	0 3	210 0 0			Hemp	2 14	54 0 0
	Cloth	0 6	3 0 0			Gingely-oil seed	26 10	1,855 0 0
	Cocoanuts, No. 260		16 0 0			Firewood	246 0	123 0 0
16	Plantains, green 4000	9 10	237 8 0	Vuddegudem Kondamodal and Motee.	3	Deers' horns	5 14	240 0 0
	Jaggery	11 0	550 0 0			Ilides	1 0	16 0 0
	Salt		28 0 0			Bamboos	0 10	8 0 0
	Passengers, No. 21	2 5	12 8 0			Green gram	6 10	260 8 0
	Rice	0 4	5 0 0			Black "	1 10	75 0 0
16	Jaggery	0 10	2 0 0	Vuddegudem Kondamodal and Motee.	3	Wheat	1 0	80 0 0
	Sweet Potatoes	0 10	5 0 0			Soap nuts	2 0	100 0 0
	Fish	0 5	19 12 0			Red gram	0 5	10 0 0
	One cask of Arrack	0 14	4 0 0			Sundry articles	0 12	20 12 0
	Pots	0 4	12 8 0			Horse gram	0 11	11 0 0
16	Cholum	7 0	350 0 0	Vuddegudem Kondamodal and Motee.	3	Bengal "	5 5	262 8 0
	Rice	3 0	75 0 0			Tamarind	9 11	77 8 0
	Jaggery	0 10	25 0 0			Soap nuts	0 15	150 0 0
	Salt	0 10	25 0 0			Castor-oil seed	0 10	25 0 0
						Bengal gram	0 5	12 8 0

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No. of Boats, etc.	UP.			To what place.	No. of Boats.	DOWN.		
	Name.	Quantity.	Value.			Name.	Quantity.	Value.
14	Cloth	0 8	100 0 0	Vaddigudem.	2	Castor-oil seed	0 5	12 8 0
	Spices	0 2	20 0 0			Green gram	0 5	10 0 0
	Pots	0 10	5 0 0			Cow "	0 5	5 0 0
	Two packages of Brandy.	0 2	2,000 0 0					
	Cloth	2 0	5,000 0 0					
3	Rice	2 0	100 0 0	Motee.	157			
	Jaggery	2 0	100 0 0					
	Dry Brinjals	1 0	25 0 0					
		1 0	30 0 0					
73	Total...	109 10 1/2	11,988 4 0	Total...	157	Total...	911 12	24,695 12 0
	Grain	Tons 14				Grain	Tons 15	
	Other articles	" 10				Other articles	" 188	
	Total...	Tons 24	11,988 4 0			Total...	Tons 203	24,695 12 0

DOWLAISHWARAN,
23rd May 1874.

(Signed) J. F. FISCHER, Lieut.-Colonel, R.E.,
District Engineer, Godavery.

ABSTRACT.

	Up.	Down.
February...	Ra. 12,196	8,884
March ...	" 41,505	23,825
April ...	" 11,988	24,696
	65,689	57,405
Total Rs.	1,23,094	

No. 548

From.

Nieft Coll. J. Fischer Esq.

District Engineer

Godavery District

To.

Col. G. W. Walker Esq.

Secretary to Government D. P. W.

MADRAS

SIR,

I have the honor to forward for submission to the Government the Traffic Return up and down the river for the month of April last. at the same time I beg to annex an abstract for the 3 months for which these have been maintained showing the total value of the trade in this period to have amounted to Rupees 123,579; as the whole value of the trade at Doornagudem for the year 1873 amounted to only Rupees 2,15,779 it is quite clear from the returns now submitted that I was correct in reporting to Government that a very much larger trade existed on the river than the Doornagudem returns showed.

I have the honor to be
Yours Most Obedt Servant

Nieft Coll. J. Fischer Esq.
District Engineer Godavery

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3rd August 1874.

No. 55. ORDER THEREON, 1st August 1874, No. 2,122.

IRRIGATION, No. 4.

ORDERED that the returns of traffic now submitted be recorded in continuation of those printed with G. O., No. 1,341, dated 20th May 1874.

2. It is observed that these returns were not called for by Government, and His Excellency the Governor in Council is not prepared to sanction the entertainment of a Gumasta for their preparation. If no longer considered necessary, they may be discontinued.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,

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The District Engineer,
Coastway District.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Department Public Works
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NO. 588

Encl. 1
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Subject.

Forwarded by Mr. (Victor)
and down the Government
Office for the month of March
1871 with the same as before

Chief Justice
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Ordered to be recorded in continuation
of the returns furnished with P.O. 1391
dated 20 May 1871.
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Register of traffic in the Godavari River maintained at Polavaram during the Month of April 1874.

Months	Up				To what place	Down						
	No of boats	Cargo	Name	quantity			No of boats	Cargo	Value			
				Rs		P			D		Rs	P
15		Rice	22	1100		1	Passengers	No - 50	25		Coovoor	
		Fish	1	20			Ramchokal kigg	1	120			
		Salt	8	100			Shells		45			
		Pots	6	10		3	Firewood	6	3		Vanapilly	
		Jaggery	6	150			Dumboo for					
		Passengers	8	2	8		Ladder	9	27			
		Onions	8	1			Gall Nuts	447	17886			
		Rice	1	50			Iron	32	622			
3		Fish	1	5			Passengers	No - 253	727			
		Palaces	8	17	8		Cashew seeds	23	1162			
		Pots	6	10			Gump seeds	2	80			
		Rice	27	10	1370		Tomarind	89	4	369		
		Fish	1	4			Acrop	2	14	54		
		Pots	3	10			Gingely seeds	26	10	1855		
		Chol	6	210			Firewood	246	122			
21		Coconuts	No - 200	3			Deers horns	5	14	240		
		Plantain	4000	26	16		Sticks	1	16			
		Jaggery	9	10	237		Bamboos	10	8			
		Salt	11	550			Green gram	6	10	260		
		Passengers	21	28			Black gram	1	10	78		
		Rice	2	5	12		Wheat	1	80			
16		Jaggery	4	5			Loaf Nuts	2	100			
		Sweet Potatoes	10	2			Red gram	5	10			
		Fish	5	5			Sundry articles	12	20	12		

Register of traffic in the Godavari River maintained at Polavaram during the Month of April 1874

Up

Down

Cargo

Cargo

Month No. of boats per Name quantity Value Rs. A. P.

No. of boats To what place

Name quantity Value Rs. A. P.

Abstract

Up - Down

February 12,196 - 8884
March 41,505 - 23,825
April 11,972 - 24,696
Total 65,673 57,405

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M. R. C.

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District Engineer's Office, Gody
Dowlaisheram 2^d July 1874
No. 1033

From

Major J. Beatty R.E.
District Engineer
Godavery,

To

Colonel G. W. Walker R.E.
Chief Engineer P.W.D.,
Madras.

Sir,

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The calculation in your Office

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(Enclosed in a letter)
No. 588 dated 23rd May 1874
From the District Engineer
Godavery to the Secretary
to Government P.W.D.
Madras.
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Up	Down
Pullies Nos.	Pullies Nos.
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Do 1 0	Hemp seed 2 0
Do 27 10	Gingely seed 26 10
Do 2 5	Green gram 6 10
Cholam 0 10	Black gram 1 10
Rice 7 0	Wheat 1 0
Do 2 0	Red gram 0 5
62 5	Horse gram 0 11
Rs 31.12.5 =	Bengal gram 5 5
Nearly Tons 14	Castor oil seed 0 10
	Bengal gram 0 5
	Castor oil seed 0 5
	Green gram 0 5
	Cow gram 0 5
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	34.15.0 =
	Tons 15

The rest of the Cargo has been brought under the head "Other articles".
 I take this opportunity of enquiring whether you desire to have these Registers submitted monthly; in which case I solicit the sanction of Government to my entertaining a Traffic Puntah on Rupees 15 per month.

I have the honor to be

Sir,
 Your Most Obedt Servt

J. Peatty, Major Rtg
 District Engineer Cooy

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 and His Excellency the
 Governor in Council

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 The District Engineer
 Godavery

The Chief Engineer
 Public Works Dept
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 Dated 23 July 1874
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 Register of Traffic in
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 G. O. No. 2122-3-8-74

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The Dist. Engr.
Good morning

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Trappie. Ordered that the
Returns of Trappie in the
Pottery River be re-
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J. Sumachik for the pre-
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of the returns ordered, if
considered unnecessary.