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No. 127. *Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department; dated 20th November* 1882, *No.* 3858.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue; dated 6th November1882 No. 2691.

Read the following letter from H. SEWELL, Esq., Collector of Trichinopoly, to the Commanding Officer, Trichinopoly, dated 19th October 1882, No. 3570, and endorsement by Collector, dated 28th October 1882, No. 3675 :—

With reference to your letter, No. 215, dated 26th September last, I have the honor to forward, herewith, the Trichinopoly Tahsildar's Arzi, No. 5889, dated 13th instant, in original (to be returned), from which it will be observed that 163·49 acres of land, as specified in the margin, fall within the line of fire. Of this extent, acres 58·48 in the Abhishekapuram village are occupied by a tank for which the villagers claim no compensation ; for the remaining 105·01 acres the Tahsildar has settled Rs. 3,770-1-0 as compensation.

Villages.	Extent. Acres.
Abhishekapuram	142·52
Edamalaippatti	20·97
	163·49

2. The ryots of Abhishekapuram village are willing to take 8·25 acres of land now in the enjoyment of the Military Department in lieu of wet lands to be taken up for the rifle range.

	Wet Land Acres.
In Company's Garden	6
In Battavarthi Nanjai	2·25
	8·25

Lying close to the old Artillery barracks now occupied by the 30th Regiment, Native Infantry.

3. I have therefore the honor to request you will be good enough to let me know whether there is any objection to hand over the said wet lands. This course will, I think, greatly reduce the amount of compensation which has to be paid.

Endorsement, No. 3675.

Submitted to the Board of Revenue with reference to their Proceedings, No. 1675, dated 29th June last.

2. A further report will be submitted on receipt of the Commanding Officer's reply.

Resolution,—The Board await the report promised in paragraph 2 of the Collector's endorsement.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) E. GIBSON,
Acting Secretary.

Order,—Communicated to the Military Department, with reference to that Department G.O., dated 31st May 1882, No. 2580.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. REES,
Ag. Under Secy. to Govt.

No. 128. No. 6392.

Copy furnished for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

(By Order.)

FORT ST. GEORGE,
27*th November* 1882.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Quartermaster-General.

No. 129. *Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department; dated 29th January* 1883, *No.* 375.

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 12th January 1883, Miscellaneous No. 254, on letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly to the Officer Commanding Trichinopoly, dated 6th December 1882, No. 4296, and endorsement thereon by the Collector of Trichinopoly, dated 14th December 1882, No. 4437.

With reference to your letters of the 31st October and 10th November last, Nos. 234 and 238 respectively, I have the honor to inform you that the total area of the ground required for the newly marked rifle range is 163 acres and 49 cents. as detailed in the margin. Of this, 58 acres and 48 cents. form the bed of the tank, and, as the tank is not to be interfered with, no compensation need be paid for the whole of that extent. Of the rest, *i.e.*, 105 acres and 1 cent, 94 acres and 53 cents are dry land, and 10 acres and 48 cents wet. Of the above extent of dry lands, 73 acres and 53 cents are situated in the Abhishekapuram village and 20 acres and 97 cents in Edamalaippatti. Compensation for lands in the former village has been settled at Rs. 15-10-0 an acre, while that for those in the latter village, which are superior class lands, has been concluded at Rs. 25 an acre.

	Acres. Cents.
In the village of Abhishekapuram, 10th class dry lands assessed at 4 annas an acre	73 56
Dry lands of the above description, but converted by the ryots into wet, at their own expense, by forming a tank in their own lands	10 48
Dry lands of the above description which form the tank bed	58 48
	142 52
In the village of Edamalaippatti, 7th class dry lands assessed at 10 annas an acre	20 97
	163 49

2. As regards the wet lands in Abhishekapuram, the compensation settled by the permanent Tahsildar was Rs. 200 an acre. As I considered this rate rather high, I directed the present Acting Tahsildar, who is better acquainted with the taluk than the permanent incumbent, to inspect these lands and ascertain their real value, and also to value the Government garden lands near the old Artillery barracks. He held a thorough inquiry, and has reported that the wet lands in Abhishekapuram, according to the recent sales, are worth only Rs. 150 an acre. The ryots, however, demand Rs. 160 an acre.

3. Thus the total value of the whole extent required for the rifle range amounts to Rs. 3,245-10-0, *i.e.*, Rs. 524-7-0 less than what the permanent Tahsildar proposed. I think the price is fair.

	Rs.	A.	P.
Acres 73·56, at Rs. 15-10-0 an acre	1,149	6	0
Acres 20·97, at Rs. 25-0-0 an acre	524	4	0
Wet land Acres 10·48, at Rs. 150 per acre	1,572	0	0
	3,245	10	0

4. As regards the Government garden lands near the old barracks, the Tahsildar thinks that they would fetch Rs. 250 an acre if sold by public auction. The ryots of Abhishekapuram do not agree to take them at that rate, but wish to have them in exchange for their wet lands to be taken up, acre per acre, which, of course, is unreasonable. The sale of those lands is a matter to be dealt with separately. If your department decide to part with them (8 acres and 25 cents), they might probably realize about Rs. 2,062-8-0 or so.

5. If you agree to the purchase of the lands as above shown, I shall instruct the Tahsildar to make over the lands formally to any officer you may depute on that account.

Endorsement, No. 4437.

Submitted to the Board of Revenue, in continuation of this office endorsement, No. 3675, dated 28th October last, and with reference to the Proceedings of the Board, No. 2691, dated 6th November 1882.

Resolution,—Submitted for the information of Government with reference to their Order, dated 23rd June 1882, No. 2006.

Order,—Communicated to the Military Department, in continuation of No. 3858, dated 20th November 1882.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) P. P. HUTCHINS,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

No. 130. No. 750.

Copy furnished for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, in continuation of Military Department No. 6392, dated 27th November 1882.

(By Order.)

FORT ST. GEORGE,
5*th February* 1883.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Quartermaster-General.

No. 131. *Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department; dated 8th February* 1883, *No.* 553.

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd January 1883, Miscellaneous No. 596, on letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly, dated 8th January 1883, No. 23.

Adverting to Board's memorandum, dated the 12th ultimo, I have the honor to state that the further report promised in my letter, No. 3675, of the 28th October last, was submitted to the Board of Revenue on the 14th ultimo, with this office endorsement, No. 4437, on letter, No. 4296, dated 6th ultimo, to the Officer Commanding Trichinopoly. The Military authorities wished to keep the matter for the consideration of the General Commanding Bangalore Division, who has just been here. I am awaiting further communication from them.

Resolution,—Submitted for the information of Government, in continuation of the Board's Proceedings, dated 12th January 1883, Miscellaneous No. 254.

Order,—Communicated to the Military Department, in continuation of No. 375, dated 29th January 1883.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) P. P. HUTCHINS,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

No. 132. No. 995.

Copy furnished for the information of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, in continuation of this department No. 750, dated 5th February 1883.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
14*th February* 1883.

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Quartermaster-General.

No. 133. *From Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. STEWART, Officiating Quartermaster-General, to Colonel E. L. HANKIN, Acting Secretary to Government, Military Department; dated Fort St. George,* 17*th February* 1883, *No.* 1433.

With reference to the Orders of Government as per margin, I have the honor, by order, to state that the Officer Commanding at Trichinopoly has been informed that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief approves the proposals made in regard to acquisition of the land required for rifle ranges.

No. 6392, dated 27th November 1882.
„ 750, „ 5th February 1883.
„ 995, „ 14th „ „

No. 134. *Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Revenue Department; dated* 2*nd April* 1883, *No.* 1376.

Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 28th March 1883, Miscellaneous No. 2630, on letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly, dated 16th March 1883, No. 952.

Adverting to Board's Proceedings, dated 12th January last, No. 254, submitting to Government, with reference to their Order, dated the 23rd June 1882, my endorsement on my letter to the Officer Commanding Trichinopoly as regards the settlement of compensation for lands marked for the rifle range, I have the honor to request that I may be informed whether Government has sanctioned the amount.

2. The Officer Commanding Trichinopoly has again written to me on the subject. He has informed me that His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief has approved of the arrangement and he is anxious to get possession of the lands as soon as possible, but I cannot hand them over till compensation is paid, and I cannot of course pay the compensation without sanction of Government.

Resolution,—Submitted to Government, no orders having been received on the subject of the compensation to be paid, which amounts to Rs. 3,245-10-0. (Para. 4 of Collector's letter embodied in Board's Proceedings, dated 12th January 1883, Miscellaneous No. 254.)

Order,—Communicated to the Military Department, in continuation of No. 553, dated 8th February 1883.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) M. HAMMICK,
For *Secretary to Government.*

No. 135. ORDER THEREON, 13th April 1883, No. 2150.

The payment of Rs. (3,245-10-0) three thousand two hundred and forty-five and annas ten, for lands appropriated for the new rifle range at Trichinopoly, is sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. L. HANKIN, Colonel,
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