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Political diary of the Resi-  
dency of Travancore from  
Monday the 5<sup>th</sup> to Sunday  
the 11<sup>th</sup> of January 1857. In  
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# Political Diary of the Residency of Travancore from Monday the 3<sup>rd</sup> to Sunday the 11<sup>th</sup> of January 1857 Inclusive.

| English Department                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | English Department                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |  |
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| Letters Received                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Letters Received continued                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |  |
| 1857.                                                                                                                                 | 1857                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |
| Jan. 5 <sup>th</sup>                                                                                                                  | Jan. 5 <sup>th</sup>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |
| From the Officer Commanding Nair Brigade No: 151 dated 25 <sup>th</sup> ultimo Forwards 4 Savings Bank Books for Registry of Deposits | From the Collector of Tanore N <sup>o</sup> 1626 dated ulto. Forwards copy of a letter from Capt. Roberts of the Engineers pointing out that the lately revised Boundary of the Muncottah District does not exactly correspond with the original sketch Map of the Resident's Office and requesting explanation. | From the Individuals returned from the Six Islands &c                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  |
| "                                                                                                                                     | "                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | From the Deputy Paymaster Cannanore dated 24 <sup>th</sup> ulto. Forwards a Government Letter of credit.                                                                                                                                                                                          |  |
| "                                                                                                                                     | "                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | From the Acting Magistrate of Malabar N <sup>o</sup> 4219 dated 21 <sup>st</sup> ulto. Forwards a Bill for Rs. 100 to be paid as reward to the party who apprehended and delivered a Murderer.                                                                                                    |  |
| "                                                                                                                                     | "                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | From the Collector of Coimbatore N <sup>o</sup> 554 dated 31 <sup>st</sup> ulto. Adverts to previous correspondence on the subject of Sirkar Tobacco Godown and begs that the Tobacco now in store may be removed.                                                                                |  |
| "                                                                                                                                     | "                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | From the Officer Commanding Nair Brigade N <sup>o</sup> 1. dated 1 <sup>st</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup> . Forwards for transmission to Army Head Quarters Returns of the Brigade for December 1856.                                                                                                      |  |
| 6 <sup>th</sup>                                                                                                                       | 6 <sup>th</sup>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | From the Joint Magistrate Cochin N <sup>o</sup> 4. dated 3 <sup>rd</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup> . States with reference to the Resident's communication N <sup>o</sup> 2. of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> inst. Proclamation forward letter of the 1 <sup>st</sup> Idem a information he is able to collect about |  |

| English Department                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | English Department                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |
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| Letters Received continued                                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | Letters Issued continued                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |  |
| 1857.                                                                                                                     | 1857.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  |
| Jan. 9 <sup>th</sup>                                                                                                      | Jan. 6 <sup>th</sup>                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  |
| From the Deputy Secretary to Government Fort St. George dated 18 <sup>th</sup> ultimo Forwards 7. Petitions for delivery. | From the Comm <sup>rs</sup> Agent Alleppey N <sup>o</sup> 4. dated 8 <sup>th</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup> . Forwards copy of a letter to the Joint Magistrate of Cochin forwarding a man and a woman who landed from the Schooner "Hep" Auguste | To the Civil Judge Coimbatore and Acting Civil Judge Pollilney N <sup>o</sup> 56 & 57 Returns in Muncottah cases duly obtained.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  |
| "                                                                                                                         | "                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | To the Comm <sup>rs</sup> Agent and Chief Assistant of Police Alleppey N <sup>o</sup> 39 Annexes copy of a letter from the Joint Magistrate Cochin in reference to his letter N <sup>o</sup> 76 of 29 <sup>th</sup> ulto.                                                                                                                                                |  |
| 10 <sup>th</sup>                                                                                                          | 10 <sup>th</sup>                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | To the Deputy Commissioner of the Panchab Transala N <sup>o</sup> 44 Forwards life certificate of Manappa Nuth Chokier.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |  |
|                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | To the Joint Magistrate Cochin N <sup>o</sup> 45 that the Dewan of Travancore has ordered the apprehension and delivery of the person named by him.                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |  |
|                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | To the Civil Judge Tanore N <sup>o</sup> 46-47. Returns two notices and returns the former duly served.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |  |
|                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | To the Comm <sup>rs</sup> Agent N <sup>o</sup> 48. Forwards a summons to be served and returned                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  |
|                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | To the Account General. Reports of the Balance of Cash on the 31 <sup>st</sup> December 1856.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |  |
|                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | To the Chief Secretary to Government Fort St. George N <sup>o</sup> 2. That no unaccounted servants have been dismissed during the half year ending 31 <sup>st</sup> Dec <sup>r</sup> 1856                                                                                                                                                                               |  |
|                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | To Mr. A. H. Shedden N <sup>o</sup> 50. Forwards copies of letters from the Collector of Tanore and the Civil Engineer on an apparent discrepancy between the recent Survey Map of the Muncottah District and the original sketch Map. That the original Map was found in many places hence the apparent discrepancies in certain places but begs for a detailed report. |  |

## Native Department

Letters or notes received.

## Native Department

Letters or notes received continued

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## Native Department

Letters or notes issued

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From Maha Satchay Amah  
Congo Amah Tevandrum dated  
27<sup>th</sup> ulto. Acknowledges receipt of  
her Promissory note.

From the Dewan of Travancore  
Nos. 2236 & 2237 dated 27<sup>th</sup> ulto.  
Reports payment of subsidy and  
subsistence.

From the ... .. No. 2248  
dated 30<sup>th</sup> ulto. Forwards for appo-  
val or amendment draft of an  
Advertisement inviting tenders  
for the purchase of Sugar Pepper.

From the Residency Treas-  
urer Sullon Nos. 183 & 184 dated  
29<sup>th</sup> ulto. Reports of sundry pay-  
ments and receipt of Post Office  
collections.

From the ... .. No. 1.  
dated 3<sup>rd</sup> ulto. Reports of sundry pay-  
ments and receipts.

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From the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 2250 dated 31<sup>st</sup> ulto. Forwards  
receipts for Government Petitions.

From the ... .. No. 2258  
dated ... .. That he has ordered  
a regular supply of Copper cash  
to meet the wishes of Colonel  
Congdon.

From the ... .. No. 2255  
dated ... .. Returns Interest  
galleries answers duly obtained.

From the ... .. No. 2259  
dated ... .. Requests to nominate  
and authorize a person to collect  
the ... ..

From the ... .. No. 2261 dated  
... .. Intimates the ... ..  
and delivery to the ... ..

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From the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 2262 dated ... .. States that  
the ... .. taken from ... ..  
were for certain ... .. to  
the Palace.

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No. 2262 dated ... .. States that  
the ... .. taken from ... ..  
were for certain ... .. to  
the Palace.

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No. 2262 dated ... .. States that  
the ... .. taken from ... ..  
were for certain ... .. to  
the Palace.

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From the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 2249 dated 31<sup>st</sup> ulto. Forwards  
summons to be served and ... ..  
turned.

From the ... .. No. 2332  
& 2333 dated ... .. Returns 2 notices  
and ... .. the former duly served  
and ... ..

From the ... .. No. 2260  
dated ... .. Reports the delivery of  
a Murderer by the Police Officer of  
Vaycome to the ... .. of Cochin.

From the ... .. No. 2263  
dated ... .. Forwards Life Certifi-  
cate of Khungra Nath Ioshier.

From the ... .. No. 2264  
dated ... .. That he has directed  
the Police Officer of Paroor to cause  
the apprehension and delivery  
of the individual required by the  
... ..

From the ... .. No. 2274  
dated ... .. Returns 2 notices not  
served the person having gone  
to ... ..

From

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From the Appeal Court Tran-  
cavore No. 2 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> ulto. Reports  
the disposal of the several cases  
on the Criminal Returns remark-  
ed by the Resident.

From the Residency Treas-  
urer Sullon No. 2 dated 5<sup>th</sup> do. Sub-  
mits his monthly accounts &c.

From the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 9 dated 5<sup>th</sup> ulto. Reports that  
the ... .. of ... ..  
is about to proceed to En-  
gland.

From the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 2 dated 6<sup>th</sup> do. Reports that he has  
caused due publicity to ... ..  
Cullen's Proclamation.

From the ... .. No. 4.  
dated 6<sup>th</sup> do. That 2 of the persons  
concerned in the assault on the  
six ... .. have been appre-  
hended and ordered to be deliv-  
ered to Mr. Cullen.

From the Residency Treas-  
urer Sullon No. 3 dated 6<sup>th</sup> do.  
Reports sundry payments.

From the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 13 dated 5<sup>th</sup> do. Submits  
for the Resident's instructions  
the tender for timber from the  
Assistant Timber Agent for the  
Bombay Government.

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From H. H. the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 13 dated 5<sup>th</sup> do. Submits  
for the Resident's instructions  
the tender for timber from the  
Assistant Timber Agent for the  
Bombay Government.

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Jan 5

To the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 21. Approves draft of Advertis-  
ment for Pepper.

To the ... .. No. 33 & 34  
Acknowledges receipt of the Subsidy  
and subsistence.

To the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 40. Forwards copy of a state-  
ment of subsistence and requests  
payment of the amount in the  
Residency Treasury.

To the ... .. No. 41. For-  
wards ... .. of his Office  
to collect the ... ..

To the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 42. Forwards copy of Mr. Robert  
son's letter and the Bill for ... ..  
being the proclaimed ... ..  
the apprehension and delivery  
of a Murderer.

To the Residency Treasurer  
Sullon No. 54. Directs him to ad-  
just the difference in the amount  
of collections paid on account of  
the Nagaccoil Post Office in com-  
munication with the Deputy Post  
Master Tevandrum.

To the Deputy Post Master  
Tevandrum No. 55. Requests ad-  
justment of certain difference  
in the payment of the collections  
in the Nagaccoil Post Office.

To the Dewan of Travancore  
No. 57. Forwards copy of a Procla-  
mation for publicity.

To the ... .. No. 60. Re-  
quests a reply to the Dewan's  
inquiries.

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Letters or notes issued continued

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enquiries, that he suggest to Mr. Crawford to tell the Bombay Timber Agent that the Lihar by permitting selection of Teak Logs on former occasions have found the value of all the remaining logs so much depreciated that they are unwilling to adopt that mode of sale, especially as the quality that may be selected is so uncertain, but that if the Agent will proceed to the place and select, the terms of sale might then be much more easily adjusted.

To the ... No. 64. Forwards 4. Government Petitions for delivery

10.

To the Dewan of Travancore No. 65. Remarks on the practice that appears too often to obtain of fettering individuals charged with Police offences. Adverts more especially to the recent case of Paray of Vycome. Disapproves of the practice which can seldom be necessary except in cases of resistance, and expects that it will be discontinued and the practice in the Company's Country adhered to as much as possible.

To the ... No. 66. Re: delay to reply to the ...

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Dec. 24

To His Highness the Rajah of Travancore. Requests the notice of

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of His Highness to the surreptitious abstraction of records from the Appeal and other Courts as recently published in the Athenaeum News paper, and trusts that His Highness will cause due enquiry into such highly irregular and ridiculous proceedings

Audience received and given visits

None.

Occupation of the Native Princes and occurrences worthy of notice at their Courts and in their Dominions.

Nothing has occurred worthy of remark.

Resd's Office  
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22 Jan. 1857.

President

## Native Department

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Urge from Cooromilla Gussipie and others of the Madras District. Complain that our State forcibly entered the Church compound and cut down and took away 2000 Coconuts therefrom.

Memo.

Transferred to the Dewan for disposal and for concise report.

Urge from Kristian Shungun Proverticar of Cooromilla. No. 20. States that he fears assassination in that Poverty and prays that he may be transferred to another one.

Memo.

Recommended for the consideration of the Dewan.

Urge from Corall Cooromilla of Parakada. No. 21. Complain of compulsion to pay a double tax for the lands registered in his name.

Endorsement

The President learns by a report from the Alingand Tasseldar that on causing a search to be made in the accounts, he finds that 12 Parahs of land are registered in his name as Gaumun on which the Petitioner pays the Alingand District 5 Parahs and 15 Dungal of Paddy.

Urge from Caliampy Caliampy and others of the Travancore District. No. 22. Complain against a decree passed by the Travancore Zillah Court on a case of compound dispute.

Memo.

The Appeal Court will direct the Travancore Court to endorse and return the accompanying Petition to its owner, forwarding translation of Endorsement to the President.

Urge from Keengoo Pathiroo and others of Shettay. No. 23. Complain of unjust confinement of his son and grand-father on a false charge of Tobacco smuggling.

Endorsement

The President cannot interfere in this case.

Urge from Calthiesar Chetty Coloonthogan Jaffna Tobacco Contractor of Travancore. No. 24. Prays that the Dewan may be desired to advance some money for the purchase of Jaffna Tobacco.

See.

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Endorsement

Urge from Petitioner does not specify any particular endowment made to the Dewan on the delay to pay for the Tobacco. The Petitioner should address the Dewan a concise statement of his claims and request that Officer to adjust them for himself or to furnish the Petitioner with an endorsement to be produced to the President.

Urge from Potham. Narayan. Dey. Mallo. and of Potham. No. 25. With reference to Petition No. 1010 of 1856. Complain that the Dewan now press the Petitioner to make good the unjust demand on account of Jaffna Tobacco.

Memo.

Calls the Dewan's attention to a previous Petition No. 1010 forwarded to him on the 10th Nov 1856 to which no reply has been received.

Urge from Narraiman Palpanabham of Thoodellah. No. 26. Complain that a decision of the Appeal Court in a case of Gardma. Spite, in his favor, has not been carried out by the Alingand Court.

Memo.

The Alingand Zillah Court are desired to explain the delay complained of by the Petitioner.

Urge from S. Cumberland a Volunteer in the Travancore Appeal Court. No. 27. Prays for employment.

Memo.

Referred for the consideration and report of the Dewan.

Urge from Cashim Coomarem of Travancore. No. 28. Complain of unjust dismissal.

Memo.

The Dewan will be good enough to refer the accompanying Petition for the inquiry and report of the Dewan.

Urge from Shungunarrain of Mosat. No. 29. With reference to Petition No. 1733 of 1856. Complain that the property the Petitioner had purchased in auction is not yet put into his possession.

Memo.

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Memo.

td to the Dewan for early report.

• Ramen Narayan of Pooravom:

claims of unjust implication of murder

Memo.

wan Pishcar will be so good as to

ring into the case of the Petition.

om Palayoothin Pillay Cash. keeper

raipoorom Pavarthy in Caroonaga:

46. Complains that the Tahsildar

to get him unjustly dismissed.

Memo.

resident requests the Dewan's prompt

to accompanying Petition.

om Mariom Annah of Yethanoor:

plains that her husband has been

and confined.

Memo.

ed for the prompt disposal of the

from Cherman Golagun and others of

ay. N. 49. Complaint of compulsion

amah for the use of Venchanapoorah

um.

Memo.

ted for the report of the Dewan.

s. on Petition N. 1354 of 1356 from

chooroo of Cocnatuand.

forwarding to the appeal Court the

ing Petition and report on it by the

but, the Resident has to express his

of any legal proceedings on a case

to date and for such purposes.

endorsement on Petition N. 1795 of 1356

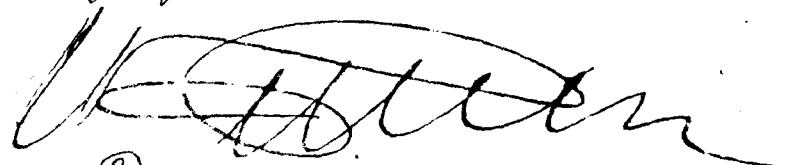
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and.

It appears by a report from the Res.

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Many circuit Judge.

  
Resident

Resident's Office, Cochin, 22 January 1857.