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Political Diary of the Residency of Travancore from Monday the 20th to Sunday the 26th of April 1857. Inclusive

English Department

Letters Received.

1857
April 20th From the Officer Commanding Quilon N^o 143. d/18th. Refers to his letter N^o 137 of the 13th Instt. and states that owing to some recent orders from Army Head Quarters the required boats will not be necessary.

" From the Officer Comg: Southern Division Neelgherries. States that owing to a new distribution of Troops taking place he requests certain information from the Resident on certain points & begs to be favored with early reply.

" From the Suptt: of the Treas Travancore N^o 15 dated 8th. Forwards copy of abstract of Pay for Pungony.

" From the Suptt: of Police Quilon N^o 68 d/16th. Forwards Price Current List for March last.

" From the Asstt: Comr: of Customs Salt and Opium Bombay. Forwards 4 Duplicate Salt Certificates.

" From Capt: Drury Comg: Resident's Escort Travancore. Applies for 60 days privilege leave of absence to the Neelgherries.

" From the Dy. Paymaster Cannanore dated 15th. Advises having drawn a draft.

" From the Revds: H. Baker & Johnson & Mr. Schaffter d/16th. Forwards Bills for acceptance.

" From the Police Ameen's Anjengo & Tangacherry d/18th. Forwards bills for acceptance.

21st From the Inspecting Post Master Quilon N^o 112 d/20th. That he has ordered the Runner complained of to attend before the Police Officer of Cannagaipully.

" From the Officer Commanding Nair Brigade Travancore N^o 48 d/18th. States that agreeably to the Regulations he has secured the property of the late Mr. Smith the Band Master.

From

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April 21st From the Curator of the Museum Travancore d/16th. Annexes copy of letter to the Dewan requesting the issue of pay.

" From the Director of Observatory Travancore N^o 23 d/3rd. Do. do.

" From the Comt: Agent Allepey N^o 101 d/18th. Forwards copy of letter to the Dewan & brings to notice the conduct of a person named Hoormasjee.

22nd From the Accountt: General Fort St George N^o 1118 d/16th. Forwards instructions in granting bills in future.

" From the Ag: Civil Judge Calicut N^o 231 d/16th. Forwards two notices to be served & returned.

" From the Ag: Collector of Malabar N^o 1132 d/16th. Begs to inform the Cherakel Rajahs that he is anxious for the early adjustment of their Malakana difference.

" From the - do - do N^o 1146 d/18th. States that he has applied to the Acctt: General for authority to grant a bill for Rs. 7000.

" From the Suptt: of Police Quilon N^o 74 d/20th. Copy of letter to Dewan informing him of the Master Attendant at Quilon having again applied to him for the expence of beaching and hauling a Dhoney.

" From the Revd: J. Feet Mavellicara d/16th. Forwards two bills for acceptance.

24th From the Ag: Dy: Comr: of Customs Salt & Opium. Bombay N^o 114 d/9th. Forwards Duplicate Salt Certificate to be endorsed.

" From the Dy: Paymaster Cannanore d/20th. Forwards a fresh Statement of Subsistence, the other being incorrect.

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April 24th From the Revd: R. Collins Cottiam & the Acting Moonsiff Anjengo d/20th & 22nd. Forwards Bills for acceptance.

25th From the Comt: Agent Allepey N^o 102 d/22nd. Forwards copy of a letter addressed to the Dewan on the conduct of Hoormasjee & complains of the Ladanium sent to him and a copy to Hoormasjee animadverting of his proceedings.

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April 20th To the Chief Secretary to Government Fort St George N^o 22. Submits an application from Capt: Drury for 60 days privilege leave to the Neelgherries.

" To the Offr: Comg: S^r Dr. Neelgherries. Ac. Acknowledges his letter of 13th Instt. & furnishes the report called for regarding the distribution of guards.

" To the Revds: G. Johnson & Baker, Mr. Schaffter & Ameen's Anjengo & Tangacherry. Returns Bills accepted.

22nd To the Revd: J. Feet Mavellicara N^o 759. Returns bills accepted.

24th To the Acting Moonsiff Anjengo N^o 768. Returns bill accepted.

" To the Revd: R. Collins Cottiam N^o 771. Returns bill accepted.

" To the Collector of Tinnevely N^o 762. Forwards copy of the Travancore Dewan's letter on the restoration of Jublie lands and revision of the Boundary.

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April 20th From the Dewan of Travancore N^o 5142 d/17th. Forwards receipt for a Govt: Petition.

" From the - do - do N^o 5148 dated 17th. Acknowledges Resident's letter N^o 309 of 10th Instt. and finds that on enquiry the Petr is unfounded & that the reward of 100 Rs. is to be paid to the Vykome Tahsildar who apprehended & delivered the Murderer.

" From the - do - do N^o 5550 dated 17th. Forwards receipt for a Govt: Petition.

22nd From the Resy: Treasurer Quilon N^o 72 d/18th. Reports payment of a bill.

" From the - do - do N^o 73 dated 20th. Reports Sundry payments and receipts.

" From the Dewan of Travancore N^o 5558. Regts to cause attendance of 6 persons before the Session Court Allepey.

23rd From the Dewan of Travancore N^o 560 dated 21st. Acknowledges the Resident's Memo: N^o 605 of 1st Instt. and reports on the subject of monthly payments being made to the Session Court Establishment at Allepey.

" From the - do - do N^o 576 dated 22nd. Acknowledges Resident's letters N^o 626 & 686 of 2nd & 13th Instt. and furnishes a report and orders issued regarding the fixing of boundary Stones, payment of rent & the taking charge of lands on behalf of the Sirkar from the Tahsildar of Ten Causey.

" From the - do - do N^o 579 dated 22nd. Acknowledges receipt of letter N^o 607 of the 13th Instt. & states that H. H. the Rajah having sanctioned Dr. Wa. ring's Indent for medicine & it has been sent to the Sirkar Agents to procure the articles from London.

" From the Appeal Court Travancore N^o 95 d/21st. Forwards report of the Session Judge having opened

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April 23^d opened Session at Paroor and of the Court Buildings requiring repair and arrears of pay due to the Court Servants.

" From the Appeal Court Travancore N^o 96 dated 21st 3^d Forward translation of a Sadanom to the Palace proposing revised rules for the conduct of Court Shastries and Judges.

24th From the Resy: Treasurer Quilon N^o 743/22^d 3^d Reports sundry payments and receipt.

" From the Dewan of Travancore N^o 559 8/21st 3^d Acknowledges the Resident's Memo: N^o 604 of 1st Instt: and reports on the Confinement of a Poon Complained of by the Appeal Court.

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1857

April 20th To the Dewan of Travancore N^o 740 Forward two Estimates for repairs necessary to the Residency Surgeon's Bungalow &c

Remarks on the inefficiency of the Marakut Departt: and the present Vezarepoocar's unfitness. That a professional Maistry should conduct such repairs.

" To the Resy: Treasurer Quilon N^o 746. Directs payment of bills.

21st To the Dewan of Travancore N^o 754. Moideen Khan being re-appointed Vezari poocar of Ulthay Malay Establishment requests Corresponding orders to Tahsildar of Nedavengand.

22^d To the Dewan of Travancore N^o 756. Forwards Copy of Mr Robinson's letter regarding the difference between the Cherakel Rajahs.

To the - 3^d - 3^d N^o 757 - Forwards a Notice to be served and returned.

" To the Resy: Treasurer Quilon N^o 760. Directs payment of bills.

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1857.

April 23^d To the Dewan of Travancore N^o 763. Refers him to the Appeal Court's report of the neglect to repair the Court buildings at Paroor & of the Servants having had no pay for 8 months.

" To the Appeal Court Travancore N^o 764. The Sessions Judge at Allepey, having represented the arrears of Pay due to the Court Servants in his range the Resident proposed that they should be paid monthly out of the proceeds of the fees & fines or other Collections deposited in the Court Treasuries the Resident transmits Copy of the Dewan's reply in order that the Court may Co-operate with the Dewan in the plan he has suggested.

" To the - 3^d - 3^d N^o 765. Acknowledges receipt of Appeal Court's report N^o 96 of 21st Instt: with its enclosures and approves of the revised rules for the Conduct of the Court Shastries and Judges.

Remarks on the practice of deputing 1st Judges from one or other of the Zillah Courts to replace others temporarily absent on leave &c instead of ordering the 2^d Judges of those Courts to act as 1st and the Moonsiff or other to act as 2^d Judge.

24th To the Resy: Treasurer Quilon N^o 769. Directs payment of a bill.

" To the Dewan of Travancore N^o 770. Forward a fresh Statement of Subsistence in lieu the one sent on the 6th Instant.

To the Resy: Treasurer Quilon N^o 772. Directs payment of a bill.

25th To the Dewan of Travancore N^o 776. Reminds him that the period is at hand when the annual report required by the Government of India should be furnished & requests that the information may be prepared as soon as possible.

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April 25th To the Dewan of Travancore N^o 779. Requests a particular report on the Police case adverted to by the Coml Agent in his letter N^o 102 of 22^d Instant.

The Parsee appears to have conducted himself with gross insult towards Mr Crawford and threatened him while on the Bench as Magistrate and who had authority to place such an Individual under restraint.

Audience received & given, vizists &c.

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April 21st The Dewan visited the Resident on business.

22^d H. H. the Rajah of Trav^e visited the Resident.

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

Nothing has occurred worthy of remark.

W. H. B. L.
Resident

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Urgee from Palpanabai Moothin of Shallay in Trewandrum. N° 577. Prays for the execution of a decree passed in his favor.

Memo.

Forwarded for the concise explanation of the Appeal Court.

Urgee from Cashimur Coomarn and others of Capparrah in Culcoolom. N° 578. States that the Sirkar have now expropriated Petitioner's property without examining the documents they have in their possession and compel to pay the arrears of tax according to the Panton rate ever since 1025.

Memo.

Requests the Dewan to furnish the Petitioner with an order to the Dewan Pishcar for inquiry.

Urgee from Palpanabai Paramasuren of Changanacherry. N° 581. Complains that one Madathian who enjoys the Petitioner's 800 and odd Parahs of land on rent has obtained from his uncle a deed of sale on the property.

Memo.

Begs the Dewan to pass proper orders on the Petitioner's case.

Urgee from Kristumal Valliamal of Paurashallay. N° 582. Complains that the opposite party of the Petitioner has in contradiction to the decision of the Moonsiff and Zillah Courts complained to the Appeal Court and reversed the decrees of the said 2 Courts.

Memo.

Forwarded for a concise report of the Appeal Court.

Urgee from Thanooon Purnal of Comel. N° 583. Complains of false representation being made by the Revenue that Petitioner did not perform his services on Kiroothay & Co. lands.

Memo.

The Dewan Pishcar Mathava Row will

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April will be so good as to furnish the Petitioner with an endorsement.

20th Urgee from Nillanda Mathaven of Agass-treavom. N° 584. Prays for a speedy disposal of his case of robbery of documents.

Memo.

Requests the Appeal Court will inquire into the delay complained of in the accompanying Petition.

21st Urgee from Althooden Cochitan and another of Vyeom. N° 594. Complains of an unjust decree being passed against Petitioner without examining certain documents touching the property in question.

Endorsement

If the Court did not examine the Petitioner's documents he should have complained to the Appeal Court but the President is not disposed to place credit in the Petitioner's statement.

Urgee from Cooyor Pedro a Prisoner in a smuggling case in the Alleppey Jail. N° 601. Complains of non-disposal of his case as yet.

Endorsement

The President understands that the case is under consideration before the Alleppey Session Judge and will be speedily disposed of.

Urgee from Kristum Mathaven and others of Carnagapully. N° 602. Complains of divers irregularities committed by the Notary Public of the Carnagapully.

Memo.

Forwarded for the inquiry and prompt disposal of the Dewan.

Urgee from Kanuonantha Row of Trewandrum. N° 603. Begs to be favored with a copy of the President's last letter on his case to the Dewan.

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1857. ^{Endorsement}
April Petitioner should apply to the Dewan for the documents in question.

21st Urges from Mootoosawmy Suricarapen of Agastheeswaram: N^o. 607. Brings to notice an account of ill. treatment used by the P. Swarticar towards the Petitioner and his brother.

Memo.

The Dewan will be so good as to forward to the Dewan Pishcar for inquiry.

Urges from Coomaren Poovathan and others of Culeolom: N^o. 608. Complain that their property was attached on a plea that they should be invested to the Sirkar.

Endorsement

Petitioner should apply to the Dewan Pishcar for redress.

Urges from Mathavadiyal Naniappan and another of Emul: N^o. 609. Pray that the imprisonment which their husbands (Prisoners) had already suffered may be included in the sentence.

Endorsement

The Resident sees no grounds to interfere with the decrees of the Court in the present case.

Urges from Coorin Ito of Changanacherry N^o. 610. Similar to Petition N^o. 451 of 1857.

Endorsement

Petitioner is informed that his case was referred to the Dewan on the 2nd Instant.

24th Urges from ^{Spilog of Changanacherry} N^o. 611. Complains that herself and children are suffering much for want of means.

Endorsement

Petitioner is informed that her case was referred to the Dewan on the 7th Instant.

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1857. ^{April} Urges from Averah Cooyoo Averah of N^o. 609. With reference to Petition N^o. 538 of 1857 from the opposite party and states that the case has not yet been disposed of.

Memo.

Forwarded to the Dewan for disposal with reference to the Resident's Memo dated the 11th April.

Urges from Averah Cooyoo Averah and Averah of Veyome: N^o. 620. Pray that their case of irregularities committed by the Dewan Pishcar may be ordered to be examined by the Dewan.

Memo.

Referred for the report of the Dewan.

Urges from the 1st Judge of the Alleppey Court: N^o. 621. Seeks of his removal from office without charging him with sufficient faults.

Memo.

Prays the appeal Court will explain the case referred to in the accompanying address from the 1st Judge of the Alleppey Court.

Urges from Nelaandan Coomaren Paken of Kachaven Ramen of Thuvandrum: N^o. 622. Complains that a decree obtained in his claim favor has not yet been enforced.

Memo.

The Appeal Court will endorse and return the accompanying Petition to its owner.

Urges from Shark Morden Kaseen Saib of Vanchyoor: N^o. 623. Complains of the non-regularity.

Petitioner must apply for a copy of the endorsement of the Pishcar to the Dewan. Urges from Easury Nairany and others of Niyattimuray: N^o. 625. Pray that the decreed amount may be ordered to be given in

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Memo.

Referred for the report of the Appeal Court.

24th Urges from Nairamen Gunden and others of Cooyam: N^o. 626. Complain that the Sirkar demand no tax on the lands transferred to him as Nadoopantom to affirm that they are in the enjoyment of the same.

Memo.

Requests the attention of the Dewan to the case of the accompanying Petitioners who are now at Thuvandrum.

25th Urges from Nallayanden Mathaven of Agastheeswaram: N^o. 627. Complains of 2 months delay to dispose of his case by the Court.

Memo.

Referred for the report of the Appeal Court.

Urges from the Rajah at Changanoor: N^o. 628. Brings to notice that one Mithra Potry and others took forcible possession of a Pagoda belonging to the Rajah and preferred a contra charge against one of his individuals and kept him under confinement.

Memo.

The Dewan will be so good as to report on the accompanying representation from the Rajah of Changanoor.

Urges from Puman Perman Cashkeeper of Nallamanom Adigarom in Thuvandrum: N^o. 629. Similar to Petition N^o. 1732 of 1854. Complains further that the District authorities have failed to furnish the Petitioner with a receipt to the amount of 4000 fanams which he has remitted to the Cooyoor Treasury.

Memo.

The Dewan will be so good as to endorse the accompanying Petition to

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1857. ^{April} to its owner and copy of endorsement to the Resident.

W. H. H. H.
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Resident's Office Podaagerry 4th May 1857.

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Dear Mr
Mr