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No. 13. Diary of the Residency of Cochin, from Monday the 20th to Sunday the 26th of July 1857, Inclusive.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.

Letters Received.

20th July 1857.—From the Acting Collector of Malabar, No. 2283, dated 15th Ultimo. Submits certain papers in regard to the discontinuance of all works connected with the Chetwye dam and begs to favored with the Resident's views on the subject.

Proposes visiting the Dam shortly, and as it is a work in which the Cochin Sircar are mainly interested, begs that a competent person may be deputed on the part of that Sircar to afford information on the spot.

From the Commercial Agent, Cochin, dated 15th Ultimo, Copy of letter to the Dewan recommending the acceptance of a tender for the purchase of Pepper.

21st July 1857.—From the Acting Magistrate Malabar, No. 2284, dated 13th Ultimo. Returns nine Summonses partly served.

22nd July 1857.—From the Acting Collector of Malabar, No. 2849, dated 17th Ultimo. Encloses an order in favor of the Dewan of Cochin for the amount Revenue of Tekamangalom Deshom for Fusly 1266.

From the Revd. H. Harley, Trichoor, dated 18th Ultimo. Forwards a Bill for acceptance.

23rd July 1857.—From the Civil Judge of Calicut, No. 406, dated 17th Ultimo. Forwards two Notices to be served and returned.

Letters Issued.

20th July 1857.—To the Civil Judge of Calicut, No. 1297. Returns a Proclamation duly affixed.

To the Civil Judge of Calicut, No. 1298. Returns a Notice duly served.

21st July 1857.—To the Acting Magistrate, Malabar, No. 1302. Forwards 4 Summonses to be served and returned.

22nd July 1857.—To the Civil Juge of Tinnevelly, No. 1311. Remits Peon's batta for serving Notices.

To the Revd. H. Harley, Trichoor, No. 1313. Returns a Bill accepted.

To the Collector of Canara, No. 1322. Requests payment to the Gooroo Swamiar at Mangalore of the half yearly amount of Pension received from the Rajah of Cochin.

23rd July 1857.—To the Acting Collector and Magistrate, Malabar, No. 1323. Requests him to direct his letters to the Resident to Trevandrum instead of Cochin.

24th July 1857.—To the Civil Judge of Calicut, No. 1339, Returns 3 Notices duly served.

To the do. do. No. 1339. Returns 3 Notices duly served.

To the do. do. No. 1340. Returns a Summons duly served.

25th July 1857.—To the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George No. 44. Forwards copy of a letter from the Dewan of Cochin, relative to the cessation or the Export Trade of Mallepooram.

To the Civil Judge of Calicut, No. 1346. Returns 5 Notices duly served.

To the Joint Magistrate, of Cochin, No. 1354. Forwards copy of a letter from the Dewan of Cochin, stating that the arrest alluded to does not appear to have taken place in British Cochin.

NATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Letters or Notes Received.

20th July 1857.—From the Dewan of Cochin, No. 409, dated 16th Ultimo. Reports that His Highness the Rajah proceeded to Chittoor on the 14th Instant, and returned to Tripoonetorah on the following evening.

From do. No. 418, dated 17th Ultimo. Returns a proclamation duly affixed.

From do. No. 419, dated 17th Ultimo. Returns a Notice duly served.

From the Appeal Court of Cochin, No. 47, dated 16th Ultimo. Report that the 1st Judge of the Trichoor Court absented himself for 4 days during last month from sickness.

From the Sessions Judge, Trichoor, dated 15th Ultimo. Reports opening of the Quarterly Sessions in the Court there.

21st July 1857.—From the Dewan of Cochin, No. 412, dated 17th Ultimo. Forwards receipt of a Government Petition.

From the do. do. No. 413, dated 17th Ultimo. Forwards receipts for two Government Petitions.

From the do. do. No. 414, dated 17th Ultimo. Forwards 4 Summons to be served and returned.

From the do. do. No. 415, dated 17th Ultimo. Forwards receipt of a Government Petition.

From the Dewan of Cochin, No. 416, dated 17th Ultimo. Forwards receipt of a Government Petition.

22nd July 1857.—From the Dewan of Cochin, Nos. 421 to 423, dated 18th Ultimo. Forwards receipts for Government Petitions.

From do. No. 424, dated 18th Ultimo. Reports payment into the Residency Treasury of the half yearly amount of Pension, and requests a corresponding payment to the Gooroo Swamiar at Mangalore.

From do. do. No. 425, dated 18th Ultimo. Reports a case of accidental death by drowning in a well.

From do. No. 427, dated 18th Ultimo. Remits Peon's batta for serving Notices.

From the Residency Treasurer, Cochin, No. 37, dated 18th Ultimo. Weekly Report of receipts and disbursements.

25th July 1857.—From the Dewan of Cochin, No. 426, dated 18th Ultimo. Acknowledges Resident's letter, No. 1169 of 29th Ultimo. and furnishes a report on the cessation of the Mallipooram trade.

From the do. do. No. 428, dated 20th Ultimo. Acknowledges Resident's letter, No. 1123 of 22nd Ultimo, and states that no arrest took place in British Cochin of Sircar Subjects as stated by Mr. Cullin.

From the do. do. No. 429, dated 20th Ultimo. Returns 5 Notices duly served.

From the do. do. No. 430, dated 21st Ultimo. Acknowledges Resident's letter No. 981 of 3rd Ultimo, and states that the School at Ernacolum is going on well and due encouragement given to it.

From the do. do. No. 431, dated 21st Ultimo. That arrangements have been made for the permanent location of Bearers at Irincalacoday and Trichoor.

From the Dewan of Cochin, No. 432, dated 21st Ultimo. That the balance of Revenue due to the Temalapooram Talook has been paid.

From the do. do. No. 433, dated 21st Ultimo. That he has already replied to the 2nd Para: with reference to the Memo: of unanswered letters.

From Shasam Putter, Cochin, dated 23rd Ultimo. Forwards a Bill for acceptance,

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24th July 1857.—Urzee from Veela Cammathy Jenardanen of Cochin, No. 1236. Complains that the Zillah Court passed a Decree disavowing the Petitioner's claim of property and the Appeal Court confirmed the same on his Appeal against it.

Endorsement.—The Resident does not find amongst the enclosures of the Petition copy of the latest Decree of the Appeal Court, *viz.* No. 23 of 1031, alluded to in the Petition.

As the Resident cannot judge of the merits of the case without reading the said decree, Petitioner is desired to produce it.

The Petition will be retained for the present.

23rd July 1857.—Endorsement on Petition * No. 718 from Thommen Vareed and others of Cochin.

The Resident learns from the Dewan of Cochin that the Petitioner has failed to appeal against the Decree in question within the given time for Appeal.

* *Vide Diary, dated 12th May* 1857.

Endorsement on Petition † No. 487, from Vengidasawmy Naicken in the Coimbatore Zillah.

The Resident learns from the Dewan of Cochin, that as the theft has taken place near British Cochin, Petitioner should apply to the British Authorities for redress.

† *Vide Diary, daied 7th April* 1857.

LETTERS OR NOTES ISSUED.

20th July 1857.—To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 1300. Forwards a communication from the Acting Collector of Malabar on the Chetwye Dam and will be glad if he will afford all necessary information to that Officer on his proposed visit to that Work.

Desires in the mean time that the Sircar Surveyor may be ordered to inspect the Dam and report on its present condition.

The Resident never anticipated any advantage to the Cochin Sircar from that Work, on the contrary he has always believed that it would cause inconvenient if not dangerous inundation.

21st July 1857.—To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 1305. Returns 9 Summonses partly served.

22nd July 1857.—To the Residency Treasurer, Cochin, No. 1315. Orders payment of a Bill.

To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 1318. Forwards an order form the Acting Collector of Malabar for the amount Revenue of the Tekemunglum Deshom for Fusly 1266.

To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 1319. Requests to be furnished with an Estimate for the reconstruction of a Tappal hut at Pulloorthy.

23rd July 1857.—To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 1327. Forwards two Notices to be served and returned.

25th July 1857.—To Shasom Putter, Cochin, No. 1349. Returns his Bill accepted.

To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 1356. Refers for his early report an original communication from certain European Merchants of Cochin and Alleppy regarding duty.

To the Residency Treasurer, Cochin, No. 1352. Intimates that Bombay Government Bills will require to be paid by him to the amount of 50,000 Rupees.

To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 1358. Acknowledges his letter, No. 432 of 21st Instant, and observes that although furnished after 4 months the information is neither full nor capable of being communicated to the Sub Collector of Malabar.

Refers him to certain Paras: in Mr. Morris's letter which were furnished to him.

Audience received and given, *Visits, &c.*

None.

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

Nothing has occured worthy of Remark.

(Signed) W. CULLEN,
Resident.

Resident's Office, Trevandrum, 3rd August 1857.

No. 14. ORDER THEREON, No. 633; dated 14th August 1857.
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Exd. J. A. Wilson.

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