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No. 11. Diary of the Residency of Travancore, from Monday the 3rd to Sunday the 9th of August 1857, Inclusive.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

3rd August 1857.—From the Assistant Accountant General, Fort William, dated 16th Ultimo. Government Papers made payable from Resident's Treasury.

From the Officer Commanding Quilon, No. 300, dated 1st Ultimo. Requests to solicit the Sirkar Authorities to issue instructions to supply 10 Bamboos from Pathanapoorom for making up 4 Escalading Ladders as per order from the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

From the Officer Commanding Nair Brigade, Trevandrum, dated 24th Ultimo. Requests the usual acknowledgements to be made in Bank Books.

From the Commercial Agent, Allepey, No. 174. Forwards Statement of the Sirkar property for June.

4th August 1857.—From the Accountant General, Bombay, No. 3, dated 23rd Ultimo. Forwards Register of Bills drawn.

From the Deputy Paymaster, Cannanore, No. 357, dated 29th Ultimo. Forwards the monthly letter of Credit.

From the Acting Deputy Commissary General, Cannanore, No. 698, dated 31st Ultimo. Requests to know the cost and charges including Freight, &c., per Cubical Foot of the 24 Logs of Tumbagum wood supplied for the Gun Carriage Manufactory.

From the Joint Magistrate, Cochin, No. 177, dated 29th Ultimo. Forwards copy of a further report from the Police Ameen at Anjengo and requests to issue such orders as may be deemed necessary.

From the Magistrate of Coimbatore, No. 333, dated 29th Ultimo. Requests to cause the delivery of 2 Stolen Bullocks and the parties concerned.

From the Acting Magistrate, Tanjore, No. 145, dated 29th Ultimo. Intimates that two Mahomedans, originally from Delhi, have recently reached Tanjore, where they exercise the calling of Musicians, and requests information regarding the Statements made by them of having performed before the Rajah in Travancore, they are named Moula Buksh and Eman Khan.

From the Officer Commanding, Quilon, No. 306, dated 3rd Ultimo. Requests to know when the Guard will be required to escort Treasure to Cochin.

From Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., Madras, dated 30th Ultimo. Acknowledge receipt of a Bill for Rupees 6,120, for the relief of the Sufferers in the North West.

From the Officer Commanding, Quilon, dated 1st Ultimo. Forwards Return of Troops a Quilon for July.

5th August 1857.—From the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, No. 578, dated 27th Ultimo. That the Government is unwilling to disturb the arrangements made by the Resident, regarding gratuitous labour.

From the Accountant General, Fort Saint George, No. 253, dated 1st Ultimo. Requests to have ready packed for Shipment either to Calcutta or Bombay, 2,00,000 Rupees, and to reduce the sum in proportion to Bills being drawn by the Acting Collector of Malabar.

Requests to know the probable amount of remittance and when it will be ready for Shipment.

From the do. do. No. 466, dated 31st Ultimo. Forwards Notifications describing the mode of receiving 4 per Cent. Promissory Notes by transfer to the 5 per Cent. Loan.

From the do. do. Bombay, No. 4, dated 24th Ultimo. Forwards Register of Bills drawn.

From the Officer Commanding Quilon, No. 312, dated 4th August 1857. Informs that a Guard proceeded to Cochin, in charge of Treasure.

From the Officer Commanding Nair Brigade, Trevandrum, No. 93, dated 4th Ultimo. Forwards Returns of the Brigade for July, for transmission to Army Head Quarters.

From the do. do. Transmits Guard Report for July last.

6th August 1857.—From the Deputy Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 27th Ultimo. Forwards a Petition for delivery.

From the Magistrate of Tinnevely, No. 259, dated 3d Ultimo. Acknowledges the Resident's letter, No. 1370 of 28th Ultimo, with copy of a letter from the Dewan of Travancore, and intimates having ordered the delivery of the Emerald in question to the Nazir Appoo Row and Hurkar Ramasawmy Iyen, taking a receipt from them.

The parties concerned have been set at liberty, there being no evidence of guilt against them.

From the Acting Civil Judge, Tellicherry, No. 379, dated 1st Ultimo. Forwards a Notice to be served and returned.

7th August 1857.—From the Accountant General, Bombay, No. 5, dated 25th Ultimo. Register of Bills drawn.

From the Acting Sub-Collector, Malabar, No. 216, dated 3rd Ultimo. Informs the despatch of 2 Cases from the Madras Exhibition.

From Mr. C. E Roberts, Trevandrum, No. 32, dated 6th Ultimo. Annexes copy of a letter addressed to the Dewan complaining against the delay to decide a case by the Tahsildar of Trevandrum.

8th August 1857.—From the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 30th Ultimo. That the Act No. XV of 1857 on Printing Presses has been referred to the Government of India.

From Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., Madras, dated 4th Ultimo. Acknowledge receipt of Bill for Rupees 885 for the relief of Sufferers in the N. W. Provinces.

From Mr. P. Phillipsz, Anjengo, dated 7th Ultimo. Forwards a Bill for acceptance.

From the Vicar of Poodoocoorchy, dated 5th Ultimo. Begs redress for the complaint preferred against the Ameenadar and others for misbehaviour.

LETTERS ISSUED.

3rd August 1857.—To the Civil Judge of Calicut, No. 1401. Returns a Notice not served for reasons assigned.

To the Acting Magistrate, Malabar, No. 1402. That the parties required have been directed to attend without delay with the Documents before the Choogat Tahsildar.

To the Sub-Collector of Malabar, No. 1413. Acknowledges his letter, No. 94 of 26th March last, and acquaints him of the Revenue due to the Temalpoorom Talook Treasury having been paid.

To the Officer Commanding Nair Brigade, Trevandrum, No. 1414. Forwards Extract from Fort Saint George Gazette, of Captain Hare being ordered to rejoin his Regiment about to proceed on Service to Calcutta.

4th August 1857.—To the Officer Commanding Quilon, No. 1416. Acknowledges his letter of 3rd Instant, and acquaints him that the Treasurer at Quilon has been instructed to apply for the Guard to escort Treasure to Cochin.

To the Acting Magistrate, Tanjore, No. 1418. Acknowledges his letter, No. 145 of 29th Ultimo, and explains that the Individuals in question were for many months at Trevandrum and performed before the Rajah and many of his Officers and received presents, but that they left upwards of a year ago. They proceeded *via* Palamcottah, on leaving Trevandrum, and it is believed they had been at Poodoocottah also.

5th August 1857.—To the Accountant General, Fort Saint George, No. 1432. Acknowledges his letter, No. 253 of 1st Instant, and acquaints him that 2,00,000 Rupees will be ready packed for Shipment, either to Calcutta or Bombay, reducing the amount in proportion by Bills being drawn by the Acting Collector of Malabar. That no Bills could be payable by the Resident in all August, further than the 2,00,000 Rupees now being paid off on Bombay Bills.

The Specie will be ready for Shipment at Quilon a week hence.

6th August 1857.—To the Deputy Commissioner of the Punjab, No. 1437. Forwards half yearly Life Certificate of Shungra Nath Joshier.

To the Officer Commanding, Quilon, No. 1450. Annexes copy of a letter from the Dewan of Travancore, regarding the Bamboo required by him for making up Escalading Ladders.

To Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., Madras, No. 1451. Transmits further List of Subscriptions for the sufferers in the North West Provinces and for the Families of the Madras Fusiliers, amounting to Rupees 150.

7th August 1857.—To Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., Madras, No. 1458. Forwards a Bill for Rs. 3,064, being Cochin Subscriptions for the sufferers in the North West Provinces.

8th August 1857.—To the Superintendent of Stamps, Fort Saint George. Forwards an Indent for 2 Sheets of 8 Anna Labels.

To the Deputy Paymaster, Cannanore, No. 1468. Acknowledges a receipt for Captain Drury's Pay.

To Mr. P. Phillipsz, Anjengo, No. 1475. Returns his Bill accepted.

NATIVE DEPARTMENT.

LETTERS OR NOTES RECEIVED.

3rd August 1857.—From the Dewan of Travancore, No. 450, dated 31st Ultimo. Returns a Notice not served for reasons assigned.

From the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1211, dated 30th Ultimo. Acknowledges the Resident's several communications and affords explanation on certain Pagoda Lands to which the Ummah Rajah of Cochin lays claim.

From the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1251, dated 31st Ultimo. Returns the Appeal Court's Original Report with the dates and purports of Orders passed by him on the several requisitions of the Court entered in the margin of the Report.

From the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, Nos. 139 and 140, dated 1st do. Reports certain payments.

4th August 1857.—From the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1252, dated 3rd Ultimo. Returns a Government Petition, the Petitioner not being found.

From the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1253, dated 3rd Ultimo. Returns a Government Petition, the Petitioner not being found.

5th August 1857.—From the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, Nos. 141 and 142, dated 3rd and 4th Ultimo. Reports the dispatch of 50,000 Rupees to Cochin, under the Escort of a Guard and payment of Bills.

From the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1256, dated 3rd Ultimo. Returns a Notice duly served.

From the Dewan of Travancore, Nos. 1257, 5859, dated 3rd Ultimo. Forwards Receipts for Government Petitions.

6th August 1857.—From the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1213, dated 30th Ultimo. Acknowledges Resident's letters, Nos. 2063 and 804 of 19th November 1856, and 4th May 1857, with a representation from Mr. LaBoucherdiere, 2nd Judge, complaining of having to pay Nuzur on his Appointment, which the Dewan explains as having been the invariable practice, both on granting Neets of appointment, as well as transfer from Station to Station.

From the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1268, dated 4th Ultimo. Forwards half-yearly Life Certificate of Shungra Natha Joshier.

From the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1274, dated 5th Ultimo. That he has issued orders to the Tahsildar of Pathanapooram to supply the Officer Commanding Quilon, with 10 Bamboos, as requested, as early as practicable for making up the Escalading Ladders.

From do. do. No. 1284, dated 5th Ultimo. Acknowledges Resident's letter, No. 1394 of 31st Ultimo, and states that he has directed the Tahsildars to cause the Proverticars to attend duly to the requisitions of the Allepey Court.

7th August 1857.—From the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, No. 142, dated 6th Ultimo. Submits monthly Accounts.

From do. do. No. 143, dated 5th Ultimo. Reports sundry Receipts and Disbursements.

From the Appeal Court, Travancore, No. 246, dated 6th Ultimo. Communicate the report of the Session Judge at Paroor.

From do. do. No. 248, dated 6th Ultimo. Forward a Statement of the amount of pay issued in each month to the several Court Establishments.

From P. Sooryanarain Row, Allepey, dated 4th Ultimo. Requests permission to be allowed to make deposits in the Government Savings Bank.

8th August 1857.—From the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1281, dated 5th Ultimo. Forwards receipts for 2 Government Petitions.

From the do. do. No. 1312, dated 7th Ultimo. Acknowledges Resident's Memo: No. 1452 of 7th Instant, and reports on Mr. Robert's complaint against the Trevandrum Tahsildar about a Calf.

From P. Sooryanarain Row, Travancore, dated 8th Ultimo. Forwards 500 Rupees for investment in the 5 per Cent Loan now open.

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3rd August 1857.—To the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1398. That the Resident learns from the Maramut Superintendent that the Neyatencurray Bridge is now nearly completed and that he has commenced raising the Parapet Walls, the expenditure amounts to Rupees 11,315; proposes the speedy completion of the causeways, so that the setting of the loose earth may be more easily effected.

To do. do. No. 1399. Forwards copy of letter from the Officer Commanding Quilon, and request that the requisition for Bamboos may be promptly complied with.

To the do. do. No. 1400. Calls for explanation on the delay to forward the Appeal Court's Report of November 1856.

To the do. do. No. 1415. Forwards Extract from the Fort Saint George Gazette, of Captain Hare's removal to proceed on service to Calcutta and begs it may be made known to H. H. the Rajah.

To the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, No. 1406. Directs him to pay certain Bills.

To the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, No. 1417. Directs him to apply to Colonel Congdon for the Guard when the Treasure is ready for transmission.

To the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1420. Forwards a further communication from the Joint Magistrate Cochin, and requests his particular attention to the report of the Police Ameen of Anjengo of the non-attendance of certain parties essential to the disposal of the case in question.

To the do. do. No. 1421. Forwards copy of a letter from the Commissariat Officer, Cannanore, requesting to know the cost of the Tum-bagum logs supplied to the Commissariat Department at Madras for Gun Carriage Manufactory, and also the Freight for its conveyance to Madras.

5th August 1857.—To the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, No. 1435. Directs him to have ready packed for Shipment either to Calcutta or Bombay, 2,00,000 Rupees and report immediately to the Resident.

6th August 1857.—To the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1445. Transmits copy of a letter from the Magistrate of Tinnevely, on the subject of the Emerald alluded to.

To do. do. No. 1446. Forwards a Notice to be served and returned.

To do. do. No. 1447. Forwards Statement of Subsistence and requests payment of the amount.

To do. do. No. 1448. That his explanation about Nuzzer is not quite satisfactory. That on no occasions should they be more than nominal. Wishes to know what Nuzzers may have been presented by Mr. Kohlhoff on his several promotions.

To do. do. No. 1449. Requests to deliver a Government Petition.

To the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, No. 1441. Directs payment of Bills.

7th August 1857.—To the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1452. Regrets to observe a complaint by Mr. Roberts against the Trevandrum Tahsildar and begs enquiry and report on the case.

To do. do. No. 1453. Forwards copy of the Joint Magistrate's letter and its original enclosures respecting the 7th Defendant Makar, who, the Dewan of Cochin, reports has been delivered to the Travancore Authorities for trial.

To do. do. No. 1454. Requests to deliver a Government Petition.

To do. do. No. 1455. Annexed List of letters and Memo: unanswered, and requests early replies.

To P. Sooreyanarain Row, Allepey, No. 1459. The Treasurer has been authorised to receive his Deposits in the Savings Bank.

To the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, No. 1460, authorizes him to receive from Sooreyanarain Row, such Deposits as he may make into the Savings Bank.

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8th August 1857.—To the Dewan of Travancore, No. 1466. Calls his attention to the Resident's demi-official reference of 27th June on the complaint from Roman Catholic Vicar of Poodoocoorchy.
To M. Cristno Row, and Residency Treasurer, Quilon, Nos. 1469 and 1470. Returns and directs payment of Interest on a Promissory Note.
To Madava Row, Palpanaverom, No. 1471. That acknowledgment will be granted on receipt of the 500 Rupees at the Quilon Treasury.
To the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, Nos. 1476 and 1477. Directs payment of Bills, and Paymaster's receipt.
To do. do. No. 1478. Directs him to receive 500 Rupees from Madava Row, on account of the 5 per Cent Government Loan and to report the same.

Audience received and given, Visits, &c.

3rd August 1857. The Dewan visited the Resident on business.

7th do. do. do.

8th H. H. the Rajah 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.

(Signed) W. CULLEN,

Resident.

Resident's Office, Trevandrum, 17th August 1857.

No. 12. ORDER THEREON, No. 711; dated 2nd September 1857.
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