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Translation of an Orjee addressed to Acting Collector by the Tahsildar of Trivady dated 27th December 1856.

I humbly beg to acknowledge the receipts of 2 orders one from the Commissioner dated 24th December & the other from your honor dated 25th idem. The former directing me not to demand the Rist money due on land belonging to His late Highness and under attachment in any Court until further orders & the latter prohibiting the attachment of any real property which hitherto unattached & calling for a list particularizing the same.

But I beg to be informed, as I entertain doubts on the following points.—

1st. Is it necessary to make enquiries with reference to the previous orders of the Commissioner, into the subject of Coaver field by parties before putting them into

into the possession of the produce?

2d Are also the Meerasdars whose lands were reaped under "umany" and whose produce lay in the threshing ground to be put in charge of it.

3d Are the lands for which estimate of crops were received to be harvested under peon surveillance or not?

4th Are the parties to whom the rent of lands & fishes were given on Moochilkahs to be put in possession of the rents or not?

5th Whether or not the "Umanee dar" of lands of which the Meerasdars rights also belongs to Palaces are to be kept in charge of the threshing ground, that it may not be damaged.

I have also submitted an argee to the Commissioner on the subject.

The enclosed statement shews the lands on each village which remain yet unharvested & the estimate of crops made thereon.

I have &c &c

(Signed)

Collector

Translation of an Urzee addressed to the Asst. Collector by the Tahsildar of Trichinopoly dated 31st December 1856.

Orders were received from the Commissioner on the 24th Instant to postpone all collections from the villages belonging to his late Highness and from your honor on the 25th instant to refrain from all further attendance of the villages of M. Vale M. so that in order to ascertain the intention of the above orders in respect to the harvesting of the crops in the villages under attachment, I have addressed your honor on the 27th as well as the Commissioner for detailed instructions on the subject but no orders have yet been received in answer to both of my applications.

I have this day received a "Public account" for 1864 Cultivation of Faslee ready to be reaped and further Public accounts are shortly expected. if orders be not immediately given for harvesting on the receipt of

Public accounts a decrease in the produce will be the result -

For preserving the produce already reaped and yet to be reaped from any loss by theft or injury by rains by its being heaped up in the thrashing fields it will be better to secure it by leaving it in the care of the Inspectors for then there will be no room for any loss in future -

As it is necessary to secure the produce as above stated to guard against any loss in future the collections be not made, I beg that instructions may be sent to me on every point mooted in my former Vurzee -

(True Translation)

W. Keene [illegible]

Ag. Collector

Pet. dated 11th Augt. No. 13 of 1857 [illegible]

[illegible]

Abstract of

Copies submitted for the Collector's information by the different Tahsildars of the Vurzees addressed by them to the Commissioner -

Tahsildar of Tiruppoondy 3rd January 1857	stating that Collections from the villages of his late highness and Saitoobavasamy under attachment were postponed but requiring orders for the disposal of the grain reaped and heaped up in the fields of the village of Sethamooly belonging to the latter -
Muyavaram 29th December 1856	States that Collections from the villages of his late highness were postponed but wants orders for the disposal of the grain reaped and heaped up in [illegible] village belonging to Saitoobavasamy -
Koottalum 29th December 1856	States that orders were received to put off the Collections from the villages of H. H. but as they do not seem to refer to those of Saitoobavasamy he has issued orders for harvesting the crops that are matured on them -
Mannargoody 28th December 1856	Wants orders with respect to collections being made on the grain reaped from the "[illegible]" villages & consigned to the merchants -
Vallangyman 2nd January 1857	Wants instructions regarding the calculation of Mailwarum on the Kadapoocar crop of Raytangany village attached to the [illegible] of H. H. -

Friday — 26th December

States that the Collections from the villages viz of H. were postponed and Submits a list of the Kadaporean crop showing the portion reaped and what remains to be reaped — and further states that vegetables of the perishable nature require immediate sale —

(Abstract)

Collector

Petition of Appeal Fees Rs. 1/ Paid 5th March 1894

Enclosure 5

Collector

Deputy Tahsildar's Court Jaffna Coombaconum

Before the Subordinate Judge

Plff	Defts
Ramakristanien son of Ramasamien Inspection of Kadoorkaray in the Ayyaseram Taluk —	1 A. Sherry Esquire as Collector of Jaffna 2 Chockalingapilly Vakeelan of Ayyaseram 3 Cyamanayaga Iyengar Pieshcar of Kankasale 4 Ramanoojengan Cumma of Neerpore in the same Taluk —

The Plff seeks to recover from the Defts Rs. 22 11 the value of grain forcibly taken away by them —

Complaint

1 I undertook on the 26th of April last to cultivate a portion of Suruvamunien land 10 Kuruni in extent, belonging to Kristana Row in the village of Kadoorkaray, heretofore engaging myself to pay a "Swamibo Gam" on rent of 60 Cullums annually for the period of 2 years and the land was accordingly placed in my possession —

2 About 30 Cullums of Kadaporian paddy were harvestable in

in the fields this year. The Costs 3-4-
under the orders of 1862 on the 12th Instant
reaped and took possession of the same
without giving me any satisfaction when
duly called upon for their reasons for
doing so.

I now sue them for the
recovery of the grain and to prevent
further interference on their part with my
grounds as also for the grain Viz. 30 Cullums
on the value thereof Rs. 22—11—4 at 12
annas a Cullum be paid to me.

17th December 1856

(Translation)

Subbien
ag Collector

Delivered to Peon Veeraswamy
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No 628

In the Sub Court of Combaconum

O.S. No. 29 of 1856.

Ramakistanadyen son of Ramadasien living } Plff
in Kadoothary, Mayaveram Taloork

Versus

1 J. H. Cherry Esquire acting collector of Tanjore
2 Choctaliga pelly Sahibdar of Ayaveram Taloork
3 Vyaamayya ayangar Peishkar of Pachoorady
of the said Taloork.
4 Ramanooja ayangar quarteen Carnam of
Veeraseyen of the said Taloork — } Defendants

To The J. H. Collector of Tanjore

Take notice that the above named Plaintiff has instituted a suit against you and 3 others for the recovery of Rs 22—11—4 being the value of the Paddy forcibly carried away — You are therefore required to acknowledge the receipt of this notice by endorsement and further to attend in person or by vakeel and deliver your answer to the plaint on or before the 22nd February

February 1857.

Given under my hand and the
Seal of the Sub Court of Combaconum
this 22nd day of December 1856.

(Signed) C C Innes
Sub Judge

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No 94

To
The Secretary to the Govt of Madras
Foreign Department

Sir

I have the honor to enclose
of the Despatch on the 28th Inst.
by Telegraph, and the 4 Manuscript
Duplicates to your address

"The Supreme Court have
"granted no further period of three
"months for the Defendants appearance
"than that granted by their
"on the 4th August and therefore after
"the expiration of three months after
"the receipt yesterday of their Mandate
"Plaintiffs please proceed

"By order of the Court of the
"of the month with Endorsement
"Decree of more than 2500 Rupees
"praying that the Judgment
"Court there given in favour of
"of those months after giving the Defendants
"due Notice of such Application
"Court to grant a Mandate to
"under Execution of the said Decree
"the Defendants Property
"by the Sheriff to the Amount of
"Plaintiffs Attorney

1867.

Lahore

Fort 17th January

To

J. P. Cherry Esqre

&c &c Collector of Lahore

From

T. D. Pycroft Esqre

Extra Assistant Commissioner

Fort 17th January

Sir,

In continuation of my letter

marginally noted, on the subject of

Coll. 11th Inst. No. 56.
Do. 25th Inst. No. 56.
Do. Rent. 16th Dec. 66.

the attachment of the late Rajah

Gulab Singh's Town Residence

Compound in execution of a decree in the Civil

Court at Combaconum -

2nd. The accompanying Copy of

Cir. Ret. the Court Notice shews that the

time originally allowed for delivering

an answer was till the 22nd Instant

but I learn from the Government

Vakeel that it has been since extended

by the Court till the 9th March 1867

3- The Government are aware that it was entirely at the requisition of the Commissioner that the attachments were cancelled under the Collector's orders, and as this Officer has not the necessary means of making the defence against the Plaint, a translation of which is enclosed, I have the hon. to request that Govt will direct the Govt Pleader at Madras to defend the Suit in Communication with the Commissioner.

4 I have further the honor to transmit translations of Encl Nos 3. Page X 27th Dec. 56. Encl No 4 " " 31st Dec. 56. and (6) Encl No 5 " " 31st Dec. 56. made known by the Inhabitants of the Irumaz Taluk, with an acknowledgement of the Date and purport of the Correspondence

correspondence of the several Tahsildars with the Commissioner, drawn from the Copies of the Forms furnished for the information of this Office.

5 It will be seen that the Tahsildars apply for specific instructions for their guidance in matters connected with the Land under attachment. The Superintendent from the Supreme Court has kept every thing at a stand still. The Crops have not been reaped and the Ryots are anxious to sow their grain. The Revenue Officers are at a loss to determine as to whom the process in respect to them must be carried on.

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steps they should take to guard against a damage of the produce; and to avert the loss and a consequent action, for its recovery.

6 — I have referred the Transla[illegible] to the Commissioner for the res[illegible] [illegible] they required and I would strongly but respectfully urge the expediency of taking early steps in order to secure the interests of Govt. and at the same time prevent any loss to the people.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obt. Servant
[signature]
Acting Collector

[illegible]
[illegible] March 1836

[illegible] Esqre.
Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

No 96

[illegible]

[illegible] Mr Sullivan

The [illegible] observe that the late Acting Collector has supplied no information to enable them to judge of the course to be pursued in reference to the suit, the institution of which he has [illegible] — It does not appear what the Land is — beyond that it is stated in the [illegible] to be [illegible] — when & why it was attached — by whom it is claimed & under what title. The Commissioner is requested to furnish the [illegible] any other particulars connected with the Land & the alleged attachment of its produce — when the [illegible] will decide on the ~~course~~ steps to be taken. —

On the other matters [illegible]

In Ihr Ehrengs letter - ordered herewith
already by the K.K. Commissioner
Fort St. George
31st January 1857
Copy of Court of Enquiry Despt. 27th
do. Proceedings in the above letter