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Fort St. George, the 12th May 1857

Political Department.

TUESDAY.

At a Meeting of the Council of Fort St. George,

PRESENT.

THE RIGHT HONORABLE LORD HARRIS,

Governor and President.

HIS EXCELLENCY LIEUTENANT GENERAL

Sir P. Grant R. C. B.

Commander in Chief.

The Honorable Walter Elliot Esq.

and

The Honorable Sir H. C. Montgomery Bt. / Mount /

Minutes of last Consultation of the 5th Inst. approved

Present

An. Govt. Phader.

29th April 1856.

Subscribed his opinion on
the question as to whether it
would be desirable to establish at
once a District Munsiff Court
at Tanjore; and forwarded
of a Bill for abolishing the
Munsiff Courts at Tanjore, and
establishing a District Munsiff
Court.

Minutes of Council.

12th May 1857.

Forwarded with observations
to the Collector of Tanjore.

2 From
The Chepauk Agent. order
4th May No 376 No 360
Under circumstances stated,
suggests the establishment of a
Police Post within the Chepauk
palace grounds.

3 From
The Govt. Agent Chepauk. order
2nd May No 378 No 361
Recommend that Sal-
Mahomed, lately a Private of
the Secord Soldier, but now in
the Company's Army, may
be paid the gratuity of Rs 54

4 From the same.
Noth April No 375.
With reference to the application
from Fatimah Begum to have
her children committed, does he
recommend that this Highness
be allowed to dispose of her
children.

Submits for the opinion
of the Commissioner of P.
Res.

Sanction the payment of
the gratuity, and direct the
Chepauk Agent to arrange for
the ^{permanence} safe delivery of the money
to the party.

Minutes of Court
7th May No 362.
Are of opinion that the case
of Fatimah Begum is deserving
of the indulgence claimed by
her, and authorize the disburse-
ment to her of Rs 1080, in com-
pensation of her children.

From 9
The Resident of Tanjore.
4th May No 396.
Forwards copy of a letter order
from Mr. Shaw, Attorney 8th May
of the Sup. Court, Madras. No 363
serving him, with a writ
of attachment for contempt
of Court, in having affixed
his seal to certain rooms
in the palace of the late
Rajah of Tanjore, and
explains why such a course
was rendered ~~impracticable~~
necessary.

6 Extract. Hind: Court: in
the Financial Dept
1st May No 382.

Communicate Resolution order
of the Govt. of India, 8th May
approving of the propo- No 366
sals of the Govt. of Bom-
bay to commute, hendi-
fary, and perpetual ab-
lowances within the limit
of 20 Rupees per annum.

The H. C. Solicitor requested
to furnish Govt. with his
views on the Subject.

Recorded.

From

The H.C. S. Auditor.

4th May No. 388.

~~Reports on the~~
~~Officers' Accounts, on~~
the list brought by
Lutchman Doss against
the Dewan of the Carnatic
Dewan; and suggests that the
Govt. Agent or the Carnatic
Commissioners ~~be directed~~
~~up~~ to enquire into, and re-
port fully on the claim set up.

Order

8 May

No. 367

Communicate to the Commissioners
for investigating the debts of the
late Nalob.

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Extract from the Proceedings
of the Board of
Revenue.

Order

11 May

21st April No. 362 No. 369

Submit a letter from
the Collector of Ganjam,
and recommend the adoption
of ^{his} proposition ~~therein~~
~~contained~~ for increasing
by graduated instalments
the rent of the Village
of Dophumboge, in his
District.

Approve of the proposition,
and communicate the
same to the Agent in
the Hill Tracts of Orissa.

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From

Comdum Sall of Madras. Order

25th April No. 372 11th May

Forward copy of a letter from
Mr. Boyson, to his address,
respecting his claim against
the late Nalob of the Car-
natic; and depends on the
justice of Govt. for the ad-
justment of the same.

Recorded.

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From

The Govt. of India.

28th April No. 396

Forward for consideration. Order
a further Memorial addressed
to them by the servants of the
late Nalob of the Carnatic,
praying for pensionary sup-
port.

12th May

No. 371

Forwarded for the report
of the Govt. Agent at
Chitpauk.

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21-23

From

The Res^t of Travancore

and Cochin orders

N^o 379-380. 12th May

Submits the Political N^o 372

Diary of the two Residencies L 373

for the week ending
19th April 1857

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From

The Commissioner of
Tanjore

1st May N^o 383.

For reasons stated,
proposes the appoint^{mt}
of a new body of
men ^{to} performing
Police duties within
the limits of the
Fort of Tanjore, and
submits a list of
~~Officers~~ ^{Officers} for the sanction
of Gov^t.

22-26

Recorded.

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Minutes of Comd.

12th May N^o 374

Report for the opinion of
the Hon. Company's Solicitor

From

The Res^t of

6th May N^o 398.

Reports the obstacles he met
with on the 1st Inst^t, in dis-
tributing provisions for the in-
mates of the Palace, and the
manner in which the diffi-
culty was overcome, and desires
the necessity of a relaxation
the Instructions issued
Sup. Court.

Minutes of Comd

12th May N^o 375

Approves of the course
adopted by ~~the President~~
in overcoming the obstacles
referred to, and gives certain
instructions ~~in~~ regarding the
distribution of provisions
and the stores.

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J. D. S.

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Political 1857 Department.

No. 18

CONSULTATION

Dated

12 May