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1	To the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.	1st July.	Request to be furnished with a Report as to the extent which it is intended that gratuitous labor on the part of the Ryots should be renewed in the Travancore Sirkar.
2	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.	26th June.	Submits letter from the Dewan of the Durbar, requesting that instructions be issued to the Collector of Chingleput, to cause assistance to be rendered in procuring forage for the Sirkar Elephants.
3	Order thereon.....	1st July.	Communicated to the Collector of Chingleput with the necessary instructions.
4	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.	29th May.	Political Diary of the Residency of Travancore for the week ending 17th May 1857.
5	Order thereon.....	2nd July.	Recorded.
6	To the Governor of the French Establishments in India.	3rd July.	Intimate that orders have been issued for forwarding to Pondicherry the Arms and Ammunition he has applied for.
7	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.	30th June.	Submits letter from the Dewan of the Durbar, requesting that the Sub Treasurer be authorized to disburse to him Rupees 24,000 to discharge the Wages of the Sirkar Servants for June last.
8	Order thereon.....	3rd July.	The Sub Treasurer authorized accordingly.
9	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.	22nd June.	Political Diary of the Residency of Cochin for the week ending 14th June 1857.
10	Order thereon.....	3rd July.	Recorded.
11	From the Collector of Malabar.	27th June.	Requests that the enclosures to his letter of the 5th May last, No. 67, be transmitted to him, in view to the Hoondie in her husband's favor, and his last Will being restored to Mokry Oomatha of Parrakadava who produced the requisite Certificate under Act XX of 1841.
12	Order thereon.....	3rd July.	The enclosures referred to, ordered to be retransmitted to Mr. Robinson.
13	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.	16th May.	Submits, in compliance with the requisition of Government, the detailed lists furnished to him by H. H. Khyre Oon Nissa Begum, of the Members of the Family and Dependents and Servants of the Carnatic Sirkar who are maintained out of the monthly allowance assigned to her by the late Nabob.
14	Order thereon.....	3rd July.	Review the lists, desire to be furnished with an amended one with reference to certain points noticed, and the report of the Agent thereon.
15	From M. R. R. Succararam Sahib.	19th June.	Brings once more to the notice of Government his claims to be recognized as Heir of His late Highness the Rajah of Tanjore.
15A	To the above.....	3rd July.	Intimate that a liberal provision will be made for him as a Member of the Rajah's family.
16	From the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.	2nd July.	Reports that the Arms, &c., to be despatched to Pondicherry are ready for Shipment on the "Manilla."
17	From the Marine Board.....	2nd July.	State that the Arms, &c., intended for Pondicherry may be sent by the "Manilla."
18	From the above.....	3rd July.	Intimate that it has been found impossible to despatch the "Manilla" before the 4th Instant, and enquire if any despatch to the French Governor will be sent by her.

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19	To the Governor of the French Settlements in India.	3rd July.	Inform him of the despatch of the Arms, &c., applied for by him.
20	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.	24th June.	Submits, in the prescribed Form, a pplication on behalf of Zaheer Ood Deen Hooossain Khan to have his Stipend commuted into a Bonus.
21	Order thereon.....	4th July.	Authorize the disbursement to the above Stipendiary of the equivalent of his Pension.
22	Extract Minutes Consultation in the Public Department.		Communicate the general instructions issued by Government in the Military Department with reference to the case of one Pereira, late a Supervisor of the Gunpowder Manufactory.
23	Order thereon.....	4th July.	Communicated to the Government Agent at Chepauk, and the Paymaster of Stipends at Vellore.
24	From the Adjutant General of the Army.	30th June.	Requests sanction for the Pay, Clothing and Rations of the European Pensioners embodied for Military Service.
25	Order thereon.....	4th July.	Communicated to the Military Department.
26	To the Governor of the French Establishments in India.	4th July.	Intimate that orders have been issued for payment at Cuddalore of a Moiety of the 2nd Instalment of rent due to France by the East India Company for the year 1857.
27	From the Resident of Tanjore.	29th June.	Observes that he was justified in sealing certain Cloths and Dresses in the Zamdarkhana.
28	Order thereon.....	6th July.	Communicated to the H. C. Solicitor.
29	From the Commisioner of Tanjore.	24th June.	Reports that he has called upon Dr. Brooking, on the Neilgherry Hills, to transmit to him any Vouchers or appear personally to meet the Serkele's claims.
30	Order thereon.....	6th July.	Recorded.
31	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.		Political Diary of Travancore for the week ending 14th June 1857.
32	Order thereon.....	6th July.	Recorded.
33	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.	27th June.	Political Diary of Cochin for the week ending 21st June 1857.
34	Order thereon.....	6th July.	Recorded.
35	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.	27th June.	Forwards Documents called for in the Orders of Government of the 5th June last, No. 428.
36	Order thercon.....	6th July.	The Documents forwarded to the H. C. Solicitor.
37	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.	26th June.	Reports on the Petition of Syed Taha Sahib and other Jaghiredar Stipendiaries complaining of the new Form of receipt in which they are styled Carnatic Stipendiaries.
38	Order thereon.....	6th July.	Observe that the objection may be obviated by having some of the Forms printed with the words Carnatic Jaghiredar Stipendiaries.
39	From the Commissioner of Tanjore.	2nd May.	Reports on the past and recent position of the Choultries managed by the late Rajah and proposes certain modification of the sources from which the income of those Institutions has been and is drawn.
39A.	Memo; by H. Forbes, Esq.,	27th May.	Submits further, as requested, his views on the above subject.
39B.	Order thereon.....	4th July.	The above correspondence forwarded to the Honorable Company's Solicitor for his opinion on the general question of making arrangements for the proper management of the Choultries and bringing them under Regulation 7 of 1817.
40	From the Collector of Tanjore.	27th June.	Submits Memorial addressed to the Ceylon Government by Vencatasawmy Rajah, adopted Son of the Widow of the Uncle of the late Rajah of Kandy, praying that the Pension of his deceased adoptive Mother be conferred upon him.

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41	To the Government of Ceylon.	7th July.	Transmit the above Memorial.
42	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.		Political Diary of Travancore for the week ending 21st June 1857.
43	Order thereon.....	7th July.	Recorded.
44	From the Commissioner of Tanjore.	30th June.	Reports that the Subordinate Court has declined to accept the motion which the Government Pleader suggested should precede the presentation of the rejoinder in the case of Ramakistnier against the late Acting Collector of Tanjore and others.
45	Order thereon.....	7th July.	Communicated to the Government Pleader.

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1	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.	29th June.	Reports that Carnatic Stipendiary Hakeem Mohtamim Dowlah has been guilty of Fraud in certifying that his Service extends over a period of 33 years, while he knows that it amounts to 24 only.
2	Order thereon.....	8th July.	Do not consider the Stipendiary guilty of Fraud; and accept the clear explanation submitted by him.
3	From the Chepauk Agent.....	26th June.	Remarks on the impropriety of Syed Taha Sahib, a Jaghiredar Stipendiary, being allowed to prefer his complaints direct to Govt. Observe that the subject has already been disposed of.
4	Order thereon.....	8th July.	Submits letter from the Dewan, reporting that Nujabat Khan has been appointed to superintend the Sirkar Gardens at Satgudda.
5	From the Chepauk Agent.....	3rd July.	Instructions issued to the Collector of North Arcot to make the usual payments on account of the Gardens to Nujabat Khan.
6	Order thereon.....	8th July.	(Inserted in the Secret Department.)
7	Minute by the Right Honorable the President.	7th July.	Do. do.
8	Order thereon.....	9th July.	Do. do.
8A.	To the Government of India.	9th July.	Recommends that out of the Pension of Rupees 100 held by the late Carnatic Stipendiary, No. 1318; Rupees 35, be continued to his heirs, five in number.
9	From the Chepauk Agent.....	19th June.	Under the orders of the Supreme Government allow a moiety of the lapsed Pension being apportioned to the heirs referred to.
10	Order thereon.....	10th July.	Forwards letter from the Dewan submitting one from Messrs. Boyson and Miller, requesting to be supplied with 500 Rupees on account of the Case of the Hoondie for 6000 Rupees.
11	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.	23rd June.	Recorded.
12	Order thereon.....	10th July.	Requests to be supplied with certain Pieces of Light Artillery with a suitable quantity of Ammunition.
13	From the Governor of the French Establishments in India.	7th July.	In reply to the reference made to him, states that the requisition of the French Governor cannot be fully complied with; but that 2 Pieces can be spared for the present.
14	From the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.	July.	Direct that measures be taken to send to Pondicherry the two Pieces referred to, with the necessary Ammunition.
15	Order thereon.....	11th July.	Communicate the above.
16	To the Governor of the French Establishments in India.	11th July.	
17	From the Governor of the French Establishments in India.	9th July.	Gives certain information relative to the present disturbed state of the Country.
18	To the above.....	13th July.	Thank him for the information given.
19	To the Government of India.	13th July.	Solicit sanction for the monthly disbursement of 50 Rupees on account of the confidential Department of the Secretariat.
20	From the Governor of the French Establishments in India.	10th July.	Applies for a certain number of Pouches and Sword Belts.

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20A.	Order thereon.....	13th July.	Direct the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines to have the supply readily made.
21	To the Governor of the French Establishments in India.	13th July.	Communicate the above.
22	From the Chepauk Agent....	23rd June.	Brings to notice that of the two Appointments held by Salar-Ool-Moolk Bahadoor, the Office of Private Secretary was not a principal one, and does not in consequence entitle him to full Pension.
23	Order thereon.....	13th July.	As the Pension of the above Stipendiary has already been settled, Government consider it unnecessary to make the small reduction which would be effected, were his position viewed in the light taken by Dr. Balfour.
24	From the Chepauk Agent....	8th July.	Submits letter from Khyroon-Nissa-Begum, soliciting the interference of Government in relieving her from the degradation to which she will be subjected by the proceedings of the Supreme Court, in the event of her servant in the "Moonsoor Bhag" being ejected therefrom on behalf of one Girdir Doss.
25	Order thereon.....	13th July.	The correspondence referred to the Honorable Company's Solicitor, in view to the consideration of measures for opposing under XVIII of 1857, any Application which may be made to the Supreme Court, for a Writ of Ejectment.

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26	From the Honorable Company's Solicitor.	11th July.	Intimates that the Suit of Kamachee Boyee Sahiba against the East India Company will not come on for hearing during the ensuing term which commences on the 17th Instant.
27	To the Government of India.	14th July.	Communicate the above.
28	From the Honorable Company's Solicitor.	13th July.	Requests that the Commissioner of Tanjore be directed to furnish him with the List of certain Documents, connected with the Raj, referred to in Mr. Ritchie's opinion of the 30th May 1857.
29	Order thereon.....	14th July.	The Commissioner instructed to furnish the papers applied for by the Honorable Company's Solicitor.
30	From the Chairman of the Meeting of the Native Community of Madras..	11th July.	Loyal address to Government from the Native Community together with the Proceedings of the Public Meeting, held on the 2nd July.
31	Order thereon.....	14th July.	Accept the above with the greatest satisfaction.

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1	From the Commissioner of Tanjore.	9th June.	Submits his own observations and those of the Civil Judge of Combaconum on the Sketch of a Bill prepared by the Government Pleader for abolishing the Durbar Courts at Tanjore and establishing a District Moonsiff's Court; and returns the Sketch Bill with some blanks in it filled up.
2	Order thereon.....	15th July.	Forward the Paper to the Government Pleader with certain remarks, in order that the Sketch Bill may be put into a finished shape.
3	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.	4th July.	Political Diary of the Residency of Cochin for the week ending 28th June 1857.
4	Order thereon.....	15th July.	Recorded.
5	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.	31st May.	Submits a report on the Finances of the Cochin Sirkar for the year 1855-56, and also Account Current of the Receipts and Disbursements during the same period, with a Comparative Statement of the Collections and Charges in the three years 1853-54, 1854-55 and 1855-56.
6	Order thereon.....	15th July.	Animadvert on the delay in the submission of the Statements and call on the Resident to expedite their transmission in future. Review the Statements, and with reference to the increase of Revenue from the Tobacco Monopoly, desire the Resident to take measures for moderating the harsh proceedings adopted in enforcing Monopolies. Call for explanation as to the increase of expenditure under the head of "Charges Extraordinary" and wish the Sirkar's attention to be drawn to the early completion of Works of Irrigation and to the improvements of Roads.
7	From the Govt. Pleader.....	10th July.	The Subordinate Court having refused to accept the motion made prior to the presentation of the Rejoinder in the case of Ramakistnier against the late Acting Collector of Tanjore, points out the course which he considers necessary to be followed in the matter.
8	Order thereon.....	16th July.	The Collector of Tanjore instructed to follow above course.
9	From the Chepauk Agent....	8th July.	Submits with his remarks letter from the Dewan of the Durbar requesting orders to discharge the salaries of the Servants on the Madud Khurch Establishment for October 1855, the amount allowed for that month having been applied towards the payment of arrears due for May of that year.
10	Order thereon.....	16th July.	Refer the above for the report of the Accountant General and the Commissioners for investigating the debts of the late Nabob; and observe that the proceeding of the Dewan was irregular and productive of confusion in the Accounts.
11	Minute of Consultation.....	16th July.	Call upon the Resident of Travancore and Cochin to submit early his report as to the best mode of adjudicating on the rival claims to the Alleppie Idol.

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12	From Moobaruck Oon Nissa Begum	7th July.	The Government Agent at Chepauk, having refused to comply with her request to have the Stipend commuted, prays that she may be allowed the advantage of the permission accorded to Carnatic Stipendiaries by the Honorable Court.
13	Order thereon.....	16th July.	The Agent called upon to consider whether there is a fair prospect of the Begum's advancing in social position by means of the Capital raised by the Sale of the Pension.
14	From the Accountant General	11th July.	Submits a Statement of the payments made to Netherlands Pensioners on account of their Pensions for January, February and March last, together with the receipts of the parties; and encloses a Bill for the Net amount paid on the Netherlands Government in favor of the Resident Councillor at Singapore.
15	To the above.....	17th July.	Intimate that the Statement and the Bill will be transmitted to the Resident Councillor at Singapore by the first opportunity, for presentation.
16	To the Resident Councillor at Singapore.	17th July.	Transmit the Statement and the Bill referred to, together with the Vouchers.
17	To the Government of India.	17th July.	Transmit copy of the letter from the Accountant General and the Statement which accompanied it; and intimate that the Bill has been forwarded to the Resident Councillor at Singapore.
18	Minute by the Right Honorable the President.	15th July.	Proposes the formation of a Militia Corps for the protection of the town, and for the Military requirements of the Garrison of Fort St. George.
19	Minute by the Honorable Walter Elliott, Esq.	16th July.	Seconds the above propositions.
20	Order thereon.....	17th July.	Communicate to the Military Department in view to the necessary steps being taken.
21	From the Accountant General	10th July.	Applies for a temporary Establishment for a period of six months at the cost of Rupees 340 a month, to enable him to examine the Accounts of expenditure rendered by the Dewan of the Carnatic Durbar.
22	Order thereon.....	17th July.	Authorize the entertainment of the Establishment referred to.
23	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.	4th July.	Political Diary of Travancore for the week ending 28th June 1857.
24	Order thereon.....	17th July.	Recorded.
25	To the Governor of the French Establishments in India.	18th July.	Intimates the despatch by the "Manilla" of certain Arms and Accoutrements applied for by him; and requests that cases of Arms and Ammunition, consigned to the Collector of South Arcot, may be landed at Pondicherry and taken care of until he sends for them.
26	To the Collector of South Arcot.	18th July.	Communicate to him that the Government of Pondicherry has been requested to allow the Arms and Ammunition consigned to him to be landed and taken care of, until he sends for them.
27	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.	11th July.	Reports on the Petition of an Inhabitant of the Cantonment of Quilon, complaining that by order of Lieut. Colonel Congdon, his property has been removed, and his pulled down; and submits correspondence connected with the above case.

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28	Order thereon.....	20th July.	Communicated to the Military Department.
29	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.	17th July.	Submits Memorials from two of the Chief Officers of the Carnatic Sircar, praying that Pensions equal to the full amount of their salaries may be conferred on them.
30	Order thereon.....	20th July.	Comply with the request of the Memorialists; and desire to be informed by the Agent why they were placed in an inferior position in the list of Chief Officers, submitted to Government.

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1	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.....	6th July.	Submits letter from the Dewan of Cochin, explaining with reference to the call made upon that Sirkar, the causes of the falling off in the proceeds of the Salt Monopoly, and the diminution of 'Charges Extraordinary' in the year 1854-55; and reports that measures have been taken by the Sirkar to prevent the affrays arising out of the mode of enforcing the Pepper Monopoly.
2	Order thereon.....	22nd July.	The above and its enclosure forwarded to the Honorable Court, and the Dewan directed to be informed that outlays on Public Works, and charges of an actually Extraordinary character should be exhibited under distinct heads.
3	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.....	21st July.	Requests to be informed of the amount of Stipend to be allowed to Carnatic Stipendiary Moshtamim Ood Dowlah, who has been directed to be recognized as a Chief Officer of the Carnatic Sirkar.
4	Order thereon.....	22nd July.	Direct that the above Stipendiary should enjoy the full amount of his salary as a Pension for life, in conformity with the Orders of the Honorable Court, and the Supreme Government.
5	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.....	21st July.	Suggests that certain Swords, Guns, &c., belonging to the Nabob's Private Stores, be lodged in the Arsenal; and reports that there are some other Swords and Muskets, which have escaped observation on former occasions.
6	Order thereon.....	23rd July.	Approved of the arrangement.
7	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.....	19th May.	Submits, with his explanation, re-arranged as prescribed by Government, the Lists of the Servants of the Carnatic Sirkar, including those at Out-Stations.
8	Order thereon.....	23rd July.	Review the several Lists submitted; and call for information in regard to certain Institutions maintained by the Carnatic Sirkar.
9	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.....	13th July.	Political Diary of Travancore, for the week ending 4th July 1857.
10	Order thereon.....	23rd July.	Recorded.
11	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.....	13th July.	Political Diary of Cochin, for the week ending 4th July 1857.
12	Order thereon.....	23rd July.	Recorded.
13	From the Resident of Tanjore.....	17th July.	Reports the demise of the Acting Serkele of the late Rajah of Tanjore.
14	Order thereon.....	23rd July.	Recorded.
15	From the Governor of the French Establishments in India.....	18th July.	Requesting that the two Field Pieces and other Articles promised, be sent by the French Brig 'Adeline.'
16	Order thereon.....	23rd July.	Recorded.
17	From the Government of India.....	27th June.	Sanction the Contingent Charges of the Orissa Agency for May last.
18	Order thereon.....	23rd July.	Communicated to the Offices of Account and Audit.
19	From Goolam Zynool Audeen, Hyderabad Moon-shee of the Mahacamah Court of the late Nabob.	30th May.	Prays, on the ground of the Services rendered by his Father and Fore-father to the Nabobs of the Carnatic, that a Pension equivalent to the full amount of his pay, 30 Rupees a month, be conferred upon him.

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20	Order thereon.....	23rd July.	Forwarded to Dr. Balfour, for recommendation, in order that the Pension may be fixed upon Ancestral as well as Personal Service, in accordance with the instructions recently issued.
21	From the Government of India.....	8th July.	Transmit, for disposal, copy of a further Petition, from certain Servants of the late Nabob, praying for Pensionary Allowances.
22	Order thereon.....	25th July.	Referred for the report of the Government Agent at Chepauk.
23	From the Agent at Ganjam.....	3rd July.	In reply to the reference made to him, states that he sees no objection to the Family of Rajah Pilla, returning to either Ganjam or Cuttack, but observe the latter would be a preferable location; and recommends that a Stipend of 10 Rupees a month be granted to the Family.
24	Order thereon.....	25th July.	Government cannot allow of the Family returning to their Native Country at present; and call upon the Brigadier Commanding Vellore to report the amount suitable as a Pensionary Allowance to each Member of the Family.
25	From the Resident of Tanjore.....	16th July.	Submits, with his recommendation Memorial from the 1st and 4th Queens of the Ex-King of Candy, soliciting a contribution towards the expenses of the Marriage of their Grand Daughter.
26	To the Government of Ceylon.....	25th July.	Forward the Memorial for their considerations.
27	From the Government of India.....	10th July.	Transmit a Proclamation on the subject of rewards offered for the capture of Mutineers; and request that the widest publicity be given thereto.
28	Order thereon.....	24th July.	The Proclamation ordered to be published in several successive issues of the Gazette, and the several Translators to Government instructed to prepare and forward Translations of the Proclamation in the Native Languages. The letter from the Supreme Government communicated to the Military Department, the Resident of Travancore, the Commissioner of Police and the Judges of the Fouzdaree Udaltut.
29	From the Resident of Travancore and Cochin.....	14th July.	In reply to the call made upon him, explains that the Travancore Sirkar intends nothing more than the application of the gratuitous labor of the Ryots to the keeping, in fair repair, the Village and main Roads.
30	Order thereon.....	27th July.	Believe that the matter will be carefully watched by the Resident.
31	To the Resident at Hyderabad.....	27th July.	(Inserted in the Secret Department).
31A.	From the Government Agent at Chepauk.....	3d July.	Submits a letter from Prince Azeem Jah Bahadur expressing his thankfulness to Government for the measures they proposed to the Supreme Government regarding Act I of 1844.
31B.	Order thereon.....	27th June.	Recorded.

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32	From the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.....	21st July.	Reports that the Accoutrements intended for the French Government at Pondicherry were not despatched by the 'Manilla'; and submits two Lists of the Military Stores sent by that Vessel to the French Government and the Collector of South Arcot.
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33	Order thereon.....	28th July.	The Marine Board called upon to arrange for the earliest despatch to Pondicherry of the Accoutrements referred to.
34	To the French Governor at Pondicherry.....	28th July.	Communicate the above.
35	From the above.....	26th July.	Applying for the Services of an experienced Artificer to work certain Field Pieces and to prepare the charges for the same, the expenses of his Voyage and sojourn at Pondicherry being paid by the French Government.
36	Order thereon.....	28th July.	The Inspector General of Ordnance, called upon to report if he is able to secure the services of a competent person for the purpose referred to.