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Fort Saint George, Political Consultation, 2nd March 1858.

No. 24. Diary of the Residency of Travancore from Monday the 25th to Sunday the 31st January 1858, Inclusive.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.

LETTERS RECEIVED.

25th January 1858.—From the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, No. 14, dated 9th Instant. On the Financial Statements of the Travancore Sirkar for 1031, (1856-56.)

From the Collector of Tinnevely, No. 13, dated 18th Instant. That he has requested the Acting District Engineer to meet with Mr. Shadden before a final determination regarding a Dam across the Varattaur.

From the Collector of Tinnevely, No. 90, dated 18th Instant. Forwards the Rowanah required by the Acting Dewan.

From the Accountant General, Fort St. George, No. 743, dated 18th Instant. Acquaints having authorized the Collector of Malabar to draw on the Resident to the extent of 30,000 Rupees.

From the Acting Civil Judge, Tinnevely, No. 42, dated 18th Instant. Forwards a Notice to be served and returned.

From the Acting Collector of Malabar, No. 146, dated 19th Instant. Transmits duplicate advice of a Bill.

From the Civil Judge, Calicut, No. 33, dated 20th Instant. Requests early return of a Proclamation.

From the Civil Judge, Calicut, No. 32, dated 20th Instant. Forwards a Notice to be served and returned.

From the Acting Collector of Malabar, No. 166, dated 21st Instant. That under the authority of a Telegraph Message from the Accountant General, Fort Saint George, he encloses the advice of a Bill for Rupees 30,000.

From the Police Ameens of Tangacherry and Arjengo, dated 21st and 22nd Instant. Forwards Bill for acceptance.

From the Officer Commanding Nair Brigade, dated 23rd Instant. Report of additional Guards furnished.

From the Officiating Inspecting Post Master, Tinnevely Division, Alleppy, No. 203, dated 23rd Instant. Requests a Bill on the Accountant General for Rupees 28.

26th January 1858.—From the Superintendent of Police, Quilon, No. 13, dated 22nd Instant. Forwards Price Current list for December 1857.

27th January 1858.—From the Magistrate of Tinnevely, No. 37, dated 21st Instant. Requests to afford aid to the Warrant Peon for his apprehension of an individual.

From the Acting Collector of Malabar, No. 185, dated 26th Instant. Begg to alter the name of the party in the Bill and advice referred to in his letter, No. 166 of the 21st Instant.

From the Rev. R. H. Vickers, Alleppy, dated 26th Instant. Forwards a Bill for acceptance.

28th January 1858.—From the Acting Collector of Malabar, No. 58, dated 8th Instant. States that certain subjects of the Company's Farms having applied to him for Rahdaries to cover Tobacco for the use of their Villages, begs for the Resident's co-operations to secure them this right and to arrange that Tobacco so covered may be allowed to pass into the Company's Territories.

From the Director of the Observatory, Trevandrum, No. 30, dated 18th Instant. Begg to inform the Government of India of a Scientific Library connected with the Observatory and another for the Museum and to request the Government will oblige by presenting copies of any works or papers published in the several Presidencies.

From the Civil Judge, Mangalore, No. 10, dated 19th Instant. Requests early return of a Notice and Proclamation.

From the Officer Commanding Nair Brigade, Trevandrum, No. 11, dated 25th Instant. Reports the arrival of Lieut. Playfair and that he was brought on the strength of the Brigade on the 24th Instant.

From the Commercial Agent, Alleppy, No. 18, dated 25th Instant. Forwards to the Acting Dewan the Account Current of Messrs. Remington and Co. with the Sirkar.

From do. do. No. 20, dated 25th Instant. Suggests to the Acting Dewan to get horses from England for the Fire Engine at Trevandrum.

29th January 1858.—From the Civil Judge, Mangalore, No. 5, dated 14th Instant. Forwards a Notice and Proclamation to be served and returned.

From the Commercial Agent, Alleppy, No. 21 of 26th Instant. Forwards to the Acting Dewan another communication from Mrs. D'Souza.

From the Reverends H. Baker, Senior and Junior, Cotyam, dated 27th Instant. Forward Bills for acceptance.

30th January 1858.—From the Director of the Observatory, Trevandrum, No. 5, dated 26th Instant. Begg to obtain the loan from the Government of India of certain Magnetic Observations of Simla.

LETTERS ISSUED.

25th January 1858.—To the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, No. 2. Reports the appointment of the Dewan Peishkar Madaya Row, as Acting Dewan by His Highness the Rajah.

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To the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, No. 3. That he deferred preparing any report on the subject of the Bimbom until he could visit Cochin.

To the Superintendent of Press, Trevandrum, No. 151. Requests certain Forms to be printed.

To the Police Ameen, Anjengo and Tangacherry, Nos. 152 and 153. Returns Bills accepted.

To the Joint Magistrate, Cochin, No. 157. Forwards an Advertisement for publicity.

To the Magistrate of Tinnevely, No. 161. Requests to cause attendance of 3 witnesses.

26th January 1858.—To the Officer Commanding Quilon, No. 163. Forwards Mr. Stevenage's explanation on Mr. Snow's complaint.

To the Rev. Mr. Cox, No. 168. Transmits copy of a letter from the Acting Dewan of Travancore relating to the Pundarom complained of by him.

To the Officer Commanding or Staff Officer, Vellore, No. 169. Requests delivery of an Endorsement on a Petition to a pensioned Havildar of the 48th Regiment Native Infantry at Vellore.

27th January 1858.—To the Rev. R. H. Vickers, Alleppy, No. 174. Returns his Bill accepted.

28th January 1858.—To the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, No. 4. Submits copy of an application from the Director of the Trevandrum Observatory to be permitted to be furnished from time to time with copies of any Works published in the several Presidencies.

To the Civil Judge of Calicut, No. 177. Returns a Notice not served.

To the Acting Collector of Malabar, No. 179. Requests a statement of Pepper exported from Cochin in 1856 and 1857.

29th January 1858.—To the Revds. Baker, Senior and Junior, Cotyam, Nos. 188 and 189. Returns Bills accepted.

30th January 1858.—To the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, No. 5. Submits copy of a letter from the Director of the Trevandrum Observatory requesting loan of the Manuscript Magnetic Observations made in Simla in 1843/4/5.

NATIVE DEPARTMENT.
LETTERS OR NOTES RECEIVED.

25th January 1858.—From the Acting Dewan of Travancore, No. 156, dated 19th Instant. Forwards receipt for a Government Petition. From do. do. No. 164, dated 19th Instant. Communicates His Highness' approval to granting six months' sick leave and stoppage of pay for the last four months to Mr. Roberts. From do. do. No. 167, dated 20th Instant. Requests to cause the attendance of three Witnesses from Tinnevely.

From do. do. No. 174, dated 21st Instant. Forwards copy of Advertisement for Teak Timber for publicity in British Cochin.

From the Appeal Court, Trevandrum, No. 19 of 21st Instant. Report that the term of suspension of the Shastri of the Krishnapooram Court having expired, they recommended certain transfers of the Shastries.

26th January 1858.—From the Dewan Peishkar in charge, Travancore, No. 83, dated 9th Instant. Forwards copy of Mr. Stevenage's explanation on Mr. Snow's complaint.

From the Acting Dewan of Travancore, No. 155, dated 19th Instant. States that the Pundarom complained of by the Reverend Mr. Cox having been on enquiry proved guilty, was sentenced to 2 months' imprisonment in Irons.

From do. do. No. 157, dated 22nd Instant. Proposes measures for the disposal of Teak Timber.

27th January 1858.—From the do. do. No. 192, dated 24th Instant. Reports that His Highness the Rajah and suite left Attingal on the evening of the 22nd and safely arrived at Trevandrum on the morning of the 24th Instant.

From do. do. No. 193, dated 24th Instant. That on hearing further from the Resident he will issue the necessary orders to the Sirkar servants to meet those of the Honorable Company in adjusting the disputes regarding certain lands between Cape Comorin and Pangoody.

26th January 1858.—Urzee from Cauden Oally of Shartally, No. 101. Complains of the unjust confinement of the Petitioner's brothers and nephews.

Memo.—The criminal Court of Alleppy are desired to endorse and return the accompanying Petition to the writer of it.

Urzee from Chockco many of Moopatolay, No. 102. Complains of refusal by the Court to admit his Suit regarding certain lands.

Memo.—Desires the Paroor Zillah Court to endorse and return the accompanying Petition to the writer of it.

27th January 1858.—Urzee from Andy Chack and others of Eddapully in Coonattand, No. 106. With reference to Petition, No. 1795 of 1856, and the Resident's endorsement thereon, pray for the settlement of the case.

Memo.—Forwarded to the Session Judge for immediate explanation.

Urzee from Ealom Cadootha Cadootha Paniken of Yetmanoor, No. 107. With reference to Petition, No. 2271 of 1857, and the endorsement given thereon, prays that his relatives may be ordered to be released on bail.

Memo.—The case of accompanying Petition appears to have been long before the Appeal Court and the Resident would wish to know when it will be disposed of.

Urzee from Cochonthera Anna and others of Shertally, No. 110. Complain that an unjust decision is about to be passed by the Court on their case of property dispute.

Endorsement.—The Resident sees no grounds to interfere. Petitioners should apply to the Court for an endorsement to produce to the Resident.

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23th January 1858.—Urzee from Govinda Pillay, Acting Tasildar of Allengoud, No. 115. Brings certain charges against Kashaven Numboory a late Proverticar.

Nemo.—Wishes the Acting Dewan to call upon the Appeal Court for some explanation of the points complained of by Petitioner.

29th January 1858.—Urzee from Moothoocaropen Andy of Alleppy, No. 120. With reference to Petition, No. 2189 of 1857, prays for redress.

Memo.—Transmit a farther Petition for early report of the Appeal Court.

Urzee from Soobramanian Palpanaben of Trevandrum, No. 122. With reference to Petition, No. 2184 of 1857, states that nothing has yet been done to his case.

Memo.—Forwarded to the Appeal Court for early report with reference to the Resident's Memo: dated 5th Ultimo, on Petition No. 2184 of 1857.

30th January.—Urzee from Eavy Narainen, 2nd Defendant in case No. 37 of 1080, on the Files of the Appeal Court, No. 125. Complains of delay to hand over the opposite party to the Police by the Appeal Court, although it was proved that the Document produced by him in support of his case was a forged one.

Memo.—The Appeal Court will give due attention to the Petitioner's complaint and furnish him with an endorsement.

Urzee from Pylee Vavoo of Aroor in Shertally, No. 126. With reference to Petition, No. 62 of 1858, prays that he may not be annoyed by the District Authorities.

Endorsement.—As the Resident believes that the Petitioner is required to go to Trevandrum by order of the Acting Dewan, the Resident declines to interfere in this case.

Urzee from Shingranarainen, the Nephew of the deceased Shingranaraina, a Pillay of the Magistrate Police, No. 128. With reference to his former Petition states that he has not yet been employed.

Memo.—Forwarded to the Acting Dewan with reference to Resident's Memorandum of 5th December 1857 on Petition No. 2185 of 1858.

Urzee from Itterah Ouseppoo Ouseppoo Vakeel of Narainen Nelacunden Elayathoo of Paroor, No. 129. Complains that the Court are intending to pass a decree in favor of the opposite party by the strength of a false document.

Memo.—Forwarded for the prompt report of the Paroor Zillah Court.

25th January 1858.—To the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, No. 141. That in future to in-

sert the Warrant, No. and date of payment of Interest on the back of all Notes when payment of interest is made.

To the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, No. 143. Orders payment of the remaining portion of the Paymaster's Bill, No. 97, to the Public Cattle Mutsuddy at Ifecaray.

To the Acting Dewan of Travancore, No. 148. Forwards two Notices to be served and returned.

To the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, No. 154. Orders the payment of Bills.

To the Appeal Court Travancore, No. 156. Approves of their proposals for the transfer of the Shastries alluded to.

To the Acting Dewan of Travancore, No. 158. Acknowledges his letter, No. 153 of 19th Instant, and concurs in the arrangement therein proposed.

To do. do. No. 159. Forwards copy of Mr. Silver's letter with the Rowanah in question.

To do. do. No. 160. Forwards an original letter from Mr. A. G. Baker, and calls his attention to a communication addressed to the late Dewan on the subject.

26th January 1858.—To the Acting Dewan of Travancore, No. 179. Approves of the measure proposed for the disposal of Teak Timber.

To the do. do. No. 172. Forwards copy of Mr. Silver's letter and requests to afford aid to a Warrant Peon in the apprehension of an individual.

To the Residency Treasurer, Quilon, No. 175. Orders payment of a Bill.

To the Acting Dewan of Travancore, No. 176. Observes in reply to his letter, No. 193 of the 24th Instant, that nothing can be done in the case of the survey until Mr. Shedden's return from Shencottah and calls for certain informations.

28th January 1858.—To the Appeal Court, Travancore, No. 178. Remarks delay in the disposal of cases by the Session Judge of Nagercoil.

To the Acting Dewan, No. 182. Forwards for report copy of the letter, No. 58 of 8th Instant, from the Acting Collector of Malabar, and to state how Tobacco is sold to the occupants of the Farms.

29th January 1858.—To the Acting Dewan, Travancore, No. 187. Forwards a Notice and Proclamation to be served and returned.

To the Residency, Treasurer, Quilon, No. 190. Orders payment of Bills.

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 occurred worthy of remark.

(Signed) W. CULLEN,
Resident.

Residents Office, Cochin, 9th January 1858.

No. 25. ORDER THEREON, No. 145, dated 1st March 1858.
To be Recorded.

(Signed) E. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

By J. A. Wilson

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