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No. 21. Diary of the Residency of Cochin from Monday the 13th to Sunday the 19th of December 1858, inclusive.

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT.

Letters Received.

13th December 1858.—From the Civil Judge, Calicut, No. 651, dated 6th Instant. Forwards 5 Notices to be served and returned.

15th December 1858.—From the Assistant Commissioner of Customs, Salt and Opium, No. 239, dated 1st Instant. Forwards 31 Duplicate Certificates of Bombay Salt to the endorsed.

From Messrs: C. Brice, and Co., Cochin, dated 13th Instant. Forwards a Bill for acceptance.

16th December 1858.—From Mr. J. B. Paul, Cochin, No. 2078. Acknowledges his letter about the gold quart intended as a present to His Highness the Rajah and suggests its being transmitted to the Dewan through the Sirkar Agents, Messrs: Arbuthnot and Co., &c.

18th December 1858.—From the Principal Sudr Ameen, Cochin, Nos. 194 and 196 of 15th Instant. Returns 7 Summonses not served.

From do. do. No. 195, dated 15th Instant. Returns 2 Notices duly served.

Letters Issued.

15th December 1858. To the Principal Sudr Ameen, Cochin, No. 2075. Returns a Notice and Summons duly served.

To Messrs: A. C. Brice, and Co., Cochin. No. 2077. Returns a Bill accepted.

17th December 1858.—To the Reverend Mr. Beutler, Kunnecolumcorra, No. 2084. Acknowledges his letter of 3rd September last, and states that the road he complained of will be repaired.

18th December 1858.—To the Acting Collector Malabar, No. 2086. Returns Security, Deeds, &c., after attestation.

To the Principal Sudr Ameen, Cochin, No. 2091. Returns a Summons duly served.

NATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Letters or Notes Received.

13th December 1858. From the Dewan of Cochin, No. 722, dated 9th Instant. That he lost no time in laying before His Highness the Resident's recommendation in regard to the vacancy in the Anjekaund Court and states that His Highness has objected to the arrangements recommended by the Resident.

From the Dewan of Cochin, No. 723, dated 9th Instant. Acknowledges Resident's letter, No. 1488 of 16th September last, and states that Reverend Mr. Beutler's complaint of the bad state of roads, is correct that the repair is included in the list of Maramut works submitted by him.

15th December 1858. From the Dewan of Cochin, No. 726, dated 11th Instant. Returns a Notice duly served.

From do. do. No. 727, dated 11th Instant. Returns certain Interrogatories partly replied to.

From do. do. No. 728, dated 11th Instant. Returns a Summons duly served.

From do. do. No. 729, dated 11th Instant. Reports payment of 50,000 Rupees into the Residency Treasury for investment into the 5 per cent loan, half in Cash and half in Promissory Note.

16th December 1858.—From the Residency Treasurer, Cochin, No. 66, dated 11th Instant. Forwards weekly report of receipts and disbursements.

17th December 1858.—From the Dewan of Cochin, No. 732, dated 13th Instant. That he has granted 20 days' leave of absence to the Appeal Court Shastry.

18th December 1858.—From the Dewan of Cochin, No. 735, dated 14th Instant. States that the Resident's letter was delivered to His Highness the Rajah.

From do. do. No. 737, dated 14th Instant. Returns a Summons duly served.

From His Highness the Rajah of Cochin, No. 33, dated 13th Instant. Acknowledges the Resident's letter of 12th Instant, with English and Malayalum copies of the Proclamation of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and requests to fix a day for its reading, &c., &c.

13th December 1858.—Urzee from Shungren Shungoo of Cochin, No. 1055. Complains against a Decree passed by the Appeal Court of Cochin on a case of money dispute.

Memo: Forwarded to the Dewan of Cochin to point out the Appeal Court that the Petitioner was and is willing to settle the case by oath.

14th December 1858.—Urzee from Anthony of Caniamore, No. 1600. With reference to Petition, No. 1253 of 1858, states that the Tahook and Hoozoor Authorities have not yet redressed his case of forcible possession of a Garden by another.

Memo:—Transferred to the Dewan with reference to the Resident's former Memo: on Petition, No. 1253 of 1858.

Urzee from Cashura Menon, a late Proverticar of Nullayapilly in Chittoor, No. 1662. Complains of the Dewan's orders to hand over the Petitioner's property in the hands of a 3rd person, whilst a case of dispute touching the same property is pending before the Court.

Memo:—Forwarded for the report of the Dewan of Cochin.

Urzee from Coonjoonny Carthavoo in Cochin, No. 1672. With reference to former Petition and the endorsement thereon, adduces sufficient points in support of his case.

Endorsement.—The Petitioner is referred to the endorsement given on his former Petition. The Resident sees no grounds for further interference.

Urzee from Thommy Anday and others of the British Cochin, No. 1675. With reference to Petition, No. 1219 of 1858, complain of the unusual rise of selling price of rice and other commodities in the Cochin Market.

Endorsement.—The Resident regrets that he cannot interfere with or direct grain to be sold at any particular fixed rate, grain of all kinds is high priced at present throughout Travancore as well as Cochin and still more so in the British Territory where the markets are never interfered with by the Public authorities.

17th December 1858.—Urzee from Shungranarainen Moothoo Vyraven of Ernacolum, No. 1688. Complains against a decision passed by the Zillah Court on a case of money dispute.

Endorsement.—The Resident learns from the Dewan of Cochin that the decision on the Petitioner's case appears to be a just one.

Vide Diary, dated 26th February 1858.

16th December 1858.—Endorsement on Petition, No. 250 of 1858, from Anantha Poy Vamanee of Cannanore.

The Resident learns from the Appeal Court of Cochin that as soon as they receive a reply to their reference from the Dewan the case will be disposed of.

LETTERS OR NOTES ISSUED.

13th December 1858.—To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 2068. Forwards 5 Notices to be served and returned.

15th December 1858.—To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 2075. Returns a Promissory Note to make certain corrections.

To the Residency Treasurer, Cochin, No. 2078. Directs payment of a Bill.

16th December 1858.—To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 2077. Forwards a Notice to be served and returned.

17th December 1858.—To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 2085. Approves of the leave of absence granted to the Appeal Court Shastry.

18th December 1858.—To the Dewan of Cochin, No. 2092. Returns 7 Summonses not served.

To do. do. No. 2093. Returns 2 Notices duly affixed and served.

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.

Resident's Office, Trevandrum, dated 24th December 1858.

No. 22. ORDER THEREON, No. 41; dated 14th January 1859.

To be Recorded.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. A. Wilson.

In Lt. Col. Low's Bn. January-
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