

Public (1898) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No. 255

DATED 14-2-98.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Declining to comply with the request
of H. Srinivasa Aiyar & other Landholders
in the Tanjore dt that measures may
be taken to restrict emigration from that
dt to certain class of tenants only.

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Revenue (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 418

From

The Land holders in
Tanjore District.

No.

Dated

Received 27 Jan

Registered 28 a

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SUBJECT.

Praying that measures may
at least be taken to allow im-
migration only to those persons who
produce satisfactory certificates
of non-responsibility from responsible
Govt. officers.

Orders

The gist of the pet- lies
in the report on page 3.
Submitted that the
disposal may be.

Order No. 255 of 14.2.98.

The pet- will be informed
that Govt. is not prepared
to comply with their
request.

12/2/98

14.2.98

To the Pet- (9/10) despd

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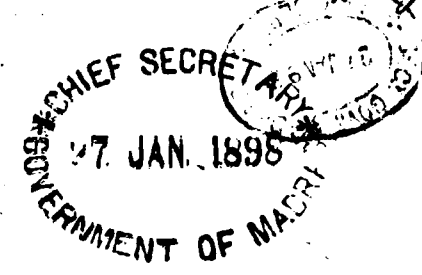
His Excellency,

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The Right Honorable,

REVENUE DEPT.

The Governor in Council,
Fort St. George.



May it please your Excellency,

The undersigned, Land-holders in the District of Tanjore, beg leave to bring to your Excellency's kind consideration, one Circumstance, which works special hardship upon them, much in aggravation of many others. In enumeration of some of the principal of these latter Causes, it may not be out of place here to advert,

- Firstly, to the method of Government, in striking the average rain-fall of the year, from the Statistics of down-pour, in season, and, out-of Season, taken as a whole, without reference to their effects upon the Condition of crops,

and Secondly, to the operation of the Rules of Collecting Lands-Revenue in four instalments, which substantially leaves to Merchants and money-lenders, the advantage of high prices of grain.

The twice-told tale that the classification of lands by the Settlement-Department is an exaggeration of the actual yield, is still felt as a reality. To crown all, Comes the relation of Cultivators to Land-holders and all its pecuniary incidents, well worth the representation that is sought to be made in this, and the Consideration that is craved at your Excellency's hands.

1. Lodging accomodation
2. Marriage
3. Medical treatment with special attention during pregnancy and delivery
4. The grant of free manyams
5. Advances at entertainment to be recouped without interest at withdrawal
6. Advances made for cultivation during the year to be recouped in the harvest
7. Discharge of debts due by him to others and other liabilities of trivial character
8. Supply of cultivation implements

2. The cultivating class of people whose many concerns as enumerated in the margin among others, have to be, and are looked to, and, provided for by the Land-holders, are generally of that station in life which affords the least security to realize any fraction of the various but totally heavy, advances made to them by the Land-holders.

3. The tenants thus maintained, flushed with the glowing pictures placed before them by Recruiting Agents, emigrate, abandoning without the least notice, their life-long employers leaving to them nothing but desparation and the charge of their own dependant.

4. Migration of tenants is very rare. There is therefore a total failure of supply to meet the demand caused by emigration.

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NOTE FOR THE H.C.

The U.S. wish
this to be returned
to Revenue with the
intimation that if the
dept desires to trans-
fer the petition to Public
it should do so
formally

CO.
10-2-98

This was received for
in this office & mark
for Revenue here as it
was thought that the
matter appertained to
that dept. - the C.S.'s
stamp shows when it
was received here.

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Submitted

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Put in the
Petition
file

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U.S.

The matter is
mainly Revenue
Para 4 defers
to Emigration and
therefore comes under
Public

Para H Cpetition
Rules may be
endorsed if the
papers to be dealt
within Public

CW
9.2.98

No. The only
request is that
that Emigration:
the inconveniences
are merely referred
to incidentally.

Public DEPARTMENT.

S.O. No. 253

On Her Majesty's Service only.

Service Henry

To

The

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UNCLAIMED LETTER - FREE
25 George
FROM THE MAJESTY'S SECRETARY OF STATE
To Mr. C. C. C. C.

POSTAGE DUE
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see for Mutation & other Land holders

anyone

Secretary
Secretary

with the 4

Public Department.



PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

READ the following paper :—

Petition from P.Sandaravolu Mudaliar and other Land-
holders in Tanjore District.

ORDER :- No. 255, dated 14th February 1898.

The petitioners will be informed that Government is not prepared to comply with their request.

(True Extract)

Andersson

for Chief Secretary.

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The Petitioners.

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AND AGAIN G O., No.
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ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

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STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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