Revenue Department

Minutes of Consultations

8th Dec 1857

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(1) Enclosure

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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 8th December 1857.

No. 43. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Court of Wards; dated 10th November 1857, No. 3857.

Read letter from the Acting Collector of Ganjam dated 15th September 1857.*

* *In Cons. 10th November* 1857.

(Here enter No. 143.)

Resolved that the above letter be submitted for the orders of Government.

2. The Mocassah village of Chapooroopilly in Purla Kimedy was granted to the deceased Dausooput Naick as a reward for valuable services rendered during the disturbances in Purla Kimedy in 1832-36.

Paras. 44 to 46.
Vol. 1. Printed Report forming No. XXIV of Selections from the Records of Government.

3. From paras. 70 to 73 of his Report it will be seen that these services were highly appreciated by Mr. Russell, and that in shewing himself friendly to the cause of Government the deceased incurred considerable personal risk.

4. The grant of the Mocassah was proposed in para. 140 of the same Report (p. 90 vol. 1) and approved by Government in para. 10 of Extract Minutes Consultation 9th December 1834, (p. XXVII. app. vol. 1).

5. Mr. Russell did not expressly state that he intended the grant to be hereditary, and the sanction of Government is also silent on this point. The terms however in which he mentions the assistance received by him from the deceased satisfy the Court that such was his intention.

6. Mr. Knox states that some of the villages granted under similar circumstances by Mr. Russell have been continued to the heirs of the original grantees; but he has omitted to give any particulars, or to refer to the correspondence regarding them. The present case should also have been submitted in the usual Tabular form, which if properly filled up affords all the information requisite.

7. The case however is a peculiar one, and the Court are inclined to think that the information contained in Mr. Russell's printed reports will satisfy Government of the propriety of continuing the village to the eldest son of the deceased, without enhancing the quit rent, a measure which the Court would deprecate in the present instance. The village yields about Rupees 150 per annum, and the quit rent is 50 Rupees.

8. With regard to other grants of a similar kind, the Court think it unnecessary to lay down rules. Those, not expressly hereditary should be reported on lapses, and each can then be dealt with according to the value and character of the services originally rendered.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM, *Acting Secretary.*

No. 44. ORDER THEREON, No. 1261; dated 7th December 1857.

Agreeably to the recommendation of the Board of Revenue, the Government sanction the continuance of the Mocassah village of Chapooroopilly in Purla Kimedy to the eldest son of the original grantee on its present terms.

2. The Government concur with the Board of Revenue that it is not necessary to prescribe rules for future guidance in similar cases, but that each case should be dealt with on its own peculiar merits.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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[illegible] the arrival of Mr Commissioner Pepsell
in the Parla Kimedy Examinary in Feb
1833 it found that the release of
the Manager and Jurdan of the Examin-
ary who were erected by the Local
Court of Vairy plundered and burnt
two houses belonging to one of the party
opposed to them were by the Examin-
ary Court had produced a strong
sentiment of the ability or intention
of the Govt to punish those individuals
And although they were censured
in ascribing the misfortunes of
the Examinary & their intrigues
to the real cause appear plainly as

their decision. Under these circumstances the Commissioner found that the only hope of their conviction that remained, was to gain the confidence of

one acquainted with Jashoeanese, stepping courage and influence enough to expose the truth.

Such a man was found in one of the Mortar Canoemen by name Dalas Putraik. He first aided the Commissioner by obtaining 3 letters written by the Manager and Sultan of the Kapane [illegible] of the Chief of Soome. He also obtained an important

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[illegible] witness as a private servant of the Resp. [illegible] chief of his Estate. The complicity of the 2 suspected parties was thus at once established by Dalas Putraik's means. The first was afterwards hanged. The end of the rebel Party is not apparent.

For these valuable services at the recommendation of the Commissioner Dalas Putraik the Rank of a Mortkhara Pillage [illegible] Rs 150. subject to apprisement Rs 50. was confirmed by Govt in Para 10. Sel. of Dec 1834.

The pauper has now died leaving 3 Sons. The eldest claims the

Swan: No order were passed by
Jot at the time of making on the part
as to whether it was to be precedent
or not

The Col. Agent mentions that
other villages granted under similar
circumstances have been continued
& the heirs of the Grantees
propose that in all future instances
the treatments as to the present case
are not clearly expired / 25 per
cent shd be added to the gift next at
the death of the original Grantee. 25
per cent more when the next generation
lapses & that at the death of the
third in descent the Village shd revert
to Govt.

The County Wards Smith

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that this Swan shd be continued to
the Grantees on without Enhancement
of gift next each, & that generally
no rules need be made but that
each case should be separately
dealt with on its own peculiar
merits

Orders are therefore requested in
the present case as to what
conditions the Land & the
Continuance of the Swan of the Grantee
in the other case of a similar
nature. Shall general rule be
announced & passed to supply the
principle in the former order of
Govt, & shall each case be

disposed of on the merits, as proposed by the Chancellor?

Will
Nov 17.

Can dispense testimonies this
Grant to the heir on the present
terms. but in confirming it-
grant the Contrivance against
proceeding it as heretofore.

It would certainly be better
grounds definite [illegible] to the

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termination or continuation of last grant
as this case to Lecture - the ordin
that the Proprietors of holders of Lessons
may not be too highly raised - Law
that Law may not be placed in the
hands of Lessees to [illegible]
implement for this [illegible]
heavily obliges tenants.

I enquire if a few general
rules of this description could be
drawn up - which would prevent
Court from the liberty of making
Exceptional cases -

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Revenue Department

No 3857

Extract from the Proceedings of the Court of Wards, dated 16 March 1837.

Read letter from the Acting Collector of Ganjam dated 15th September 1836

(Mem Enter No 1103)

Resolved that the above letter be submitted for the orders of Government.

The Moradah village of Chaporapilly in Purlah Kimedy was granted to the deceased Chinnapah Naick as a reward for valuable services rendered during the disturbances in Purlah Kimedy in 1832/36

3. From para 10 of the Report it will be seen that these services were highly appreciated by Mr Russell and that in shewing marks of friendly & confidence considerable personal risk

The grant of the Moradah was perfected in pursuance of the usual Report (p 90 Vol 1) and confirmed by Government in para 10 of Cons for Minutes Encl thereto

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Vol 1. Books & Report forming No XXIV of Selections from the Records of Government.

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Summit Service as such as those rendered by Datoo Patrudu deserve something more than a mere reward.

leasing from the under which these grants were conferred it was evidently not meant to be temporary or the condition of hereditary succession has been observed.

For instance in its present tenure the grant of the Granter & two make this condition of private property a condition in its tenure

I have no objection to a draft of rules for future cases being prepared but submit it whether in such cases not to hamper discretion of Govt.

The grant should contain the terms mentioned in its present terms

perhaps it would be best to leave all future cases to be decided according to the circumstances

1834 (p xxvii. app. vol 1).

5. Mr Russell did not expressly state that he intended the grant to be hereditary and the sanction of Government is also silent on this point. The term however in which he mentions the assistance received by him from the deceased satisfy the Court that such was his intention.

6. Mr Knox states that some of the villages granted under similar circumstances by Mr Russell have been continued to the heirs of the original grantees, but he has omitted to give any particulars or to refer to the Correspondence regarding them. The present case should also have been submitted in the usual Tabular form which if properly filled up affords all the information requisite.

7. The case however is a peculiar one and the Court are inclined to think that the information contained in Mr Russell's printed reports will satisfy Government of the propriety of continuing the village to the eldest son of the deceased, without enhancing the Quit Rent a measure which the Court would deprecate in the present

present instance. The village yields about Rs 150 per annum, and the Quit Rent is 50 Rupees.

8. With regard to other grants of a similar kind the Court think it unnecessary to lay down rules. Those not expressly hereditary should be reported on lapses, and each can then be dealt with according to the value and character of the services originally rendered.

(Minute by Court)

I have

the honor

to be

Sir

Your most obedient

humble Servant

To

H. Forbes Esqre

Actg Secretary to Government

Revenue Department.

Rec: 18th Oct
Dr Langston Dem
No 1356

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue &c

Dated 16th Nov 1857
Rec. 11th Dec.
1 Encl:

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No 1261 7th Dec.

Submitting with the Boards remarks a letter from the acting Collector of Gingee on a petition to the Government of the Macawash Village of Chapparampilly in the Talook of Cuddalore and stating that the Board concur in the propriety of continuing to the present Incumbent and his descendants holding shares without enhancing the Land Rent.

W. Macnaghten

No 1261.

Agreeably to the recommendation of the Board of Revenue the Government sanction the continuance of the Macawash Village of Chapparampilly in Purlah to remedy to the Eldest Son of the original grantee on the present terms.

The Government concur with the Board of Revenue that it is not necessary to prescribe rules for future guidance in similar cases, but that each case should be dealt with on its own peculiar merits.

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Copy to the Board of Rev. with an Encl. Dispt 8

No 3844.

18th Nov. A 23rd A 29th & 25th Dec