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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 30th March 1858.

No. 49. Read the following letter from G. S. FORBES, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to H. FORBES, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government Revenue Department dated Fort St. George 16th March 1858, No. 954.

SIR,

From Chingleput 14th Sep. in Cons. 21st Nov. 1857.
Board to do. 21st November 1857.
Collr. to Board 27th Jan. in Cons. 16th March 1858.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council a correspondence which has passed between their office and the Collector of Chingleput regarding the salaries of the Tahsildars of the Peddapolliam and Nayer talooks.

2. Mr. Shubrick in the first of these letters pointed out that while the Tahsildars of these talooks have a more difficult and onerous charge than any others their salaries are lower than those attached to the Talooks of Carangooly and Conjeveram, the Tahsildars of which receive 100 Rupees each while the Tahsildars of Nayer and Peddapolliam draw only 85 Rupees.

3. These are the four principal talooks of the district and Mr. Shubrick is desirous of equalizing the pay of their Tahsildars; this he proposes to do by reducing the salary of the Pulicat Ameen from Rupees 55 to 25 and dividing the 30 Rupees thus obtained between the Tahsildars of Nayer and Peddapolliam.

4. The town of Pulicat has ceased as Mr. Shubrick points out to be a place of any importance and when the police duties of the place are compared with those of other stations under the charge of an Ameen, the salary certainly appears disproportioned to the present insignificance of the place.

4. The Board were unwilling however to recommend the reduction of the Ameen's pay without previously satisfying themselves that some arrangement might not be made for transferring to him a portion of the Revenue duties now performed by the Tahsildars, and a reference was made to Mr. Shubrick with that view.

6. From Mr. Shubrck's reply now under consideration the Board are satisfied that the plan he originally proposed is the most desirable under the circumstances, and they solicit the permission of Government for reducing the Ameenship at Pulicat to Rupees 25 which is the salary drawn by several of the Ameens of the district, and devoting the amount thus obtained to raising the pay of the Tahsildars of Nayer and Peddapolliam talooks to 100 Repees each.

7. Should the Government sanction this arrangement the Board propose to instruct Mr. Shubrick to endeavour to provide for the Ameen of Pulicat in some post of nearly equal emolument to his present appointment should he appear qualified for such other employment.

No. 50. ORDER THEREON, No. 406; dated 27th March 1858.

The Board of Revenue, adopting the suggestions of the Collector of Chingleput, solicit permission to reduce the salary of the Ameen at Pulicat from Rupees 55 to 25, and to apply the difference to the augmentation of the salaries of the Tahsildars of the Peddapolliem and Nayer talooks, from 85 to 100 Rupees each per mensem.

2. The reasons which call for these alterations are satisfactorily explained, and as they involve no increase of expense to the State, the Government grant authority for their being carried out, whenever the Collector may have been able to provide the present Ameen with an office of equal emolument to the one he now holds.

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

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No. 954.

From G. S. FORBES, Esq.,
Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

To H. FORBES, Esq.,
Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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Board to do. 21st November do.
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2. Mr. Shubrick in the first of these letters pointed out that while the Tahsildars of these talooks have a more difficult and onerous charge than any others, their salaries are lower than those attached to the Talooks of Carangooly and Conjeveram, the Tahsildars of which receive 100 Rupees each while the Tahsildars of Nayer and Peddapolliam draw only 85 Rupees.

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7. Should the Government sanction this arrangement the Board propose to instruct Mr. Shubrick to endeavour to provide for the Ameen of Pulicat in some post of nearly equal emolument to his present appointment should he appear qualified for such other employment.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE,
Fort St. George,
16*th March* 1858.

Secretary.

Revenue Departt.

No 4/406

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 21st November 1857.

Read letter from the Collector of Chingleput dated 14th September 1857.

(Here enter No 2641)

Before coming to a decision on this matter the Board wish to know whether it is proposed that the Police establishment at Pulicat should continue to exercise an Assistants powers or is to be vested only with those of a Sub Officer when his salary is reduced. They also do not see why the number of Villages now under his charge should not be increased now that his duties in Pulicat itself are so light.

2. The Board also request that the

the Collector will have the Talook boundaries marked in Colours with accompanying Map that the Board may judge whether an alteration in them would not facilitate the transaction of busines and equalise the work of the Tahsildars.-

/ A true Extract /

/ Signed / J.D. Sim
Acting Secretary

To
C.J. Shubrick Esq
Collector of Chingleput

/ A true Copy /

Secretary

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Con 30th June/58

Copy

Bds Rs to Collr Cochin
dated 21st September 1853

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Circ: in a letter from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue to the Address noted in the Margin dated 16th March 1855 No 954.

J.J. Boyle

R. D.

No 406. 6/406

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 27th March 1855.

Read the following
letter from the Secretary
to the Board of Revenue.

(Here Under 16th March 1855
No 954)

The Board of
Revenue, adopting the
suggestions of the Collector
of Cochin, request, solicit
permission to reduce the
salary of the Ameen at
Pallicad from Rs 55 to 25,
and to apply the difference
to the augmentation of
the

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the salaries of the Tahsil-
dars of the Pedda pollieu
and Nayer Talooks from
88 to 100 Rupees each per
annum

The reasons which
call for these alterations
are satisfactorily explain-
ed, and as they involve
no increase of expence to
the state, the Government
grant authority for
their being carried into
effect

If the office of Ameen
at Pulicat be not now
vacant, the claims of
the present incumbent
to a selection equal to that
enjoyed by those
which he holds at present,

Revenue Collector
may be able to
provide the present
Ameen with an office
of equal emolument
to those he now holds.

by the charge
of Public Buildings with Stock
in Accts Genl
in Civil Audr

will be considered by the
Collector. [illegible] 7/406

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No. 406

Extract Minute of Cons.
Dated 27th March /58

Authorizing the Collector of Tinnevelly to carry out the proposal of reducing the pay of the Police Ameen of Puliaut, and to apply the difference to the augmentation of the Salaries of the Tahsildars of the Paddaspollium and Nayenar Talooks, whenever he may have been able to provide the present Ameen with an office of equal emolument to the one he now holds

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