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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 529. Press / Mis.

Dated 19. 4. 1859.

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No. 11. Read the following letter from J. BIRD, Esq., Collector of Trichinopoly; to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government Fort Saint George, dated Voytullay Goodalore, 19th March 1859, No. 4.

SIR,

In obedience to the order of Government passed on Petition No. 403 of 1859, I have the honor to submit my report.

2. Khoolsum Bee's pretension to this Inam land I have already reported on by letter No. 21 of date the 21st December 1858. She now claims the restoration of Cawnies 1, Goolies 12, and certain tamarind trees on the plea of being in her long possession up to a recent date.

3. This assertion is not correct. The tamarind trees have been in the enjoyment as well as possession of the villagers for the past twenty years, and for which they hold puttahs.

Khoolsum Bee cannot therefore have these.

The land claimed is waste, and the site of the Mosque and burial ground; there is no hindrance to her occupying it if she should be so inclined.

4. I beg to return the original Petition.

No. 12. ORDER THEREON, No. 529; dated 14th April 1859.

Khoolsum Bee claimed the Inam village of Teeromullai Samoodrum in the Trichinopoly District. Her petition was referred to the Collector who reported that the village in question was given as a *life grant* only, to Ettefak Shah, but was continued as a special favor to his disciple Rufficut Shah, and was resumed at his death in 1820. An endorsement to this effect was given to Petitioner who then claimed a portion of the said village to the extent of Kawnies 1 and Goolies 37 together with some tamarind trees as her Inam, on the ground that they had been in her possession till within the last five years, when they had been resumed during her absence at Nagpore.

This too was referred to the Collector who has now reported that the tamarind trees are in the enjoyment of other persons who hold puttahs for the same, but that the land in question is *waste*, and may be freely given should Petitioner feel inclined to accept it.

Government have already issued orders on a former petition in which the Inam village of Teeromullai Samoodrum was claimed.

The present petition has been referred to the Collector who on application will grant to Petitioner the *waste* lands only, alluded to in his letter of the 19th March 1859, No. 4.

(Signed) W. C. SIM,
Acting Deputy Secretary to Government.

RD.

No 529.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 14th ~~March~~ April 1859.

Read the following letter
from the Collector of Trichinopoly.

(Here enter 19th March 1859 No 4)

Kholsum Be claimed
the Inam village of
Seeromullai Samoodrum
in the Trichinopoly District.
Her petition was referred
to the Collr who reported
that the village in question
was given as a ~~life~~ grant
only, to Ellayah Shah, but
was continued at a Special
favor to his disciple Ruppee
Shah, and was resumed
at his death in 1820.
An endorsement to this
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to Petr: the waste lands
only, alluded to in
his letter of the 19th March
1859 No 4.

3 Copies to the Dp of Revr. Dated 15th
1 " " a Guam Commissioner.
1 " " Collr of Trichinopoly
1 " " Dr Capr. Read.

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No 529.

Extract Mins of Cons:
Dd 14th April 1859.

The Collector of
Trichinopoly to grant
on application to the
Petitioner dr No 403 of
1859 only the waste lands
claimed by him -

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