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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 2287	Press Mis.
530-531	
Dated 30-11-1860	

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No. 530. Read the following letter from J. D. ROBINSON, Esq., Acting Collector of North Arcot, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Chittoor, 26th November 1860, No. 76 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of the Proceedings of Government noted in the margin,* calling for further explanation respecting certain discrepancies in the specifications of lots 2 and 12, forming part of the Carnatic Property.

* *9th November* 1860, *No.* 2,093.
23rd November 1860, *No.* 9.

2. On the receipt of the first of the above noted orders, I wrote to your Office for Mr. Dale's catalogue which reached my hand on the 19th, when the Tahsíldár of the Táluq was immediately directed to repair to the spot and after ascertaining by actual measurement the cause and particulars of this discrepancy, to report results if possible by return of post.

3. The Tahsíldár's report dated the 22nd instant, reached me on the following day, but being silent on certain points connected with lot 12, such as the name of the party in present occupation of the K. 0, As. 14, Ch. 4 of land found deficient therein, the date and circumstances under which it became detached from the estate and some other particulars, I thought it better to defer my reply until these omissions had been supplied. These I will communicate in a supplementary Memorandum, but beg, meanwhile, to submit a statement embodying the results of the Tahsíldár's examination as far as it goes.

4. From these you will gather that as regards lot 2 the specification given in my Deputy's return, corresponds with the Tahsíldár's measurements and varies only to the trifling extent of 8 chittangs or about $\frac{4}{7}$ths per cent. on the entire area as compared with Mr. Dale's catalogue. In lot 12 the variation is more considerable, the Tahsíldár's measurement making the actual deficiency on the whole extent K 0, As. 14, Ch. 4, as compared with the entry in Mr. Dale's catalogue which again differs from the Deputy Collector's figures based on the Paimáish account by 4 chittangs only.

5. The Tahsíldár in reporting these results states that this deficient portion passed away from the estate many years ago, but on this point, I hope to be able in a very few days to furnish fuller information.

6. In the case of lot 2, the difference is so very trifling that the Title Deed might, I think, be drawn up at once for it without waiting for the additional information now called for in regard to the very considerable deficiency ascertained to exist in lot 12.

No. 531. ORDER THEREON, 30th November 1860, No. 2,284.

1. The Government regret to find that notwithstanding the urgency with which the information regarding two of the gardens of the Carnatic Property in the District of North Arcot was required, an inexcusable blunder necessitates altogether a fresh inquiry.

6th October 1860, *No.* 1,812.
1st November ,, ,, 2,025.
9th November ,, ,, 2,093.
23rd November ,, ,, 9.

2. In the first place the Acting Collector has altogether mistaken the gardens about which information was required. They are distinctly stated in the order of 6th October to be lots Nos. 2 and 12 according to the catalogue received with the letter from the Receiver of the Carnatic Property of 2nd October 1860, and in paragraph 4 of that letter it is still more clearly specified that the

Mr. Dale's lot.	*Collector's lot.*	*Extent as given by Mr. Dale.*	*Extent as given by the Collector.*
No. 2	5	12 6 4	11 12 12
,, 12	28	11 14 12	11 2 0

corresponding Nos. of the Collector's statement are 5 and 28 respectively. A copy of that communication was furnished to Mr. Robinson with the order alluded to. Yet the Collector has taken Nos. 2 and 12 of his own statement which are altogether different, being lots Nos. 9 and 20 of Mr. Dale's catalogue.

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3. Another similar mistake has been committed as to the matter about which information was desired. All the orders distinctly called for explanation as to the difference between the *boundaries* of the lots as given in Mr. Dale's catalogue and in the list furnished by Mr. Robinson to Government through the Board; but the information furnished relates to the area only.

Board's Proceedings, dated 8th September 1860, No. 4,106.

4. Mr. Robinson will take immediate steps to correct these errors and will furnish the information required without delay.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Abstract Statement referred to in a — the Acting Collector of North Arcot 9/26 November 1860

Number of the Garden	Name of the Village in which it is situated	3 Extent given in Mr. Dalzell's Catalogue			4 Extent given in Deputy Collector Ramsinha's Particulars			5 Particulars given in the Catalogue		6 Extent as given in the Abstract		7 Difference between Columns 3 & 4			8 Difference between Columns 3 & 6			9 Difference between Columns 4 & 6			10 Remarks
		Acres	Cawnies	Chittacks	Acres	Cawnies	Chittacks	No. of Cawnies sown to Wet	No. of Cawnies sown to Dry	Acres	Cawnies	Acres	Cawnies	Chittacks	Acres	Cawnies	Chittacks	Acres	Cawnies	Chittacks	
2	Kare' ...	5	7	"	5	6	8	23	23½	5	6	8	"short	8	"short	8	"	"			Certificate to the purchaser to be granted for 5—6—8 only.
12	Valluvam-bakam ...	2	6	8	2	6	12	21½	11¼	2	8	4	extra	1/3	short	14 4/3	short	14	8		Certificate to the purchaser could only be granted for 1—8—4 — but the Circumstances under which the Dressing portion measuring " —14—4 became detached are now being enquired into and to be reported hereafter.

North Arcot
Collr's office
Chittoor, 26 November 1860

Rd Rowlandson
Clerk

Rubie
Acting Collector

R. D.

No 2284

Proceedings of the Madras Govert.
Under date the 30th Novr 1860.
Read the following
from the Actg Collr of
N. Arcot.—

Appealably to Govt Order
Omits further explanation
ertain lots of the Carnatic
perty in that District

Here enter 26th Nov/60 No 4/6

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the Carnatic property
in the Dist of N. Arcot
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In

16 Oct/60 No 1812.—
20 Nov " " 2025.—
Nov " " 2093.—
Nov " " 9.—

Actg Collr
N. Arcot

Secretary to Govt

Copy forwarded
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N. Arcot
29/11/60

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9.	5-7-4.	5	6-8.
20.	2-6-8.	2	6-12.

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	12	28

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Pro: of Govt. for 4 Nov.

No 2284.

Pro: of the Madras Govt.
Dy 30th Novr 1860.

From the Actg Collr of
N. Arcot Dy 5th Decr 1860.
& No 2845. in Pro: 7 Decr No 2341.

On the explanation
of the Acting Collector of
North Arcot respecting
certain lots of Carnatic
Property in his Distt.—

157-8 25·6
9-11-60 1-11-60

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23-11-60 6-10-60

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13-8-60 14-11-60

No 530 & 531.

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