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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

No. 98. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 16th December 1859, No. 5248.

Read letter from C. J. SHUBRICK, Esq., Collector of Chingleput; to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort Saint George, dated Saidapet, 6th December 1859, No. 452.

Referring to the Board's order, No. 4853 of the 25th ultimo, on Proceedings of Government, No. 1587 of the 22nd idem, I have the honor, as directed, to enclose copy of the order of the 19th May 1855, therein referred to. This order was entered in my letter of the 18th August last, No. 304, by my head clerk in the blank space which I left for it in my rough draft, instead of the order of the 10th October 1855, which I intended him to enter in it. Having a full recollection of the latter order, I wrote my letter leaving him to fill up the date which he seems to have done erroneously from connecting it with the petition to which it referred, and which, among other matters complained of, the injury effected by the deer, but which were not specially noticed in it; instead of looking at the order of the 10th October 1855, which distinctly permitted the deer to be shot, and was the one I had intended him to enter.

2. I beg to enclose copy also of this latter order.

Order of Government on the statement before the Torture Commission by Virasawmi of Kalucunum in the táluk of Saidapet, in the zila of Chingleput, dated 10th January 1855, No. 78.

The Magistrate's report is not altogether satisfactory; but as the alleged detention of a Rayat in custody for two days in consequence of his shooting a deer from Gindi Park which had strayed into his fields, appears to be a matter of old date, the Government will not require further investigation into it.

That the neighbouring cultivators do suffer damage from the deer preserved in Gindi Park, is not denied.

The Government desire the Collector to explain in the fullest manner possible to those cultivators, that they are at perfect liberty to shoot or destroy any deer in their own or on common ground, without reference to the place from whence they may have strayed. They are of course not allowed by these orders to kill them inside Gindi Park, but only should they stray out.

(By order.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
10th October 1855.

Order of Government on the petition from Virasawmi Mudaliar and others of Canagum, and three other villages bordering Gindi Park, No. 1013 of 1855.

As it appears from this report by the Collector that the petitioner's rights have been defined and maintained, and the matter complained of adjusted to their satisfaction, no further interference on the part of Government is necessary.

(By order.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Deputy Secretary to Government.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
19th May 1855.

(True Copies.)

(Signed) C. J. SHUBRICK,
Collector.

In Consultation 23rd November 1859. Submitted to Government, with reference to their Proceedings, dated 22nd November 1859.

(True Copies and Extract.)

W. HUDLESTON,
Sub-Secretary.

No. 99. ORDER THEREON, 9th January 1860, No. 49.

Ordered that the foregoing Proceedings be recorded.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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E. Stirling Lee

Sub Secretary.

To J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.
Copy to Collector of Chingleput.

xd. J. Wright.

Rec.d from Govt. 30th Nov.r/59 No.1647

Revenue 1859 Dep.t
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No. 2448
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of Revenue

Dated 16th
Dep.d 23d } December 1859
Rec.d 24

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Submitting with reference
to the Government Proceedings
dated 2nd November 1859 a letter
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forwarding Copies of the Govt.
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