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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 19th September 1862.

No. 370. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 4th September 1862, No. 5,880:—

Read the following letter from G. L. MORRIS, Esq., Acting Collector of Tanjore, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Madras, dated Point Calimere, 5th August 1862, No. 302.

SIR,

1. With reference to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 2,392, dated 10th April last, regarding a Memorial addressed by one Arumugathudaiyan of Tillanayakanallur, in Nannilam Táluq of this District, I have the honor to submit the following report.

2. The Memorialist is the son of a Mirasidar, holding a Puttah for V. 4, M. 1, G. 12* of land in the village aforesaid. In Fasli 1268, he cultivated certain lands with Kaduppu car or first crop, and subsequently claimed a remission of the Tirvah Rupees 67-8-0 due on 16† Maws and 50 Gullies of the same, on the plea that the crops had been destroyed by inundation.

Acres.	Gullies.
*26	32 1 1 0

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†5	18 5 3 2

3. The claim was rejected by the then Collector, and the amount of Tirvah ordered to be collected, because, according to the established custom of the District, remission for the loss of Kaduppu car or first crop is never granted. This order was also approved of and confirmed by the Board of Revenue and Government in their endorsement. on the Appeal Petitions‡ addressed to them by the Memorialists

‡ Board Petition No. 777 of 1860, Government Petition No. 2,967 of 1861.

4. The ground on which remission has not been given in this District on Kaduppu car crop is a sound one in my opinion. It is because this crop is raised early in the season on land most favorably situated, so that, if the early freshes should not be propitious, the cultivator has, at all events, the later rains to fall back on, and can then raise his crop if he wishes to do so.

5. Many applications similar to this one were received in Fasli 1263, but they were all of them rejected under the rules above referred to, and no remission was granted.

6. The Muchilka referred to by the Memorialist does not contain anything in support of his claim for remission. It is an agreement which was given by the Mirasidars to Government in Fasli 1232, when the villages were rented out to them under the Olunga settlement, and contains the proviso that remission will only be allowed at the discretion of Government and on account of an extraordinary failure of the season.

ENCLOSURES Nos. 1 and 2.—Petitions.

1. Ordered to be submitted to Government, with reference to their Proceedings dated 8th April last, No. 783, forwarding a Memorial for report.

2. The Board are of opinion that the claim of the Memorialist is not deserving of consideration.

3. Government Petition 1,311 of 1862 bearing on the same subject is returned for disposal.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER, *Acting Sub-Secretary.*

No. 371. ORDER THEREON, 19th September 1862, No. 2,034.

Ordered that the Memorial referred to be forwarded to the Secretary of State, and that the Memorialist be informed of its despatch by endorsement on his Petition No. 1,311 of 1862.

(Signed) P. P. HUTCHINS,
Acting Deputy Secretary to Government.

No. 5,880.

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Acting Sub-Secretary.

To Honorable T. Pycroft, Chief Secretary to Government, with Petitions.

Copy to G. L. Morris, Esq., Acting Collector of Tanjore.

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Coloumn Letter to Govt
No 19 of September 4th
1862.

Rev. 1862 Department.
Rec.d of Govt for Sept.
No. 2593.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 4th September 1862.
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No. 5,880.

Submitting with remarks report from the Acting Collector of Tanjore, on a memorial from a Meerasidar praying for remission of Teerwah.

No. 2034.

Ordered that the memorial referred to be forwarded to the Secretary of State, & that the Memorialist be informed of its despatch by endorsement on his petn. Re. 1311 of 62.

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No. 2034 dt 27.

No. 2034. 19th Sept.
with an order

19th Sept. 1862

Jno. A. St. George
19th Sept. 1862

to Collr Take Bd of Revr Despatch
for Collr with Petition &c