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No. 294. Read the following letter from W. T. BLAIR, Esq., Acting Inám Commissioner, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Fort Saint George, Coimbatore, 3rd June 1863, No. 35 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to submit, for the consideration and orders of Government, a case of two small hill villages* in the Talook of Golgonda, District of Vizagapatam, which appear to have been bestowed on Mokassa-tenure on a certain individual named A. Venkataramudu in consideration of good services rendered to the State during the Golgonda disturbances of 1837-38.

* Zuzulapalem Tégalametta. The Annual Assessment of both is Rs. 40.

2. The terms of the "Pattah Kaul" (which Mr. Carmichael states was from some oversight never submitted for the sanction of Government) "granted by the Honorable Government to "A. Venkataramudu of Mákkáram, are that the villages in question are granted as Mokassa "and shall be under the grantee's enjoyment so long as he shall continue to be deserving of the "favor of the Government."

3. The grantee dying, was succeeded by his son the present holder, who has been in possession for some years past. Mr. Carmichael, premising the terms of the grant are not hereditary, recommends the enfranchisement of the villages under the Inám Rules on a quit-rent of half of their value.

4. In cases of this nature wherein the terms of the grant are not specific either way, but yet some grounds for consideration have arisen out of the fact of the heirs of the grantees having been allowed to succeed them without question, it rests entirely with the liberality of Government to decide how such tenures shall now be dealt with.

5. Mr. Taylor having recently reported* on an analogous case which is pending before Government, I beg to recommend, should the Government see no objection, that the case of the two villages in question be treated in a similar manner.

* To Govt. 19th March 1863, No. 12. Village of Dobandi.

No. 295. ORDER THEREON, 15th July 1863, No. 1,298.

1. The case of these two villages does not appear (as the Acting Inám Commissioner thinks) to be analogous to that of the Dobandi Mokassa which was granted for the subsistence of the grantee *and his family*: whilst the enjoyment of the said two villages was restricted by the terms of the "Pattah Kaul" to the grantee so long as he continued to deserve the favor of Government. They were apparently conferred for one life and the circumstance of their having been continued on the death of the grantee to his son ought not to affect the rate of commutation.

2. Under all the circumstances of the case the Government are of opinion that these Hill villages should be treated as if they had been granted for one life and enfranchised at half of the assessment.

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

No. 35

Inám Commissioner's Office
Coimbatore. 3rd June 1863.

From. W. S. Blair Esqre
Ag. Inám Commissioner

To. J. D. Sim Esqre
Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

Sir,

I have the honor to submit, for the consideration and Orders of Government, a case of two small Hill Villages+ in the Talug of Golgonda, District of Vizagapatam, which appear to have been bestowed on Mokkassa tenure on a certain individual named A. Venkataramudu in consideration of good services rendered to the State during the Golgonda disturbances of 1837-38.

+ Vizulapalem Tégalametta The annual assessment of both is Rs. 40.

2. The terms of the "Patta Kaul" [which Mr. Carmichael states was from some oversight never submitted for

for the sanction of Government] granted by the Honorable Government to A. Vin-Kalaramudwo Mákkáram are that the Villages in question are granted as Mokkassa and shall be under the grantee's enjoyment so long as he shall continue to be deserving of the favor of the Government."

3 The grantee dying, was succeeded by his son the present holder; who has been in possession for some years past. Mr. Carmichael, premising that the terms of the grant are not hereditary, recommends the enfranchisement of the Villages under the Inam Rules on a Quit Rent of 1/2 of their value.

4. In cases of this nature wherein the terms of the grant are not

not specific either way, but yet some grounds for consideration have arisen out of the fact of the heirs of the grantees having been allowed to succeed them without question, it rests entirely with the liberality of Government to decide how such tenures shall now be dealt with.

5. Mr. Taylor having recently reported on an analogous case which is pending before Government, I beg to recommend, should the Government see no objection, that the case of the two Villages in question be treated in a similar manner.—

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedt. Servant
W. Main
Ag. Inam Commissioner

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Under date the 15th July 1863.

Read the following letter from the Acting Inám Commissioner

Submits for the Orders of Govt. a case of two small Hill Villages in Golgonda taluq, Vizagapatam District, bestowed on Mokhassa tenure on one named A. Venkata-ramudu in consideration of the services rendered to the State.—

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