

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 655

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
14th April 1863.*

Read the following letters:—

No. 106. From the Honorable R. S. ELLIS, c. B., Acting Collector of Madras, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Sydapet, 31st March 1863, No. 25.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to report that I have called upon the Tahsildar of Sydapet to explain why the delay in reporting the matter to which the Order of Government dated 26th March 1863, No. 589, refers, until the verification of the alleged damage, was impossible.

2. The Tahsildar's explanation is very unsatisfactory. He appears to have entrusted the examination of the damage to one of his subordinates, and then to have neglected to examine the report made by this subordinate or to make known the matter to the Collector for many months.

3. Another similar case in which the same Tahsildar, Nazumuddin, has behaved with equal negligence has been brought to my notice since writing my letter dated 18th instant, to the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor.

4. This claim is made by one Virasami Mudaliar of the village of Kalikundrum, and is for Rupees 26-14-7, being damage done by the Deer from Guindy Park, in a field, during the months of September and October 1862.

5. The Tahsildar did not report the claim till 21st March 1863, and states that, from the examination made at the time of the damage occurring, by one of his subordinates, and again when the crop was reaped in February 1863, the claim should be allowed.

6. The Tahsildar fails to give any satisfactory explanation for the delay in this second case in which he has behaved with great negligence. After personally examining the Inspector who saw the crops as to the real amount of the damage done, I am persuaded that 12 Rupees would be ample compensation, and I have applied to the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor for the payment of this amount. For this second act of negligence I have fined the Tahsildar 10 Rupees.

7. There is no doubt that the neglect of the Tahsildar on these occasions has encouraged extravagant claims to compensation, and previous to the receipt of the Government Order under reply, I issued instructions, which will for the future ensure a strict obedience to paragraph 2 of the Government Order 22nd November 1859, No. 1,587.

No. 107. From the Honorable R. S. ELLIS, c. B., Acting Collector of Madras, to Colonel C. DENISON, Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor, dated Sydapet, 31st March 1863, No. 26.

SIR,

1. Under the instructions conveyed by Government in their Order No. 1,587 of the 22nd November 1859, Revenue Department, I have the honor to inform you that I have received another report from the Tahsildar of Sydapet of damage done by the Deer from Guindy Park to the paddy fields of one Virasami Mudali in the neighbouring village of Kalikundrum on Cawnies 2-1-0 of land bearing an assessment of Rupees 10-10-8.

2. The amount of damage has been estimated at Rupees 23-14-7. But after personally examining the Inspector, who saw the damaged crops, I am persuaded that 12 Rupees would be ample compensation. I have the honor therefore to recommend that this amount may be paid to the above-mentioned Virasami Mudali.

3. The Tahsildar has been punished for delay in reporting this claim and his negligence reported to the Government.

*The Tahsildar was seen
furnished*

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
14th April 1863.

No. 108. ORDER THEREON, 14th April 1863, No. 655.

1. In the first of the instances mentioned in the foregoing letters the injury to the claimant's crops is said to have been done in June last, but no report of it was made to the Private Secretary of His Excellency the Governor until March last, when of course the means of ascertaining what damage, and in fact whether any damage had been really caused no longer existed. In the second case the injury is said to have occurred in September and October last, and the Collector's report is dated 31st ultimo.

2. In both cases the delay is owing to the neglect of the Tahsildar, whose explanation is declared by Mr. Ellis to be "very unsatisfactory."

3. In the first instance the award of the parties who are said to have inspected the lands seems excessive, and in the second case Mr. Ellis considers that 12 Rupees would be ample compensation, the sum recommended by the Tahsildar being Rupees 26-14-7.

4. The Government cannot visit the claimants with the consequences of the Tahsildar's neglect of duty, and further enquiry would now be useless. The Acting Collector will therefore personally disburse the compensation proposed, and deduct it from the Tahsildar's next issue of pay, remitting the fine of 10 Rupees imposed.

5. Mr. Ellis will warn the Tahsildar that any recurrence of such misconduct will lead to his dismissal.

6. In modification of paragraph 2 of Government Order, 22nd November 1859, No. 1,587, Mr. Ellis will notify that complaints of damage done by the Deer of Guindy Park should be immediately given to the Farm Bailiff at Guindy, to whom instructions will be given by the Private Secretary of His Excellency the Governor for the early examination of the injured crops. Applications addressed to the Talook officials should be at once transferred to the Bailiff. The Government will not grant compensation if these orders are neglected. Mr. Ellis will therefore ensure their being duly made known in the villages adjoining Guindy.

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

No. 26.

Madras Collector's Office
Saidapet 31st March 1863.

From
The Honorable R. S. Ellis C.B.
Collector of Madras.

To
Colonel C. Denison
Private Secretary to His Excellency
the Governor

Sir,
Under the instructions conveyed by Govt in their order No. 587 of the 28th November 1859 Rev. Dep't. I have the honor to inform you that I have received another report from the Tahsildar of Saidapet of damage done by the deer from Guindy Park to the Paddy fields of one Virasami Mudali in the neighbouring Village of Kallikudi - amount of Rs 10-10-8.

The amount of damage has been estimated at Rs 26-14-7. But after personally examining the Inspector, who saw the damaged crops, I am persuaded that 12 Rs would be ample compensation. I have the honor therefore to recommend that this amount may be paid to the above mentioned Virasami Mudali.

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Your devoted^t Servant.

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My Dear Sir,

Please see
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James
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Friday
27 April 1863

Pro. of the Madrid Government
Read the following letter
from the Collector of
Seaboard.

Nº 655

14.08.1873.

(Hereafter 31 March 1873
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instances mentioned
in the foregoing letter
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Dated 31st ulto.

In both cases
the delay is owing
to the neglect of the
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mended by the
Zahildar being
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The Jt. Commr will
therefore ^{personally} direct
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of 10 Rs imposed.

Mr Ellis will
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that any recurrence
of such miscon-
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his dismissal.

In modification
of para 2 of p. 22?

Nov^r 1859 N^o 1587
Mr Ellis with notice
that complaints
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Compensation if
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in the villages ad-
joining Grindy

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Copy to the Com^r of the Gov^t Sept 15
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Revenue 1863 Deptt.
Pro. of Govt. for April

No 655

Pro. of the Madras Govt.
Dated April 1863.

Colonel G. A. D'Oliveira
Ad. Secy. to Govt. of Madras
10-1870

Compensation claimed
for damages done to certain
land by the Decan in the Guindy
Park, ordered to be paid from
the pay of the Tahildar of
Lydapet.

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