

## MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

*Revenue* DEPARTMENT.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

The following papers are ordered to be recorded, 30th April 1863, No. 752:—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st March 1863, No. 1,745.

Submitting a letter from the Collector of the Godavery District, recommending that the Minor of the Lackavaram Estate be sent to the Zillah School at Rajahmundry.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Marine Department, dated 31st March 1863, No. 105.

Communicating a Despatch from the Secretary of State, directing that the Officers of the Indian Navy which was lately abolished should be invited to volunteer for employment in the Marine or the Uncovenanted Service, and that a preference should be given to those Officers in filling up vacancies in Maritime appointments.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department, dated 31st March 1863, No. 802.

Issuing instructions to the Officers concerned regarding the enforcement of the modified rules about the cashing, &c. of Cheques.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 31st March 1863, No. 1,933.

Submitting with remarks Board's report of the progress made in the preparation of the Field Register A up to December 1862.

From the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 2nd April 1863.

Average Bazar prices of Grain and Salt per Madras-Garce and Rain report of all the Districts for the Madras Presidency for the month of February 1863, Fasli 1272.

From Messrs Thomson & Co. dated 2nd April 1863.

Advising the despatch per Steamer "Erymanthe" two packages containing Brass wire Tea Sieves.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Financial Department, dated 10th April 1863, No. 252.

Communicating copy of a letter addressed to the Government of India, submitting a Statement showing the further grant required on account of charges not provided for in the Budget of 1862-63.

Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Department, dated 16th April 1863, No. 436.

Directing the immediate transfer of the several Offices now located in Government House to Chepauk.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th April 1863.

Explaining cause of delay in sending up for the Government seal the Title Deeds for the property of Kistnamah Chetty and Verasawmy Chetty of Madras.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 20th April 1863, No. 2,249.

Submitting for information a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, reporting the grant of a piece of land made by his predecessor to Mr. Stanes at Coimbatore for experimental cultivation of Cotton.

From the Officiating Director of Revenue Settlement, dated 23rd April 1863, No. 471/32.

Return of cases in which the powers granted to Settlement and Survey Officers under the provisions of Act XXVIII of 1860 were exercised during the half year ending 31st December 1862.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 23rd April 1863, No. 2,358.

Submitting a Statement showing the refunds of sums erroneously received and sanctioned by the Board of Revenue under the Order of Government, dated 29th April 1861, No. 993.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No. 6,977.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COURT OF WARDS, dated 20th October 1862.

Read the following letter from A. PURVIS, Esq., Collector of the Godavery District, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Court of Wards, dated Cocanada, 8th October 1862, No. 202:—

The landed Estate in this District of the Minor Proprietor of Lakaveram, &c., was taken charge of by me with reference to the Board's orders of the 13th June 1859, No. 2,252, forwarding the Proceedings of the Madras Government dated 8th idem, No. 765, but no guardian has hitherto been appointed. The Minor, who is now 13 years and 6 months of age, has resided with his mother at Ellore, attending the Government School at that place. The Collector of the Kistna District has lately forwarded to me to be secured in this Treasury, as the property of the Minor, certain jewels and ready money, which were deposited as security by the father of the Minor for the fulfilment of his Abkari contract in the late Masulipatam District, the widow having produced fresh security as stated in the Collector's letter of the 25th June, alluded to in the Board's Proceedings of the 18th July last, No. 4,664. It appears proper that a guardian should now be appointed, and I beg to recommend that Guduri Rajana, the son of an uncle of the mother of the Minor, whose nomination would be agreeable to the mother, may be appointed to the office on a monthly salary of Rupees 20. It will probably be desirable that the Minor should shortly reside at Rajahmundry, that he may attend the Zillah School at that place.

1. The Court of Wards sanction the proposed appointment of Guduri Rajana as guardian of the Minor Proprietor of Lakaveram on a monthly salary of Rupees 20.
2. They request the Collector to make arrangements for their Ward's entering the Rajahmundry School, as soon as he is likely to benefit by the change.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,  
Secretary.

To T. A. N. Chase, Esq., Acting Sub-Collector in charge of the Godavery District.

Exd. J. Wright.

No. 1,745.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COURT OF WARDS, dated 24th March 1863.

Read the following letter from A. PURVIS, Esq., Collector of the Godavery District, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Dracharam, 21st February 1863, No. 37 :—

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Board's Proceedings of the 15th September last, forwarding certain paragraphs of the Order of Government of the 19th August, on the subject of the education of Minors under the Court of Wards.

2. At present there is but one Minor in this District under the charge of the Court, Mantripragada Durga Mallekarjuna Prasavlarao, Proprietor of the small estate of Luckaveram. He is between thirteen and fourteen years of age, and has hitherto, as explained in my letters of the 8th October last and the 23rd ultimo, resided with his mother at Ellore attending the Government School at that place. The funds available are hardly sufficient to bear the charge of a separate establishment at Madras, and I recommend that I be authorized to make arrangements for the residence of the youth at Rajahmundry in order to his attending the Zillah School at that station. This course has indeed been approved of by the Court in their Proceedings of the 23rd October last, No. 6,977. The Minor has been on the whole fairly attentive to his studies and is tractable, but his natural abilities are not, as far as we can judge at present, of a high order.

3. There is but one living Zemindar of any status in the District, who has sons under tuition, and there is not the smallest hope of inducing him to send them to the Presidency for education.

1. Ordered to be submitted for the information of Government, with reference to paragraphs 13 to 15 of their Proceedings dated 19th August 1862, No. 1,755, Revenue Department.

2. The Court of Wards observe that the collections of the Luckaveram estate in Fasli 1271, amounted to 9,940 Rupees, and that the charges consisting of Peshkush, Establishment, Maramut, Government Commission, &c., were 6,540 Rupees, so that the net income of the estate may be set down at 3,400 Rupees a year, which the Court concur with the Collector in thinking insufficient to warrant them in incurring the expense of educating and maintaining the Minor at Madras.

3. The Court authorize the Collector to arrange for the Minor's residence at Rajahmundry, and attendance at the Zillah School there, as already desired by them in paragraph 2 of their Proceedings, 23rd October 1862, No. 6,977.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

*W. Hudleston*  
for Secretary.

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.

Copy to A. Purvis, Esq., Collector of the Godavery District.

Exd. J. Wright.

1862. Department.

No.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

Dated 20th October 1862.

No. 6,977.

Sanctioning the proposed appointment of Gudiri Rajana as guardian of the Minor Proprietor of Lakaveram on a monthly salary of Rupees 20, and requesting that arrangements be made for the Minor entering the Rajahmundry School.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Paragraph 1. I have received and considered in Council your letter, No. 16, in this Department, dated the 13th December 1862, with enclosures, explaining the circumstances under which Mr. Jonathan Booth Crowther has been appointed by your Government to act for Mr. M'Kennie; in the post of First Assistant to the Master Attendant at Madras, while he was on sick leave, and, ultimately, that is, since Mr. M'Kennie's retirement with a pension, to officiate in that post pending my orders as to a successor.

2. According to your recommendation, founded, as it is, upon the superior qualifications of Mr. Crowther, I have resolved to confirm your appointment of that gentleman to the office of First Assistant to the Master Attendant at Madras, with the salary allowed to his predecessor, from the date of Mr. M'Kennie's retirement.

3. The appointment to this office, and the appointment to the office of Master Attendant at your Presidency, have hitherto been made by the Home Government, but it is my desire that, for the future, these appointments, as well as all other appointments of a similar nature, should be held by gentlemen to be selected by your Government without further reference to me.

4. I have intimated to the Government of India, in my Despatch in this Department, No. 55, dated the 28th November 1862, abolishing the Indian Navy as at present constituted, that the Officers of the Indian Navy should be invited to volunteer for other employment in India, either in the Marine or the Uncovenanted Service, and that a preference should be given to these Officers in filling up vacancies in Maritime appointments, such as those of Master Attendant at the different Presidencies or ports in India, Port Officers, Emigration Officers, and any situation on shore where the skill and professional acquirements of a Naval Officer would be useful. Your Government will, therefore, bear this in mind on occasions when you may be about to fill up vacant appointments of that description under your Presidency.

ORDER THEREON, 31st March 1863, No. 105.

Communicated to the Superintendent of Marine and the Civil Paymaster, and also, in reference to paragraph 3, to other Departments of the Secretariat.

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2. Mr. Crowther's confirmation in office as First Assistant Master Attendant at Madras will be notified in the Fort Saint George Gazette.

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3. Referring to paragraph 4 of the Despatch, it is observed that the Government of India have requested that due notice may be given to them of vacancies occurring in Maritime appointments in this Presidency, this will be duly attended to.

(True Extract.)

A. J. ARBUTHNOT,  
Chief Secretary.

To the Superintendent of Marine.—  
 " Civil Paymaster.  
 " *Russia* Department.

Exd. T. McCotry.

2. Finance Director

# PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

No. 743

U. S. N. - 1563. Department.

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**Dated 24th March 1863.**

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No. 1,745.

Submitting a letter from the Collector of the Godavery District, recommending that the Alnor of the Jachavem Estate be sent to the Millah School at Rajahmundry.

## References

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 31st March 1868.

already fully prepared as intimated in the  
Board's last Report to Government

2. The Abstract entered in the margin shows the amount of work done during the period under report. In Kurnool and Tinnevely the Registers are almost completed. There are only six villages in the former, and one in the latter, the Registers of which are to be written; and of the

3. Adverting to paragraph 5 of the Order Government dated 2nd June 1862, No. 1,209, Collector of Ganjam explained\* that the delay

our villages in that District was due to the inefficiency from office, and efficient men appointed in their place. Just last, that the Registers had been completed formerly been omitted from the Board's present Report.

Of the 26 villages in Coimbatore,\* the Collector reports† that the materials required for the preparation of the Registers of five villages

4. In regard to North Arcot the Government desired to be informed of the result of the reference made to the Collector in paragraph 2 of the Board's Proceedings dated 14th April 1862, No. 2,460. No reply has yet been received from the Collector, and he will be requested now to report at once whether the Kurnums' copies of the Chittahs of the eight villages referred to are forthcoming or not.

5. In reply to paragraph 2 of the Government Order dated 2nd June 1862, No. 1,209, al-

ready referred to, the Collector of Madras observes that the difference of 17 villages, noticed by the Board, was caused by the transfer of those villages to North Arcot. He reported also that, in view to the prompt completion of the Registers, the Tahsildars had been directed to entertain substitutes out of the Kurnums' pay wherever the latter are found backward in the work, and that in some instances other hands have been employed. In consequence of this arrangement, and the attention of the Kurnums being no longer distracted as in the previous year by the Inam Commission, Mr. Cunliffe has been able to report very satisfactory progress. It will be seen that during the period under report the Registers of 1,113 villages have been written, which with the 341 villages reported as completed up to December 1861, makes a total

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6. In connection with the villages lately transferred from North Arcot to Madras, Mr. Cunliffe brought to notice that in the former District, only one set of Registers had been prepared, while in his own, two copies have been written out, which circumstance he observed accounts for the speedy manner in which the work was performed in the former District, and perhaps in some others. As however under the instructions contained in the Village Manual, page 66, p. 6, the Registers ought to have been prepared in duplicate, the Board directed that wherever only one set

has been prepared, as in North Arcot, the duplicate copy should forthwith be written up. The Collectors were also requested to report what course they had followed in this respect in their Districts. In all the Districts from which replies have been received, except Tanjore, the duplicate copy has been prepared.

(A true Extract.)

Copy to All Collectors.

Ed. J. Wright.

**Secretary.**

Box 2 June 1862 no 6-7-

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No. 1,933

Dated 31st March 1863.  
 Despatched 10<sup>th</sup> April  
 Received 11<sup>th</sup> April

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF INVENTORS;  
To the said Government &c &c  
By All Collectors, &c

No. 8-2

Department,  
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Office of Comptroller

Departments

Average Bazar prices of Grain and Salt per Madras Garce and  
Rain Report of all the Districts of the Madras Presidency for the  
Month of February 1863 Fasli 1272-

| Districts         | Prices of Grain and Sea Salt |      |                            |      |        |       |            |          |      |      |      |      | Rain fall        |                  |                 |                 |         |      |
|-------------------|------------------------------|------|----------------------------|------|--------|-------|------------|----------|------|------|------|------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------|------|
|                   | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sort Rice    |      | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sort Paddy |      | Cholam | Paddy | House Gram | Sea Salt |      |      |      |      | Northern Section | So.thern Section | Eastern Section | Western Section | Average |      |
|                   | 12/1                         | 12/2 | 12/1                       | 12/2 | 12/1   | 12/2  | 12/1       | 12/2     | 12/1 | 12/2 | 12/1 | 12/2 |                  |                  |                 |                 |         |      |
| Northern          | Gujarat                      | 243  | 222                        | 96   | 84     | 138   | 140        | 108      | 124  | 155  | 126  | 250  | 242              | 0'40             | 0'40            | 0'40            | 0'30    | 0'38 |
|                   | Vijayapatnam                 | 284  | 258                        | 113  | 107    | 104   | 139        | 132      | 137  | 120  | 132  | 229  | 253              | "                | "               | 1'80            | "       | 0'12 |
|                   | Godavary                     | 276  | 261                        | 124  | 121    | 138   | 155        | 130      | 136  | 142  | 117  | 220  | 235              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
|                   | Kistna                       | 326  | 337                        | 131  | 155    | 175   | 229        | 160      | 174  | 154  | 147  | 236  | 257              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
|                   | Kellere                      | 312  | 356                        | 150  | 167    | 186   | 191        | 159      | 170  | 238  | 195  | 224  | 232              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
| Coastal Districts | Cuddapah                     | 423  | 430                        | 182  | 201    | 221   | 225        | 199      | 201  | 228  | 223  | 203  | 347              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
|                   | Bellary                      | 339  | 368                        | 148  | 165    | 153   | 207        | 137      | 181  | 170  | 199  | 405  | 441              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
|                   | Humsol                       | 337  | 395                        | 146  | 176    | 180   | 221        | 155      | 192  | 190  | 222  | 309  | 320              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
| East. Coast       | Madrass                      | 343  | 319                        | 156  | 138    | 203   | 196        | 215      | 220  | 223  | 207  | 211  | 217              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
|                   | North Arcot                  | 330  | 326                        | 156  | 143    | 217   | 213        | 227      | 203  | 181  | 155  | 206  | 218              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
|                   | South Arcot                  | 301  | 286                        | 130  | 112    | 150   | 139        | 190      | 147  | 205  | 154  | 224  | 248              | 0'20             | 1'00            | 0'80            | "       | 0'50 |
| Canary            | Tanjore                      | 303  | 243                        | 136  | 107    | 173   | 153        | 148      | 131  | 221  | 183  | 209  | 215              | 1'76             | 2'60            | 1'77            | 2'24    | 2'09 |
|                   | Tichinopoly                  | 409  | 322                        | 171  | 136    | 221   | 181        | 193      | 158  | 264  | 165  | 290  | 264              | 0'32             | 0'45            | 0'15            | 0'23    | 0'29 |
| Southern          | Madurai                      | 392  | 353                        | 177  | 151    | 205   | 177        | 176      | 134  | 232  | 158  | 217  | 248              | 1'46             | 0'69            | 3'22            | "       | 1'34 |
|                   | Tinnevely                    | 353  | 334                        | 160  | 152    | 214   | 274        | 178      | 157  | 322  | 268  | 242  | 259              | 0'19             | 1'29            | 1'06            | 1'63    | 1'19 |
| West. Coast       | Coimbatore                   | 401  | 358                        | 191  | 169    | 217   | 185        | 178      | 147  | 282  | 172  | 311  | 314              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
|                   | Salen                        | 338  | 293                        | 153  | 133    | 193   | 166        | 183      | 156  | 170  | 140  | 244  | 253              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
| West              | South Canara                 | 273  | 278                        | 120  | 140    | "     | "          | 177      | 179  | 255  | 230  | 209  | 206              | "                | "               | "               | "       | "    |
|                   | Malabar                      | 313  | 326                        | 155  | 156    | "     | "          | 224      | 184  | 280  | 268  | 333  | 267              | "                | 1'62            | 0'75            | "       | 0'59 |

## Remarks on the Season

*Northern*

Scanty Showers fell in some parts of  
Ganjam and Vizagapatam. The dry crops in Gan-  
jam, and the Pigea Cultivation in Vizagapatam  
were

were progressing. In the Godavari District  
Summer Paddy Cultivation was in progress.  
Gingely Oil seed was being sown. The Cotton crop  
was thriving. Jowar, Rice, Bengal and Horse  
beans were being harvested. In the Northern  
District the Jowar, Black Paddy &c. Crops had  
been thrashed. The Jowar crop such as Bengal  
gram and Linseed Oil seed had failed considerably  
owing to unreasonable prices. Cotton was not  
thriving, but the Indigo crop was in fair  
condition. In Nellore most of the early crops  
had been harvested. Some standing crops were  
withering from want of water. Oil seed and  
Green gram had suffered from insects in  
places. Prices had slightly fallen in the  
Vijayapatnam and Godavari Districts. The  
District of Guntur was healthy, but fever  
ague and small-pox prevailed in parts of all  
the other Districts. Cholera existed in one  
Taluk of Nellore. Cattle were suffering in a  
few localities of this District and in parts  
of Godavari.  
Coastal Districts. There was no rain in these Dis-  
tricts. In Cuddapah the Bengal gram, Wheat  
Oil seed &c. Crops had been harvested, but the  
cultivation was short by one half. The 2<sup>nd</sup> series  
of Crops such as Jowar, Sugar cane, Indigo &c.  
had been sown. The Paddy Crops were  
suffering in some places from drought. Cotton  
had suffered in places from blight. In Bellary  
the Rythu crop had been fully sown. Cotton  
was being picked, the plants were flourishing.  
In

East Centre -

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In Rurnool the dry, garden and early wet  
Crops had been harvested. The 2<sup>nd</sup> Paddy crop  
Cultivation had been completed. Cotton and  
Indigo Cultivation was progressing. Prices  
were high in this District. Fever prevailed in  
one Taluk of Bellary. Small-pox was prevalent  
in one Taluk of Rurnool. Cattle were suffering  
from diseases in parts of these Districts.

There was a slight fall of rain in South  
Arcot. In Madras the crops were withering in  
places from want of water. The 2<sup>nd</sup> crop of  
Sumbul &c. in parts of North Arcot was suffering  
from want of water. In South Arcot almost  
all the crops both wet and dry had been  
reaped. Prices had fallen in this District. In  
Madras they were stationary and in North Arcot  
high. Cholera prevailed to some extent in  
parts of Madras. It had much abated in  
South Arcot. Small-pox was still prevalent in  
the Chittoor Taluk of North Arcot. Pasturage  
for cattle was becoming scarce in this District.

There was a slight fall of rain in these  
Districts. In Tanjore the wet crops were  
nearly harvested. In Trichinopoly the Rivers  
were low and the Tanks contained a very small  
supply of water. Paddy, Oil seed and Vegetables  
were being sown. Deoharum Paddy, Coriander  
&c. were being harvested. Prices had slightly  
fallen in these Districts. Cholera was still  
prevalent throughout the District of Trichinopoly,  
but the mortality had become less. Cattle were  
suffering in parts of this District from want of  
water and forage.

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Further - There was a slight fall of rain in these Districts, and slight freshes to small extent had occurred in the Vengay River in Madras which enabled the Ryots in places to plough their lands and sow Singly seed. Cholera &c. The wet and dry crops had been cut, and the object was fair. In Annamally the Pookumma Crops were being harvested, but the extension was stated to be scanty. The cultivation of Cotton had increased in these Districts. The Crops were generally in good condition, but in some parts of Annamally they were reported to be sickly. Prices had fallen in Madras. Cholera, Ague and small pox prevailed slightly in parts of this District. Cattle were suffering in parts of Annamally.

West Coast - There was no rain in these Districts. In Coimbatore the wells irrigating garden lands were generally full. Cudum, Poonie grain and Cumbor were being harvested. Paddy had been reaped. The Cotton Tobacco, Sugar Cane &c. Crops were in good condition. In Salem the wet Crops had been reaped throughout the District, the dry crops also were generally reaped. Paddy and Paddy were being sown where water was available. Prices had slightly fallen in this District. Cholera and Fever were still prevalent in parts of Coimbatore. In Salem Cholera had abated, but Fever prevailed partially in the Taluk of Ootengheri. The want of pasture for Cattle was greatly felt there. West. Slight showers fell in parts of Malabar. In South Canara the 2<sup>nd</sup> Rice Crop had been harvested. In Malabar agricultural operations of all kinds for the ensuing year were progressing. There

There had been no particular change in the garden produce. Cholera to a slight extent prevailed in one Taluk of South Canara. Fever and Murrum among Cattle existed in places.

The following is the statement of Cotton and Indigo Cultivation with the market prices for February 1863. Table 1272.

| Districts       | Cotton          |               |                 |               |                |          | Indigo          |               |                 |               |          |  | Quantities<br>25th |
|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|----------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|----------|--|--------------------|
|                 | Fasli 1271      |               | Fasli 1272      |               | Market<br>Rate | Per Cent | Fasli 1271      |               | Fasli 1272      |               | Per Cent |  |                    |
|                 | Extent<br>acres | Amount<br>Rs. | Extent<br>acres | Amount<br>Rs. |                |          | Extent<br>acres | Amount<br>Rs. | Extent<br>acres | Amount<br>Rs. |          |  |                    |
| 1               | 2               | 3             | 4               | 5             | 6              | 7        | 8               | 9             | 10              | 11            |          |  |                    |
|                 | Acres           | Rs.           | Acres           | Rs.           | Rs.            | Acres    | Rs.             | Acres         | Rs.             | Rs.           |          |  |                    |
| 1 Ganjam        | 4673            | 7016          | 4459            | 6771          | 160            | "        | 8292            | 587           | 3201            | Cake          | 39       |  |                    |
| 2 Vizagapatnam  | 4826            | 30998         | 6683            | 18399         | 10             | 977      | 164             | 273           | 411             |               | 39       |  |                    |
| 3 Godavari      | 5678            | 15249         | 10207           | 24755         | 165            | 101      | 6604            | 11552         | 13460           | 24954         | 45       |  |                    |
| 4 Krishna       | 99099           | 153874        | 120261          | 169877        | do 136         | 6604     | 11552           | 19950         | 47114           | Cake          | 49       |  |                    |
| 5 Nellore       | 14368           | 15029         | 15778           | 17021         | do 155         | 14920    | 35195           | 19950         | 47114           | Cake          | 49       |  |                    |
| 6 Cuddalore     | 26353           | 30758         | 31880           | 43699         | do 160         | 22046    | 66054           | 20380         | 54376           | do 160        | 49       |  |                    |
| 7 Bellary       | 294297          | 306222        | 385702          | 396247        | do 224         | 2518     | 3022            | 3414          | 4519            | do            | 59       |  |                    |
| 8 Kurnool       | 35253           | 66034         | 113006          | 112615        | do 160         | 16906    | 38057           | 24263         | 58448           | do            | 49       |  |                    |
| 9 Madras        | 1               | 1             | 6               | 6             | do 210         | 2275     | 6628            | 3063          | 10902           | do 160        | 53       |  |                    |
| 10 North Arcot  | 6               | 9             | 1               | 1             | do 260         | 2174     | 4203            | 3096          | 6245            |               | 45       |  |                    |
| 11 South Arcot  | 16179           | 37320         | 27215           | 62602         | do 173         | 26766    | 53331           | 37342         | 7256            | Dy. of 25th   | 36       |  |                    |
| 12 Tanjore      | 1123            | 1700          | 1340            | 1906          | do 207         | 1301     | 1850            | 727           | 979             | Cake          | 17       |  |                    |
| 13 Trichinopoly | 61770           | 9032          | 20977           | 59500         | do 220         | 933      | 1940            | 1128          | 1527            | Dy. of 25th   | 46       |  |                    |
| 14 Madras       | 52272           | 90095         | 70773           | 120155        | do 211         | 56       | 70              | 126           | 150             | Cake          | 31       |  |                    |
| 15 Annamally    | 177305          | 18764         | 258345          | 269274        | do 190         | 315      | 317             | 372           | 305             | do 190        | 44       |  |                    |
| 16 Coimbatore   | 82413           | 84173         | 93695           | 106618        | do 204         | "        | "               | "             | "               |               | "        |  |                    |
| 17 Salem        | 16011           | 26252         | 16333           | 26849         | do 226         | 1553     | 4595            | 1881          | 6249            |               | 36       |  |                    |
| Total           | 923417          | 1049526       | 1174601         | 1427789       | "              | 99015    | 225760          | 130002        | 290636          |               | "        |  |                    |

\* The extent of Cottonseed Cotton (Cotton down interspersed with small dry grain) Acres 57913 is included in this item, but the amount of assessment on the same is not given, no accounts having been kept for Table 1271.

Revenue B<sup>d</sup> Office  
Madras 2 April  
1863

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Secretary

J. D. Smith Esq.  
Secretary to Government  
Revenue Department.

C. J. H.

Recd. 1863. Dept. of  
Int. Affairs  
No. 855

From Messrs. Thomson  
& Co.

Dated 2 April/83.  
Recd. 11.

Advising the  
dispatch per steamer  
"Crymante" two  
packages containing  
Brass wire Sea Sweeps.

6 in No 246.

No. 752.  
Recorded.  
30<sup>th</sup> Apr/83

London  
14 April 1863

Recd. 1863. Dept. of  
Int. Affairs  
No. 855

From the Secretary to the  
Board of Admiralty  
The Admiralty Building  
Whitehall, London

Dated 2<sup>nd</sup> April 1863  
Recd. 11.

Enclosure No. 1

5 in No 296.

Average Paymaster of  
Gravel and salt for the  
year and also report of all  
the Districts for the year  
preceding for the month  
of January 1863. No. 1272.

30<sup>th</sup> Apr/83.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 252.

FROM

A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq.,

Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

I am directed by His Excellency the Governor in Council to transmit to you, to be laid before the Honorable the President in Council, the accompanying copies of letters from the Acting Deputy Auditor and Accountant General, together with a statement (in original) showing the further grants required on account of charges not provided for in the Civil Budget for the current year 1862-63.

2. The total amount of additional charges exhibited in this statement is Rupees 5,62,520, and the expected savings which may be taken in abatement of it are computed by the Accountant General at Rupees 2,68,000. Under the circumstances, however, which were explained in my letter of the 27th ultimo, No. 221, this Government see no necessity for the addition of Rupees 1,000 to the charges of the Marine Department; and, on referring to the monthly Returns, they are of opinion that a further saving of Rupees 1,00,000 may be safely calculated on under the head of Education, Science and Art which will reduce the amount of the additional grant to Rupees 1,00,520 for which the sanction of the Government of India is required.

3. A copy of the Proceedings of Government in the Revenue Department, dated 30th December last, No. 2,693, to which the Accountant General refers in his first letter of the 7th ultimo, is sent herewith for the information of the Government of India. These Proceedings explain the necessity of most of the charges provided for in the present statement. Copies of the Proceedings of Government explanatory of the additional charges adverted to in the Accountant General's second letter of the 26th ultimo, also accompany.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

A. J. ARBUTHNOT,

Chief Secretary.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,  
10th April 1863.

From J. L. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Acting Deputy Auditor and Accountant General; to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 7th March 1863, No. 422.

Budget and Finance Department.

With reference to the Proceedings of Government, dated the 19th January last, No. 34, Financial Department, I have the honor to submit, herewith, a statement showing "the further grants required on account of charges not provided for in the Civil Budget for the current year 1862-63," and to request that you will be good enough to obtain the sanction of the Government of India thereto. This return is submitted in lieu of the Supplemental Budget Estimate, which was promised in my letter of the 4th ultimo, No. 362.

2. From the abstract in the first page of the statement, it will be seen that the total amount which is required to be sanctioned as an additional grant is Rupees 5,26,520. To cover this additional expenditure, there is an expected saving of Rupees 2,68,000 in the Budget grant under certain heads of service, as shown in the abstract of the above statement, which being deducted from the above sum leaves only Rupees 2,58,520 as the net additional grant for the year.

3. In reviewing the Supplemental Budget Estimate submitted by the Board of Revenue, the Government in their Proceedings in the Revenue Department, dated 30th December last, No. 2,698, struck off Rupees 26,000 under "Allowances, Refunds and Drawback," as only about one-fourth of the grant\* was spent during the first six months of the current year. That amount has been accordingly

\* Rupees 4,29,000.

† Amount of Grant..... Rs. 4,29,000  
 Payments from May to October... Rs. 1,12,451  
 Do. in Nov. and Dec..... ,, 1,88,336  
 3,00,787  
 Available for the remaining months..... 1,28,203

‡ Proceedings of Government in the Political Department, Nos 433, dated 28th October 1862.

which accrued in 1862-63 out of the lands belonging to the late Rajah of Tanjore, and recently ordered to be made over to Her Highness.

| Heads of Service.      | Original Grant. | Average requirements for four months. | Balance available for four months after deducting eight months' expenditure. |
|------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| B I, 4, Salt ..        | 17,91,000       | 5,98,000                              | 9,78,300                                                                     |
| B IV, Miscellaneous .. | 1,65,000        | 55,000                                | 1,12,400                                                                     |

omitted in the present return, but care will be taken to apply for additional grants hereafter, should the Budget grants fall short, meanwhile the Civil Paymaster may be authorized to pass the charges in question.

5. The other items in the Proceedings of Government in the Revenue Department of the 30th December last, have been inserted in the statement as therein directed.

6. In future a *monthly Return* of the present description will be sent, as required in the Financial Department Circular of the Government of India, recorded in the Proceedings of the Madras Government, No. 34, dated the 19th ultimo, Financial Department.

From J. L. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Acting Deputy Auditor and Accountant General; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 26th March 1863, No. 444.  
 Budget and Finance Department.

1. As directed in the Proceedings of Government, dated the 24th instant, No. 94, Political Department, I have the honor to retransmit the "statement of further grants," with the addition of Rupees 32,000 under F III, Law and Justice, on account of remuneration to the Advocate General and Government Solicitor.

2. I have also to state that a sum of Rupees 4,000 has been added in the above statement, under the head F VIII, Marine, to the sum of Rupees 41,000 already provided, on account of Coals, agreeably to the Order of Government in the Marine Department, under date the 9th instant, No. 85.

3. In paragraph 2 of my letter, dated the 7th instant, No. 442, I reported that the net additional grant required for the current year was Rupees 2,53,520, but by the addition alluded to in the two preceding paragraphs, the amount has been raised to Rupees 2,91,520.

Exd. T. McMeotry.

*True copies /*  
*by*  
*Chief Secretary*

*To the Revenue Department*

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

ORDER THEREON, 16th April 1863, No. 436.

2. Under these circumstances there will be ample room in the building at Chepauk now occupied by the Public Works Central Office to accommodate the Board of Revenue and other Revenue Offices at present located in Government House; as well as the Offices of the Secretary to Government in the Department of Public Works; the lower part of the Palace which is not used for the Engineering College being made available for the Board's records.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary:

To the Public Works Department.

- „ Controller of P. W. Accounts.  
 „ Revenue Department.  
 „ Revenue Board.  
 „ Income Tax Commissioners.  
 „ Director of Revenue Settlement.  
 „ Barrack Master.  
 „ Director of Public Instruction.

30 June/02 No 385-386

Pen = 1863 Oct 4<sup>th</sup>  
Wm. J. Fox for Child  
178-895-

Proceedings of the  
Provincial Court in  
the Dominion of Wales

Dated 10-2-9  
 Received 18-2-9  
 C. H. E. / 1863

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Commerce and Navigation  
of a letter addressed to the  
of the same submitting to the  
and allowing the full amount  
required on account of charges  
and provided for under Ord. No. 21  
of 1862/63.

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1883  
J. H. V.

RECORDED.

Revenue Department  
No.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue  
dated 18<sup>th</sup> April 1863.

Read Proceedings of the  
Madras Government dated 16<sup>th</sup> April 1863  
No. 669.  
(In Cont<sup>g</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> April 1863 No. 2261)

Communicated to the acting  
Collector with the sealed Title Deeds.  
The Board observe that the delay was  
caused by uncertainty as to the liabi-  
lity of the lands to Ground Rents -

(True Extract)

Anderson

Secretary

To

J. D. Serris Esq<sup>r</sup>  
Secretary to the Government  
Revenue Department.

Original of the  
Proceedings of the  
Board of Revenue  
dated 18<sup>th</sup> April 1863.

Proceedings of the  
Board of Revenue  
dated 18<sup>th</sup> April 1863.

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Board of Revenue  
dated 18<sup>th</sup> April 1863.

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Board of Revenue  
dated 18<sup>th</sup> April 1863.

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Board of Revenue  
dated 18<sup>th</sup> April 1863.

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30<sup>th</sup> April  
1863.

RECORDED.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 20th April 1863.

To the Board of Revenue dated 8th August 1862, No. 151.  
From do. dated 20th do. " 5,431.  
To do. dated 26th Sept. 1862, " 199.  
From do. dated 7th Oct. " " 6,725.

From Mr. Stanes to the Collector dated 10th December 1861.  
To do. dated 1st February 1862, No. 20.

Copies of letters bearing on the subject are forwarded for the Board's information.

3. Mr. Stanes commenced his operations, and a large portion of the land is now cultivated with a Cotton crop.

ENCLOSURE No. i.

1. I understand that you are granting land free of rent for five years, on condition that it be applied to the growth of Cotton, and that the cultivation be of a superior kind.
2. Should you be willing to grant me a piece of land near Coimbatore on these terms, I will guarantee that every pains be taken with the cultivation, and that only the best seeds shall be selected for the second and following crops.
3. You are aware that I am about to reside in Coimbatore, and that I shall therefore be able to attend to it personally.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) P. GRANT, Collector.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

From E. B. THOMAS, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, to R. STANES, Esq., Coonor, dated 1st  
February 1862, No. 20.

In reply to your letter dated 10th December last, I beg to grant you on the terms you request, and as permitted by Government, a piece of waste Government land, about 10½ acres, near and north of the long tank at Coimbatore.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) P. GRANT, Collector.

The grant having been made previous to the issue of the Order of Government, No. 1,971, dated 13th September 1862, prohibiting the further grant of lands rent free for Cotton experiments, the Board confirm the Collector's proceedings, and resolve to submit the present report for the information of Government,

(True Copies and Extract.)

*Ch. Smith*

Secretary.

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.  
Copy to P. Grant, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore.

Ed. J. Wright.

Nov = 1863 @ 10<sup>0</sup>/<sub>100</sub>  
of Capt. J. D. Smith  
Recordings of the  
Board of Revenue

Debit 18 April  
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Continuing cause of delay in  
sending up for the Government  
and the title does for the  
property of Westminster Guild  
and Westminster Church of  
St. Mary.

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Ms. 752.

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Recd: 1863 Dept  
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Statement of cases in which  
the same are granted to the  
and during of 1863 and the  
remains of 1863 of 1863  
are received during the last  
ending 3rd Number 1863.

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No. 1863 of 1863

No. 936

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated 20th April 1863.  
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Received 23

1863

No. 2219.

1863 of 1863

Submitting for information a letter from the  
Collector of Coinbators, reporting the grant of  
a piece of land made by his predecessor to Mr  
Stanes at Coinbators for experimental cultiva-  
tion of Cotton.

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Cases under Section IV      Cases under Section VI      Cases under Section VIII.      Cases under the latter clause of Sec. IX.

|          |           |        |           |          |        |        |          |        |           |          |
|----------|-----------|--------|-----------|----------|--------|--------|----------|--------|-----------|----------|
| Number   | Aggre.    | Number | Aggregate | Average  | Number | Aggre. | Average  | Number | Aggregate | Average  |
| of       | gals.     | of     | Cost      | Cost     | of     | gals.  | Cost per | of     | Cost      | Cost per |
| Officers | Amount of | Marks  | Cost      | per mark | Marks  | gals.  | Mark     | Marks  | Cost      | Cost per |
| .        | fine      | put up |           | put up   |        | Cost.  | Mark     | put up |           | Mark,    |
| Pd       | & P       |        | Pd & O    | Pd & P.  |        | Pd & O | Pd & O   |        | Pd & O    | Pd & O   |

Settlement Department.

In Nellore and Tin.  
nervously the people were fan-  
tastically apathetic, and it  
was in consequence more  
difficult to find the great many  
of them. -

| Station   | Officer                 | Rank                    | Pay  | Gratuity | Allowance | Medical | Quarters | Stables | Stores | Transport | Other | Total |
|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------|----------|-----------|---------|----------|---------|--------|-----------|-------|-------|
| Gadagery  | Major W. Grewe          | By. Superintendent.     | 6    | 11       | "         | "       | "        | "       | "      | "         | "     | "     |
| Histna    | Mr. J. H. Wright        | By. By. Superintendent. | 433  | 273      | 4         | "       | "        | "       | "      | "         | "     | "     |
| Gumbatore | Major F. S. B. Presdley | Superintendent.         | 14   | 37       | 8         | "       | "        | "       | "      | "         | "     | "     |
|           | Lieut. C. A. Short      | Appt. Superintendent    | 22   | 38       | 8         | "       | "        | "       | "      | "         | "     | "     |
| Yellore   | Mr. F. C. Pucklo        | By. By. Superintendent. | 64   | 82       | 12        | "       | "        | "       | "      | "         | "     | "     |
|           | Mr. W. Beaumont         | By. By. Lt. By.         | 91   | 103      | 8         | "       | "        | "       | "      | "         | "     | "     |
| Saleem    | Mr. T. A. Tomlinson     | Appt. Lt. By.           | 133  | 129      | 8         | "       | "        | "       | "      | "         | "     | "     |
|           | Lieut. C. D. Baynes     | Appt. Lt. By.           | 10   | 31       | 12        | "       | "        | "       | "      | "         | "     | "     |
|           |                         |                         | 473  | 719      | 12        | "       | "        | "       | "      | "         | "     | "     |
|           |                         |                         | 2992 | 4080     | 2         | "       | 25,021   | 1209    | 4      | "         | "     | "     |

To J. C. Sim E. J.  
Secretary to Government  
Revenue Department

Mass.  
Speaking Director of Revenue Laboratory

Submitting for information a letter from the Collector of Combarcoto, reporting the grant of a piece of land made by his predecessor to Mr. Sances at Combarcoto for experimental cultivation of Cotton.

No. 2,219.

Dated 20th April 1863.  
Despatched. 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Received. 23<sup>rd</sup>

# PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

No. 7307

1863. Department

Wm. Lloyd Garrison

RECORDED.

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No. 2,358.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 23rd April 1863.

Statement showing the Refunds of sums erroneously received sanctioned by the Board of Revenue under Order of Government dated 20th April 1861, Revenue Department, No. 903.

| Date.          | Amount.    | To whom.                       | Correspondence.                                                                             | Grounds.                                                                    |
|----------------|------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 9th Jan. 1863. | 2 6 3      | An Inamdar...                  | From Kurnool 15th, in Cons. 22nd Dec. 1862.                                                 | Over collected and credited                                                 |
| 20th Do. "     | 112 5 4    | Different parties.             | From Vizagapatam 11th, in Cons. 23rd Oct. 1862. From do. 27th Dec., in Cons. 6th Jan. 1863. | Improperly carried to credit.                                               |
| 20th Do. "     | 295 12 0   | Irrigation Compy.              | From Kurnool 19th, in Cons. 31st Dec. 1862.                                                 | Erroneously credited                                                        |
| 20th Do. "     | 4 0 0      | An Inamdar.                    | From Kurnool 9th, in Cons. 14th Jan. 1863.                                                  | Improperly credited.                                                        |
| 21st Do. "     | 408 4 6    | G. S. and I. Rail-way Company. | From Tanjore 19th, in Cons. 31st Dec. 1862.                                                 | Improperly collected.                                                       |
| 30th Do. "     | 23 3 1     | Certain parties.               | From Coimbatore 19th, in Cons. 23rd Jan. 1863.                                              | Do. do.                                                                     |
| 11th Feb. "    | 30 8 4     | Nuzid Zemindar.                | From Kistna 14th, in Cons. 21st January 1863.                                               | Do. do.                                                                     |
| 23rd Do. "     | 3 8 0      | A. Buchi Venkapa.              | From Commissioner U. C. S. Examination.                                                     | Examination fee.                                                            |
| 2nd March. "   | 24 5 4     | Certain parties.               | From Vizagapatam 6th, in Cons. 19th Feb. 1863.                                              | Remuneration payable to apprehenders of illicit Salt erroneously credited.  |
| 9th Do. "      | 37 2 7     | Tahsildar of Jummulmudgoo.     | From Cuddapah 23rd Feb., in Cons. 2nd March 1863.                                           | Salary for six days improperly carried to credit.                           |
| 19th Do. "     | 7 3 0      | Certain party.                 | From North Arcot 8th, in Cons. 11th Dec. 1862. Procs. 19th March 1863.                      | Amount erroneously included under Ryotwar Land Revenue Collections.         |
| 30th Do. "     | 231 0 0    | A District Munsiff.            | From Godavery 14th, in Cons. 20th March 1863.                                               | Penalty collected in two Suits.                                             |
| 30th Do. "     | 21 0 0     | Bondada Sesha-chellum.         | From Godavery 18th, in Cons. 23rd March 1863.                                               | Amount of penalty collected in Suit No. 650 of 1861, and carried to credit. |
| Total...       | 1,205 10 5 |                                |                                                                                             |                                                                             |

(A true Extract.)

*[Signature]*  
Secretary.

To J. D. Sim, Esq., Secretary to Government, R. D.,  
with reference to the Order of Government dated 20th April 1861, No. 903.

Exd. J. Waight.

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Department,

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No 904.

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

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No. 2,358.

ent showing the refunds of  
ced and sanctioned by the  
Order of Govern-  
1861 No 203.

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