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26th March 1866.

No. 425. Read the following letter from the Collector of the Kistna District, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Masulipatam, 6th March 1866, No. 12:—

As directed in the Government Proceedings No. 482, dated 22nd February last, I have the honor to forward herewith a letter* from the Civil Judge of Guntoor, No. 25, dated 14th ultimo, together with its accompaniments, having reference to Suits pending between the Sallapally Zemindar and M. Narsimha Puntulu and M. Ananta Lutchmi Narsu Puntulu, in the Civil Court of Guntoor.

* To be returned.

No. 426. ORDER THEREON, 26th March 1866, No. 735.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

Collector of Kistna District

To the ~~Board of Revenue~~.

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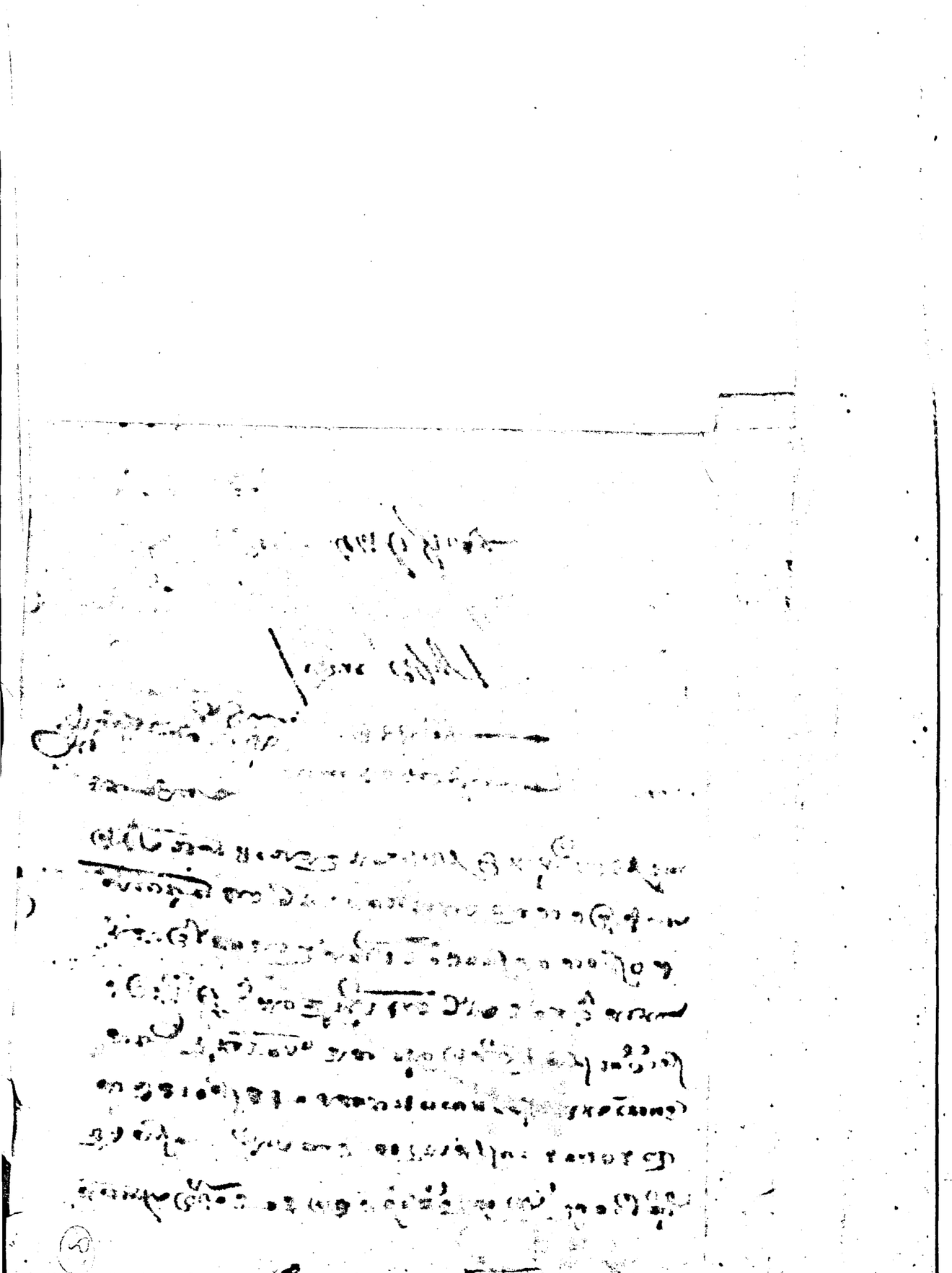

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No. 25

Guntoor

14th February 1861

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Rec'd No. 470

From,

W. Hodgson Esqre,

Civil Judge of Guntoor.

To,

T. A. A. Chase Esqre,

Acting Collector,

Kistna District,

Masulipatam.

Adverting to your letter of the 15th Ultimo No. 34 requesting me to inform you whether the name of Mungamury Sar=simham Pantulu, Deputy Collector of Harnool, has been employed as a prin=cipal in any Proceeding before this Court in connection with the Zemindary of Sallapally & if so, to state the precise nature of the Deputy Collector's interest in the property, & furnish you with such particulars as the Records of any such suit or suits may disclose, throwing light upon the precise nature of an alleged division between

between Narsimham Pantulu & his son Ananta Lutchminarsu Pantulu;

I have the honor to inform you that there are three Original Suits Nos. 15-16 & 17 of 1865 on the file of this Court, in which the position of the parties thereto, is as follows.

No. 15 Jota Gopayya - - Plaintiff.

Versus.

M. Ananta Lutchminarsu Pantulu - - - - - } 1st Defendant

M. Narsimham Pantulu 2d Do. -

In which the latter, father of the former, is described as "Sumsro-oshta tandru" or "re-united father", & not as "Vibhuckta tandri", & a statement is made at the close of the Plaint that 1st Defendant postponed payment of the sum claimed Rs. 26,325-2-8 pleading the absence of the 2d Defendant and promised to pay when his father should return, and that even after 2d Defendant's arrival in July 1865, Plaintiff was put off from time to time by the Deputy Collector, & at length forced into Court for the recovery of his money.

No. 16. Streemunt Rajah Yarlagadda Anteneedu Bahadur Zemindar of Devaracotta Paraganah (residing at Sallapally) - } Plaintiff.

Versus

Defendants Members of "Sumsroodhta" family.

1st M. Ananta Lutchminarsu Pantulu.

2d M. Narsimham Pantulu (his father)

This is a suit by Plaintiff for balance of rent due to him by the 1st Defendant at the close of Fusly 1274 / 1864-65 under a lease granted by Plaintiff to the 1st Defendant, of 25 Villages of his Paraganah for five Fuslies commencing from Fusly 1274, & for damages sustained by Plaintiff by the 1st Defendants' default & by the consequent re-lease of those Villages to third parties at a reduced rental

rental, to which Plaintiff was forced by such default- The total amount sued for, is Rs 1,20,146—9- It is stated in the Plaint that both Defendants visited Sallapally waited on the Rajah & promised to settle with him- Their Pleader admitted in Court that he was with them at Sallapally & it is well known that the Deputy Collector came to Guntoor with his Pleader, where also he is said to have overlayed his Cause-

No-17- A. Ananda Lutchminarasu Pantulu ..... Plaintiff-

Versus.

Streemunt Rajah Yarlagadda Ankineedu Bahadur Zemindar residing at Sallapally - ..... Defendant-

This is a suit for Rs-3,91,018-7—0 the amount of estimated loss sustained by the Plaintiff by reason of the Defendants cancelment of the Plaintiff's first lease-

There have been two leases, the first was for 65 Villages the second for 25 Two letters purporting to have been wholly written by the Deputy Collector to the Zemindar, & two, which are said to bear only his signature, & are addressed to the Zemindars confidential adviser Golamudi Lakshminarsu were filed in this suit- Translations & Copies of these are herewith furnished

A Pleader of the High Court is engaged in these suits on behalf of the Deputy Collector & his son- It will be observed from the Deputy Collectors chit dated 27th May /1865/ from Madras & put in by the Zemindar though not addressed to him that allusion is made to the purchase by his (Deputy Collectors) son then at Sallapally,

of

of the Decree in favor of one Chava Verramma Versus, the Potturi family residing in Guntoor which principal & interest amounts to Rs. 1.22.992-10-7 & that the Deputy Collector therein announces his intention of proceeding to Sallapally when all matters could be settled.

This Chava Verramma's Decree is for Bonds executed by the Sallapally Zemindar to her husband, & which he had recovered from the Potturi family unknown to her & to her prejudice.

The Deputy Collector's son having become the transferee of this Decree from Lakshmipati Naidu of Vasireddi Estate, who was the Original purchaser from Chava Verramma, the Deputy Collector would seem from his chit to have been holding it interposed over the Zemindar for the purposes of his son's then existing disputes as to this Izara of 25 Villages & for the last 6 months Carumagar Maneuvers of the High Court at Madras, has been most industrious in the execution of this Decree. When the transferee gets possession of the Bonds referred to which he will shortly receive from the High Court, it will be open to him to sue the Zemindar of Sallapally, & it is of course matter for the consideration of Government, whether or not the Deputy Collector's son said to be twenty years of age is the real principal in these transactions, & the chief man in all this litigation.

With regard to the assertions of division alleged by the Deputy Collector between himself & his son, & the "reunion" of their interests relied on by the Zemindar an

an Issue was framed at the preliminary Hearing of Suit No 15 the final hearing having been set down for 2d July 1866.

Guntoor Zillah Court
14th February 1866.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servt

W Bodsworth
Civil Judge.

Encl
D Subbiah
R.M.

To
Srimath Raja Sree Vasireddy Rajah Jaggapa
Chetty Bahadur Zemindar Taluq
of Dowlaiswaram.

Your friend Moongamoor Ran
kindest best wishes to you. We are well
here. You must be writing to me of your
welfare there.

Since I arrived here, we have only
been hearing of each other & are
not direct correspondence has
existed between us. I have had no
leisure at all. Even now I contrived
to have some & write to you this letter.
It is my constant desire that you
should live happily. I feel comfortable
here, but as I have laden myself with
much business there, I feel uneasy &
consequently

consequently wish to leave this [illegible]
whenever practicable. I make myself
very busy & I have written every thing
to Lakshmanarow & therefore beg to be
excused. I hope to hear of your early
I am only present here in body but
my mind is always present there. I
hope you will be as kind to be always
as if I were near you & also pray
Almighty to establish the connection
[illegible] & your [illegible]
Kaveri [illegible] Please to consider
8th October 1864. [illegible] Yr Narasimha

To
Gollamudi Lakshmanarsoopara
[illegible]

Request by Mr Narsimhalu your
obedient servant with his best thank
Welfare here. You must keep me infor
of your well being always.

Your letter reached me from which
I have learnt every thing. Unless you
send a detailed account of how th
to according to the accounts yo
gave me when I was coming, were colle
& expended & how they are to be colle
I am at a loss to understand any thing
You must therefore immediately act
accordingly.

You required Government Bonds
of the value of Rs 4,000 which I am
thinking

thinking of sending you very soon. So that you need not hesitate about it. You must send the account as heretofore required you to send.

You are never to consider that nothing of what I have told you will be falsified though others are ficklemind'd & say something. You must not doubt that I will tell you untruths. You have not written to me as to what you have been doing after I left that place, which I wish you will do. Though I am quite happy here, I intend coming there within which time if you are prepared with it I shall satisfied.

I will write to the Rajah garoo tomorrow. I hope he will make arrangements with regard to Veesabad and

as it be greatly advantageous
hereafter. You have written
to me about employing a person
a Resident on behalf of both part
Had you told me this when I was
there, I would have most willingly
done it. If I do anything now
after having made the necessary
arrangements, it will be disturbe
the course of business. I am think
of performing the ceremony in the mont
of Karteekam there. It is therefo
advisable to wait sometime till
meet together. There are no more
particulars.

Chase to Consider

Karwar
14th August
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Signed W Harding

[illegible] Gatlinburg Lakeshmina[illegible]

[illegible] Garrard

[illegible] The humble request of M[illegible]

[illegible] with his best thanks - We

[illegible] will here - You must be writing

[illegible] of your welfare -

[illegible]

Your two letters have reached

[illegible] me & the contents are thereby known t[illegible]

me - Why will I be glad at seeing

copy of the letter you sent me, when

I should confess that it is very

improper not to pay the money to the

Rajah, which is due to him - I was

[illegible] ashamed when I last saw them that

[illegible] I had been mistaken to have been

[illegible] getting done only from work at the hard

[illegible] letters they write suggest to us - Thou

[illegible] there

there was something of that kind even
in the letters which Abbaye wrote. I
am of the same opinion as when I first
came here. In accordance with this,
the opinion I entertain has been con-
firmed by the letter you wrote last-July,
this is an Ejarah made on friendship
& nothing else. While this is the case,
it is not habit to act in a way to
such circumstances for want of money,
having forgotten what we have first
spoken. Our contrivances as men are
not capable of producing either profit
or loss more than God has resolved to do,
though we are loss of God our minds condescend
to commiseration. So that the having entrusted
me with this Taluq is such as this, though
I cannot do him good it is good I
think for me that I do no evil to
him. I hope you will not think in
your dream also that my mind will
be uneasy on account of such trifles
I was at enmity with persons with
whom I could not but be so, but in
the case of a person like the Rajah
it can never happen. You have writt
to me to come there very soon. Since I
came here either from your letter or tha
Abbaye I am unable to leave
I must in particular. In so being ab
to do I could leave this place when I
see no necessity for sending money. If
I hastily leave this place, I shall
money you will therefore write to
me the following particulars as soon

as you get this letter. What amount has been realized last year from the Talook from all sources & what Establishm of it has been expended & what seems remains as profit & how they have been invested & where, whether they have been collected if not when they will be- Unless you write to me in detail I cannot comprehend things- If I see any necessity after you write to me for sending money I will do so- What you have written about the Bonds greatly astonishes me- You must know I sent them at your request When I was coming I told Abboye

I have a bond requested by him- I do not know why he has not done so-

Ke- I do not understand why the bonds I have sent have become useless when you are taking otherones & what harm there is in the bonds not being in the name of Abboye- Let there be no ill feelings between us on account of what Ignorant people may say- If you think it necessary to have bonds in deposit, you may have these- I have no objection to it, but if you wish that money should be held in deposit & if you will not receive interest for the same you can take money & send back the bonds- I will do nothing till a detailed account is received & as previously required- I have sent to you by Hanchy Sadoo a ornament of pearls & a ornament

going on the ground with rubies & a
blue large diamond ring which ring Surajo
Garoo had brought it for Rs 2500-
I struck the bargain at 1800 Rs on the
whole - If the Rajah do not like them
you must send them back to me by
return of post. But if he should give
a receipt to Abbaye for them & then
write to me, I will pay the amount
here - Besides these, there are some more
jewels of gold to the extent
of 40 or 50 thousand Rupees in all.
But unless he gets free from his present
debts, it is not right for me to entangle
him in such great things & increase
his debts - He told me to send some
when Sujas coming - I sent some of small
value - I have sent also a letter
to the Rajah which I hope you will
hand

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hand over to him - there are no more
news -

Please to consider -

Karwar
6th October -

/Signed/ M Narsinham

As he required another two weeks
besides the first one it is to be understood that in fixing the value of it,
the total value has risen to 1500 Rs.

/True Translation/

Dodgson
Asst Judge

Kistna District
Collector's Kacheri
Masulipatam—
6th March 1866.

From

G. Thornhill Esqr.
Collector of Kistna Dt.

To.

I. D. Sim Esqr.
Secretary to the Government
Public Department
Fort St. George.

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Sir
your most obedient Servant

G Thornhill
Collector.

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To the Collr of Kistna
Sir

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