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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
21st August 1867.

No. 398. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Public Works Department :—

Sanctioning the commutation rates proposed by the Acting Collector of Vizagapatam for certain lands in that district. (Here enter 15th August 1867, No. 2,497.)

No. 399. ORDER THEREON, 20th August 1867, No. 1,945.

Miscellaneous.

Communicated to the Board of Revenue.

(True Extract.)
(Signed) F. H. WILKINSON,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with Proceedings Public Works Department, No. 2,497.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
15th August 1867.

No. 373. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 24th July 1867, No. 4,706 :—

Read again Proceedings of the Board, dated 11th June 1867, No. 3,580.

Read also the following letter from the Acting Collector of Vizagapatam, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 24th June 1867, No. 425.

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Board's Proceedings, No. 3,580, dated 11th instant.

2. In reference to paragraph 1, I have to observe that the entry in Column 7 of the statement submitted for the official year 1866-67, was simply made in reference to paragraph 2 of the late Collector's letter, dated 3rd March 1866, No. 192.

3. The price asked for the lands referred to is that entered in Column 14 of the statement.

4. In reference to paragraph 2, I beg to observe that in letter, dated 21st January 1866, No. 62, from this office, it is distinctly stated that all except two individuals had agreed to commute their annual payments; that the sum payable for these two was Rupees 30-1-11; and in the statement which accompanied the above letter, Column 6, it is shown that the payment was to commence from Fusly 1275.

5. In their Proceedings, dated 29th June 1866, No. 4,443, paragraph 3, the Board recommend to Government the case of these Inamdars as they did not consent to commute their compensation by a single payment.

6. Seeing from the foregoing correspondence that the matter had been fully reported upon, I did not think it necessary in submitting my statement of 4th May last, to enter into past particulars, and simply quoted the correspondence on the subject.

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1. Resolved that the foregoing papers be submitted to Government, with the Board's recommendation that the commutation be sanctioned at the rates proposed by the Collector.

2. The Collector stated in his letter, to which reference is made in paragraph 2 of Mr. Master's letter of the 24th ultimo, and which is in Government Proceedings, dated 3rd August 1866, Public Works Department, No. 2,441, that the amounts had been arrived at after much discussion, and that the rates asked are not more than the lands would fetch if sold in the market.

3. Mr. Carmichael was requested by the Board to state the principle on which the local officers valued the land.

4. This question has not now been answered, but the Board do not think it necessary to delay further in submitting the papers on that account. They observe that the commutation proposed is eighteen years' purchase.

5. A sum of Rupees 30-1-11 is payable yearly to two of the owners, who decline to accept a lump payment in commutation.

Read the following papers from the Acting Collector of Vizagapatam, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 11th June 1867, No. 3,580.

Statement of commutation on lands, or allowance, proposed to be given to Inamdars in lieu of their Inams, which have become unprofitable from causes beyond the Inamdars control, or by some act of Government, in the district of Vizagapatam, for the official year 1866-67.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Taluk and village.	Nature of the Inam, whether Personal or for religious, charitable or other purposes.	Whether Punjah or Nunjah Inam.	Extent.	Full rate of assessment.	Portion of assessment at present paid.	Deduction on account of value of land. Rs. A. P.	NATURE OF COMPENSATION PROPOSED. A. Fresh grant of land. Whether Punjah, Nunjah, or waste.	Extent.	Assessment.	B. Addition of quit-rent if the value of the land proposed to be given exceeds the present emolument.	B. Reduction of quit-rent proposed in lieu of fresh lands if any quit-rent is payable on the rest of the Inam. Original quit-rent.	Quit-rent now proposed.	C. Money payment once for all.
			A. K. V.	Rs. A. P.				A. K. V.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
1. Tallapalem to Vonelakonam, in Anakapilli and Golgonda talooks.	Personal	Punjah	33 3 13 1/2	231 0 7	231								
		Nunjah	2 1 15 1/2	19 4 6	19								
			35 5 13	250 4 7	250	3,850	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,985 12 6
2. Pudi Boddapilli to Korapotenamam in Golgonda and Kasimkotta talooks.	Do.	Punjah	18 17 0 1/2	93 13 3	94								
		Nunjah	4 25 1 1/2	26 4 10	26								
			23 2 1 1/2	120 2 3	120	1,652	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,651 14 2
3. Kasinkotta to Chidiwalasa in Golgonda talook.	Do.	Punjah	2 1 5 1/2	5 12 0	5								
		Nunjah	0 2 3	0 8 4	1								
			2 3 8 1/2	6 4 4	6	98	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	97 9 0
4. Vizagapatam to Pondadavia, in Vizagapatam, Anakapilli, and Kasimkotta talooks.	Do.	Punjah	9 24 5 1/2	32 3 6	32								
		Nunjah	3 2 5 1/4	11 8 6	12								
			12 27 5 1/4	43 12 0	44	711	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	710 14 2
5. Anakapilli to Tatiparti, in Viravilli and Anakapilli talooks.	Personal	Punjah	23 11 3 1/4	175 4 2	175								
		Nunjah	12 12 7 1/2	89 1 8	89								
			35 23 11 1/4	264 5 10	264	4,006	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,005 11 8
Dibbidi Agraharam, in Viravilli taloook.	Do.	†Punjah	3 0 14 1/4	20 14 7	21								
6. Palconda to Parvatipur, in Palconda and Parvatipur talooks.	Do.	Punjah	86 6 11 3/4	206 4 9	207								
		Nunjah	56 26 0 1/4	375 3 7	375								
			92 32 12 1/4	581 8 4	582	12,086	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,086 5 9
Voolibladee in Parvatipur talook.	Do.	†Nunjah	1 15 8	9 3 4	9								
7. Palconda to Chiparupilli, in Palconda, Bobbili, and Chiparupilli talooks.	Do.	Punjah	11 18 10 3/4	49 7 10	49								
		Nunjah	29 29 1 1/4	189 3 2	190								
			41 7 11 1/2	238 11 0	239	4,593	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,593 6 3
8. Parvatipur to boundary of Bobbili, in Parvatipur taluk.	Personal	Punjah	0 18 3 1/4	3 12 0	4								
		Nunjah	10 2 2	93 7 0	93								
			10 20 5 1/4	97 3 0	97	1,936	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,936 2 0
9. Nursipatam to Kondasamie, in Golgonda taloook.	Do.	Punjah	8 13 5 1/4	27 6 9	27								
		Nunjah	4 9 4	11 12 10	12								
			12 22 9 1/4	39 3 7	39	607	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	606 15 3
10. Anakapilli to Vizagapatam, in Anakapilli and Vizagapatam talooks.	Do.	Punjah	6 17 15 3/4	41 12 2	42								
		Nunjah	12 22 14 1/4	81 12 0	82								
			19 0 14	123 8 2	124	2,271	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,271 2 4

* The owners of these lands have not agreed to commute their annual payment once for all. (*Vide* late Collector's letter, dated 24th January 1866, No. 62.)

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Statement of remuneration on land or otherwise, proposed to be given to the Inamdars in lieu of their Inams, &c.—(Concluded.)

No.	Name of the Inam, whether possessed by village officers, Nadu or temple, or otherwise, the service	Whether Minam or Inam	NATURE OF COMPENSATION PROPOSED. A. Fresh grant of land.				B.		C.	
			Extent.		Assessment.		Addition of quit-rent proposed to be levied on the land proposed to be given.	Portion of quit-rent proposed to be remitted in favor of fresh lands in lieu of quit-rent payable on the old land.	Money payment once for all.	
								Original quit-rent.	Collected from the people.	
1	2	3	4		5		6	7	8	9
			A. C. P.		Rs. A. P.		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
11	Vizagapatam and Vemavaram, in Vizagapatam and Bimlipatam taluks.	Personal	Punjah ...	6 2 32½	23 0 3	23 1 0 10	.....	.....	41,270 9 8	.....
			Nunjah ...	0 3 13½	1 0 10		.....	.....		.....
12	Sabbavaram and Chittivalsa, in Anakapilly and Bimlipatam taluks.	Do.	Punjah ...	62 29 11½	284 14 5	285	.....	.....	359 11 5	.....
			Nunjah ...	41 1 14½	30 1 8	285	.....	.....		.....
				103 31 9½	489 13 1	490	.....	.....	8,935 1 3	.....
		Total	Punjah ...	321 15 11½	1,095 10 5	1,095	.....	.....		.....
		Total	Nunjah ...	177 24 12½	1,213 4 9	1,214	.....	.....		.....
		Grand	Total ...	499 9 24½	2,308 15 2	2,309	.....	.....	41,275	.....

Remark.—Besides the amount referred to in Column 14, the annual compensation for Fasli 1275 and 1276, at Rupees 2,308-15-2, is due to the Inamdars.

Previous correspondence on this subject is noted below:—

1. Board's Proceedings, 7th August 1866, No. 5,352.
2. Do. 13th November 1866, No. 8,134.
3. Do. 31st January 1867, No. 673.

1. The amount entered in Column 7 of the above statement as "the estimated price calculated from the sales of similar land in the neighbourhood" is the same as the entry in Column 7 of the statement submitted to the Board on the 24th January 1866. From Mr. Carmichael's letter of the 21st May 1866, No. 407, it would appear that the amount in question was fixed arbitrarily at as much as the parties agreed to below the twenty years' purchase. It has, therefore, nothing to do with the sale value of similar lands in the vicinity.

2. The remark column shows that in some cases the Inamdars have not agreed to the commutation. But the Acting Collector does not say how he proposes to deal with them. From the correspondence which has already taken place on the subject, it will be seen that a yearly payment was proposed. But it is nowhere stated how many Inamdars there are, and what is the amount involved in each case. The total sum proposed to be paid annually is Rupees 30-1-11. The Acting Collector has not shown from what date the payment should commence, and why the parties are unwilling to accept the same terms as the other claimants.

3. The Acting Collector will be requested to submit a full report with reference to the foregoing remarks.

Transferred to the Department Public Works with reference to G. O. dated 20th October 1866, No. 3,349, in that Department.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

2nd August 1867.

No. 374. ORDER THEREON, 15th August 1867, No. 2,497.

ACCOUNT, No. 45.

1. The commutation at the rates proposed by the Collector, is sanctioned.

2. The Government are unable at present to allot funds for the adjustment of the several demands, but they will endeavour, if possible, to provide the amount required later in the year.

(True Extract.)

Major, R. E.,
Under Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.
" Accountant General.
" Controller of Public Works Accounts.
" Revenue Department.

Ord. S. T. Augustin.

Returned 1867 - Affidavit
&c of Civ. Engineer
No. 2197.
Proceedings in the
S.P.W. Office.

Affidavit 15th August
Received 16th August 1867.
No 2197

Directions as to
the Commutation of the
Imposed by the Acting
Collr of Bengal for Lime
for certain Vessels in
that District

No 1965 20th Augt

No. 398-399

No. 1965
Counsel Letter 15th Aug.
Ans. 16th
20th August 67

By Order &c. [illegible] Date [illegible]