

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue - DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	1248.	Press
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<u>123-28.</u>		
Dated	7 th May	1869.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
7th May 1869.*

Read the following:—

No. 123. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 25th June 1867, No. 3,907.

Read the following letter from the Collector of the Kistna District, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Masulipatam, 22nd May 1867, No. 156.

I HAVE the honor to submit, for the consideration and orders of the Board of Revenue, an application from the Curnums of the Bitterzally* Purgana, requesting to continue to them the deductions from their cists, at the rates noted in the margin, on account of the emoluments attached to their Office.

*Collair Islands.	
Sarva.	Dalwa.
Rs. 6½ per cent.	Rs. 12-8 per cent.
In grain.	
1½ Toom per Putty.	2½ Tooms per Putty.

2. From inquiries made on the subject it appears that during the Mahommedan Government, considering that the remuneration of the Curnums by means of fees in grain was insufficient in that Purgana, the authorities ordered a deduction in the Government share of the produce of their own lands.

3. The deductions were continued so long as the sharing system lasted till Fusly 1261. In Fusly 1262, when the sharing system was superseded by money payments, the deduction of grain was on the average of ten years' allowances, commuted into money deductions from their shist at Rupees 6-4-0 for Sarva, and at Rupees 12-8-0 for Dalwa per cent.

4. This was continued up to Fusly 1275. In Fusly 1276, owing to the introduction of the new settlement, the above deductions were not sanctioned. The Curnums now pray for a revival of the deductions in question.

5. The labor of the Curnums is very great, for they have to survey the lands brought under cultivation year by year, and owing to the precarious nature of the produce in the islands of the lake, the fees they receive are insufficient to maintain them. They possess no Inams whatever; they have no documents whatever in support of these allowances, except the Dowles in their possession from Fusly 1227.

6. I therefore beg to request that you will, for the foregoing reasons, be pleased to obtain sanction of Government for the continuance of the deductions as prayed for by the Curnums.

The Collector is requested to state the emoluments of these Curnums in fees from the ryots, and the area, revenue, and population of the villages. A statement should be forwarded showing these particulars with reference to each Curnum.

No. 124. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 9th April 1869, No. 2,409.
Read again Board's Proceedings, dated 25th June 1867, No. 3,907.

Read also the following letter from the Acting Collector of the Kistna District, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Masulipatam, 20th September 1867, No. 328.

I HAVE the honor to submit the information called for in Board's Proceedings No. 3,907, dated 25th June 1867.

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2. In eight villages no allowances for Sarva and Dalwa are made; in only one village, Siddhapooram, does any single Curnum have a monthly remuneration of Rupees 10, while the average is only Rupee 1 a-month.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.—Statement.

THE Board resolve to submit to Government the Collector's letter of the 22nd May 1867, recorded in Board's Proceedings, 25th June 1867, No. 3,907, with the recommendation that the course proposed by the Collector may be sanctioned as a temporary measure.

2. The Board desire, however, that the Collector will consider the whole subject of the emoluments of the village establishment in his district, and submit proposals for its revision at an early date.

No. 125.

ORDER THEREON, 7th May 1869, No. 1,248.

Land Revenue.

THE Government resolve to sanction the allowance to the Curnums of the Bitterzally Purgana of deductions from their cists at the rates specified by the Collector.

2. They wish it to be understood that this is a temporary measure, and the action of the Collector is directed to paragraph 2 of the Board's Proceedings.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Accountant-General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Memorandum for Orders on 12/16

1. In a letter dated May 22nd 1867, the Collector of the Nishia District submitted for the consideration and orders of the Board of Revenue, a proposal for continuing to the Circars certain Deductions from their lists at the rate of 6 1/2 per cent for "Sarva" & 12 1/2 per cent for "Dalwa", which had been discontinued under the new Settlement in July 1856.

2. On receipt of this letter the Board in Proceedings dated 25th June 1867 requested the Collector to take the

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THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

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For 1867, 1868.

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For 1869.

G. O. 7th May 1867, No. 1218.

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Nos. 123-125.

Carriage of Hitherally Purgam.—Recommendation to continue to them the deduction from their list on account of the emoluments attached to their office, sanctioned as a temporary measure.

the punishment of the criminals
in respect of fees from the
jails, and the area, revenue,
& population of the villages.
With this request the Collector
complied in a letter dated
20th September 1867.

3. The Board took
no action in consequence
of this letter till 9th
April 1869, when they
submitted the Collector's
scheme to Government
with the recommendation
that it should be sanc-
tioned as a temporary
measure.

4. The proposed re-
muneration appears rea-

As a temporary measure,
the Collector's proposal may
be adopted, provided
no doubt, the Government
allowances, as they appear
in the list, are unequal
and sufficient - I would
make it very clear that
it is to be temporary only.
On the understanding
that the Collector shall
report on the general
subject as it affects the
Peshwa District.

W. M. J.

reasonable, and all copies
to it present them-
selves.

5. All the information
bearing on the case before
Gov^t is embodied in the
Collector's letter dated
22nd May 1867.
J. R.

Continued to 21
Hudson, N.Y.
Oct. 1st day of
Nov. 1876 -

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Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 7 May 79

Read the following Pro:

of the 13^d of Revenue

Submitting letter from
Collector of District is to receive
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of 1 Bittergally Pargana of direct
: ions from their sister account
of enclosures attached to their
office.

(P. E. 9 April 1949)

1. The Government, resolved to sanction the allowance to the Curmums of the Bitter = zally. Purgana of deductions from their cists, at the rates specified by the Collector.
2. They wish it to be understood that this is a temporary measure, and the attention of the Collector is directed to para 2 of the Board's proceedings.

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24 April 69 R29.

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