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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
25th April 1871.

Read the following papers:—

No. 270. Endorsement of the Officiating Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George, dated 30th March 1871.

Read the following letter from the Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, Telegraph, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Military Department, dated Fort William, 24th March 1871, No. 168-T.

I HAVE the honour to forward a telegraph message, which has been transmitted from the Check Office of the Telegraph Department as apparently open to objection, and to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, the officer named in

Captain Sargeant, Ootacamund, the margin may be called upon to pay the cost into the nearest treasury to the credit of Government, or to submit an explanation of the circumstances under which the message was sent, should it be considered that it was properly sent on the public service.

2. It is requested that the message may be returned to this department, together with such explanation as His Excellency in Council may order to be forwarded.

TRANSFERRED to the Revenue Department.

(Signed) A. C. SILVER, Colonel,
Officiating Secretary to Government.

REFERRED to Captain Sargeant, through the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, for the desired explanation.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

30th March 1871.

No. 270A. From the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Chepauk, 17th April 1871, No. 862-28.

In returning the original letter, with enclosures, from the Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, referred through me to Captain C. C. Sargeant for explanation; under date 30th March

1871, I have the honour to submit an original letter from my Deputy, Major Hessey.

2. As the Government are aware of the circumstances under which Major Hessey inspected the work in Wynaad, I trust no further explanation need be submitted.

G. O. No. 1,792 of 16th November 1870.

ENCLOSURE No. 1

From Major W. H. HESSEY, Deputy-Superintendent of Revenue Survey, to the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, Madras, dated Coimbatore, 14th April 1871, No. 312-137.

With reference to your docket, No. 793-56, of the 3rd April 1871, enclosing letter from the Government of India, calling for explanation as to the circumstances under which a message open to objection was sent by Captain Sargeant, I have the honour to state that I telegraphed from

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Mercara to Captain Sargeant on the 20th December to the effect that I (as your representative) would inspect Wynaad and Nellumbur during Christmas Holidays, that I should be at Sultan's Battery on the 29th. I desired Captain Sargeant to telegraph reply.

He did so. His reply was "All right, I will be at Dewalah to receive you."

Perhaps the word "receive" may have caused the objection. It may have appeared that I required Captain Sargeant to make certain private arrangements for me—such was not the case.

I required Captain Sargeant's presence as the head of the detachment at work in Wynaad; Dewalah was the station at which he had the head-quarters of his detachment. It is about 17 miles from Sultan's Battery on the road from Manantoddy; he therefore sent me the telegram now objected to.

No. 271.

ORDER THEREON, 25th April 1871, No. 736.

Miscellaneous.

ORDERED that the following letter be despatched to the Government of India:—

(Here enter No. 737, 25th April 1871.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
25th April 1871.

No. 737.

No. 272.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Miscellaneous.

SIR,—In reply to your Assistant Secretary's letter of the 24th March 1871, No. 168-T., I am directed to state

that the telegram in question (herewith returned) was sent purely on the public service.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Exd F. R. Bantleman.

No 312
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Revenue Survey Office
Combitore 5V

14th April 1871
From,

Major W. H. Heber
Deputy Commr Revenue
Combitore

To,
Colonel J. B. Priestley
Superintendent Revenue
Madras.

Sir,
With reference to your
letter No 43 of the 3rd April/71
inclosing letter from the Govt of
India calling for explanation as to
the circumstances under which a
message open to objection was sent
by Captain Sargeant.

I have the honor to state
that I telegraphed from Mercara
to Captain Sargeant on the 20th Decr
to the effect that I (as your repre-
sentative) would inspect Wynand
& Belur during Christmas Holi-
days, that I should be at Sultan

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Siltans Battery on the twenty ninth.
I desired Captain Sargeant to
telegraph reply.

He did so. His reply was "all right
I will be at Devalab to receive you."

Perhaps the word "receive" may
have caused the objection. It may
have appeared that I required Captain
Sargeant to make certain private
arrangements for me, which was not
the case.

I required Captain Sargeant's
presence as the head of the detach-
ment at work in Mysore, Devalab
was the station at which he had
the Head Quarters of his detachment.
It is about 17 miles from Siltans
Battery on the road from Mysore.
Today, he therefore sent me the
telegram now ob. &c. &c.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servant

W. S. P. Major
Deputy Supt. Revenue Survey

C. D. C. C. Comd. D. H. O.

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17th April 1871

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N. 270 A

No. 1 Revenue Survey Com. to the Survey.

1871
From The Deputy Supt. Revenue Survey
To The Supt. Revenue Survey Department.
Rev. 1224/71.
Dated 17 April 1871
Despatched
Received
General No. 312
Departmental No. 137
Subject

REFERENCE.

your docket No. 793 of the 3rd instant
enclosing a letter from the Govt. of India
calling for explanation as to the circumstances
under which a newspaper aware of
objection was sent by Captain Sargeant.

Sends Captain Sargeant's explanation with remarks.

P. G. 25th April 1871
N. 736 -

W. S. P. Col. Supt. Revenue Survey

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telegram

Yours
W. H. H.
Depy Supt. Revenue
C. D. C. C.
Comd. H. C.

No. 862
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Revenue Survey Office.

Chepauk
17th April 1871

From

The Superintendent Revenue Survey.

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department.

SIR,

No 168 I of 24th
March 1871

14th April 1871
No 312
137

G.O. No 1792
of 16th Nov 1870

In returning the original letter
with enclosures from the assistant Secretary
to the Government of India referred, through
me, to Captain C. C. Sargeant for explanation
under date 30th March 1871, I have the honor
to submit an original letter from my
Deputy Major H. Cessy.
As the Government are aware of
the circumstances under which Major Cessy
inspected the work in Mysore, I trust
no further explanation need be submitted.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most obedt servant

H. P. C. Colver
Superintendent Revenue

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№ 230А

Revenue Department
25-4-71

To, #737.
The Secretary to the Government
of India.
P. W. D.

Sir,
In reply to your
Assistant Secretary's letter
of the 24th March 1871 -
No 168 T. I am directed
to state that the Telegram
in question (herewith re-
turned) was sent purely
on the public service.

[Signature]

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*Refer to the
note on file*

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
TELEGRAPH.

No 270

To

From

Dated
Received

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*Refer to the
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[Signature]

Transferred to the

Revenue Department.

Regarding that

Revenue Department

*Refer to the
note on file*

30 March 1871.

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note on file*

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note on file*

30 March 71

Govt. of 1871 Madras.

REVENUE.

To

Dated April 25th.

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 25th April 1871, No. 736.

APRIL
Nos. 270-271.

Objectionable Telegraph Message sent by
Captain Sargeant of the Survey Department
—Explanation of the Superintendent of Revenue
Survey on this subject, ordered to be forwarded to
Government of India.

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25th April 1871.

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25.4.1871.

No. 273. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated
23th March 1871, No. 1,363:—

Read the following letters:—

From the Acting Collector of North Arcot, to the Acting Secretary to the Board
of Revenue, dated Kanganellore, 17th September 1870, No. 404.

WITH reference to your official memorandum, dated 2nd ultimo, No. 768,
returning for revision a tabular statement of a lapsed Yeomiah, I have the honour
to state that the late Battu Beebi therein mentioned left no heirs besides her hus-
band Shah Habeebulla, and he also having subsequently died, the names of his
heirs were entered in column 7 of the statement. These particulars are now
clearly shown in the revised statement herewith submitted.

2. Niyamuthoolla commenced to perform the service after the death of his
father Shah Habeebulla under no express authority, but as one of the family. The
exact date of Shah Habeebulla's death cannot now be ascertained, but as Niya-
muthoolla put in his claim for the allowance on the 11th December 1867, it may
be inferred that Shah Habeebulla died shortly before that time, and the allowance
might, if the Board have no objection, be passed to Niyamuthoolla from the date
of his application, the 11th December 1867.