

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
12th May 1871.*

No. 154. Read the following letter from the Acting Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Trevandrum, 29th April 1871, No. A :—

I HAVE the honour to request the sanction of Government for the payment, from my treasury, to the Government of His Highness the Maharajah of Travancore of the sum of Rs. 40,000, being the maximum amount guaranteed to that Government, in paragraph 12 of the Proceedings, dated 16th February 1865, No. 339, as compensation for the loss of duty under the Interportal Trade Convention on goods imported into Travancore through British India, during the official year 1870-71.

2. I beg to forward the accompanying statement showing the amount of Import-duty on articles other than the produce of British India, and imported direct into Travancore, to be British Rs. 1,123-0-4, deducting which from Rs. 53,218, the amount of Import-duty received by the Travancore Government previous to the Interportal arrangements the loss to that Government is Rs. 52,094-15-8, or Rs. 12,094-15-8 more than the guaranteed amount.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

Statement showing the Customs Revenue derived from goods other than British Indian imported into Travancore without paying duty to the British Government for the last 12 months, viz., from 20th Pungoonny 1045 to 19th Pungoonny 1046 (1st April 1870 to 31st March 1871).

No.	Imports.	Quantity.	Tariff value.	Duty levied.	Remarks.
			RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	
1	Piece goods ... No.	2,804	3,597 13 8	179 14 4	At 5 per cent.
	Lead ... Cwt.	134 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,350 12 0	101 4 11	
	Copper ... "	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	260 6 0	19 8 5	
2	Brass ... "	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	20 10 0	1 8 9	
	Inferior Brass ... "	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	52 8 0	3 15 0	
	Sundry metals* ... "		221 15 8	5 9 6	
3	Fish ... "	467 $\frac{3}{4}$	934 6 0	70 1 3	At 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 10 per cent.
4	Oil cakes (Illipa) ... "	559	924 10 0	69 5 7	
5	Areecanut in husk. No.	974,025	1,948 11 0	146 2 6	
6	Pomegranate ... "	3,235	572 8 0	43 2 0	
7	Dates ... Cwt.	76 $\frac{1}{2}$	312 0 0	23 4 5	
8	Coppa ... "	36	342 0 0	25 10 5	
9	Plates of all sizes. No.	15,406	1,307 14 0	98 1 6	
10	Jars of all sizes ... "	1,839	1,705 0 0	127 14 0	
11	Sundry Articles ... "		1,534 11 4	117 9 9	
12	Liquors (Imperial Gallon.)	30		90 0 0	Rate of Duty per Gallon 3 Rs. on spirits.
			15,085 13 8	1,123 0 4	

* At one per cent. for some kind of iron.

(Signed) P. SHUNGOONY MENON,
Dewan Peishcar in Charge.

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155. ORDER THEREON, 12th May 1871, No. 836.

Separate Revenue, No. 12.
Customs.

SANCTIONED.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Resident in Travancore and Cochin.
,, the Accountant-General.

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Govt. of 1871

REVENUE.

To

THE ACTING RESIDENT IN
TRAVANCORE AND COCHIN.

cc, cc, cc

Dated May 12th.

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 12th May 1871, No. 836.

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Nos. 154-155.

Loss of duty to Travancore State under the
Interportal Trade Convention.—Payment of Rs.
40,000 being the maximum amount guaranteed to
that Government in connection with it, sanctioned.

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From, The Ag. Resident in
Travancore & Cochin

To, The Ag. Chief Secretary,
Government

For the purpose of
Rs. 29, April 1871

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Enclosure. The
Resident in Travancore & Cochin

Requests to be made

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12th May 71

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