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No 371.

Chingleput District
Collectors Office
Nungumbaukum Coromandel
5th September 1872.

From R. W. Barlow Esqre
Asst Master of the
Chingleput District

To J. Grose Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras

Sir

The Cantonment of Pallaveram originally consisted of Acres 1336. In 1852 the Military authorities relinquished Acres 313, as being no longer required, and the limits were accordingly modified, and the abandoned portion was formed into a distinct village, and was called "Coole Sazaar". As there was no one to keep the accounts of the new village, the Curnam of the neighbouring Inamdar village, Viz, Meenambakum, was appointed to do duty under orders from the then Collector Mr J. H. Cochrane, who sanctioned him a salary of 6¼ percent on the basis of the village, and also appointed a Salary

Allowing.

allowing him a percentage of 3/8 on the beriz, and these allowances have been regularly deducted from the annual beriz of the Village.

2. In 1864 a further extent of acres 129 were relinquished by the Military Authorities, which was surveyed and assessed at the rates obtaining in the neighbouring villages, under orders of Mr. Lane, the tract being called "Hissa Pallaveram." The two villages have been since demarcated separately, and a land register is maintained, for each.

3. Mr Lane appointed the Curnam of Cowle Bazaar to do duty in Hissa Palaveram also, and he has been doing the work hitherto in the hope of getting a salary at the introduction of the new village Cess Act; but as this has been so long delayed, he pays for remuneration meantime, and the Tahsildar recommends a salary

of 6 Rs a month, for both Villages, and that the Talliary may receive 4 Rs a month, thus doing away with the per centage allowance now annually deducted from the beriz of Cowle Bazaar.

4. Considering the large beriz* which the Villages in question now yield, with the fact that the Curnam has to collect the Revenue* within the Cantonment limits also, I am of opinion that as a temporary measure, pending the introduction of the Village Cess Act, he should be paid a salary of Rs: 8. a month; that the Talliary of Cowle Bazaar should receive Rs 4. and that another Talliary be appointed for Hissa Pallaveram, on a little salary.

I have &c
(Sd) R. W. Barlow
Collector

From R. W. Barlow Esqre
Collector of the Chingleput Dt:
To J. Grose Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras

Sir,

Adverting to the Board's

Received

* Cowle Bazaar Taxable Value - Rs 439
Hissa Pallaveram do — 241
Cantonment do — do — 260
Total Rs. 940

* Chiefly Government Ground.

Official Memorandum dated the 13th Ultimo No 1211, I have the honor to annex in the margin, the Emoluments of the Cutcherry of Meenambakam from all sources as per accounts of Fasli 1281.

2. As the Scale of pay originally proposed by me accords, as observed by the Board, to a large per Centage on the Revenue, I beg to recommend in modification, that the Cutcherry may be allowed to draw a percentage of 6¼ on the Revenue in Hesiew Pallaveram and the Cantonment, or at the rate already paid by Mr Cochrane in Cowle Bazaar; and that the pay of the proposed Tahsildary be 3, instead of 4 Rupees per mensem.

Chingleput District
Collectors Office
Saidapett
12th October 1872

I have &c
(Sd) Robt Barlow
Collector.

(True Copies)

J Grose
Secretary

E Hamphill

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Enclosures
Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue
dated 15th November
1872. Minute Do.
The Acting Secretary
to Govt. Do.

Copies to Collectors
from the Collectors of
Chingleput & Nos: 3514
dated 5th & 12th Septr
1872. Requesting
the Govt to sanction
the proposed Remissions.

Miscellaneous No 7560. Revenue Department

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Read again letter from the Collector of Chingleput dated 5th September 1872 No 371

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Read also the following:-
No 4443.

From,
R. W. Barlow Esqre
Acting Collector of the
Chingleput District

To
J. Grose Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to the Board's Official Memorandum dated the 24th Ultimo No 1368, I have the honor to state that the Rents given in the Abstract appended to my letter of the 12th idem No 417, is correct according to holding, and is based on the accounts of Fasli 1281; whereas the figures given in the previous letter dated 13th September 1872 No 1211, were taken from the Curnam's Accounts previous

previous to Jammabundy, who it appears, did not consider the Effect of the introduction of the new areas and the transfer of certain lands from one Village to another.

2. As regards the last part of the Memorandum, I have the honor to observe that Rs: 25-13-6 were the actual emoluments of the Curnam, Calculated at Rs: 6¼ per cent on the Settled Beriz of the village; whereas the figures given as the Beriz of Fasli 1281 in my letter for Cowl bazar and the other villages, are the beriz according to holding. The net beriz of each village according to the Settlement Accounts of Fasli 1281, is as per margin.

Rs. as.
Meenambakkam — 639-5-11
Cowl bazar — 413-7-
Aissa Pllavaram — 188-4-11
Cantonment & Pllavaram including Fort St. George — 403-15-6

I have &c
Chingleput District } B. I. R. W. Baber
Collectors office } Acting Collector
Saidapet.
2d November 1872

Submitted for the orders of Government.

Aissa Pallavaram is a small Village Excluded from the Pallavaram Cantonment in 1864. The Curnam of Meenambakkam and Cowl Bazar is required to do duty there also and in the Cantonment, and the Collector proposes that he should be paid 6¼ percent on the Collections for his trouble. Taking the figures given in the third letter this will Amount to about Rs: 37 per annum

Mr Baber also proposes that a taliari should be Entertained in Aissa Pallavaram at a Salary of Rs: 3 a month.

The Board support these proposals.

(True copy Extract)

J Grose
Secretary

To
The Acting Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
with Copies of Collectors letters Nos 3710 & 4107 of 1872

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Submitting to Govt. for favorable consideration proposals of Coll.r of Chin.= =glepet that a taliari should be entertained in Vissa Palaveram on a salary of Rs. 30 a month, & that Cur.= =nam of Meenambakam & Conle bazaar, who also does duty in Palaveram, should be paid 6½ per cent. on collections.

No 142 25 Nov.r 1872

With Order

No. 142

Sanctioned as a temporary arrange= =ment pending the reorganization of the Village Service Establishments of the Districts.

25th Nov.r 1872

By Order of Board of Revenue
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Accomtant General.

C. 22 Nov/72 R.E.