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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
29th September 1874.

No. 269. Read the following Proceedings of the Court of Wards, dated 11th September 1874, No. 2,574 :—

Read the following letter from the Hon. D. ARBUTHNOTT, Collector of Tanjore, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Court of Wards, dated Vallam, 2nd September 1874, No. 262.

I FIND myself again under the necessity of applying for an advance of money from the public treasury to meet the unavoidable expenses of the Vettangudi estate.

2. On 1st July last there was at the credit of the estate a balance of only Rupees 4-8-8; but Rupees 455 had to be paid for the institution fee on the suit sanctioned in the Proceedings* of the Court of Wards, dated 4th March 1874, No. 485, (paragraph 5), for the recovery of two-thirds of the village of Anaippallam sold by the minor's father. Subsequently Rupees 168-8-0 had to be paid for the Court fee on the appeals sanctioned by the Court of Ward's telegram of the 12th August (*vide* also their Proceedings of the same date). The necessity was most pressing, and there was no time to obtain sanction. Both the sums above mentioned, amounting together to Rupees 623-8-0, were advanced, therefore, in anticipation of the sanction of Government, which I request may [illegible] I beg also to be permitted to draw a further sum of Rupees 376-8-0 to [illegible] possible future contingencies, thus making the total advance Rupees 1 [illegible] as likewise the two advances of Rs. 969 and 400 sanctioned in the Proceedings of Government marginally noted, will of course be recovered out of the next harvest of the estate lands.

* *Vide* also paragraph 13 of letter to the Court of Wards, dated 4th May 1874, printed in their Proceedings, dated 1st June following, No. 1,811.

Dated 16th May 1874, No. 602.
,, 6th Aug. ,, ,, 994.

3. The balance at the credit of the estate on 1st August (the account for August has not yet been received) was Rupees 128-13-1, and about Rupees 600 remain to be collected out of the rents of the past year; but these assets are not likely to cover both the ordinary wants of the family and the contingencies of the nature above described; hence the necessity for the further advance of Rs. 376-8-0 I ask.

4. This unfortunate estate coming under the charge of the Court of Wards while on the very verge of ruin has been a source of much trouble, as well as anxiety for its future well-being, to the Revenue authorities; but as matters stood I do not see how these advances from the public treasury could have been avoided, or can be now avoided unless it is resolved to give over charge of the estate at once. On this point a final decision can be come to as soon as the result of the appeals and the original suit referred to in paragraph 2, and the two important original suits noted in the margin which are now pending in the Subordinate Court at Negapatam, is

No. 53 of 1874 in the Subordinate Court of North Tanjore, since transferred to and filed as No. 19 of 1874 in the Negapatam Subordinate Court—*Vide* Item 5 in Statement printed in the Proceedings of the Court of Wards, dated 1st June 1874, No. 1,311.

No. 37 of 1874, Negapatam Subordinate Court, since instituted—*Vide* paragraphs 9 and 10 of the Collector's letter printed in the same Proceedings, and paragraph 3 of Proceedings, dated 11th July 1874, No. 1,774.

known. This I expect will be known shortly, as the Court of Wards are aware the elder minor comes of age this month—*Vide* their Proceedings, dated 27th August 1873, No. 1,682.

SUBMITTED for the favorable consideration of Government.

2. The Collector of Tanjore applies for an advance of Rupees 1,000 from the public Treasury to the Vettangudi estate, of which Rupees 623-8-0 has already been drawn in anticipation of sanction to meet certain law charges and the balance is required for current expenditure. This sum, if sanctioned, will be recovered from the proceeds of the next harvest in the same manner as previous loans.

No. 270. ORDER THEREON, 29th September 1874, No. 1,239.

Miscellaneous.

THE advance of Rupees one thousand is sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Court of Wards.
„ the Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COURT OF WARDS.

Dated 11th September 1874, 25/74

Read the following

No. 262

From The Honorable D. Arbuthnot
Collector of Tanjore

To J. Grose Esquire
Secretary to the Court of
Wards, Chepauk

Sir,

I find myself again under the necessity of applying for an advance of money from the Public Treasury to meet the unavoidable expenses of the Vattanguddi Estate.

2. On 1st July last there was at the credit of the Estate a balance of only Rupees 4-8-8; but Rupees 455 had to be paid for the institution fee on the suit sanctioned in the Proceedings of the Court of Wards dated 4th March 1874 No 485/para 5/ for the recovery of two thirds of the village of Sundirapatam

See also para 13 of letter to the Court of Wards dated 2nd May 1874 printed with Proceedings of 1st June following No 1311.

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REVENUE.

To

COURT OF WARDS.
&c., &c., &c.

Dated September 29th.
Read.
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G. O. 29th September 1874, No. 1239.

SEPTEMBER.
Nos. 269—270.

Vattanguddi Estate, Tanjore. Grant—Sanction of an advance of Rupees 1,000 from the public Treasury to meet certain unavoidable ex- of the—

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Municipalent sold by the Minor's father. Subsequently Rs 168-8- had to be paid for the Court fee on the appeals sanctioned by the Court of Wards telegram of the 12th August (Vide also their Proceedings of the same date).

The necessity was most pressing and there was no time to obtain sanction. Both the items above mentioned — amounting together to Rs 623-8- were advanced by me in anticipation of the sanction of Government which I request may be obtained. I beg also to be permitted to draw a further sum of Rupees 376-8- to meet similar possible future contingencies, thus making the total advance Rupees 1000 which as likewise the two advances of Rupees 900 and 400 sanctioned in the Proceedings of Government originally noted will of course be recovered

* Dated 16th May 1874 No 602
† 6th August 1874 No 994

recovered out of the next harvest of the Estate lands.

3. The balance at the credit of the estate on 1st August (the account for August has not yet been received) was Rupees 128-13-1 and about Rupees 600 remain to be collected out of the rents of the past year, but these assets are not likely to cover both the ordinary wants of the family and the contingencies of the nature above described; hence the necessity for the further advance of Rupees 376-8- I ask.

4. This unfortunate Estate coming under the charge of the Court of Wards while on the very verge of ruin has been a source of much trouble, as well as anxiety for its future well being to the Revenue authorities

authorities, but as matter stood I do not see how these advances from the Public Treasury could have been avoided, or can be now avoided unless it is resolved to give over Charge of the Estate at once. On this point final decision can become necessary as soon as the result of the Appeals and the original suit referred to in para 2 and the two important original suits noted in the margin which are now pending in the Subordinate Court at Negapatam is known. This I expect will be known shortly. As the Court of Wards are aware the elder minor comes of age this month Vide their Proceedings dated 27th August 1873 No. 682.

I have &c

Tanjore Collectors Office
Collectors Tanjore
7 September 1874

(Sig'd) D. Arbuthnott
Collector.

Submitted for the favourable consideration of Government.

2. The Collector of Tanjore applies for an advance of Rupees 100 from the Public Treasury to the Vellangudi Estate, of which Rs. 623-0-0 has already been drawn in anticipation of sanctions to certain low Charges and the balance is required for current expenditure. This sum, if sanctioned, will be recovered from the proceeds of the next Loan in the same manner as previous loans.

True Copy & Extract

C. A. Galton
Ag. Sub-Secretary

To
The Ag. Secretary to
Government Revenue
Department.

C. A. Galton
C. R. Ry. Ritchie

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE COURT OF WARDS

No. 3227.

Dated 15th Sept. 1874.
Recd 17th Sept. 1874.

Vittangadi Estate in Tanjore District – application of Collector for an advance of money from Public Treasury to meet the unavoidable expenses of — Submitted for favourable consideration of Government with remarks.

For orders.

Mr Eden

Mr Ellis

Mr Eden

No 1232.

The Advance of Rupees one hundred and twenty thousand

Mr Ellis

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