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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,  
6th December 1875.*

No. 78. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 16th November 1875, No. 3,127 :—

Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. HEARN, Inspector-General of Police, to H. E. STOKES, Esq., Acting Secretary to the of Board Revenue, dated Madras, 29th October 1875, No. 5,221.

I HAVE the honor to forward the enclosed correspondence as per margin regarding the temporary salt guard in South Arcot District, and to request that you will obtain the sanction of Government for the retention of the guard until 15th October 1875, or  $2\frac{1}{2}$  months in excess of the period for which it was originally sanctioned, as recommended by the Collector of the district. The cost of this arrangement is Rupees 1,286.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From Captain R. G. JENKINS, Superintendent of Police, South Arcot, to Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. HEARN, Inspector-General of Police, Madras, dated Cuddalore, 15th October 1875, No. 240.

AGREEABLE to instructions received in Objectionable Charge Memorandum No. 389, dated 13th October, I have the honor to enclose a letter (to be returned), received from the Collector of the district, requesting that the services of the temporary establishment at Merkanum be retained till 15th October, and requesting sanction of the Inspector-General for the same. The men have been discharged on the 15th.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

From W. FREER, Esq., Deputy Collector, in charge of Salt Department, South Arcot, to J. H. GARSTIN, Esq., Collector of South Arcot, dated Porto Novo, 23rd September 1875, No. 212.

WITH reference to your letter of the 11th instant, No. 181, I have the honor to inform you that having visited the Southern Salt Stations of this district, I am of opinion that the extra Constables of Kudikadu, Manavari, and Kamblimodu of the Gundalum Division and those of the Killai Division, including Manambady, may be withdrawn from the 1st proximo. Spontaneous salt is being gathered at the Gundalum Station and in the Merkanum Division, and therefore the extra Constables should be retained at these stations till the 15th proximo as proposed in my letter which, to avoid delay, I could not help writing to you on my way from Merkanum to Pondicherry.

2. I take this opportunity to state that some of the extra Constables of the Killai Division have been excessively careless in allowing the small quantities of spontaneous salt which had formed in the middle of the pans of Nakravandangudi to be stolen with impunity for several days before the 21st instant when I inspected the pans of the Killai Division. The foot-prints were of several ages, and the thefts of the previous night were unknown either to the Head Constable or to the Constable whose immediate duty it was to have prevented them. This is the less excusable, as the Killai platforms were cleared of salt on the 6th instant and that of Tillavandungan on the 17th, and the permanent Constables of these platforms were also available from those dates for extra duty. I have ordered the Superintendent to gather the salt and destroy it in the kenis, and more spontaneous salt will crop up this season.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,  
6th December 1875.*

No. 338.

TRUE copy forwarded to the Superintendent of Police, South Arcot, with a request that he will have the guards withdrawn as requested by the Deputy Collector.

Cuddalore,  
25th September 1875.

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,  
Collector.

SUBMITTED for the sanction of Government.

2. The authority for the entertainment of the temporary guard has not been quoted, but the Board understand that the temporary guard was included in the force originally sanctioned for the district at the time of the organization of salt guards.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,  
Acting Sub-Secretary.

No. 79.

ORDER THEREON, 6th December 1875, No. 1,757.

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|--------------------------|
| Separate Revenue, No. 6. |
| Salt.                    |

THE necessity for the retention of the temporary salt guard referred to till the 15th October 1875 is recognized subject to orders in the Judicial Department.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.  
„ the Judicial Department.

Exd. A. Grubert.

South Arcot District  
Salt & Collectors Office  
Camp Ponto Poo  
23<sup>rd</sup> September 1875

No 212

From

The Deputy Collector  
in charge of Salt Department

South Arcot

To

J. H. Gardiner Esquire  
Collector of  
South Arcot

Sir

With reference to your  
letter of the 11<sup>th</sup> Instant  
No 181 I have the honor  
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Salt

Govt. of 1875

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Secy, Secy, Secy

Dated December, 6th.

Recd.

Encl.

G. O., 6th December 1875, No. 1,757.

DECEMBER.

Nos. 78-79.

Temporary Salt Guards at Nerkanam in South  
Arcot.—Recognizing the necessity for the reten-  
tion of the — till the 15th October 1875, subject  
to orders in the Judicial Department.

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I have  
/Sgt. H. Green  
by collector

No 338

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Buddalare }  
25 September }  
1875 } /Sgt. J. H. Garton  
Collector

/True copy/

W. C. C.  
by Subsecretary

W. C. C.  
W. C. C.

District Police Office  
Cuddalore  
15<sup>th</sup> October 1895

No 240

From,

The Superintendent of  
Police  
South Arcot

To  
The Inspector General  
of Police  
Madras

Sir,  
Agreeable to instructions received in official charge Memo No 389 dated 13<sup>th</sup> October I have the honor to enclose  
to be returned a letter received from the Collector of the District requesting that the services of the Temporary establishment at Merhamun be retained till 15<sup>th</sup> October and request sanction of the Inspector General for

Enclosure in No 240  
Proceeding dated  
15<sup>th</sup> November 1895  
to the Secretary to  
Government Revenue  
Department.

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Copy of letter  
from the Collector  
South Arcot, dated  
15<sup>th</sup> October 1895  
to the Secretary to  
Government Revenue  
Department.

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for the same. The men have  
been discharged on the 15<sup>th</sup>

I have &c

Hq. R. G. Jenkins Captain

Superintendent  
of Police  
Little Rock

/True Copy/

W. C. C. C.  
As Secretary

E. M. C. C.

W. B. C. C.

M. A. J. M. D. L.

Revenue Department

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 16<sup>th</sup> November 1895

No 3127

Read the following:-

No 5221

From

The Inspector General  
of Police

To

The Secretary to the  
Board of Revenue  
Madras

Sir

Enclosures 2

I have the honor to  
forward the enclosed cor-  
respondence as per margin  
regarding the temporary  
salt guard in South Arcot  
District and to request  
that you will obtain the  
sanction of Government  
for the retention of the  
guard until 15<sup>th</sup> October  
1895 or 2½ months in excess  
of the period for which it  
was

No 240 dated 15<sup>th</sup> October 1895 from  
the Superintendent of Police  
South Arcot  
No 212 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> September 1895  
from the Collector of South Arcot

Enclosure in Board's  
Proceedings dated  
16<sup>th</sup> November 1895  
to the Secretary to  
Government Revenue  
Department.

No 4442/5

Copy of letter  
from the Inspector  
General of Police  
South Arcot, dated  
15 October 1895 No 240.

was originally sanctioned  
as recommended by the  
Collector of the District.  
The cost of this arrange-  
ment is Rupees 1286.

Shane &c  
Chief office of the  
Inspector General  
of Police  
Madras  
29 October 1875  
Sd/- B. S. Hearn  
Inspector General  
of Police

Submitted for the sanc-  
tion of Government.  
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in the force originally sanc-  
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the time of the organization  
of Salt guards.

True Copy & Extract  
Sd/-  
By Sub Secretary  
To The Secretary to Government  
Revenue Department  
with Copies of 2 Enclosures

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6 Dec 1875

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Dated 26<sup>th</sup>. November 1875  
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Salt Works, Tampabay -  
at Merchants in South  
West Side - building  
for functions of Post  
Applications of ducts  
General office for  
the retention of -  
till 15<sup>th</sup> October 1895.

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