

(1) Number of Pages 12
(2) Date of repair 16-5-1969
(3) Initials of the Referencer S.B.H.

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

Revenue DEPARTMENT

G.O. No.

1166

Press

B.P. No.

Mis.

Dated

26.8-1876 196

Not to be folded or roughly handled

1166

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
26th August 1876.*

No. 27¹. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th August 1876, No. 2,104 :—

Read the following letter from A. McC. WEBSTER, Esq., Collector of South Canara to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Mangalore, 9th August 1876, No. 1,566.

In continuation of my letter of the 31st ultimo, No. 1,520, and with reference to paragraph 8 thereof, I have the honor to forward copy of a letter* received from the

* Dated 31st July 1876.

Salt Deputy Collector, from which it will be seen that the Salt Kotas at Bantwal have received no injury from the late floods (except the Salt Superintendent's Cutcherry building which is in ruins), but that both the Kotas at Panemangalore have been greatly injured. Measures have been taken to prevent any further damage to the salt which cannot be removed for want of other accommodation, and the District Engineer has been requested to furnish an estimate for repairing or rebuilding the Kotas.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From J. BALL, Esq., Deputy Collector, to A. McC. WEBSTER, Esq., Collector of South Canara, dated Panemangalore, 31st July 1876.

With advertence to my note of the 29th instant, I have the honor to report that I arrived here yesterday and at once inspected the Bantwal and Panemangalore Kotas.

2. The Kotas at Bantwal have received no injury from the late floods, but the Cutcherry is in ruins. I have ordered it to be dismantled and a shed erected with the materials for the Police guard.

3. Both the Kotas at this place (Panemangalore) have, however, been greatly injured, especially the southern or No. 1 Kotas.

4. The southern rough stone basement to the extent of some 75 or 80 feet has fallen, together with about 30 or 35 feet of the mud wall above, the remaining portion of this wall bulging outwards. In this Kotas there are 3,423 Indian maunds of Goa salt in four compartments next the doorway.

5. In No. 2 or the northern Kotas there are but 1,089 Indian maunds of Bombay salt in the last compartment. The north-west corner of the rough stone basement of this Kotas has fallen to the extent of 10 feet. The front verandahs of this Kotas have also been injured, there being a deep crack between the front gable wall and the verandahs right through the masonry steps.

6. I see no means of removing the salt either to the Bantwal side of the river or to any other safer place, and have therefore directed the erection of a strong bamboo fence along the partition posts to protect the salt and also to prevent an entrance over the fallen wall. Materials are being collected this day, and I hope to commence the work early to-morrow.

7. Both the Kotas will have to be rebuilt, and with that view I beg to suggest the Supervisor of the Puttur Range being called upon to inspect the buildings and to estimate for their re-erection.

8. It is said that the late floods rose up to the eaves of the Salt Kotas here.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) A. McC. WEBSTER,
Collector.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, dated 8th August 1876, No. 2,013.

(True Copies and Extract.)

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

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
26th August 1876.*

No. 274.

ORDER THEREON, 26th August 1876, No. 1,166.

Separate Revenue, No. 26.
Salt.

THE Government are glad to learn that little or no damage was caused to the salt by the late floods in the Netravaty. The Cotaurs must be reconstructed with all possible expedition.

2. It should be understood that the repairs need be slight only, unless the Cotaurs are required as Bonded Warehouses under the Excise System.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Revenue Department.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

Dated 18th August 1876.

No. 2102:-
Read the following:-

No. 1566.

From. A. McE. Webster Esqr.
Collector of South Canara
To. A. Galton Esqr.
Ag. Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Madras.

Sir.

In continuation of my letter
of the 31st ultimo, No. 1520, and with
reference to para 8 thereof, I have
the honor to forward copy of a letter
received from the Salt Dy Collector
from which it will be seen that
the Salt Kotams at Bantwal
have received no injury from

dated 31st July
1876.

Govt. of 1876 Madras.

REVENUE.

THE BOARD OF REVENUE.

Dated August, 28th.

Recd.

Encl.

G.O. 26th August 1876, No. 1,186.

AUGUST.

No. 277. 720

1166

Floods in the Nethravathi, in the South Canara
District. - Pursuing remarks on Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue submitting further report on
the recent -



Superintendent's Kacheri building
 which is in ruins) but that both the
 Kotams at Panemangalore have
 been greatly injured. Measures
 have been taken to prevent any
 further damage to the salt which
 cannot be removed for want of
 other accommodation, and the
 District Engineer has been requested
 to furnish an estimate for
 repairs or rebuilding the Kotams.

South Canara,
 Civil Office
 Mangalore
 9th August 1896

Shave &
 A. McWilliam
 Collector.

To:-

The Collector of South Canara

Sir

With adherence to your order

1166/4
 of the 29th Instant, I have the honor to
 report that I arrived here yesterday
 and at once inspected the Bantwal
 and Panemangalore Kotams.

2. The Kotams at Bantwal have
 received no injury from the lake
 floods, but the Kacheri is in ruins,
 I have ordered it to be dismantled
 and a shed erected with the
 materials for the Police guard.

3. Both the Kotams at this
 place (Panemangalore) have
 however been greatly injured
 especially the Southern or No 1.
 Kotam.

4. The Southern rough stone

Superintendent's Kacheri building
which is in ruins) but that both the
Kotams at Panemangalore have
been greatly injured. Measures
have been taken to prevent any
further damage to the salt which
cannot be removed for want of
other accommodation, and the
District Engineer has been requested
to furnish an estimate for
repairs or rebuilding the Kotams.

To the Commr,
Col's Office
Mangalore
9th August 1876

Shave &
1876 A. McElwaine
Collector.

No:-
1.

The Collector of South Canara

Sir

With reference to my note

1166/4
of the 29th Instant, I have the honor to
reply that I arrived here yesterday
and at once inspected the Bantwal
and Panemangalore Kotams.

2. The Kotams at Bantwal have
received no injury from the late
floods, but the Kacheri is in ruins,
I have ordered it to be dismantled
and a shed erected with the
materials for the Police guard.

3. Both the Kotams at this
place (Panemangalore) have
however been greatly injured
especially the Southern or No 1.
Kotam.

4. The Southern rough stone

basement to the extent of some
75 or 80 feet has fallen, together
with about 30 or 35 feet of the
mud wall above, the remaining
portion of this wall ^{is} tilting out-
wards. In this Kotaur there
are 3423 Indian Maunds of
Goa Salt in four compartments near
the doorway

5. In No. 2 or the Northern Kotaur
there are but 1089 Indian Maunds
of Bombay salt in the last com-
partment. The northwest corner
of the rough stone basement of
this Kotaur, has fallen to the
extent of 10 feet. The front mandab

466/5
of this Kotaur have also been
injured there being a deep crack
between the front gable wall and
the mandab right through the
masonry steps

6. I see no means of removing
the salt either to the Bantwal side
of the river or to any other safer
place and have therefore directed
the erection of a strong bamboo fence
along the partition posts to protect
the salt and also to ~~prevent~~ an
entrance over the fallen wall.
Materials are being collected
this day and I hope to commence
the work early to-morrow

7. Both the Kotans will have
to be rebuilt and with that view
I beg to suggest the supervision of
the Putter Range being called
upon to inspect the buildings &
to estimate for their erection.

8. It is said that the lake floods
rose up to the eaves of the Salt Kotans
here.

Camp Puccungah
31 July 1876 } Have to
(true copy) (100) J. Ball
Dry Collector
(100) a Mr. Webster
Collector

Submitted for the information of
Government in continuation of Board's
Proceedings 8th August 1876, No:-

1 true copy & 100

To
The Secretary to
Government R.D.
J. Ball
Secretary

22 Aug 1876 12.25 AM

2260 The Govt are glad to learn that little or no damage was caused to the salt by the late flood in the Nethravati. The Cotans must be reconstructed with all possible expedition. Orders on the subject will issue in the Public Works Dept. It will be understood that the repairs need be slight only, unless the Cotans are referred as damaged. Houses under the special system.

To the Boarding Officer on 26th Aug
11. Breached Coten on 24th

26 August 1876

With order

Submitting

In the information of
Government that the
inhabitants from the
of the Coten are
connected with the
secret flood in the
Nethravati.

Dated 18 August 1876.
Signed. 18

Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue.

Revised 1876 Draft

1876