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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
5th December 1876.

No. 88. Read the following petition from SOOBRAMA REDDY, late Monigar of Odayargoody, Chidumbarum Taluq, South Arcot District, dated 23rd August 1876.

Abstract.—Referring to the endorsement on his former petition, which was returned under paragraph 2, submits the a[illegible] impugning orders of the district authorities and of the Board of Revenue, and s[illegible]s that the Sub-Collector relying on the false account of the Curnum considered [illegible] petitioner to have in Fasli 1284 cultivated a poramboke land of the extent o[illegible]0 decimals, imposed on petitioner a prohibitory assessment amounting to Rs. 73 and odd, and dismissed him from his hereditary appointment of Monigar; that the Collector and the Board of Revenue declined to interfere; that petitioner did not cultivate the land in question during Fasli 1284, nor did he derive a profit of a single Pie from it; that Veeranagava Reddy, the village Munsif, who had been dismissed from his post under similar circumstances, has been reinstated in his former post by an order of Government, dated 30th June last.

2. Prays, therefore, that the Government may direct the restoration of the petitioner to his former post of Village Monigar, and the refund of Rs. 75-15-8, which has been unjustly levied from him.

No. 89. Order thereon, 5th December 1876, No. 1,917.

Miscellaneous.

The Government consider that the petitioner has been sufficiently punished and will be restored.

2. They further resolve to remit the assessment levied.

3. Petitioner is referred to the Collector.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Petition Department.

Encl. 2 to Gentlemen.

Revenue Department,
Fort St. George,
5th *December* 1876.

No. 814.

No. 8[illegible]

To

THE SECRETARY to the GOV[illegible]ENT OF INDIA,
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE,
AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

Miscellaneous.

SIR,—With reference to your letter, [illegible]ted 29th March 1876, No. 262, I have [illegible]ested to forward a copy of the report [illegible] the Collector of Kistna on the case of [illegible]ance for the same, and to state that objections to the present system of [illegible] grazing grounds will be duly considered on receipt of the special report now [illegible]ted by the Collector.

I have the honor to be,

SIR,

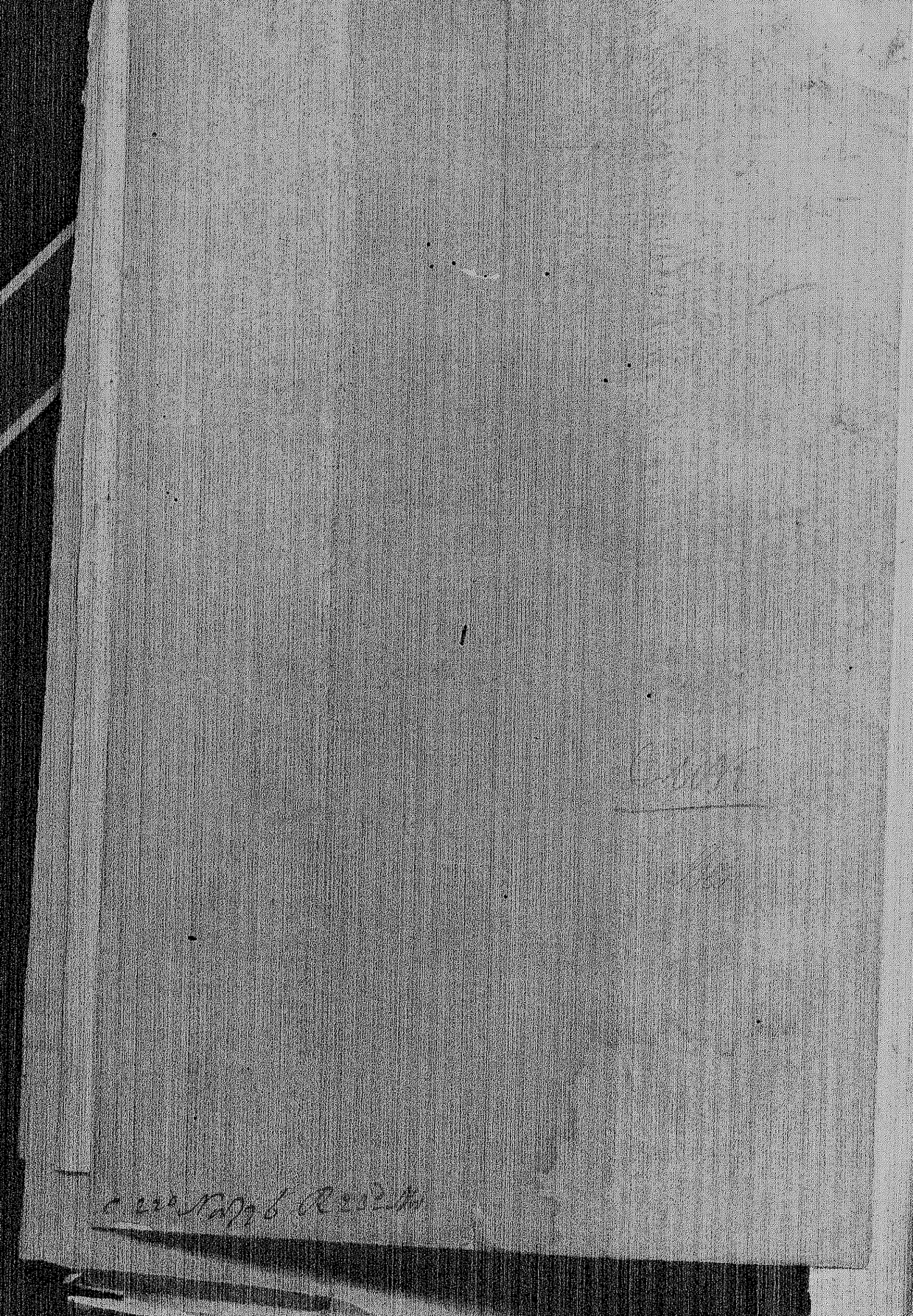
Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) [illegible]. T. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

[illegible] P. T. Donaldson.

[illegible] G.O., dated 1st December 1876, No. 1013.

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To the Most Noble the Governor
in Council
Fort Saint George

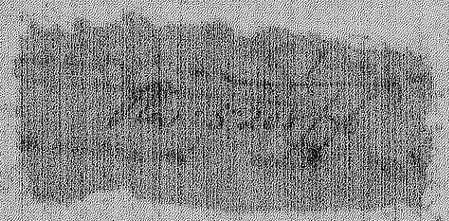
The humble petition of Sooberamadoo
Cate Manian of the village of Polyanpady
and the Inhabitants of Chedambaram
and the Southern Districts

Most respectfully sheweth:

That during the Jamabundy of Fusly 1238 Corresponding
of the above village of Polyanpady produced a Parwanna for
Cultivation bearing date the 6th October of the
Hon'ble Thomas Munro Esqr Governor &c &c &c
Fort St George, according to which Parwanna
Your Petitioner cultivated the Land
and the Malcolt Nara Naigh of Cuda and the Pattakar Commandy
Naick of 10 Peons, the Peons being paid Rs 2 Rupees
per Day, & Camp Fee Rs 10 per Month, have annually Collected
the Rents of the Pattam, and Collected three Parwanna
Cowle in Fusly 1238, Cowle Inscribed, Collected the Pattam
Amount Rs 3[illegible] Pagodas [illegible] Chuckrums
The Jamah Rent Rs [illegible] Pagodas & Deducting
there from Rent free Land Pagodas [illegible]
Cowle Cowle in Fusly 1238 Remained Pagodas [illegible]
Chuckrums Rent free Land Pagodas [illegible]
Cowle Cowle & the Pattakar Cowle Pagodas
Collected Pagodas [illegible] Chuckrums, and [illegible]
[illegible]

under the Court of Exchequer as Jurors and Tenants for the
Crown by Rent reserved by the Letters Patents of the
Duchy Collector upon the Decree aforesaid of the Exchequer
Court dated [illegible] Instrument of Decree
[illegible] Court of Exchequer
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COURT FEE
SIX ANNAS
COURT FEE
TWO ANNAS



TO THE HONORABLE THE PRESIDENT

AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE

FORT SAINT GEORGE

The humble Petition of Sowrappa Reddy, *late Munsif of the village of Oddanchatram, in the Taluq of Oddanchatram, South Arcot District.*

1. This is an appeal against the proceedings of the Collector of South Arcot upholding the Sub-Collector's decision, dismissing Petitioner from his office of Munsif on an alleged charge that he did not raise the bund (bank) in certain Nanjah Porampoke which were let to him for cultivation.

2. The total feature of the case is this:—Nanjah Porampoke lands of the above village, being the fields Nos. 429, 453, 454, and 465, consisting of Acre 0-10-0 paying assessment Rupees 0-11-10, were let to Petitioner. During the Amabundy of Fasly 1274, the Sub-Collector ordered that if Petitioner would hereafter cultivate the same lands, an assessment ten times the former rate shall be charged against him. The Revenue Inspector also accordingly prohibited Petitioner not to cultivate them in 1274.

3. Petitioner said the same lands uncultivated, but simply raised their bunds (banks) close to the same fields which would serve to keep the water in his other lands. Petitioner has to pay for the said lands, as borne out by Current Account No. 6, which is produced in appeal before the Collector.

4. Petitioner says that not thus cultivated the fields above-mentioned according to the prohibitory order of the Sub-Collector and of the Revenue Inspector, but raising their bank close thereto in security of water to his Fasly lands, the villagers brought to the notice of the Authorities the existence of the said banks. The matter was referred to the Revenue Inspector who, on the 6th February 1275, passed the accompanying Endorsement covering Petitioner's report as regards the construction of road in the lands in question. And thereupon Revenue Inspector brought the circumstances to the notice of the Sub-Collector at the Amabundy of the current year. That Accepting the report of Petitioner was not passed by said to be the land, how, therefore, dismissed Petitioner.

5. On appeal the Collector passed confirming the Sub-Collector's decision, which is not sustainable for the following among other reasons:—

1. Because Petitioner has not cultivated the lands in question as it will be seen by the Current Account No. 6, and under the warning of the Sub-Collector adverted to. How is the Collector justified to state in his order under appeal that Petitioner disobeyed that Authorities' orders? Hence the order under appeal is wholly deserving deliberate consideration of the Honorable Board, in the first place, and reversing the order under appeal.

II. Because the opinion of the Local Authorities that Petitioner has not prepared a high road in the land in question is very strange, or, in other words, very weightless, for Petitioner is quite unable to undergo the expenses of Rupees 100; while he (Petitioner) has not cultivated the land nor received a single pice therefrom. Is it reasonable for the Local Authorities to order Petitioner's dismissal for and on account of such nominal failure?

III. Because the Maniem office is the one which was held by Petitioner's ancestors hereditarily; it is not just to dismiss Petitioner for such loose or uncalled purposes herein referred to, and also contrary to Circular Orders passed by Government and this Honorable Board that the Village Officers should not be ousted from their posts upon useless or unfounded faults.

IV. Because an assessment of Rupees 69-4-4 was levied from Petitioner for the fields in question, which Petitioner was prohibited to cultivate, and which Petitioner has not, therefore, done so, being one hundred times more than its usual parmash rate Rupees 0-11-10; the Local Authorities declining to remit the same is not justifiable. How strange and how novel order is [illegible] issued by this Honorable Board and necessary orders issue.

6. Under the foregoing circumstances, Petitioner prays that Your Honorable Board will be pleased to weigh the reasons stated by the Local Authorities and issue instructions in order that Petitioner may be reinstated in his Maniem post, and thus [illegible] on the lands in question.

And

Madras,
17th December 1875.

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of 1875

Petitioner informed that the Plan and Section for

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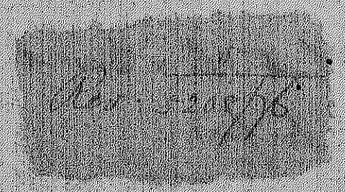
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Extract from the Register Cultivation Account for the Year 1884

Number of Farm	No. of Field	Description of Field.	Extent	Nature of Cultivation	Remarks.
			a. r. p.		
1452	Orchard Pomerlots		1 1 2	Bank (old) raised	On the 28th April 1874 at the Jamabundy of 1283 of these Lands to be Cultivated, it has been ordered in the Pomerlots Paths by the Sub-Collector that ten times Tarcondah shall be charged. (Signed) Tumma, Rengasa
1454	do		1 1 2	do	
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1456	do		1 6 4	do	
		Total	5 0 11	16.	
Order		In this Year we collected the Damages also have interest for three Years Seventy Dues collected and 2 Times Seventy Dues Levied on account of the Lands that stands in the Book Valan Pomerlots			
1453	6822	Tank Pathaye	Pomerlots	1	Tulpitiya 4

(Signed) G. D. Stevens
Sub-Collector