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Revenue DEPARTMENT

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No. 3,270.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 13th November 1874.

Read the following letter from J. H. GARSTIN, Esq., Collector of South Arcot, to J. GROSE, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Cuddalore, 6th November 1874, No. 578:—

In forwarding copy of a letter from the Salt Deputy-Collector, dated 3rd instant, No. 198, reporting on the stock of salt in hand at the end of last month, I have the honor to request that early arrangements may be made for supplying this district with 70,000 Maunds of salt over and above the 50,000 ordered to be supplied from the Madras Salt Kotours in Board's Proceedings, dated 29th ultimo.

2. I send also copy of a letter* from the Salt Deputy-Collector of the Kistna District addressed to Mr. Freer, in which he states that the necessary supply of salt may be shipped from the Chinna-Ganjam Kotours.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From W. FREER, Esq., Deputy-Collector in charge of salt, to J. H. GARSTIN, Esq., Collector of South Arcot, dated Cuddalore, 3rd November 1874, No. 198.

I HAVE the honor to report on the stock of salt in hand at the end of last month.

2. The balance of salt in hand at the beginning of October was Maunds 47,020.

To which being added quantity received from Madras... 12,840

Minus wastage... 1,668

11,172

And surplus gained from heaps sold ... 35

Making a total of ... 58,227

Of which sold in the month ... 31,604

Wastage ... 1,685

33,289

Leaving a balance of ... 24,938

The stock of 2,400 Maunds remaining in the Kille Division in the beginning of October was sold out, so that there is no salt for sale at Kille.

3. The average sales (taking the five years ending Fasli 1,280), including wastage for the whole of the district in the month of November, were—

	Maunds.
Markanum ...	25,688
Gundalum and Kille ...	10,481
	36,169

Of which 10,938 Maunds were purchased for other districts, and may have been sold to some extent at least on the way through this district, if profitable inducement offered. Considered by this light our stock in hand may not suffice for this month's sales. Owing to heavy rains, the sales from the 20th to the 30th of last month kept at about $4\frac{1}{2}$ garce per diem, but they have revived since then, for on the 31st ultimo, 1,115 Maunds were sold, and I sold 1,802 Maunds yesterday, and 980 Maunds today, and if the weather continues fair, there may be a run on our stock in anticipation of its running out very soon.

Submitted

4. I enclose the replies received from Tanjore, Nellore* and Kistna. The Chinna-Ganjam salt is much like Markanum, and we may get the whole supply of 1,000 garce we require from these extensive stores, the average sales including wastage for the whole district during the five years ending Fasli 1,280 having been—

	Maunds.
December	34,238
January	28,745
February	28,555
March	30,466
April	24,509

146,513 or 1,220 garce.

And the new salt may not be ready for sale in sufficient quantity before the 1st of May next.
(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Collector.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

From P. VENKATANARASIMHA ROW PANTULU, Deputy-Collector in charge of the Salt Department, Kistna District, to W. FREER, Esq., Deputy-Collector in charge of the Salt Department, South Arcot District, dated Masulipatam, 19th October 1874, No. 133.

In reply to your letter of the 5th instant, No. 58, I have the honor to inform you that the Chinna-Ganjam Salt Kotars is able to supply the quantity required for consumption in South Arcot.

2. The salt may be exported by sea, as Chinna Ganjam was formerly an export station, and as there is still an opening into the sea.

(True Copy)
(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
Collector.

The Collector should arrange with the Collector of Kistna for the shipment of the salt required so soon as the weather permits.

(True Copies and Extract)
(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the Collector of South Arcot.
Copy to the Collector of the Kistna District.

Ed. W. H. French.

1874.

Board of Revenue
MADRAS.

PROCEEDINGS, 13TH NOVEMBER 1874, No. 3,270.

Received

NOVEMBER.
No. 3,270.

Salt. — Collector of South Arcot directed to arrange with Collector of Kistna for shipment of necessary supply of — for his district so soon as the weather permits.

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Encl.

Revenue Department
Miscellaneous No 3092 25/11
Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Dated 10 April 1876
Read the following
17/5/76
From, The Collector, Kistna District
To, The Secretary, Board of Revenue, Madras.
Sir,

amount by
Rs 103-10-7

I have the honor to forward a statement showing the extra hands employed in view of the peon & on the Salt Establishment who were sent on board the Dharies which took salt from the Chinna Ganjam Division of this District to find the work in the South Arcot District in February and March 1875. and to request that the Board will be pleased to obtain sanction for its disbursements.

Kistna Dist (for office)
Masulipatam 11 Dec 1875
I have &
(a) by D Lemon
Collection
Submitted

Submitted for the sanction
of Government. The salt was
exported on Government acc.
counts. *3^d of 13th Nov 74*
N^o 3270.

(True copy & extract)

Sanction

Acting Subsecretary

I
The Secretary to Government P.D.
with original statement & here turned
and copy of 3^d of 13th November 1874 N^o 3270.

W. B. Rogers
C. R.

No 925

Sanctioned No 103. 10. 7.

24 April 1876

To the Officer in Charge
The Accounts and General

Recd 1876 April

No 1492

Proceedings of the
Board of Directors
Date 10 April 1876
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No 103-10-7

With Receipt

No 925-24 April 1876

Subsiding for the
officers of the
of the Board of Directors
No 103-10-7 on account of
extra funds supplied in the
of the Board of Directors
from the Board of Directors

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