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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

* Dated 19th ultimo, No. 133. 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 $4\frac{1}{2}$ galls 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.

Subscribed

Revenue Department

Miscellaneous No. 3092

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 10 April 1876

Read the following

17/56

From. The Collector, Kistna District

To. The Secretary, Board of Revenue, Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a statement showing the extra hands employed in view of the pressure on the Salt Establishment who were sent on board the Dharies which took salt from the Chinnaganjam Division of this District to feed the loss in the South Arcot District in February and March 1875. and to request that the Board will be pleased to obtain sanction for its disbursement.

Kistna Dist. (11 Dec 75)
Masulipatam 11 Dec 75

Sham...
@ J. D. Lemon
Collector

Subscribed

103-107

4. I enclose the replies received from Tanjore, Nellore* and Kistna. The Chinnaganjam salt is much like Markanum, and we

* There may be salt available here.

may get the whole supply of 1,000 garces 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 garces.

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 Chinnaganjam Salt Kotars is able to supply the quantity required for consumption in South Arcot.

2. The salt may be exported by sea, as Chinnaganjam 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. F. STOKES,

Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the Collector of South Arcot.

Copy to the Collector of the Kistna District.

Ed. W. H. French.

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.

NOVEMBER.
No. 3,270.

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Board of Revenue

1874.

Submitted for the sanction
of Government. The salt was
exported on Government acc.
counts. B^d No. of 13 Nov 74
N^o 3270.

(True copy & extract)

Sanction

Acting Subsecretary

I
The Secretary to Government P. D.
with original statement to be returned
and copy of B^d of 13 November 1874 N^o 3270.

Sanction
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No 926-

Sanctus No 103. 10. 7.

24. June 1876

1 To the Board of Directors
1 The Secretary and General

Dec 1876 Sept

No 1192

Proceedings of the
Board of Directors
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Walt Allen

No 926-24. June 1876

Submitting for action
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of the Board of Directors
No 103-10-7 on account of
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of the Board of Directors
from the Board of Directors