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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

9th November 1878, No. 1,808.

Read the following paper :—

No. 122. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 21st October 1878,
No. 2,852.

Read the following letter from H. W. BLISS, Esq., Commissioner of Salt Revenue,
to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated
Mangalore, 28th September 1878, No. 1-1,349:—

As promised in my letter, No. 1-1,346, dated 27th September 1878, I have the
honor to forward, for the information of the Board, a list of the tenders for salt received
and accepted at Calicut.

2. They are mostly, as the Board will see, at the minimum price, which I
cannot help thinking that it would have been much better not to have published.

3. The total amount now disposed of is 153,489 maunds for the sum of Rupees
4,43,787-4-3, duty included, which should be realized in six months.

Enclosure No. 1.—List of Tenders.

SUBMITTED for the information of Government.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

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

No. 123. ORDER THEREON, 9th November 1878, No. 1,808.

Separate Revenue, No. 9.

Salt.

RECORDED.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) L. A. CAMPBELL,
Under-Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. W. H. French.

3. The above is a true copy of the original

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Revenue Report

Memo

Board's Proceedings dated 21st
October 1878 no. 2852.

With the above Proceedings
the Board submit the Salt Com-
missioner's letter forwarding
list of tenders disposed of at
Calicut with reference to G.O.
31st August 1878 no 1409 and
the notification published at
page 1161 of the Fort St. George
Gazette for 1878.

2. Mr Bliss now reports
that 153489 maunds have
been disposed of for Rs 443787-43
including duty, which is to be
realized in 6 months.

3. The stock of Salt remaining

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in the district on 1st July 1878 } 3,85,087.
 was Bombay produce — 344,625
 Timmully produce — 40,462

Quantity proposed to be retained in store } 192,309

Balance offered for sale — 192,778
 Bombay produce — 153,489
 Timmully " — 39,289

4. Of the Salt offered for sale, only the whole of the Bombay Salt appears to have been disposed of, vide the Statement furnished by Mr Bliss.

5. The Salt was disposed of at the following rates.

	No	A	B
59,572 loads at 6-8	=	22,339	- 8-
66,492 " " 6-6	=	27,012	- 6-
27,425 " " 6-3	=	10,712	- 14-3
<u>153,489 loads.</u>		<u>60,064</u>	<u>- 12-3</u>

6. The above prices are exclusive of the fixed, uniform rate of duty which is at Rs 2-8 per maund - vide the Indian Tariff Act Schedule

A. clause 49 - Salt - The amount is - 383,722-8-2
 and Act 18 of 1877 Sec. 7 } Total 4,43,787-4-3

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7. The reasons for not having disposed of the Timmully Salt are not stated.

8. Mr Bliss remarks that the tenders are mostly at the minimum price which he thinks "it would have been much better not to have published." But from the foregoing figures it will be seen that the average rate of price realised for the Bombay Salt is

$$*Rs 60064-12-3 \div 153489$$

$$153489 \text{ at } 6-3.26 = 60064-12-3 \text{ As at } 6 \text{ prices } 3-26, \text{ while the actual } 153489 \text{ at } 5- = 47965-5- \text{ Cost is } 5 \text{ annas. The profit then } *Rs 12099-7-3 \text{ comes to Rs } 12099-7- \text{ The minimum price was fixed at } 6 \text{ annas per maund in consideration of the higher price / annas } 7- \text{ vide } 3 \text{ of the Timmully produce which is only a tenth of the whole stock but which has not been disposed of after all.}$$

8. vide para 7 of the Coll's letter received in B. D. No. 16th Sept 78 No. 23/4.

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Notes

Result of Salt Sales in
Alabama District.

Amount of Salt sold

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Bill of lading for the purchase of salt in Malabar deposited by the salt farmers on the 20th September 1878

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Bill of lading of the River

Kind Amount Date Amount of 1878 for amount of salt for amount of salt

Remarks

1	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 1000	6	1000
2	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 56400	6	55400
3	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 56400	6	

1	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 500	6	500
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The transfer of this man was reported as the month of 1878 is said in the bill of lading that in which the name is given that of the salt farmers bill 24925. It is said that the small quantity through at a slightly lower price as I considered that the amount would not be the amount of the salt 14th among as far as possible we are not to establish a more policy in favor of any one firm.

2	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 24925	6	24425
3	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 13000	6	
4	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 24925	6	3

That of the salt for salt Monday bill 23092 and 24925

1	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 1000	6	
2	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 23092	6	23092
3	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 23092	6	
4	Thyagaraj Bhatu City	Monday 23092	6	
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Bill of lading of the River
Thyagaraj Bhatu City
20th September 1878
Bill of lading of the River
Thyagaraj Bhatu City
20th September 1878

Revenue Department

No. 2052

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Dated 21st October 1878

Read the following

No. 1
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From

H. W. Bliss Esq.

Comr. of Salt Revenue

To C. A. Galton Esq.

Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Sir

not available
here -

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Received in Office of
the Comr. of Salt
Revenue
21st Oct 1878

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have been much better not to have
published.

3 The total amount now disposed
of is 153,489 mounds for the sum of
Rupees 443,787. '4-3 duty included which
should be realized in 6 months.

Office of the Commr. I have &
of Salt Revenue on
Coast Mangalore of H. W. Bliss
dated 28 September 1878 } Commr. of Salt Rev.

Submitted for the information
of Government.

(True Copy & Extract)

W. J. P.
As Secretary

To The Secretary to Govt. C. D.
with Copy of Enclosure

W. J. P.

By Commr. Mangalore

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2. Board of Managers 21/11/78

Resolves 1878 Sept
No 46/74
Board of Managers
Agreed 21st October
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Submitting for the
information of Board
letter from the General
of all the above submitted
to the Board of Managers

21/11/78

Recorded

9th Nov 78

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