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No. 2,895.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 29th October 1878.

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2. The Superintendent of Revenue Survey says that the sanction of Government will be necessary for the survey of the village, because the survey of the district has been completed, and it is suggested by the Deputy Superintendent that the survey should be foregone and the village treated as heretofore.

3. I do not think this suggestion is the proper solution of the question. The village was omitted from the survey under the mistaken impression that it was entirely Inam. The fact, however, turns out to be that about one-forth of the village is held under ordinary Ryotwari tenure. As our survey and settlement are intended to be as complete and as free from error as possible, I think the accidental mistake should now be rectified by the survey of the village. The fields have already been mapped and demarcated and the soils have been classified and assessed, so that little more remains to be done. The Ryotwari land in the village is 170 acres and the Revenue assessment is Rupees 219.

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From the Deputy Superintendent, No. 4 Revenue Survey, to the Acting Deputy Director, Revenue Settlement, dated Madura, 31st August 1878, No. 863-326.

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2. The Superintendent has just replied "that as the survey of the Tinnevelly District generally has been completed and as the survey of the village cannot be undertaken without the special order of Government, it should be suggested to the Settlement officer to deal with the revenue as proposed by Mr. Gompertz."

3. I am aware that you are not now in charge of Tinnevelly, but I write to you on the subject as the demarcation of the village in question was done under your orders, and as there being now only a Tahsildar in charge, it will probably be more satisfactory if a reference to Government should be decided on; that it should come from you. I shall at the same time write to Tahsildar.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) A. T. ARUNDEL,
Ag. Dy. Director, Revenue Settlement.

No. 2,469-64.

SUBMITTED through the Board of Revenue for the orders of Government.

2. It seems highly desirable that the village should be regularly surveyed.

MADRAS,
8th October 1878.

(Signed) W. WILSON,
Ag. Director, Revenue Settlement.

SUBMITTED for the sanction of Government.

(True Copie and Extract.)

Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Copy to the Collector of Tinnevelly
" " Director of Revenue Settlement.
" " Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

Exd. W. J. Lewis.

Revenue Survey Office
Chepauk,
21st Nov 1878

No. 3998/880

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From

The Ag. Superintendent Revenue Survey

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

SIR,

Reference Bd. Board of Revenue No 2895 of 29th October 1878 forwarded to this Office for remarks

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Revenue Dept
No 4998
1878.

BOARD OF REVENUE,
MADRAS.

To THE SECRETARY to GOVT.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Letter, October 26th
Recd. November 4th.
Issued

PROCEEDINGS, 29TH OCTOBER 1878, No. 2,895.

OCTOBER.
No. 2,895.

Read Letter from Collector of Tinnevelly, dated 19th October 1878, No. 1957.

Kunampatti Village—in Srivilliputtur Taluk Tinnevelly District—Submitting to Government letter from Director of Revenue Settlement recommending the survey of—.

small permanent Establishments which it has been proposed to attach to each Collectorate.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most Obt. Servant.
F. C. Puckle
Sg. Superintendent Rev Survey

End — Em

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No 5181.

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From
The Superintendent Revenue Survey.

To
The Secy to Government
Rev. Dept.

Dated 21st
Despatched 23rd Nov.
Received 23rd

Enclosure No.

General No. 3998
Departmental No. 180

Subject.

~~REFERENCE~~

S.C. No 1957 - 5 December 1878

Kunampatti village Shiwalli-
-puttur taluk Tinnevelly District
— States that the area of — is
too small to repay the cost of a
special Survey &c.

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Memo for orders on
Board's Proceedings No 2895
dated 29th October 1878 and
Letter from the Acting Super-
-intendent, Revenue Survey
dated 21st November 1878 No 3998/180

The Settlement
Department proposes
that a village in
Tinnevelly containing
170 acres wet &
-ware land assessed
at Rs 219 should be
surveyed. It was
omitted from survey
because believed to
be all Inam - The
Board support this
proposal but the
Survey Department
oppose it as not
worth

worth the expense,
and say that in
all districts there
are patches which
will ultimately
have to be surveyed.
This is true. Correction
and additions will
have to be made
everywhere, and
this small village
may, it is submitted,
await this being
done.

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Memo for Orders
about Survey of
certain villages
in Tinnevelly
Dist —

No 1957

14 Feb 79 Recd Orders to Survey
15 Do Sent Ord. Survey
23 Do Ord. Settlement

5 December
1878

Recd for Orders

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

5th December 1878, No. 1,957.

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Ag. Director, Revenue Settlement.

SUBMITTED for the sanction of Government.

(True Copies and Extract.)

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

REFERRED to the Superintendent of Revenue Survey for remark.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
19th November 1878.

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

No. 53. From F. C. PUCKLE, Esq., Acting Superintendent, Revenue Survey, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Chepauk, 21st November 1878, No. 3,998-180.

Reference Proceedings, Board of Revenue, No. 2,895, of 29th October 1878, forwarded to this office for remarks.

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No. 54. ORDER THEREON, 5th December 1878, No. 1,957.

Miscellaneous.

THE Government do not consider a special survey necessary at present.

2. The village can be surveyed hereafter as opportunity offers or other similar work is taken up in the district.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue,
,, the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.
,, the Director of Revenue Settlement.

Exd. W. H. French

Govt. of [1878] Bihar

REVENUE.

The BOARD of REVENUE.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated December 5th.

Recd. [illegible]

DRORMBER.

Nos. 89—94.

Enquiries [illegible] *Village or Township Records.*—Stating that Government do not consider a special enquiry of the—necessary at present, but that it would be a useful exercise as opportunity may [illegible] offer—or [illegible] similar work is taken up in [illegible] Districts.

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