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Revenue Department

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No. 50.

FORT SAINT GEORGE, *the* 23 December 1857.

Revenue Department.

WEDNESDAY

At Meeting of the Council of Fort Saint George,

Present.

THE RIGHT HONORABLE LORD HARRIS,
Governor and President.

HIS EXCELLENCY LIEUTENANT GENERAL Sir P. GRANT, K.C.B.
Commander in Chief

THE HONORABLE WALTER ELLIOT, ESQUIRE.

AND

THE HONORABLE W. A. MOREHEAD, ESQUIRE.

Minutes of last Consultation, approved.

The following Diary Papers are ordered to be recorded.

Purport of the Papers considered.	Abstract of the Resolution passed and Letters sent.	Date of Resolution or Letter.	Reported to England.
No. 1 Pro: of the B.d of Rev.e 3.d Dec.r/57. No. 1511. Submitting for the orders of Govt. a letter from the Acting Coll.r of Guntoor relative to the request of a ryot for the exemption from extra assessment of the land to be irrigated by an anicut he intends constructing across a jungle stream, & stating the views of the Board on the question. Read again Pro: of the B.d of Revenue 2.d July & recorded in Cons.s 1.st September/57. No. 793 Submitting letters from the Acting Coll.r of Malabar and recommending the continuance of the lapsed Malikana allowances therein referred to.	No. 2 Minutes of Cons.s Deeming it advisable that the anicut proposed to be constructed across a jungle stream in the Guntoor District should be raised at the public expense, if the ryot whose lands is dependant on the irrigation, consents to pay for the water Resolved that the B.d of Rev.e with an ex.e Vide entry opposite No. 3.	16.th Dec.r No. 1308.	

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No 3. From the Civil Auditor. 16th Novr 1857. No 1393. With reference to Para 2. of Contract Mins: of Cons: dated 26th August 1857, No 867 Revenue Department relating to reports on the Statement of Malikanah allowances of Malabar District.	No 4 Mins of Cons: Sanctioning the disbursement of the allowances of Malabar according to certain Statts herein alluded to, viz. the exception of the annual allowance of Rs 1031-6-4 for the continuance of which authority has been already granted.	16th Decr No 1309.	
No 5. Mins: of Cons: 16th Decr 1857. No 1310. Passing orders on a supplemental Tabular Report on lapsed inams in Vizagapatam, for the 1st Quarter of 1857			
No 6. From the Commissary Genl 23d Novr 1857. No 417. Solicits instructions being issued to the Collector of Sea Customs, to pass such quantity of Tea as may be imported by Mr Haylett, the Contractor for the Commissariat Department at the rate of duty heretofore paid under the Circumstances stated.	No 7 Mins: of Cons: Referring to the Collector of Sea Customs a letter from the Commissary General on the subject of Tea to the Troops, and requesting him to report whether there is any thing peculiar in the case of the Contractor that renders a compliance with the recommendation of the Commissary General necessary. Copy to the Coll[r] of Sea Customs Commissary Genl	16th Dr No 1311.	

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No 8. From the Agri: Horticultural Society Madras. 26th Novr 1857. No 1483. Intimates that the Society have obtained possession of the property for the purchase of which Rupees 14,270-2-6, was sanctioned leaving a balance of Rupees 1089-13-6 and solicits authority to appropriate this to certain extra expences.	No 9. Order authorized.	16th Decr No 1312.	
No 10 Mins of Cons: 16th Decr 1857. No 1313. Requesting the Board of Revenue to call upon the Govt Agent at Vizagapatam to report what arrangements he has made for conducting the Dist Gazette at that place which has been published without information to Govt, as well as for meeting its cost; and directing	3 Copies to the Govt directing him to forward to Govt a Copy of each of the past issues of the Periodical, and to continue to send the future issues.		
No 11. Pro: of the Bd of Revr 30th Novr 1857. No 1492. Submitting a letter from the Acting Collector of Madura inclosing translation of a Plaint filed by Cadder Nayasawmy Naiker to obtain possession of the Yerrachaka Naikanoor Fallums, and recommending that with the additions herein suggested, he may be authorized to file the answer proposed by him and to conduct the defence at the public expence.	No 12 Mins: of Cons: Granting authority for the defence of Suit No 1 of 1856, on the file of the Civil Court of Madura.	16th D[r] No 1314.	

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No 13. From Soondragherry Ramanoojah row Vo Sheristadar of Chittoor 20th Septr 57 No 1184. Forwarding 3 Copies of his appeal Petition to the Honorable Court praying that he may be pronounced eligible for Public Employ or for a Pension with Copies of the Certificates granted to him by his Employers and a Table	No 14. Order. Ordering the transmission of the Memorial to the Honorable Court of Directors, and intimating its despatch to the Memorialist. Table of Collections marked A as well as 3 Copies of the Decree passed by the Court of Judicature.	17th Decr No 1315	22d Dec 1857 A. L.
No 15. Fro: of the Bd of Revt 27th Novr 57 No 1466. Submitting a letter from the Acting Collector of Madura and recommending that under the Circumstances therein detailed Sanction may be granted for the refund of Rupees 50 to the purchaser of a certain plot of ground at Cochin.	No 16. Order. Sanctioning the refund of Rs 50, to Mootoorawmy Row, being the amount paid by him in 1853 for the purchase at auction, of a vacant plot of ground at Cochin in Malabar which was rent free at the time of purchase, but was latterly assessed at Rupees 5-1-7-	17th Dr No 1316.	
No 17 Mins: of Cons: 17th Decr 57. No 1317. Requesting the Board of Revenue to submit replies to certain orders, as the disposal of Letters from the Govt of India, is delayed pending their receipt-			

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No 18. From the Bd of Revt 8th Octr 57. No 1207 Submitting the Board's List of unanswered references prepared up to 30th June 1857 with explanatory remarks shewing the Total amount of work transacted in the Board's office.	No 19. Mins: of Cons: Passing orders on the Board's list of unanswered references prepared up to 30th June 1857.	17th Decr No 1318.	
No 20. Fro: of the Board of Revt 13th October 57. No 1220. Submitting a letter from the Acting Collector of Guntoor on a revision of the Assessment on the irrigated lands in the Western Talooks of the District and recommending the scheme proposed for the sanction of Government.	No 21. Mins: of Cons: Passing orders on a letter from the Acting Collector of Guntoor, on a revision of the Assessment on the irrigated lands in the Western Talooks of that District.	18th Dr No 1319.	
No 22. From the Collr of North Arcot. 31st Augt 57. No 1585 Reports on Petition Nos 1462, 1472 and 1526, respecting the Stamping of weights and Measures.	No 23. Mins of Cons: Ordering an endorsement referring the Petitioner to the Collector of North Arcot and directing that Officer to extend the provisions respecting the Stamping of weights and measures throughout his District.	18th Dr No 1320	

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N.24. Pro: of the Bd. of Revr. 2d Decr. /57. N. 1500. Submitting a letter from the Offg. agent at Kurnool, relative to the grant of compensation for loss of crops occasioned to ryots and Enmmdars of the District by the Encampment on their lands of Brigadier Whitlocks movable column; and recommending that he be permitted to	N.25. Order. Authorized. to adopt the plan proposed by him and to submit for sanction a Statement by the entire compensation awarded.	18th Decr. N. 1321.	
N. 26. Pro: of the Bd. of Revenue. 27th Novr /57. N. 1460. Submitting a letter from the Collector of Nellore and recommending that Sanction be granted to the Sum of Rs. Rupees 14-7-9- disallowed by Government in Extract Mins: Cons: 22d August 1857.	N. 27. Order. Sanctioned-	18th Do N. 1322.	
N. 28. Pro: of the Bd. of Revr. 2d Novr. /57. N. 1474. Submitting certain correspondence and supporting the recommendations of the Acting Collector of Tanjore for the refund to Petitioner Muttusawmy Pillay therein referred to of Rupees 376-9-2, the amount of the import duty erroneously levied on Espars imported from Cochin into Nagapatam.	N. 29. Order. Sanctioned-	18th Do N. 1323	

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N. 30. Mins: of Cons: 18th Decr /57. N. 1324. Passing orders on the Tabular report on a lapsed cram in Madura for the 3d Quarter of 1857.			
N. 31. Pro. of the Bd of Revr. 19th Novr. /57. N. 1408. Submitting a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore respecting the Bungalow at Erode on the Banks of the Cauvery in his District; recommending its sale to the Railway Company as proposed for Rs. 1500 and stating that the rent of Rs. 15 per Mensem intended to	N. 32. Mins: of Cons: Sanctioning the Sale of the Bungalow at Erode, on the banks of the Cauvery in the District of Coimbatore to the Railway Company, for the Sum of Rupees 1,500 to be charged for as occupations by Officers of that Company for the last	18th Decr N. 1325.	
N. 33. Pro: of the Bd of Revr 30th Octr /57. N. 1308. Submitting a letter from the Acting Collector of Guntoor and recommending the disbursement of Rupees 6283 in commutation of twenty different money allowances in that District.	N. 34. 30 Months is reasonable. Mins: of Cons: Passing orders on a letter from the Collector of Guntoor regarding the commutations of certain money allowances now paid in that District.	18th Do N. 1326	

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N°35. Mins: of Covs: 18th Decr/57. N°1327. Passing orders on a letter in this Department from the Honorable Court of Directors, dated 21st October 1857, regarding a supply of English Type and other articles.			Reply 24th March 1858 N°9.
N°36. From the Govt of Bombay. 27th Novr/57. N°1515. Forwarding copy of a letter from the Acting Revenue Commissioner in charge Southern Division & its accompaniments, relative to a boundary dispute between the Village of Koombardeh in the Beedee Talooka of the Belgaum Collectorate & the Village of Hoodulgaume in the Soopa Talooka of the Canara Collectorate; and submitting	N°37. Order Communicated to the Board of Revenue and Conservator of Forests for early report. submitting the question for the concurrence of this Govt to the preponderance of evidence in favor of the claim of the Village of Koombardeh.	19th Decr N°1328.	
N°38. Mins: of Covs: Fuel Dept. 30th Novr/57. N°1535. Communicating a letter from the Secretary to the Govt of India on the subject of Notices of leave of absence granted to Uncovenanted Servants.	N°39. Order. Communicated to the Board of Revenue for the information of all Collectors.	19th Dec N°1329	

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N°40. Pro: the B. of Revenue. 23d Novr/57. N°1436. Submitting with the Board's observations, a letter from the Acting Collr of Malabar, reporting the results of the various plans that have been adopted from time to time to obtain correct Returns of the number of Lands Gardens &c in that District.	N°41. Mins: of Covs: Passing orders on a letter from the Acting Collector of Malabar, reporting on the measures taken for obtaining correct Returns of the landed properties in that District.	19th Decr N°1330.	
N°42. From Moodeatah Moody & Nyneapah Moodely. 26th Novr/57. N°1456. Submit a Memorial in Triplicate to the address of the Honorable Court of Directors representing the loss and injury sustained by them by the proceedings of the Company's Higher and lower Courts both in money and in land.	N°43. Order. Intimating that the appeals from decisions passed by the Courts of Adalut in India do not lie to the Honble Court.	21st Dr N°1331.	
N°44. Pro: of the B. of Rev. 7th Decr/57. N°1533. Submitting a letter from the Acting Collr of Malabar, enclosing copy of one from Mr Burnes shewing the extent of new planting in the Goodaloor District.	N°45. Order Resolving to notify in the Official Gazette the statement of additional planting of Coffee in the Goodaloor District.	21st Dr N°1332.	

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No 46. From the Bd of Revenue. 8th Septr 57. No 1042. Reporting on the management of the Estates of incapacitated Proprietors for fusly 1263.	No 47. Mins: of Cons: Reviewing the report of the Court of Wards on the Management of the Estates of incapacitated Proprietors for Fusly 1263, or for the year ending on the 30th June 1854.	22d Decr No 1333.	
No 48. Pro: of the Bd of Revr. 12th Novr 57. No 1381. Reviewing the Report of the additional Sub Collr of North Arcot upon the revision of the assessment in the Southern Talooks of that District.	No 49. Mins of Cons: Reviewing the Report of the additional Sub Collector of North Arcot upon the revision of the assessment in the Southern Talooks of that District.	22d Dr No 1334.	
No 50. Pro: of the Bd of Revr. 30th Novr 57. No 1490. Submitting a letter from the Collector of North Arcot containing an explanation with reference to his observations respecting the difficulty of introducing the new rates at the ensuing Jummabundy Settlement.	No 51. Order. Observing that the rates proposed for the Southern Talooks of North Arcot have been already sanctioned and there need be no difficulty in their introduction in the settlement of the Current Fusly.	22d Dr No 1335.	

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No 52. To the India House. 24th Decr 57. No 1336. Transmitting the Broken set Proceedings of Govt in this Deptt for Novr 1857.			Reported No 55
No 53. Mins of Cons: Fin. Deptt 27th Novr 57. No 1552. Communicating copies of correspondence with the Government of India respecting the grant of gratuities to uncovenanted Servants who have from various causes been thrown out of employment.	No 54. Order. Communicated to the Board of Revenue.	22d Decr No 1337.	
No 55. Pro: of the Bd of Revr 11th Decr 57. No 1565. Submitting with the Board's remarks, a letter from the Acting Collr of Masulipatam respecting the suits instituted by two ryots of Gollapolliem in the Goodoor Estate for the recovery of 3 fields of dry land: & recommending that the Collrs proceedings in regard to the answers filed may be approved subject to the final determination of Govt on the issue of the suits being reported.	No 56. Mins of Cons: Declining to authorize the defence of the suits instituted against the Collector of Masulipatam by certain Ryots of Gollapolliem in the Goodoor Estates for the recovery of certain Dry land, and observing that the Government were no parties in the original suit and their interest would not have been affected by the Decree.	22d Dr No 1338.	

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No 57. Pro: of the Bd of Rev. 4th Nov. /57. No 1332. Submitting a letter from the Acting Collector of Masulipatam enclosing Statements of Enam Lands attached up by the Godavery Channels recommending that the proceedings of the Local Authorities in regard to the limits given in exchange may be confirmed; and soliciting sanction for the payment of Rs 2590-7-10 to the Enamdars on account of loss of Revenue.	No 58. Mins: of Cons: Sanctioning the grants of land made to the Enamdars in the District of Masulipatam in exchange for the enams taken up for the Godavery Channels and authorizing the disbursement to them of the sum of Rupees 2590-7-10. in compensation for the loss of income they have sustained.	22d Dec. No 1339.	
No 59. Mins: of Cons: Jud. Dept. 10th Dec. /57. No 1575. Calling upon the Judges of the Court of Small Causes to submit any remarks they may wish to make respecting the inconvenience represented to be experienced by the Bar of Madras in consequence of the frequent adjournment of Cases in which his subordinates are subpœnaed as Witnesses.	No 60. Order To be recorded.	22d Do. No 1340.	
No 61. Pro: of the Bd of Rev. 11th Dec. /57. No 1565. Submitting a letter from the Acting Collector of Madura reporting that the suit No 14 of 1866, of the Sub Court's file was dismissed on account of the death of the Plaintiff and the failure of his heirs to continue the same.	No 62 Order To be recorded.	22d Do No 1341.	

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No 63. Pro: of the Bd of Rev. 7th Dec. /57. No 1532. Submitting a letter from the Coll. of Coimbatore intimating that the correspondence with the Railway Engs now submitted will explain the cause of delay in not reporting on the Bungalow at Erode.	No 64. Order To be recorded.	22d Dec. No 1342.	
	Consultation.		
No 65. From the Actg Coll. of Malabar. 16th Nov. /57. No 1416. Submits for favorable consideration a representation from James Oughterson Esqre of Cochin relative to the conditions of the building lease granted to him under the authority of the order in Council dated 25 Nov. 1853.	No 66 Mins: of Cons: Referring to the Revenue Board for report the conditions of the building lease granted to Mr. Oughterson of Cochin, under the authority of the order in Council dated 25 November 1853.	23d D No 1343.	
No 67. Pro: of the Bd of Revenue. 1st Dec. /57. No 1530. Submitting a letter from the Collector of Salem reporting upon Government Petition No 749 of 1857, and stating the Board's opinion, that Petitioners may be allowed to obtain for their claim a formal enquiry and authoritative decision from the Courts.	No 68. Mins: of Cons. Permitting Annappen and Mallappen of Salem, to sue, in the Courts of Redalub, for the recovery of their shares in the Sale Concern referred to in their Petition No 749 of 1857.	23d Do No 1344.	

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No 69. Pro: of the Bd of Revs 5th Decr 57. No 1522. Submitting a letter (with its enclosr) from the Collector of Trichinopoly, and recommending that sanction be accorded to the Compensation due to the Poligar of Pengary for lands taken up for the western Trunk Road Amounting to Rupees 2507-9-0 and authority granted for making the requisite deduction from the Peishcush payable by the Poligars.	No 70. Mins: of Cons: Sanctioning the payment of Rupees 2,507-9-0 to the Poligar of Pengary in North Arcot, being compensation due to him up to Fasly 1264 for lands taken for the Western Trunk Road, and authorizing the requisite deduction to be made from the Peishcush payable by the Poligar.	23d Decr No 1345.	
No 71. Pro: of the Bd of Revs 7th Decr 57. No 1531. Submitting a letter from the Collector of Salem reporting the Petition No 2441 of 1856, and stating that there is no objection to a compliance with the Petitioners request to decree for the recovery of a certain piece of Inam land.	No 72. Mins: of Cons: Permitting Shroffs of Pundal and Nanjanad Sastry to sue in the Courts of Adalut for the recovery of certain Inam land in Salem which they represent to be in the possession of their opponent.	23d Do No 1346	
No 73. Mins: of Cons: Military Deptt 11th Decr 57. No 2447 Referring a letter from the Commissary General communicating one from the Assistant Commissary of Musulipatam requesting that orders may be issued to prevent the Collector from pressing carts which have been engaged by the Cattle Contractor, Rajah Nagam: now Naidoo Bahadoor for the transport of Commissariat and Military Stores for the use of the troops in advance, and also, bringing to notice the very objectionable and uncourteous style of the Collector's letter to the Assistant Commissary of Musulipatam.	No 74. Mins: of Cons: Referring to the Board of Revenue previous to the necessary instructions being issued to the Acting Collector of Musulipatam not to press Bandies engaged by the Commissariat Contractors.	23d D. No 1347	

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No 75. Mins: of Cons: 23d Decr 57. No 1348. Reviewing and passing orders on the Tabular Report on Lapsed Enams in North Arcot for the three quarter of 1857.			
No 76. Pro of the Bd of Revs 7th Decr 57. No 1519. Submitting a letter from the Acting Collr of Madura, and recommending that sanction be granted for the refund of the Commission therein specified Viz Rs 46-11-3 charged on the sale proceeds of the real property of a defaulter.	No 77. Order Sanctioned.		23d D. No 1349
No 78 From the Collr of Cuddapah 15th Decr 57. No 1597 Informing that the 1st Dresser attached to this Collectorate is willing to retain his present situation.	No 79. Order. Referring to the Military Deptt, with reference to their order of the 24th November 1857.		23d D. No 1350

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N°80 Mins: of Cons: 23d Decr /57. N° 1351 Passing orders on the Tabular Report on a lapsed Cocoon in Trichinopoly, resumable for want of hereditary title.			
N°81 From the Coll.r of Sea Customs 19th Decr /57. N° 1614 Reporting as requested the rate at which Mr. Forbes Watt annually passed his Tea and Considering the high prices at which this Commodity is now selling sees no objection to his passing Tea at 60 Rs per Cent the value given this year.	N°82 Mins: of Cons: Allowing Mr. Forbes Watt to import the quantity of Tea he has landed in fulfilment of his contract with the Comr. Commissary General at a valuation of 60 Rupees a Picul.	23d Decr N° 1352.	
	Diary after Cons: Vide entry opposite N° 86.		
Read again From the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments. 10th Septr + recorded in Dft to Govt: 21st October 1856. N° 1199. Transmitting for consideration a note on the pay of Military Officers in Civil Employ, a note on the Salaries to be allowed to Uncovenanted Officers and that portion of his report which concerns Officers of Customs.			

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N°83. Minute by the Right Hon: the President. 2d Novr /57. N° Observing upon the question of the employment & remuneration of Military Officers holding Civil employments, that there may be instances in which distinguished Men in the Army may have manifested talents so peculiarly well adapted for Civil Employ, that the good of the Public service required their being so employed, but he cannot so as a general	Vide entry opposite N° 86.		
N°84. Minute by His Excellency the Commr. in Chief 2d Novr /57. N° Concurring entirely in the views, on every point, so forcibly expressed in the Minute of the Right Honorable the President and observing that he is persuaded that the opinion of the Public will respect to employing Natives in situations of the highest trust and responsibility have now undergone a complete change in reference to recent events in the Bengal Presidency that Mr. Ricketts would himself be foremost to oppose effectual being	Vide entry opposite N° 86		
N°85. Minute by the Hon. Mr. Walter Elliot - 2d Decr /57. N° Observing on the question as to whether the System by which so large a number of administrative Officers are drawn from the Army, is to continue, that the Government must always exercise a power of selecting its ablest servants from every branch to special services requiring peculiar qualifications, but it is not likely that the same expedient will be resorted to for the execution of ordinary routine duties and adding that under this view, he has no hesitation in saying that persons engaged in such temporary employment cannot claim equal remuneration with those permanently engaged in it.			

given to the measures which he advocated on the 10th Septr /56.

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No 86. Minute by the Hon: Mr H. St. Morehead - 5th December 1857. No Fully concurring in the remarks made in the Honorable Mr Walter Elliot's Minute on the untenable propositions submitted by Mr Ricketts to this Government for consideration.	No 87. Mins of Cons: Observing on the question respecting the Pay to be allotted to Military Men when performing Civil duties that this Government consider the plan of remunerating Military Officers according to the Special considerations which may have called forth their services in the Civil branch, far better than that proposed by Mr Ricketts, of assimilating the Salaries of Civil and Military Officers, when employed on the like Civil duties. 4 Copies to Mr Ricketts.	24th Decr No 1353.	
No 88. Mins of Consultation - 24th Decr 1857. No 1353. On the subject of the Salaries to be allowed to Uncovenanted Officers. 4 Copies to Mr Ricketts -			
Report No 89. From the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments - No 1. Forwarding a letter from the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments requesting the orders of this Government on his several proposals.	No 90. Mins of Cons: Reviewing in detail the several propositions contained in the Report from the Commissioner for the revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments, on the question of substituting Commissioners of Revenue residing in the Provinces, for a Board of Revenue located at the Presidency, &c. 4 Copies to Mr Ricketts.	24th Do No 1354.	

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No 91. Report from the Commr for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments - No 2. On the subject of Collector of Madras.	No 92. Mins of Cons: Reviewing Report No 2, on the subject of Collectors of Madras, from the Commissioner for the revision of Civil Salaries & Establishments, and observing in the strongest terms, the sense of this Govt on the impolicy of lowering the Pay line of this Presidency by making it less remunerative than the Judicial line, and that by substituting Commissioners for the Bd of Revenue, the results of the Commissioners' investigations would be an annual addition to the expenses of the State of about Rs 287,400.	24th Decr No 1354.	
No 93. Report from the Commr for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments - No 3. On the subject of an Agent & his Assistts in Ganjam.	Vide entry opposite No 95.		
No 94. Report from the Commr for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments. No 4. On the subject of an Agent and his Assetts in Vizagapatam.	Do Do No 95.		

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No 95. Report from the Commrs for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments. No 5. On the subject of an Agent & his Assist in Tinnevel.	No 96. Mins: of Cons: Reviewing Reports Nos 3, 4 & 5 on the subject of Agencies, from the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries & Establishments, observing that in the advocating the retention by Collectors of their present Pay, the Government would be misunderstood as advocating that no change be made in the Salaries paid to the Agents, whose duties and responsibilities are unquestionably heavier than those of the former.	24th Decr No 1354 B.	
No 97. Report from the Commrs for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments. No 6. On the subject of Collector of Madras.	No 98. Mins: of Cons: Reviewing Report No 6 on the subject of the Collr of Madras, from the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries & Establishments, observing that Govt are of opinion, for the reasons stated, that the Salary of the Collector of Madras, should be the same as that now given to the generality of Collrs in the Presidencies, Viz 28,000 Rs per annum.	24th Dr No 1354 C.	
No 99. Report from the Commrs for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments - No 7. On the subject of Subordinate Revenue Officers.	No 100 Mins: of Cons: Reviewing Report No 7, on the subject of Subordinate Revenue Officers, from the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries & Establishments, and observing that Govt consider the reductions proposed in the lower branches of the service, as highly impolitic, and as an entire departure from the Policy which has, for half a Century, enabled the Civil service to boast with pride to the unsullied purity of its Members.	24th Dr No 1354 D.	
No 101. Report from the Commrs for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments. No 8. On the subject of the Sheristadars of Madras.	Vide entry opposite No 102.		
No 102. Minute by the Hons. Mr H. Elliot - 24th Decr 57 p No 1646. Observing that a Regular Settlement is not subject the Commissioners Supposes, nor a Sheristadary duties such as he describes them, explaining what an independent Settlement with each Ryot has been from time immemorial in Southern India; that the adjustment of these constitutes the business of the annual Settlement; and that the difficulties which beset a Collector at present would be in a great degree removed by a Survey and revision of the Assessment; with observations as to the Law of Uncovenanted Deputy Collectors, and that these appointments will not supersede the necessity for maintaining the Office of Sheristadars.	No 103. Mins of Cons: Reviewing Report No 8, on the subject of Sheristadars, from the Commissioner for the Revision of Civil Salaries & Establishments and observing for reasons stated, that this Govt consider, that it would be most impolitic to reduce the emolument and the position of the only well paid Offrs in the Revd Deptt of Native Officers in the Madras Presidency.	24th Decr No 1354 E.	
No 104 Report from the Commrs for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments - No 9. On the subject of the Survey and Settlement, Madras.	Vide entry opposite No 105.		

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No 105. Report from the Commr for the Revision of Civil Salaries and Establishments. No 10. On the subject of the Enam Commission. Madras.	No 106. Mins: of Cons: Reviewing Reports Nos 9 & 10, on the subject of Survey & Enam Commissions from the Commissioner for the revision of Civil Salaries & Establishments, and observing that this Govt have not seen the force of the arguments on which the Commissioner's propositions are based, and are under the impression that great evil would result from their adoption.	24th Decr No 1354.	
Read again Pro: of the Bd of Revr 2d & recorded in Cons 20th Decr 57 No 1160 Submitting a letter from the Collr of Coimbatore, & supporting the proposal therein contained for making an advance of Rs 500 to aid in the erection of huts for certain Ryots who have taken up jungle land at Broomooga in the Andioor talook of that District.	Vide entry opposite No 107.		
No 107. Pro: of the Bd of Revr 14th Decr 57 No 1568. Submitting a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, furnishing information with respect to the ryots who have taken up jungle land at Peroomoogoo.	No 108. Mins of Cons: Authorizing the Collector of Coimbatore to advance Rupees 500 to certain Ryots, to enable them to build huts and settle themselves at Peroomoogoo, due security being taken for the repayment of the Loan within two years.	24th Do No 1355.	

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No 109. Pro: of the Bd of Revr 19th Decr 57 No 1604. Submitting a letter from the Collr of Vizagapatam enclosing 4 Nos of the District Gazette, and observing that the Board are in communication with other Collrs on the subject of similar publication.	No 110. Mins: of Cons: Requesting the Board of Revenue to instruct the Collector of Vizagapatam to confine his District Gazette strictly to the rule prescribed in the order of 1st April 1857 regarding the items of news which should be published in the District Gazettes, and to charge the net cost of the paper in contingent Bills.	24th Dec No 1350	
No 111 Pro: of the Bd of Revr 16th Decr 57 No 1577. Transferring to the Acting Secretary to Govt a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore enclosing a Notification for the sale of elephants.	No 112 Mins of Cons: Requesting the Collector of Coimbatore to retain the young white Elephant with its Dam until further orders.	24th Do No 1357	
	No 113 To the Govt of India. Requesting to be informed whether the Government of India have any instructions to give regarding the disposal of the young white Male Elephant with its Dam, that has been captured in the Coimbatore Jungles.	24th Do No 1358	

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N°114. From the Bd. of Revr. 26th Novr./57. N°1467. Submitting the results of the Board's deliberations as regards the amount of Press and Type required for printing the whole of their correspondence, stating that the estimate now forwarded was correct as can be made from present data; & submitting explanation with reference to the remarks in para 5 of Extract Minutes Cons: of 29th Oct. 1857.	N°115. Mins of Cons: Approving of the Board's proposal to print their letters to Government, and directing them to commence the change according to from 1st January 1858.—	24th Dec. N°1,359	
N°116. Pro: of the Bd of Revr. 5th Decr./57. N°1523. Submitting a letter from the Collr. of Salem, affording explanation regarding the non submission to Government of the Copies of the Salem Gazette	N°117. Mins. Cons. Calling upon the Collectors of certain Districts, to Despatch the Nos which have been omitted to be forwarded to Government of their respective District Gazettes, and to be careful in the punctual transmission of future numbers.	24th Dec. N°1,360	
N°118. To the Govr. of India. 26th Decr./57. N°1361. Transmitting the Copies of despatches to the Honorable Court of Directors forwarded by the Mails of the Current Month.—			

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