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Book No 34-35

Order no 43 dated 18th Jan 1857

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No. 34 Read the following *Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue; dated 19th December 1856, No. 4329.*

In Cons. 19th December 1856, No. 4872.

Read letter from the Acting Collector of Guntoor dated 15th November 1856, pointing out an error in para. 11 Extract Minutes Consultation dated 21st August 1856, No. 883, in regard to the highest rate of dry assessment in that District.

(Here enter No. 155.)

Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

2. The Government were pleased to direct that old Garden lands receiving water from the new Kistnah Channels should be assessed at the highest dry rate of the District with a charge of Rupees 4 in addition for water. The highest dry rate was supposed to be Rupees 4-14-4 per acre. The fraction was to be struck off, and thus the assessment for Garden, receiving water from Government sufficient for two crops, was to be Rupees 8-14. The Acting Collector in the letter under submission points out that Rupees 4-14-4 is not the maximum dry rate of the District, and in a tabular statement in para. 2 he shews the several rates above Rupees 4-14-4, commencing with Rupees 7 as the maximum, with the land and assessment appertaining to each rate. Mr. Newill considers Rupees 5 per acre, which is only 2 annas above the rate already sanctioned by Government, to be a fair maximum rate, and suggests that it may be substituted for Rs. 4-14. Mr. Newill further proposes to reduce all the higher dry rates of the District to Rupees 5, which will involve a decrease of the present revenue to the amount of Rs. 262-9 only.

3. As the rates above Rupees 5 are stated by the Acting Collector to be exorbitant, the Board beg to support both propositions.

4. It is observed that statement No. 2 from the Commissioner, alluded to in para. 11 of Extract Minutes Consultation above referred, shewed the dry rates of 12 villages in the Mungulgerry Talook only, and not those of the whole District.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM, *Acting Secretary.*

No. 35. ORDER THEREON, *No. 43; dated 10th January 1857.*

The Board submit with their recommendation a letter from the Acting Collector of Guntoor proposing that the highest Dry rate for Garden Lands be fixed at 5 Rupees instead of 4-14-0 as ordered in para. 11 of Minutes Consultation dated 21st August 1856; and that all Dry rates of the District above 5 Rupees be reduced to that amount.

2. In the order quoted, the Government preferred taking as the unirrigated assessment of Garden Land the highest Dry rate in the District instead of the similar rate in the village. The former they assumed at Rupees 4-14-4 from a Statement then before them and omitting the fraction fixed Rupees 4-14-0 as the Dry rate for Garden Land. Mr. Newill now points out that the maximun Dry rate in the District is 7 Rupees but as that is actually much higher than Rupees 4-14-0 which the Government has taken as a fair standard he proposes that 5 Rupees be taken as the standard. The Government approve the proposition and under this modification of the former order the whole charge for Garden Land supplied with water for two crops at the Government cost will be Rupees 9 inclusive of the water rate of Rupees 4-0-0.

3. The Government also sanction the proposition of the Acting Collector to reduce all Dry rates above 5 Rupees to that amount, because the land paying the higher assessment is of a limited extent and the sacrifice of Revenue, which amounts to Rupees 262-9-0, is very insignificant.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

No 4329

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 19th December 1856.—

Read letter from the Acting Collector of Guntoor dated 15th November 1856, pointing out an error in para 11 Extract Minutes Consultation dated 2nd August 1856 No 883, in regard to the highest rate of Dry assessment in that District.

Sel Con 19th Dec 1856 1872.

(Here Vide No 155)

Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

2 The Government were pleased to direct that old Garden Lands receiving water from the new Krishna Channels should be assessed at the highest dry rate of the District with a charge of Rupees 4 in addition for water. The highest Dry rate was supposed to be Rupees 4-14-4 per acre. The fraction was to be struck off, and thus the assessment for Gardens, receiving water from Government sufficient for two Crops, was to be Rupees 8. 14. The Acting Collector in the letter under submission points out that Rupees 4-14-4 is not the maximum Dry rate of the District, and in a tabular statement in para 2 he shews the several rates above Rupees 4-14-4, commencing with Rupees 7 as the

maximum

maximum, with the Land and Assessment appertaining to each rate. Mr Howell considers Rupees 5 per Acre, which is only 2 annas above the rate already Sanctioned by Government, to be a fair maximum rate, and suggests that it may be substituted for Rupees 6-8. Mr Howell further proposes to reduce all the higher dry rates of the District to Rupees 5, which would involve a decrease of the present Revenue to the amount of ₹262-9. only.

3. As the rates above Rupees 5 are stated by the Acting Collector to be exorbitant, the Board beg to support both propositions.-

4. It is observed that Statement No 2 from the Commissioner alluded to in para 11 of Extract Minutes Consultation above referred to, shewed the dry rates of 12 villages in the Mungulgerry Talook only, and not those of the whole District

(True Extract)

Sd Lin
Acting Secretary

To

L. D. Bourdillon Esq
Secretary to Government Rev: Department
Fort St. George.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.
Under date the 10th January 1857

Read the following
Extract from the Pro-
ceedings of the Board
of Revenue.

Here enter 19 Dec 56
№ 4329

The Board
submit with their re-
commendation a letter
from the Acting Collector
of Guntur proposing
that the highest dry
rate for garden lands
be fixed at 5 Rs in-
stead of 4-14- as or-
dered in para 11 of
Govt Cons: of 21st Augt
1856, and that all dry
rates

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Extract from the
Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue

dated 10th January 1857.

Read the Letter from the Collector of Guntur No 22 dated 22nd July 1856

Read also
Orders of Govt
Rev 22 dated 18th
Encl. Collector's letter No 22
S.R. Rev. 13th January 1857.

Submitting with the
Board's remarks a letter from
the Acting Collector of Guntur
soliciting an order on para
11 G.O. 21st August 1856
No 1853 regarding the highest
rate for dry cultivation in that
District, and proposing a reduc-
tion from Rs 5 to Rs 4-14-0.

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rate of the District
above 5 Rs be reduced
to that amount.

2 In the order
quoted the Govt. pre-
ferred taking as the
unirrigated assessment
of Garden land the
highest Dry rate in
the District instead
of the similar rate in
the village. The
former they assumed
at Rs 14-4 from a
statement then before
them and omitting the
fraction fixed Rs 6-14
as the dry rate for
Garden land - etc
Newill now points
out that the maximum
dry rate in the Dis-
trict is 7 Rs but as
that is actually
much higher than

Rs

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Rs 6-14 which the
Govt. has taken as a
fair standard he
proposes that 5 Rs
be taken as the
standard. The Govt.
approve the proposi-
tion and under this
modification of the
former order the
whole charge for
Garden land supplied
with water for two
crops at the Govt.
cost will be Rs 9
reduced of the water
rate of Rs 10 -

3 The Govern-
ment also sanction
the proposition of the
Acting Collector to
reduce all Dry rates
above 5 Rs to that
amount, because the
land paying the
higher

higher Assessments
is of a limited extent
and the sacrifice of
Revenue, which amounts
to Rs 262 g--, so very
unimportant--

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Do to Govt 13th Jany.

No. 43.

Extract Mins of Govt.
Dy 10th January 57.

Approving of the proposition that the whole charge for Garden land supplied with water for live crops at the Govt cost in the Dist of Guntoor will be Rs 9 inclusive of the water rate of Rs 4. & also sanctioning the reduction of assessment on the higher dry land to Rs 5.-

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