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Minutes of Consultation.

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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 1*st June* 1858.

No. 93. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th May 1858, No. 1757.

In Con. 17*th May* 1858. Read letter from the Collector of Canara, dated 19th April 1858.

(Here enter No. 32.)

Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to the enquiry in para. 5, Extract Minutes Consultation, 10th November 1857, No. 1140, R. D. regarding the defects in the system of measuring Salt at Goa previous to its shipment for Mangalore.

In Con. 12*th Nov.* 1858.

2. It does not appear that any particular charge can be made against the system of measuring Salt at Goa except that there is probably a want of care, and a disposition to give short measure when it is possible to do so.

3. The Collector states that the Goa Government have been more than once addressed on the subject, and that it is now the practice to enter in the Manifests of Ships exporting salt to Canara the weight of the cargo in Indian Maunds. A deficiency is generally found on re-weighing the salt when landed; but on the other hand it is observed that no allowance is made for wastage. On the whole the Board see no reason to suggest any further steps being taken at present with regard to the system of salt measurement followed at Goa. When the introduction of Salt balances in our own transactions renders the calculation of deficient quantity more reliable and satisfactory, it may be found advisable to induce the adoption of some common system (assimilated to our own) on the part of the merchants who export Goa salt for the consumption of Canara.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) G. S. FORBES, *Secretary.*

No. 94. ORDER THEREON, No. 733; dated 1st June 1858.

With reference to the enquiry made by Government in para. 5 of Extract Minutes Consultation 10th November 1857, No. 1140, for particulars of the supposed defective measurement of Salt at Goa previous to shipment for Mangalore, the Board report in these Proceedings, that it does not appear that any particular charge can be made against the system of measurement, except perhaps that there is a want of care and a disposition to give short measure. The Government made the enquiry, in consequence of Mr. Robinson's impression that the Goa system of measure acted as an impediment to the Salt trade with that settlement, and with the view, if necessary, of communicating with the Goa Government, in order to remove the inconvenience complained of. There seems to be no necessity for further movement in the matter; for, as no allowance is said to be made for wastage, it is very probable that the quantity received is less than that entered in the Goa Certificates, but as duty is charged only on the actual quantity, as weighed or measured on arrival, there can be no hardship on the merchant in respect to the operation of the Custom House rules, nor does it appear that Government is deprived of any portion of its dues.

(Signed) W. H. BAYLEY,
Acting Secretary to Government.

No. 1757.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 17th May 1858.

In Con. 17th May 1858. Read letter from the Collector of Canara, dated 19th April 1858.

(Here enter No. 32.)

Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to the enquiry in para 5, Extract Minutes Consultation, 10th Novem-

In Con. 12th Nov. 1858. ber 1857, No. 1140, R. D. regarding the defects in the system of measuring salt at Goa previous to its shipment for Mangalore.

2. It does not appear that any particular charge can be made against the system of measuring salt at Goa except that there is probably a want of care, and a disposition to give short measure when it is possible to do so.

3. The Collector states that the Goa Government have been more than once addressed on the subject, and that it is now the practice to enter in the Manifests of Ships exporting salt to Canara the weight of the cargo in Indian Maunds. A deficiency is generally found on re-weighing the salt when landed; but on the other hand it is observed that no allowance is made for wastage. On the whole the Board see no reason to suggest any further steps being taken at present with regard to the system of salt measurement followed at Goa. When the introduction of Salt balances in our own transactions renders the calculation of deficient quantity more reliable and satisfactory, it may be found advisable to induce the adoption of some common system (assimilated to our own) on the part of the merchants who export Goa salt for the consumption of Canara.

(A true Extract.)

Secretary.

To

W. H. BAYLEY, Esq., *Acting Secretary to Government, R. D.*

Copy to Canara.

No. 1645.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 8th May 1858.

In Con. 8th May 1858. Read letter from the Collector of Salem, dated 20th April 1858.

(Here enter No. 44.)

Resolved that the above Report be laid before Government with reference to their Endorsement on Petition No. 1843 of 1857.

2. Under the circumstances stated by the Collector, the Board see no objection to Petitioners being permitted to institute a civil suit for the recovery of the enam land claimed by them in the Comara-polliem Agraharum.

(A true Extract.)

Sub Secretary.

To

W. H. BAYLEY, Esq., *Acting Secretary to Government, R. D.*

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No 783

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 1st ~~May~~ June 1838

Read the following
Extract from the Pro: of the Bd
of Rev: 177
(Here enter 17 Inany 38 ¶ 175)
With reference to the
enquiry made by Govt in para
5 of Govt: Minute Cons: 10th Nov 37.
No 1140, for particulars of the supp.
posed defective measurement of
Salt at Goa previous to shipment
for Mangalore, the Board report
in these Proceedings, that it does
not appear that any particular
charge can be made against the
system of measurement, except
perhaps that there is a want of
care and a disposition to give short
measure. The Govt made the enquiry
in consequence of Mr. Robinson's
impression that the Goa system of
measure acted as an impediment
to the salt trade with that settle
ment, and with the view, if necessary,

Read 1838 Dept
Read 1838 Dept
No 1118

Extract from the Proceedings
of the Board of Revenue
Dated 8th May 1838
Rec'd 10 May 1838

2 encls
1 to Govt
1 to Dept

No 783 of 1838 to Govt 1838

Submitting with the
Boards opinion thereon, a
Report from the Collector of
Malabar on the subject of the
Letter from Govt dated 10th
Nov 1837 No 1140

of communicating with the Fox
Port, in order to remove the incon-
venience complained of. There seems
to be no necessity for further move
but however appear to be no need
ment in the matter,
section; for, as no allowance is
ard to be made for wastage, it
very probable that the quantity
received is less than that entered
in the Fox Certificates, but as duty
charged only on the actual quantity,
as weighed or measured on arrival,
there can be no hardship on the
merchant in respect to the operation
of the Custom House rules, neither
does it appear that
can the Fox be deprived of any portion
of the dues.

WNB

To Insp[r] & Bd of Rev.
with an Encl
Dep[t] 22 Dec[r]

Revenue 1858 Dep.t
Cons.s 1.st June
N.o 733.
Extract Mins of Cons.
D.o 1.st June 1858.

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For the reasons stated
do not consider it necessary
to take further measures for
regarding the supposed defects
in the System of measuring
Salt at Goa.

N.o 9394.