Revenue Department

Diary to

Minutes of Consultation

11th May 1858

No. 19

FORT SAINT GEORGE, *the* 11th May 1858

Revenue Department.

TUESDAY

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 Absent on a Tour of Inspection

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. Minute by the Hon.ble Walter Elliot Esq.re Member of the Legislative Council of India for the Madras Presidency - 7th April 1858 No. 567. Stating that it seems to him improper to apply to the Legislature to pass a new Law to authorize what a Competent Court has in the only case that has come under Hon.ble Cognizance) has declared to be authorized by the Law as it stands, merely because it is thought that there are grounds on which that Decision may be challenged.	No. 2. Order.	Communicated to the Board of Revenue.	5th May No. 583.	
No. 3. From the Bd. of Revenue. 10th April 1858 No. 536. submitting correspondence with the Collector of Chingleput, and recommending that Sanction be granted for the purchase of the Spot on which it is proposed to erect the new Black Cutcherry in the Pursuk Town of Triveliore for Rs. 290. 5. 2	No. 4. Order.	Sanctioned.	5th Do. No. 584.	

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No. 5. From the Asst Agent in Ganjam. 13th Novr. 57. No. 386. Reporting having sent Sebundies to Bodeh, and suggesting that a Village in Goomsoor Talook may be granted to Danabundoo Mahunty, the Talookdar of Boad, for his good conduct and devotedness.	No. 6. To the Government of India. Submitting the case of Danabundoo Mahunty Head of Police of Poornaghur in Ganjam and soliciting sanction for a grant of land of the annual value of 300 Rupees, as Jaghire or rent free in perpetuity.	5th May No. 585.	
No. 7. From the Govt. of India. 1st April 58. No. 588. Intimating that a reference has been made to the Surveyor General of India, as to whether any officer is available from his Dept. for ascertaining and fixing the old stations of the Trigonometrical Survey in South India and Trichinopoly.	No. 8. Order Communicating to the Board of Revenue with reference to their Proceedings dated 19th November 1857.	5th Do. No. 586.	
No. 9. From the Bd. of Rev. 17th March 58. No. 381. Submitting Supplemental Estimate of Charges proposed to be incurred in fusly 1267 on account of additional Establishments in the Districts of Madura Salem and Tinnevelly, and recommending that Sanction be accorded to the disbursements amounting to Rupees 3424.	No. 10. Mins. of Cons. Declining, for reasons stated to sanction further expenditure in fusly 1267, on account of additional Establishments for arranging pucca in Salem, Madura and Tinnevelly and Sanctioning the other items of the Estimate amounting to Rupees 797, for the employment of certain Nuzzendahs and Peons, &c. &c.	5th Do. No. 588.	
No. 11. From the Bd. of Revl. 22d March 58. No. 431. Submitting a letter with its enclosure from the acting Collr. of Ganjam, and recommending that Sanction be granted to the Estimate of additional Establishments proposed to be entertained in fusly 1267 amounting to Rupees 3639, and to certain items not included in the Estimate for fusly 1266 aggregating Rupees 747-8-0.	No. 12. Mins of Cons. Sanctioning the Estimate Amounting to Rs. 3,639 for additional Salt Establishts proposed to be employed in fusly 1267 in Ganjam, and certain items not included in that Estimate Amounting together to Rs. 747- 2 Copies to the Bd of Revenue with 2 Copies of the Proceedings.	5th May No. 588.	
No. 13. Remarks of the Board of Revenue 12th April 58. No. 544. Recommending the resumption of a certain lapsed Enam in the District of Salem.	No. 14. Mins of Cons. Sanctioning, for reasons stated, the resumption of certain lands and money Enams in the Distt of Salem, from the date of the death of the last holder. 2 Copies of the Bd of Revenue with 2 Copies of their Proceedings.	5th Do. No. 589.	
No. 15. From the Bd of Revl. 15th April 58. No. 567. Statement Shewing the State of the Season in certain districts from 1st to 15th March 1858.	No. 16. Mins of Cons. Requesting the Board of Revl. to adhere to the form of Statt. hitherto in use regarding the State of the Season in certain Districts as more convenient than the one they have now adopted. 2 Copies to the Bd of Revl with 2 Enclos.	5th Do. No. 590.	

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No 17. From the Bd of Rev. 12th April 58. No 545. Submitting certain correspondence from the Coll. of Chingleput, and recommending that Sanction be granted for the remission of the Mucta rent therein referred to payable by the Enamdar of Moollapollium from the Commencement of the current Fasly and for the refund to him of the amount collected on that account since 1839.	No 18. Mins of Cons: Sanctioning the abolition of the Mucta rent or Coomcess payable by the Enamdar of Moollapollium in Chingleput and for the refund of Rs 798 collected from on that account in 19 years	6th May No 591.	
No 19. Pro: of the Bd of Rev. 20th April 58. No 591. Submitting a letter from the Collector of Sea Customs applying for a Jacket & Cap for the use of an Officer of his Departt proceeding on Boards of Ships.	No 20. Order. Requesting the Agent for Army Clothing to inform the Government what the dress alluded to in Mr Underwood's letter will cost.	6th May No 592.	
No 21. Pro: of the Bd of Rev. 14th April 58. No 570. Submitting with the Board's opinion on the case, a letter from the Bd to Coll. of Malabar relative to a dispute between the brothers of the Karayet Nambeir family as to which of them shall be considered the rightful head of that family to whom the Maulikhanah shall be made payable.	No 22. Mins of Cons: Instructing the Coll. of Malabar to inform Petr of Petition Nos 3800 of 1857 and 371 & 1041 of 1858, that the Maulikhanah allowance will continue to be disbursed to Kavyie Thumkur Nam as the Head of the Family.	6th May No 593	

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No 23. Mins of Cons: 6th May 58. No 594. Sanctioning the Bill of the Agent of the Madras Press for printing, stitching paper and binding 700 copies of the Tabook Manual in English, amounting to Rs 1252-8-0.			
No 24. Pro: of the Bd of Rev. 23d April 58. No 616. Submitting a letter from the Coll. of Coimbatore, supporting his recommendation for the grant of a donation of Rupees 200 to one Ayaloo Naick for the Assistance rendered by him on the occasion of the late Elephant Hunt.	No 25. Order. Sanctioned.	6th May No 595.	
No 26. Pro: of the Bd of Rev. 19th April 58. No 589. Submitting a letter from the Coll. of Coimbatore, and recommending that Sanction be granted to the arrangements therein reported, for the employment of a 2d Shroff and Gollah Peon at the Octacamund Treasury.	No 27. Mins of Cons: Sanctioning the disbursement of Rs 144-3-1 the amount of Salary to an additional Shroff employed at the Octacamund Treasury in anticipation of Sanction at the rate of 10 Rs a month from the 19th December 1856.	6th Do No 596.	

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No 28. Pro: of the Bd of Revr. 22d April/58 No 608. Submitting letters from the Acting Collector of South Arcot reporting on Petitions Nos 121 and 388 of 1858.	No 29. Mins: of Cons: Informing Petitioners of Petition Nos 396 of/57, and 121 and 388 of/58, that the claims to the Inam referred to, are in course of investigation by the Collector under Regulation VII of 1817, consequently their request cannot be granted.	6th May No 597
No 30. Pro: of the Bd of Revr. 26th April/58 No 627. Submitting a letter from the Collector of Madura, enclosing a supplemental Statement of expenditure on account of Local Funds in his District for 1856/57.	No 31. Order. Communicated to the Chief Engineer.	6th Do. No 598
No 32 From the Govt of India. 17th April/58 No 677. Calling attention to his Letter dated the 28th Novr last, and requesting that the information required, as to the injurious effects of artificial irrigation on Cotton Crops, be furnished as early as practicable.	No 33. Order. Requesting the Board of Revenue to expedite the submission of the information called for.	6th Do. No 599

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No 34. From the Bd of Revenue. 13th April/58 No 546. Comparative Statement of the Collections of Revenue in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency for February 1858 in Fuslee 1267.	No 35. To the India House. Transmitting the Statement of the Collections of Revenue in the several Districts of the Madras Presidency for the Month of February/58.	6th May No 600.	Reported No 17.
No 36 From the Supt Math. Instt Department. 22d April/58 No 685. Advising of the further despatch per Steamer "Nubia," to the address of the Secretary to Govt of certain Mathematical and Surveying Instruments, and Enclosing Bill of Lading for the same.	No 37. Mins of Cons: Communicating to the Director of Revenue Settlement that certain Mathematical and Surveying Instruments were received on the 29th ultimo from the Superintendent Mathematical Instrument Department, Calcutta, and forwarded to the Principal Commissary of Ordnance.	6th Do. No 601.	
No 38 From the Resident at Hyderabad 29th April/58 No 684 Stating that he has addressed a remonstrance to H.H. the Nizam's Minister on the subject of levying Transit Duty at Peer Tam Village in the Nizam's Territories between Masulipatam & Hyderabad, with an intimation, that, should such irregularities again occur he will be obliged to request that the offending Parties be summoned to Hyderabad, with a view to their undergoing severe punishment.	No 39 Order. Communicated to the Board of Revenue with reference to their Proceedings dated 29th March 1858.	7th Do. No 602	

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No. 40 From the Govt. of India to Sept 58 - No. 650 Sanctioning the proposed Increase to the Establishment of the Collr. of Canara. Amounting to Rupees 792 per annum.	No. 41 Mins. of Cons: Communicating to the Bd. of Revr. the sanction of the Govt. of India for the employment of the Estabt. required for the Port of Tuddry in the District of Canara.	7th May No. 603	
No. 42 Mins. of Consultation 7th May 58 - No. 604 Requesting the Bd. of Revr. to expedite the information called for in Extract Mins. Consultation dated 15th September 1857, No. 940, regarding the claim to compensation preferred by the late Dfg. Canjee of Guntoor.			
No. 43 Pro. of the Bd. of Revr. 23d April 58 - No. 628 Submitting with the Board's remarks a letter from the Acting Collector of Tanjore reporting on the subject of Petition No. 2123 of 1857.	No. 44 Mins. of Cons: Passing an Endorsement on Petition No. 2123 of 1857, from Tanjore, informing the Petitioner respecting his request, that the Govt. will allow the enam lands in his opponent's possession to be sold, in satisfaction of the decree against that individual, is inadmissible.	7th Do No. 605	

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No. 45 Pro. of the Bd. of Revr. 29th April 58 - No. 634 Submitting for sanction a letter from the Acting Collr. of Tinnevelly requesting the refund to Mr. Porter of Rs. 45. the portion of a fine imposed on him but ordered to be remitted by the Sessions Judge.	No. 46 Order Sanctioned.	7th May No. 606	
No. 47 From the Director of Revr. Settlement 14th April 58 - No. 554 Solicits under the circumstances represented permission to re-arrange certain items in the Scale sanctioned for the Survey & Settlement Establishments.	No. 48 Mins. of Cons: Sanctioning, for reasons stated, the proposal of the Director of Revr. Settlement to re-arrange certain items in the scale sanctioned for the survey and Settlement Establishments.	7th Do No. 607	
No. 49 Pro. of the Bd. of Revr. 22d April 58 - No. 613 Submitting a letter from the Collr. of Cuddapah; and recommending that the Merino Sheep therein applied for be supplied to Mr. Murray for experimental purposes in Cuddapah.	No. 50 Order Ordering that application be made to the Commissioner of Mysore, for the supply of the Merino rams required by the Collector of Cuddapah.	8th Do No. 608	

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No. 51 To the Commissr. of Ny Zone Forwarding Copy of the Proceedings of the Bd of Revr. enclosing a Letter from the Collector of Cuddapah, applying for a few Merino Rams for the purpose of improving the breed of Sheep in the Talooks of Muddenpully and Goorumcondah of that Distt. and requesting him to comply with it if it be in his power to meet it.		8th May No. 609	
No. 52 From the Govt. of India 16th April 58 No. 637 Calling attention to his letter of the 14th Sept. last and requesting that the Specimens and information respecting the Cotton Plant required, may be collected as early as practicable for transmission to the Honble the Court of Directors.	No. 53 Order. Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing letter, together with the one from the Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India of the 4th September last No. 1541 and the order thereon, be communicated to the Board of Revenue for their early attention 3 Copies to the Bd of Rev. with the Papers referred to.	8th Dec. No. 610	
No. 54 From the Collr. of Masulipatam 19th April 58. No. 620 Requesting to sanction the disbursement of Rupees 5-1-6 being the loss of the Provisions &c. supplied to the 7th Regiment N.I.	No. 55 Order. Sanctioned. 1 Copy to the Collr. of Masulipatam. 1 " Secretary Govt. 1 " Military Auditor Genl. 1 " Civil Auditor.	8th Dec. No. 611	
No. 56 Mins. of Consultation 8th May 58 No. 612 Passing orders on the Hon. Court's Despatch dated 10th February 58 No. 8 relative to the arrangements entered into with the East Indian Iron Company.			Reply 15th Oct. 58 No. 46
No. 57 Pro. of the Bd of Revr. 22nd April 58 No. 611 Submitting a letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam relative to Petition No. 2252 of 1857.	No. 58 Mins. of Cons.: Re. transmitting to the Revenue Board, the Papers connected with Petition No. 2252 from Vizagapatam with a request that they will pronounce a decision in the case, according to its merits. 3 Copies to the Bd of Rev. with 19 recs.	8th May No. 613	
No. 59 Pro. of the Bd of Revr. 19th April 58 No. 583 Submitting a letter from the Collector of Madura, transmitting the unserviceable types referred to in the Board's Proceedings of 19th February last.	No. 60 Mins. of Cons.: Directing the Board of Revenue to instruct the Acting Collector of Madura, to use a better description of paper in printing, that the types supplied, may not be so soon deteriorated. 3 Copies to the Bd of Rev. with 19 recs.	8th Dec. No. 614	

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No. 61 Pro: of the Bd. of Revs. 29th March 1858 No. 481 Recommending the continuance of certain Lapsed Enams in the District of Madura.	No. 62 Mins: of Cons: Sanctioning the continuance of the Enam held by the deceased Tyained Baby in the Madura Dist., to her son Lyed Hoosman, for the period of his life.	8th May 1858 No. 617	
No. 63 Pro: of the Bd. of Revs. 26th April 1858 No. 631 Submitting a letter from the Acting Collector of South Arcot affording explanation with reference to the several cases of arrear of allowances alluded to in E. Bd. Lr. 4th February 1858.	No. 64 Mins: of Cons: Sanctioning the adjustment of the Dutta Maniam claim for arrears of allowance Case in No. 3 Chittumbarum Talook, South Arcot.	8th Do No. 616	
No. 65 Pro: of the Bd. of Revs. 22nd April 1858 No. 610 Submitting with the Board's opinion on the case a letter from the Acting Collector of Madura reporting on Petition No. 1269 of 1857.	No. 66 Mins: of Cons: Informing Petitioner of Petition Nos 1269 & 3946 of 1856 from Madura that the arrangements ordered by the Collr's Court of Wards will continue in force, while the Estate is under the management of the latter authority, and that consequently, his request cannot be complied with.	8th Do No. 617	
No. 67 From the Bd. of Revs. 28th April 1858 No. 671 Requesting to be informed whether His Excellency the Commander in Chief approves any wish to effect a change in the arrangement of public buildings at Vellore during his late visit to the place.	No. 68 Order. Referred to the Military Department. 4 Copies to the Military Dept.	8th May 1858 No. 618	
No. 69 Pro: of the Bd. of Revs. 1st April 1858 No. 502 Submitting with the Board's remarks letters from the Collector of Nellore reporting on Enam cases Nos 58 & 69 referred to Govt. Mins: Cons: 9th October 1857.	No. 70 Mins: of Cons: Directing that Enam case No. 58, in Nellore be at once brought to full assessment, as the Grantee never claimed the right of giving it rent free, and that No. 69 Case unauthorized alienation by a (sunnud) be resumed at the death of the present incumbent. 3 Copies to the Bd of Revs. with Index.	11th May 1858 No. 619	
No. 71 Remarks Bd of Revs. 16th April 1858 No. 576 Reviewing a Statement of Lapsed Enams submitted by the Collector of Vizagapatam.	No. 72 Mins: of Cons: Giving orders on a Statement of lapsed Enams in the District of Vizagapatam. 3 Copies to the Bd of Revs. with 6 Index.	11th Do No. 620	

No. 73 Pro: of the Bd. of Revenue 17th April 58. No. 579 Submitting with the Board's recommendation thereon, a letter from the Coll.r of Bellary affording explanation with reference to Case No. 2 of the Statement of lands proposed to be assigned to Village Officers forwarded on the 25th September 1857.	No. 74 Mins. of Cons: Authorizing the grant of 3½ acres of land bearing a reduced assessment to the Potail (Dimmagooddy) in Bellary in lieu of the unproductive portion of his service Emmam.		Dft. No. 6216				
No. 75 From George Norton Esqr. Calcutta 19th April 58. No. 648 Enclosing an order at sight on the Resident Bimy for £16 for Compy's Rs. 5-8-0 requesting that a copy of the Selections, No. 24, from the Public Records of the Madras Govt. containing the Report of the Goomsoor Zemindaries, may be forwarded to him.	No. 76 Order - Sanctioned.		Dft. No. 62				
No. 77 From G. F. Harrison Esqr. Dft. Accountt. Genl. to the Govt. of India on Stamp Duty. 29th April 58. No. 647 Requesting to have copies in English of the "Jabook" and "Village Manual" for the use of the Office of the Accountant General to the Govt. of	No. 78 Order - Sanctioned.		Dft. No. 628				

No. 79 Mins. of Cons. Military Dept. 12th April 58. No. 693 Communicating a letter from the Adjutant General of the Army, transmitting Copy of one from the Brigadier Commanding Malabar and Canara, forwarding Copies of correspondence to the Civil Authorities connected with the disturbances in North Canara, with his several orders thereon.	No. 80 Order	To be recorded	Dft. May No. 624				

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