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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 7th February 1870.

Read the following :—

No. 35. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 25th October 1869, No. 7,909.

Read the following letter from the Acting Collector of Nellore, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Krishnapatam, 9th September 1869, No. 1,736.

From the Acting Sub-Collector's letter marginally noted it appears that the tank in Isullapulli, which is one of the tanks handed over to the ryots under the Orders of Government, conveyed in the Board's Proceedings, No. 3,329, dated 19th June 1865, is a Dasabundum tank, for the repair of which an Inam of 1·30 acres has been granted.

Dated 31st August 1869, No. 343.

2. The land is still enjoyed as Inam by the holder by name Kondah Sayireddi, and the question does not appear to have been brought to notice when the Orders referred to were passed in 1865.

3. I have therefore the honour to request the Board's orders whether the Inam should be resumed or not.

Enclosure No. 1.

From the Acting Sub-Collector, to the Acting Collector of Nellore, dated Ramapatam, 31st August 1869, No. 343.

In reply to your letter, No. 1,575, dated 11th instant, I have the honour to inform you that the Inam referred to in paragraph 2 of your letter is still in the possession of the owner, (Kondah Sayireddi, Isullapalli,) though the tank was made over to ryots under the rules for ruined tanks, (see Board's Proceedings, No. 3,329, dated 19th June 1865).

2. As regards the teerwah jasti remission it appears from the Kanigiri Tahsildar's report that since the time when those villages were transferred to this district one-fourth of the teerwah jasti amount has been annually deducted according to the usage of the Cuddapah and Kurnool Districts, but in the last case (Guravajepet tank) the lands were exempted from the payment of teerwah jasti in Fusly 1275 by the orders of the late Sub-Collector, Mr. St. Clair. An extract from the Jamabundy Memorandum book of Fusly 1275, in which the reasons for this course are given, is herewith sent for your information.

3. The four tanks entered in the Dasabundum account are repaired by the owner of those tanks.

From the Acting Collector of Nellore, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 21st September 1869. No 1,823.

Abstract.—Encloses, as requested, copy of Sub-Collector's letter, No. 343, dated 31st August 1869.

The Board are of opinion that perhaps the best course will be to enfranchise the Inam on the terms which have been applied to other Inams in Nellore, though it might without injustice be fully resumed.

2. They resolve however to request the opinion of the Inam Commissioner.

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No. 36. Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 5th January 1870, No. 44.

Read the following official memorandum from the Acting First Member, in charge of the Inam Department, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 12th November 1869, No. 31.

From the Registers of the Inam Commissioner, the holders of the Dasabandum Inam at Isullapalli, in the district of Nellore, appear to be also the holders of the Circar lands cultivated under the Dasabundum tank. Hitherto they enjoyed the Dasabundum Inam, repaired the tank at their own cost, and paid wet assessment to Government. Now that they have to pay only dry assessment on the Circar lands, there can be no hardship whatever in fully assessing the Inam at dry rates.

2. It must however be observed that the tank under notice should not have been brought under the operation of the Proceedings of the Board, dated 10th June 1865, No. 3,320, which could hardly apply to tanks maintained by an alienation of Government revenue in the shape of a Dasabundum Inam.

Submitted for the orders of Government.

2. Among the tanks made over to certain ryots in the Nellore District under Government Order, dated 29th June 1865, No. 1,470, is one at Isullapalli, for the maintenance of which one Kondah Sayireddi holds a Dasabundum Inam of Acres 1·30.

3. The circumstance that it was a Dasabundum tank, though noted in the Statement which accompanied the Collector's letter, dated 25th March 1865, No. 58, escaped notice.

4. The registered irrigable area under the tank is Acres 7 formerly assessed at Rupees 47, but now held at the rate of Rupees 2-8-0 per acre. Thus by the change, the ryots holding this land are gainers to the extent of Rupees 29-8-0.

5. Under these circumstances, and as Government have no longer an interest in the maintenance of the tank, the Board are of opinion that the Inam should be resumed.

No. 37. Order thereon, 7th February 1870, No. 171.

Land Revenue.

Under the circumstances reported, the resumption of the Dasabundum Inam at Isullapalli is sanctioned. The full assessment of the Inam land should accordingly be levied from the holders from the commencement of the present Fusly.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant-General.

Ed. F. R. Dantleman.

Revenue Department

No. 171.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 7th February 1870.

Read the following. *Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.*

Recommending to sanction resumptive of Inam granted for repair of a Dasa-bundrum tank in Sullapalle in Nellore Dt. made over to Ryots under ryotwar rules.

M. C. 5th Janv: 1870. No. 44.

Under the circumstances reported, the resumption of the Dasabundrum Inam at Sullapalle is sanctioned. The full assessment of the Inam land should accordingly be levied from the holders from the commencement of the present fasli.

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