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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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No. 8,003.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 12th November 1868.

Read again Proceedings of the Board, dated 15th April 1868, No. 2,721.

Read also the following letter from J. A. C. BOSWELL, Esq., Acting Collector of Nellore, to the Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 7th August 1868, No. 2,794:—

IN reply to the Board's Proceedings, dated 15th April 1868, No. 2,721, I have the honour to submit the following report with reference to the information furnished by the Guduru Tahsildar in his Arzi, dated 29th ultimo, No. 520.

2. The Tahsildar took up one Maund of Chey-root tied up as usual. On removing the "Tiga" and "Nara," meaning plant and string with which the bundles are tied up, the remaining quantity weighed 7 Viss, and 30½ Pollams. The leaves being also removed the actual root weighed 5½ Viss.

1 Maund = 8 Viss.
1 Viss = 40 Pollams.

3. When the Chey-root bundles are weighed and made over to renters the strings, etc., tied round the bundles become loose in some cases, and they are excluded from the weight. Upon the whole the Tahsildar calculates the refuse at 2½ Viss in a maund, or thirty-one per cent.

4. The petitioner claims only a remission of fifteen per cent. for the three years 1273, 1274, and 1275, and the amount to which he will be entitled at this rate would be Rupees 704-0-8, as shown below:—

Fuslies.	Amount of demand carried to account. RS.	A.	P.
1273	1,995	4	6
1274	1,816	9	9
1275	881	11	4
Total... ...	4,693	9	7
Fifteen per cent.	704	0	8

5. As the Board have taken a favourable view of the petitioner's claim to pay only for the actual root, I would recommend the above sum of Rupees 704-0-8 being refunded to him.

6. In the Notice published in District Gazette, dated 26th May 1866, Mr. Dykes added the following clause as regards the current lease which extends over a period of five years from Fuslies 1276 to 1280, both inclusive:—

"In weighing the Chey-root, the fastening by which the Chey-root bundles are tied up shall "be removed. On the other hand the root shall be weighed with the leaves attached."

7. The present Renter cannot, therefore, claim any remission as that referred to in the petition which is returned.

8. A specimen bundle of the Chey-root is herewith forwarded.

SUBMITTED to Government, with a request that the Board be authorized to remit to the Chey-root Contractor the sum of Rupees 704-0-8, being refund at the rate of fifteen per cent. for Fuslies 1273, 1274, and 1275.

2. A copy of the Board's Proceedings of the 15th April last, No. 2,721, is herewith forwarded, showing the nature of the applicant's claim for remission, and the reasons which induced the Board to regard the application as reasonable.

3. The sanction of Government is required, as the amount was carried to credit more than [illegible]

(A true Copy and Extract.)

F. Brandt.

Acting Sub-Secretary.

To the Acting Secretary to Government, R. D.,
with petition, and copy of Board's Proes., No. 2,721 of 1868.

Copy to the Acting Collector of Nellore.

Exd. J. Wright.

No. 159. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 12th November 1868, No. 8,003 :—

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Read also the following letter from the Acting Collector of Nellore, *to the Acting* Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated 7th August 1868, No. 2,794.

1. In reply to the Board's Proceedings, dated 15th April 1868, No. 2,721, I have the honor to submit the following report with reference to the information furnished by the Guduru Tahsildar in his Arzi, dated 19th ultimo, No. 520.

2. The Tahsildar took up one Maund of Chey-root tied up as usual. On removing the "Tiga" and "Nara," meaning plant and string with which the bundles are tied up, the remaining quantity weighed 7 Viss, and 30½ Pollams. The leaves being also removed the actual root weighed 5⅛ Viss.

1 Maund = 8 Viss.
1 Viss = 40 Pollams.

3. When the Chey-root bundles are weighed and made over to renters, the strings, &c., tied round the bundles become loose in some cases, and they are excluded from the weight. Upon the whole, the Tahsildar calculates the refuse at 2½ Viss in a maund, or thirty-one per cent.

4. The petitioner claims only a remission of fifteen per cent. for the three years 1273, 1274, and 1275, and the amount to which he will be entitled at this rate would be Rupees 704-0-8, as shewn below :—

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Total...	4,693	9	7
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5. As the Board have taken a favorable view of the petitioner's claim to pay only for the actual root, I would recommend the above sum of Rupees 704-0-8, being refunded to him.

6. In the Notice published in District Gazette, dated 26th May 1866, Mr. Dykes added the following clause as regards the current lease, which extends over a period of five years from Fuslies 1276 to 1280, both inclusive :—

"In weighing the Chey-root, the fastening by which the Chey-root bundles "are tied up shall be removed. On the other hand the root shall be weighed with "the leaves attached."

7. The present renter cannot, therefore, claim any remission as that referred to in the petition, which is returned.

8. A specimen bundle of the Chey-root is herewith forwarded.

SUBMITTED to Government, with a request that the Board be authorized to remit to the Chey-root Contractor the sum of Rupees 704-0-8, being refund at the rate of fifteen per cent. for Fuslies 1273, 1274, and 1275.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
12th January 1869.

2. A copy of the Board's Proceedings of the 15th April last, No. 2,721, is herewith forwarded, shewing the nature of the applicant's claim for remission, and the reasons which induced the Board to regard the application as reasonable.

3. The sanction of Government is required, as the amount was carried to credit more than two years ago.

No. 160. ORDER THEREON, 12th January 1869, No. 77.

Miscellaneous.

The refund of Rupees (704-0-8) seven hundred and four and Pice eight, is sanctioned.

(Extract.)

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

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

Exd. G. A. Turton.

Govt. of Madras Public.

REVENUE.

To

THE BOARD OF REVENUE,

&c., &c., &c.

United January, 12th.

Read. Read

G. O., 12th January 1870, No. 77.

JANUARY.

Nos. 159-160.

Chey-root Contractor of Nellore District.

—Refund of Rupees 7-4-0-8 sanctioned, being the amount of the Contractor's claim to remission.

Revn Department

No 77.

Proceedings of the Madras Government

Under date the 12th Jany 1870.

Read the following

Pro: of the Bd of Revenue.

Requesting sanction of Govt for remission of Rs. 704-0-8 from amount payable by Chey-root Contractor of Srikarikotta in Nellore Dist, on account of candles of Chey-root given to him containing leaves &c.

(P.C. 12th Nov 68 No 8003)

The refund of Rs (704-0-8) seven hundred and four and five eighth is sanctioned.

12 Bd of Revenue (with 8 Encls) Despatch
16 Acct General

Chapelli as in view of the Bd's letter dated 13th Nov 69 No 1116 should not the proposed remission be sanctioned, & if so whether the candles should be sent to Madras or Chey-root

Ed Balfour

Remission of Key
West Contractors
Act