

Revenue (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 1981.

DATED 13th April 97.

[Despatch Abstract.]

Recording B.P. (Settlement) passing order on letter from the collector of Kistna requesting order to compromise the suits filed by certain ryots of Gudla Vallera.

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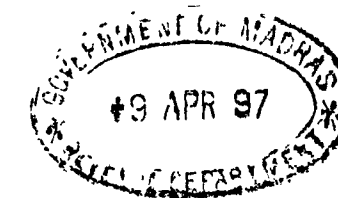
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To The Board of Revenue (R.R.) dt 17.4.97

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and there in C. No 3098 of 97

SUBJECT.

Come with the previous of
G.O. 1482 which affirmed the
principle laid down in G.O. 2683
(Flagged A in this file). Here application
for water was made before 20th July 1895.
In the case in C. No 3120 of 95 however
the present plaintiff made an application
and appeal was decided from then
members of his family who his
app. These members were however
joint holders in the patta for the land
which water was taken. The order
in this case also may be referred to.

Passing orders on
letter from the Collector
of Kistna requesting
orders to compromise
the suits filed by
certain ryots of Gub
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READ

The following letter from the
Collector of Kistna, dated 27th

March 1897 Ref no 1625, 1626 and 1628
V.S.

In submitting herewith copies
of plaints in original suits no.
43, 44 and 79 of 1897 on the file
of the Gudivada District Munsiff,
together with a specimen translation,
I have the honour to report as
follows:-

2. The three suits have been
fild by the Plaintiffs for
the recovery of the pinal water
tax.

tax charged on their lands in the
villages of Vennagunta, Mamidi
Kolla and Chitram Agraharam,
during the year about 1305.

3. Before proceeding to enter into
details, it may be observed here
that the first Plaintiff,

P. Achayya was an agitator.

4. In the village of Vennagunta
Agraharam, both the Plaintiffs
held patta lands and they re-
linquished water for those lands

on 30th March 1895 and again
put in a petition for water to
the D. P. W. on 4th July 1895
but what endorsement was given
there is not known. The cultivation
of these lands took place in
August and September 1896.

5. The Plaintiffs hold a joint

patta in Mamidi Kolla Agraham
village. The first Plaintiff, an
agitator relinquished water for those
lands on 29th April 1895, but the
other pattadars (2^d Plaintiff)
applied for water again on the
20th July 1895 to the D. P. W.
authorities. These lands were
cultivated in August and September.
In this case also, the nature of
the endorsement given is not
known.

6. The Plaintiffs own lands under
5 pattas in Chitram Agraharam
jointly with others. Water was
relinquished by one or more of
the pattadars in April 1895 and
was again applied for on 14th
July 1895 to the D. P. W. No
endorsement seems to have been
given.

given.

The lands were cultivated in August and September 1895.

7. In all the above cases, penal water tax was levied seeing that one of the pattadars was an agitator.

8. The Plaintiffs hold joint patta land also in another village named Gudla Vallu. They relinquished water on 24th March 1895 and P. Achayya, one of the pattadars and an agitator, applied for water on 24th June 1895. 'B' endorsement was given him and it was dated 25th June 1895. No suit seems to have been filed in respect of these lands. It may also be noted here that Kana

given 'A' endorsement on 10th July 1895.

9. As all the suit lands were cultivated after the issue of 'B' endorsement as explained above, it must be supposed that the Plaintiffs cultivated them subject to the risk of being penalised. But as under G.O., Revenue, Miscellaneous No. 1482 dated 18th March 1897, communicated to Boards (Revenue Settlement) the penal assessment should be foregone, I request sanction to compromise the suit by refunding the penal water-rate charged together with (if needed) the costs of the suit. Information in A form is enclosed.

Resolution.

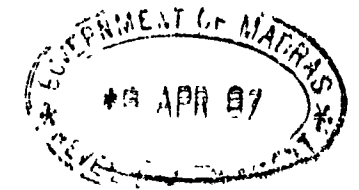
The Collector's proposal is approved. (True copy and extract)

R. V. Shivaraman

To The Collector of Kistna District
Copy to the Secretary to Government Revenue Department

Revenue (1897) Department.

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Order

From

The Board of Revenue
Revenue Settlement, Land
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Madras.
No. 2596 miscellaneous

Dated 7th April 1897.

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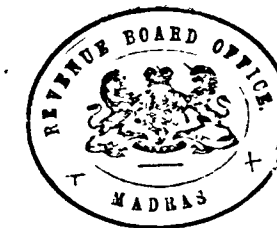
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SUBJECT.

Passing orders on letter from
the Collector of Kinnia
reporting on the circumstances
under which certain suits
have been filed in Gudalur
District Munsiff's court
and requesting sanction to
compromise them:



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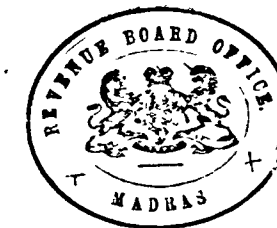
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2. The plaintiff in Cds. 24, Nimmagadda Geshayya by name, who was an agitator, holds lands under 4 pattas jointly with others. Patta no 86 stands in the names of such the



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the plaintiff and his undivided brother
and patta no 84 in the name of these two
and Ankudin (an agitator). Patta no 60
is registered in the name of somebody else,
but the plaintiff purchased and cul-
- tivated the land. Patta no 73 is in the
name of one A. Venkatachari, but it was
bought and cultivated by Ankudin (agitator),
father-in-law of the plaintiff. This
Ankudin and the plaintiff belong to a
joint family. The plaintiff relinquished
water for the lands on 18th March 1895
and re applied for it on 2nd July 1895.
He being an agitator, 'B' endorsement
was issued to him on 10th July 1895. He
cultivated the lands in August and September
1895. Penal water charge was imposed on
his lands as he was an agitator.

3 Arunumalli Ankudin, the plaintiff
in C.S. 15 of 1897 was also an agitator.
He holds lands jointly with others in

3 villages, viz. Chandrala, Vinnakota and
Mudunipalli.

Water was relinquished for the lands in
Chandrala on 18th March 1895 and was
again applied for to the Tahsildar on
19th July 1895. As regards Vinnakota, the
date of relinquishment was 1st March 1895
and that of reapplication, 20th July 1895. ^{But}

In the above two cases no endorsements were
given and the lands cultivated in August
and September 1895.

The plaintiff put in water relinquishment
for the lands in Madunipalli on 17th
March 1895 and again applied for water
on 15th July 1895. It is not known when
and what endorsement was sent. The
lands were cultivated in August 1895. ^{He}
The plaintiff being an agitator double
water tax was levied from him. ^d

4 The plaintiff in O.S. 26 of 1897 cultivated ^{such}
a ^{case}

a portion of S, nos 263 and 274 under patta no 9 which was purchased by some people, amongst whom, Adusumalli Buchayya and Venkatachalam were agitators. Water was relinquished on 20th March 1895 and the plaintiff signed a mahazar petition requesting water on 19th July 1895. But as two of the purchasers of the land were agitators, double water rate was levied on the land.

5. The plaintiff in G. S. 27 of 1897 purchased patta no 9 (referred to in ^{para} patta 4 supra) jointly with Adusumalli Buchayya and Venkatachalam &c who were agitators. He cultivated a portion of the patta and was charged double water rate as the joint purchasers were agitators and given B endorsements.

6. The plaintiff Adusumalli Buchayya (G. S. 28 of 1897) was an agitator. The land on which double water rate was levied, either stand in the name of the plaintiff

or were purchased and cultivated by him. Water was relinquished for these lands on 18th, 19th & 20th March 1895 and again applied for on 29th June 1895 'B' endorsement was issued on 10th July 1895 and the lands were cultivated in August and September 1895.

Penal charges were imposed as the plaintiff was an agitator.

7. All the above suits have been filed to recover the penal charge imposed under the circumstances explained above. The cultivation took place after the issue of 'B' endorsements that the water charge would be levied according to the discretion of the Collector. As they had taken water with the knowledge that no favourable rate would be charged, they must be held liable to the penal charge. As however, the Government has ordered the refund of the penal charge in one such case.

case, as reported in my RC ^{1625/827, 1628-}
of 97 dated 27th Instant, I request
orders to compromise the suit on
payment of the penal charge and costs
of suit if necessary.

8 A form memo is enclosed.

Resolution

The Collector's proposal, in para 7 of his
letter read above is approved.

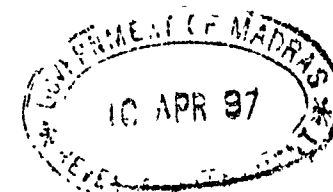
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P. J. Srinivasan
Secretary.

To the Collector of District
Copy to ^{the Secretary} Government Revenue
Department.

Revenue (1897) Department.

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From

The Board of Revenue
Revenue Settlements
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Dated 7th April 1897

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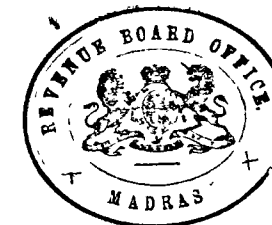
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SUBJECT.

Concurring in the Collector's
view expressed in para 4 of
his report that the penal
water rate imposed on the
certain lands included
in patta no. 48 Kodur Village,
Gudimada Taluk, may be
remitted.



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Dated 9th April 1897.

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the following letter from the Collector of Kistna, dated 30th March 1897 Ref. an. N^o. 1627 wrof 1897.

I have the honor to submit herewith Copy of the plaint in A.S 64 of 1897 on the file of the District Munsiff Court, Gudivada, and request that sanction may be accorded for its defence. The circumstances under which the suit has been filed are as follows:—

2. The plaintiff is one of the Share holders of a joint patta N^o. 48 in the village of Kodur, Gudivada Taluk, and he is also the owner and enjoyer of the lands covered by patta N^o. 163 though the patta actually stands

in the revenue Accounts in the
name of one of his brothers. He re-
linquished water for the lands in
Hastli 1305 but never reapplied for
it.

3. The other Shareholders sent a Mahazar requesting water; but the plaintiff's name is not found in it. The plaintiff's family being a divided one, the Mahazar presented by other Shareholders was not taken as covering the lands of the plaintiff also. Besides, the plaintiff was an agitator. In these Circumstances, he was charged penal water-tax and he now seeks to recover it.

4. As the plaintiff himself did not apply for water after relinquishing it, I think he was liable for the double charge imposed on his lands. On the other hand, it may be urged as regards Patta No 48, that the patta being joint and some of the shareholders having

having applied for water, the application should cover the case of plaintiff's portion of the joint holding: and as regards putta No 163, that, since the putta is not in plaintiff's name at all, the Revenue Authorities should take no Cognisance of plaintiff's Connection with the land. The question of plaintiff's liability is doubtful; and since Government has been pleased to permit the penalty imposed in the case of the Deva rakota Zamindar, it would perhaps be as well to do it in this case also.

5. Should the Board decide to defend the suit, the draft written statement, which I propose to file is submitted, along with the 'A' form memo.

Resolution

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The Board Concurs in the Collector's letter view expressed at the end of para 4 of the letter read above.

(True Copy and Extract)

R. V. Srinivasan
Secretary

To

The Collector of Krishna with embroiled
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