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No. Diary

At a Meeting Present

Monday, 18th August, 1851:-

J. Goldingham Esqre Second Member

and

J. L. Blane Esqre Third Member

Walter Elliot Esqre Senior Member

Absent on duty as Commissioner Northern Circars-

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

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B. No. 1867

From the Secretary to Government

Read the following Resolution-

No. 776.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, under date 2d August 1851.

From Board 10th July 1851/

It appears from the Extract from the Nabobs Chariot for July 12.10 submitted with the tabular report of the Acting Collector of North Arcot

Arcot of the 24th June last that the Yeomiah of Rupees 36 per annum enjoyed by the late Goolam Nabee was granted "for the subsistence of the Khadims of the "Cuddum rusoll at Yahoorpoora" while in Column 7 of the report the grant is stated to provide for "defraying the expenses of Oil for lighting lamps" at a Durgah of that name and "for the subsistence of the Sweeper". The Government desire therefore to be informed before determining on the recommendation of the Board of Revenue in this case, whether the Institution referred to is a Mosque where religious services is usually and regularly performed for the Mahomedan Community, or whether it is a mere Durgah. The Nabobs Sharaty it is observed, does not specify the nature of the Institution for the service of which the Yeomiah was granted.

2. The Governor in Council grants sanction for the share of Rupees /9-11-/ Nine and annas eleven per annum held by the late Ameedah Beebee in this Yeomiah, being continued to

Mahomed Hoosman /Nephew to her husband/ in arrear from the 9th June 1850 the date of her decease.

By Order.

/Signed/ J. Pycroft—
Secretary to Government

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B.d No. 1669

Ordered to be communicated to the acting Collector of North Arcot with reference to his Tabular Report of the 24th June 1851.

Mr. Ward will furnish the 2 information called for by Government in reference to the Yeomiah enjoyed by the late Goolam Nubbee.—

(3)

B.d No. 1863

No. 779

From the Secy to Government.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, under date 2d August, 1851.—

/From Board 30th June 1851./

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council considers it unnecessary at present to enter into any examination as to the intent and object of the original grant of the Enam referred to in the report of the Collector of Salem, as even admitting

+ In the Village of the Damalagary Mootoor in the Tripatoor Talook
Net value Rupees 558-13-2

admitting that it involved certain obligations and duties it would appear from the enquiries made by the Collector that they have long ceased to be performed - Under all the circumstances of the case however and agreeably to the Board's recommendation he resolves to direct that one half of the Enam be continued to Syed Shah Cader Hussain son of the late holder for his life, the other moiety being resumed at once and incorporated with the Government lands.

By order

/Signed/ T. Pycroft

Secretary to Government

3-4.

Bd Hs 1670-

Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated together with copy of the Board's Remarks dated 30th June 1851 to the Collector of Salem with reference to his Tabular Report of lapsed Enams dated 4th June 1851.

5.

Bd Hs 1888

From the Secy to Government

No. 793

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, Under date 5th August, 1857.

/From Board 31st July 1857/

Resolved that the Collector of

of Nellore be authorized to disburse subject to audit the arrears of Yeomiah due to Beema, from January 1850 to May 1857 amounting to /Rupees/ 130-13-10/ One hundred and thirty, annas thirteen and pice ten, and to continue the payment of her allowance in future.

By Order

/Signed/ T. Pycroft

Secretary to Government

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Bd Hs 1628

Order thereon.

Ordered to be communicated to the Sub Collector in charge of Nellore with reference to the Collector's Statement of arrears of Yeomiah dated 30th June 1857

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Bd Hs 1879

From the Secy to Government

No. 781.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, under date 5th August, 1857.

/From Bd 17th July 1857/

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council approves of the recommendation of the Board of Revenue in respect of the Enams held by the late Veni-

		Extent		Assessment		Rent payable
Camalapoor	A	3-24-14	Rs	52-13-3		in the
Heriwunahally	"	1-27-14	"	11-11-3		Villages
Moogemavenhally	"	1-15-4	"	12-4-10		noted in

the Margin and desires that instructions may be issued accordingly

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accordingly to the Collector of Bellary.

2.

Under the circumstances represented in this case the Government will not object to the Enamo being continued to Nara-samah the Daughter-in-law of the deceased for her life.

Enamo held by the late Lutchmakah in Kannakal and Dowlatapoor Villages assessed at Rupees 41-14-11.

3.

As the present holders Jagaramachary and Vegasaramacharry are stated to have been in the enjoyment of the Enams for several years the Governor in Council will permit them to retain possession of the lands but only for their lives as he observes that the succession in each case was in the female line and that the parties enjoy other Enams valued at Rupees 103-6 and Rupees 120-11-4 respectively.-

Enamo held by the late Bheema Rauthava in Jeganahally and Naramadavarakerah Villages assessed at Rupees - 17-8-4

By order

(Signed) T. Pycroft

Secretary to Government

7.8.

B. No. 1668.

Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated together with copy of the Board's Remarks dated 17th July 1851 to the Collector of Bellary with reference to his Statement of Lapsed Enams dated 25th January 1850 and to his letter of the 21st June 1851.

Extract

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B. No. 1885.

From the Secretary to Government.

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No. 719.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date 5th August, 1851.

(From Board 24th July 1851)

The Government are precluded by the orders of the Honorable Court from authorizing the Establishment of Civil Dispensaries without their previous sanction, but resolve to submit the present Application for their favorable consideration.-

Para 47 of their Despatch dated 19th February No. 9 of 1845.

(Signed) H. C. Montgomery

Chief Secretary.-

9.10

B. No. 1604.

Order thereon.

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Canara with reference to his letter dated 30th June 1851.

In Cons. 24th July 1851

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From the Secretary to Government

Dated 8th August 1851.

Read Extract stating that it is not expedient to place the Vellumpollem Zemindary in the District of Rajahmundry under the Management of the Court of Wards but that it should be sold for the arrears of Revenue due on it.-

11.12

Order thereon.-

Ordered to be recorded.

Read

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Bd. No. 1960

From the Secretary to Government -

13

Read the following Resolution.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, under dated 12th August, 1851.

(From Board 28th July 1851)

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the Collector of Bellary to carry to the credit of Government the whole amount of the defalcation in the Stamp revenue of that District which has been realized, Rupees 24,431-4-0-

(Signed) T. Pycroft.
Secretary to Government

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Bd. No. 1621.

Order thereon.

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Bellary with reference to his letter dated 22d July 1851.-

In Cons. 28th July 1851.

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Read the following Extract

No. 808.

Bd. No. 1951.

From the Secy. to Government -

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, in the Revenue Department, under date the 12th August, 1851.-

Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue -

(Here enter 24th July 1851 No. 323)

Agreeably to the recommendation of

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of the Board of Revenue the Right Honorable the Governor in Council grants authority for paying to the Mootahdar of Amboorpettah in the Salem District on account of land in his Mootah taken up for the trunk road leading from Madras to Bangalore Via Vaniembady, the sum of Rupees (38-11-3) Thirty eight, Annas Eleven and pice three the Teerwah of Fusly 1260, and for making an annual deduction of the same amount in his Peishcush from Fusly 1261.-

To The President & Members of the Board of Revenue -

(A true Extract)
(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government -

Bd. No. 1618-

Order thereon.-

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In Cons. 24th July 1851.

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Salem with reference to his letter dated 8th July 1851.-

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Bd. No. 1964

From the Secy. to Government -

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Read the following Resolution.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, under date 12th August, 1851. No. 810.-

(From Board 28th July 1851)

Resolved that the Chief Engineer be requested to furnish the Collector of Madura with a copy of the Report of the Officer who surveyed the

Madura

10902. Fort St. George 18th August 1851.

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Madura and Dindigul Districts.-

(Signed) T. Pycroft.
Secretary to Government.

Bd. No. 1631.

Order thereon.-

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Madura with reference to his letter dated 27th June 1851.

In Cons: 17th July 1851.

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Read the undermentioned Extracts.-

No. 1065.

From the Secretary to Government
Dated 13th August 1851. } Observations on the report of the Commissioner, Northern Circars, respecting the Extra Sources of Revenue of the District of Vizagapatam.-

19.20

Order thereon.

No. 1966.

From the Secretary to Government -
Dated 13th August 1851. } Resolving to recommend for the Sanction of the Honorable the Court of Directors that the lease held by Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co. of the Palcondah and Ingeram Estates in the District of Vizagapatam be continued to them for a further period of 5 years.-

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Order thereon.-

Ordered to be recorded.

10903 Fort St. George 18th August 1851.-

Bd. No. 1954.

From the Secretary to Government -

23

Read the following Extract

No. 813.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Under date the 13th August, 1851.-

Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.-

/Here enter 24th July 1851 No. 317/

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is of opinion that the extent of land suggested by the Collector of Coimbatore Viz. 5 Cawnies may properly be fixed as the Maximum quantity to be granted in one lot for building purposes on the Neilgherry Hills. It appears to him unnecessary to make any distinction between sites in the vicinity of or remote from the Cantonment of Ootacamund. The same limit may serve for the Neilgherries generally, but it will always be open to Government to relax it in special cases and for good cause shewn.-

To The President & Members of the Board of Revenue.-

/A true Extract/
(Signed) T. Pycroft.-
Secretary to Government.

Bd. No. 1622.

Order thereon.-

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Coimbatore with reference to his letter dated

23.24

Bd. In Cons 24th July 1851. dated 7th July.-

From the Secretary to Government

25 Dated 15th August 1851. } Read Extract observations on the report of the Commissioner Northern Circars respecting the Extra Sources of Revenue in the District of Guntoor for Fusly 1259.-

25.26 Order thereon.-

Ordered to be recorded.-

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Bd. No. 1983.

From the Secy. to Government - } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department under date the 15th August 1851.-

Forwarding for report Copies of certain letters from the Government of Bombay respecting the duties to be levied and the wastage to be allowed on Salt.-

Read the following Extract.

No. 833.

Read the following letter.-

To, Sir H. C. Montgomery Bart.
Chief Secretary to the
Government of Madras.

Sir,

In transmitting copies of a letter No. 6374 of the 12th ultimo, to the Government of India and of their reply of the 4th Instant No. 399, I have been directed to request that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council may be favored with the early opinion of the authorities at Madras and on the Coast as to the amount of discount to be allowed on account of

of wastage and on the Subsidiary arrangements to be made.-

Bombay Castle, 29th July 1851.

(Signed) A. Malet.-
Chief Secretary to Govt.

No. 6374 of 1851.-

To, F. J. Halliday Esqre.
Secretary to the Govt.
of India.-

Sir,

It will be seen from the correspondence ending with the letter from this Government dated the 31st October 1838 No. 3979 that on Salt Exported to the Malabar Coast, a differential duty is levied at this Presidency at the rate 1/4 of an anna per Indian Maund if destined for Ports under the Madras Government and of one anna per Indian Maund if for Ports under Travancore and Cochin, the Exporter entering into a Bond by which he renders himself liable for the full duty of 12 annas per Indian Maund in the event of his failing to produce within three Months, a Certificate of the Salt having been duly landed at such Ports.-

2d. This system has been found very objectionable as affording many opportunities for fraud, and causing much confusion

To Mr. Secy. Prinsep

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confusion in the accounts. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has directed me to propose to the Honorable the President in Council that the full duty of 12 annas per Indian Maund be collected at this Presidency on the removal of the salt from the Works, the difference between 12 annas on every Indian Maund certified by the authorities on the Coast to have been landed, and the sum levied under existing arrangement, being placed to the credit of the Ports at which the salt is landed; the latter arrangement will His Lordship in Council trusts satisfactorily meet the objection which the Government of India and the Government of Fort St. George formerly took to the proposal that full excise should be paid at the salt works.-

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¼ Madras Ports
1 anna Travancore and Cochin.

3. His Lordship in Council is aware that to demand immediate payment of the duty would occasion serious inconvenience to the Salt Traders he therefore purposes taking security for the payment of duty at three or four Months after delivery of salt, as is the

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the case with regard to Salt exported to a much greater distance, Calcutta.- Discount of a certain rate per Cent on account of wastage will also be allowed the Exporter.-

Bombay Castle,
12th June, 1851.-

(Signed) H. E. Goldsmid
Secretary to Government.

No. 399.

To, P. G. Lumsden Esqre
Secretary to the
Government of
Bombay.-

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 6374 dated 12th Ultimo and in reply to state that the President in Council sees no objection to the adoption of the mode therein proposed for adjusting in future the duties leviable on Salt exported to the Ports under the Madras Presidency, and to those under Travancore and Cochin.-

(Signed) A. R. Young
Under Secretary to the
Government of India.

Fort William,
The 4th July 1851.-

(True Copies) (Signed) A. Malet
Chief Secy to Govt

Resolved

10908 Fort St. George 18th August 18

Resolved that the for
=going letter be forwarded to the
Board of Revenue for their early re
after communication with the Colle
of Malabar and Canara.-

(2728)

(A true Extract)
(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary to Governmen

B. No. 1603.
Order thereon.-

Ordered that the fore
=going papers be forwarded to the
Collectors of Malabar and Canara
respectively for their early report

Read again letter fro
the Collector of Masulipatam
dated 12th and entered in Consultat
24th July 1851.-

Read also the following
letter:-

No. 29.

(29)

To, W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

B. No. 1843.

From the Collector of
Masulipatam.

Sir,

With reference to an

Extract

10909 Fort St. George 18th August 1851.-

Extract from the Board's Proceedings under
date 24th Instant requesting Explanation
regarding the protracted residence of myself
at Goodewadah for 79 days, and that of
Mr. Thornhill at Mungonapoody for 57 days,
I have the honor to state that the introduction
of the Joint Ryotwar system and the issue
of individual Puttahs in that Talook ren=
=dered my residence necessary for so lengthened
a period owing to the difficulties experienced
in inducing the Ryots who were then re=
=fractory and formed combinations among
themselves to accede to the new system.-

2. Mr. Thornhill having been
engaged in the settlement of Ped=
=dana Talook into which the new system
above referred to was to be
introduced his residence in that
Talook for such a lengthened period became
necessary.-

3 Under the above explanation
I trust that the Board will pass the state=
=ment of Extra Tent allowance for
the year under reference.-

Masulipatam,
Collectors Cutcherry,
30th July 1851.-

(Signed) R. T. Porter
Collector.-

Under

translation is herewith submitted—

3. On the death of Kistnaya Chundraya descended to his son Venkat Ra... This person had no issue, and adopted ... Hanoomaya, who therefore succeeded to ... possession.— After his death, his Widow ... Ranganah inherited the Property. She ... in July 1839, and sometime before that ... addressed a Petition to the then Princ... Collector, representing that she had adop... Venkat Row, the Petitioner under ... conveyed to her by her husband before ... decease, which took place in 1813 or 26 yea... prior to the date of her writing.— On the fo... of the case being laid before them, the Bo... considered this adoption illegal, and that ... preferred on behalf of Petitioner was con... quently rejected as was also that advanced ... a collateral branch of the family.

4. In the Petition under rep... Petitioner submits that the adoption ... the Board have disallowed it, is stated ... accordance with the Hindoo Law, under ... on the points to the Pundits of the Sudr ... has decided the question in his favor ... having declared that the authority delega...

+ Vide Board's Proceedings dated 13th March 1843.

by a husband to his widow to adopt, may be exercised by her at any time after his death, so that the point now on which the claim rests is the truth or otherwise of the alleged delegation of authority.— On this point full enquiry has been instituted, and the evidence elicited / as might be expected from the length of time that had elapsed since the date of the event on which the parties were required to give evidence / is conflicting and unsatisfactory.— Four persons have deposed to this fact and the evidence of no two is alike.— I have referred to the records of enquiry made in the time of Mr. Stonehouse in 1839, but as that enquiry had especial reference to the rival claim set up by Rama=yana, no evidence was then obtained on the point now at issue.— Of all the persons ... examined at that time + only made any men=tion of the circumstance of the alleged permissi=on having been given.— Thus the main ground on which the right of Petitioner rests having failed, it will rest entirely with the Govern=ment whether to extend any consideration to the claim of Petitioner.—

Vide Deposition C.D.E.F.

Vide Deposition No. 5

Since

5. Since its resumption in Fusly 1250 the Cundrega has been rented out in some years and retained under Sumany in others, and the revenue during this period has averaged Rupees 432-12-...

6. The records of the investigation held both now and in 1839 are submitted with translation for the information of the Board and Government.

Nellore, ... } Signed D. White.
Collector's Cutcherry, } Collector.
11th July 1851...

No 1.

A and B who were husband and wife had no issue either male or female. 25 years subsequent to the death of the husband the wife adopted a child begotten by a father of her own lineage / Gotrum / declaring that she had been empowered by her husband when dying to adopt a son. After her demise which took place shortly afterwards the validity of such adoption was questioned. She points therefore on which the opinion of the Hindoo Law

Law Officers is requested are.—

1st Is it necessary that a written authority be given before death by a Hindoo to legalize the subsequent adoption of a son by the widow, or is it sufficient if the fact of the husband having verbally authorized the widow so to do be established on the evidence of credible witnesses.—

It is not necessary that a written authority should be given. It is quite enough if the fact of the verbal authority having been given be established by the evidence of witnesses.—

2dly May the power to adopt delegated by the husband to a widow be exercised at any time after the husbands death or is the period within which such adoption must take place limited.—

There being no limitation prescribed in point of time, the adoption can be made at any time / the widow / pleases, after the pollution consequent on the demise of her husband is over.

3dly Is it essential to a legal adoption by a widow after the death of husband that the party

So

so adopted should have
been nominated by him
i.e the husband.—

4thly Is it essential It is not.—
the party adopted as
above should be in existence
at the time of
the husbands death?
and
Finally— Whether an It is held to
adoption by the widow be valid— and the son
under the circumstances adopted is entitled to
above detailed is held inherit.—
to be valid under the 8th October 1849.—
Hindoo Law and the son /Signed/ Appanama Sastry
so adopted entitled Senr. Pundit Sudr. Adalut.
to inherit the adoptive " C. Gopala Sastry
fathers property. Junr. Pundit Sudr. Adalut.
/Translated/

/Signed/ T. Narasinga Row
Head Translator.

Nellore, 8th October 1849. /Signed/ A. Purvis.
Collrs Cutcherry Sub Collr in Charge.

/True Copies./
/Signed/ T. H. Davidson.
Register.

Deposition

No. 2

A

Deposition given by Bolla Venkatroydoo aged
18 years a Brahmin and an inhabitant of
Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook on the 6th
November 1850.

Q. When did Bolla Hanoomajee die?
A. He died 30 years ago.
Q. Who adopted you?
A. Ringummah the wife of the said Hanoomajee
punchaloo adopted me 12 years ago.—
Q. How will you prove that Ringama was
permitted by her Husband to adopt.—
A. I will prove it by the Inhabitants of Indoo-
-coorpett.—
Q. Can you mention their names.—
A. I can— Kariavoola Iyapanaidoo, Gandypully
Soobalutloo, Vavvaloorao, Davapa, Pautoor Sharaba-
-rayloo, Pautoor Nurasimloo, Bunkarasoo Easwa-
-rapa and Nellore Achana— I will prove it
by these individuals.—
Q. State when you were adopted and
where and who were there present.—
A. At Indoocoorpett and in the house of Mr.
Bollaway Ringama adopted me and got me
invested with the Brahminical Thread all the
individuals name above were there present.
I do not remember in what year it took place.—

I

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I was 6 or 7 years old when I was adopted.—

Tribe † 2. Of what Gotrum † are you. what is the House name of your natural father. at the time of your adoption how many sons had your Father besides yourself?—

A. I am of the Bauradwaja Gotrum. I am the son of Moonaguntty Rungarow. at the time of my adoption my Father had another son my Elder Brother besides me. I am the second. He had no others.—

2. At the time you were invested with the Braminical Thread who made the Gayatree Woopadasum?—

† Whispering incantation in the ear.

A Our Household Priest Canoopurty Soobaiah Suttoo performed the Gayatree Woopadasum.—

Signed Bolla Venicatrow.—

taken before me this 6th day of November 1850.—

Signed D. White.

Collector.—

B.—

Deposition given on Oath by Moonguntty Rungarow aged 56 years a Bramin and an inhabitant of Indoocoorputtu in Nellore Talook on the 6th Novr. 1850.

2. Who adopted your son Venicatroydoo and and when and where was he adopted?

A. Bolla Pedda Rungama with the permission of her Husband adopted my son at Indoocoorputtu on the 10th of the increasing moon of the Month Anuvija in the year Havalumby 1837.—

2. When and where did the Husband of the said Rungama give her permission to adopt and how will you prove the circumstance?

A. Manoomajee pantooloo the Husband of Rungama when he was Moozoomdar of Dootalur fell sick and having no male issue he desired his wife to adopt a son. He gave this permission on the 8th of the increasing moon of the Month of Margasera in the year Sree 1813 mooky. I will prove it by the witnesses who were there present.—

2. What are the names of those Witnesses?—

A. Ursah Kristnumbuttoo, Navooloory Sashapa, Bunkarasoo Eswarapa and Bunkarasoo Moorty ranzoo. I will prove it by these four persons.—

2. How many days after he gave permission to adopt did he die?—

A. He gave permission to adopt on the 8th of the increasing moon of the Month Margasera and he died on the following day.—

2. How many years after her Husbands death did

did Rungama adopt a young son and was the adoption in conformity to Law.—

A. She adopted my son 26 years after the death of her husband. The adoption was in conformity to Law.—

2. Who were present then and by whom will you prove it?

A 1. Caravoola Iyaspanaidoo.—
1. Chekoola Vencatasa Sastrooloo.
1 Gavooravarapoo Ranyapa.—
1. Gaudypully Soobaubuttoo.
1. Nellore Anchana.—
1 Nellore Chenchooramdoo.—
1 Anoomaula Narasimloo.
1 Canoopurty Narayanbuttoo.
1. Canoopurty Soobaubuttoo the House hold Priest

I will prove it by these 9 individuals.—

2. At the time of adoption how many sons had you and how old was Vencatroydoo—

A. At that time I had two sons and Vencatroydoo was about six years old. He is my second son.—

2. Are you and the Bollawar people of the same or different Gotrums. How long after he was taken in adoption was he invested with the Braminical Thread?

A. I and the Bollawar are of the Bauradvanjasa Gotrum consequently we are of the same Gotrum. One Month after he was taken in adoption he was invested with the Braminical Thread.—

2. What was the nature of the permission by Hanoomajee Panntoolu at the time of his death to his wife Rungama and were you present at that time?

A. He stated as we have no male issue adopt a boy from your relations of the same Gotrum, I was not present then.—

2. How did you come to know this circumstance then?

A. At the of the adoption of my son I was informed of it by Rungama and others.—

2. Are any of these persons now alive?

A Pantooloo Pauparajoo, Pantooloo Sarabharauzoo, Navooloolu Ramaswamy and Govindoo Ramakistnama. These four are alive I heard it from these.—

2. You said that you will prove by Aroolia Kistnumbuttoo &c. the circumstance of Hanoomajee Panntoolu having at the time of his death at Doctoolu desired his wife to adopt. How do you know that these people were present

present at the time.2

A. As Durvapully Govinda Row the son of Bolla Pedda Rungama's Aunt had told me that he and the persons above-named had been present at the time I came to know it. Govindarow is now dead but the others are alive.—

Signed Maumoogunty Runga Row.

Solemnly affirmed before me this 6th day of November 1850.

Signed D. White.—

Collector.

2. You have stated above that you heard from Rungama and Pautooloo Pauparayoo and three others the circumstance of Hanoomayee Puntooloo having on his death bed desired his wife Rungama to adopt but the said Pauparayoo and 3 others state that they only heard Govinda Row mention the circumstance to them and that they know nothing of it. What do you say to this.2

A. These persons were present when Govindarow mentioned it but they said nothing.

Signed Moiagunty Rungarow.

Signed D. White.

Collector

J.E.B.

Deposition

C

Deposition given on Oath by Kristumbutloo the son of Areshan Soobanbutloo aged 70 years of the Seva Sect and an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Taluk dated 13th November 1850.—

2 When and where did Bollan Hanoomanjee Puntooloo die and what do you know of the circumstance of his having when about to die exd desired his wife Rungamah to adopt.2

A The said Hanoomanjee Puntooloo having been Mazoomdar of Dootaloor Iwent therefor also as he was then sick and in despair of his life he called his wife and desired her to adopt a boy of his own Gotrum. This was on the 8th of the increasing moon of the Month of Maurgavera of the year Shree Mookey Iwas then present.—

2 When and whose boy did Rungama adopt in compliance with her husbands desire.2

A I dont know whose boy she did adopt.—

Signed Areshan Kristumbutloo

Solemnly affirmed before me this 13th day of November 1850.—

Signed D. White

Collector

Given

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Given on Oath on the 21st November.

2 Besides yourself who else were present when Bollan Wanoomanjee spunto[illegible] his wife to adopt?

A Bunkarawa Eswarapa and Nun Sashapa besides others whom I did not Know There were at the time 2 or 3 persons men and women.

2 When and in what place was the permission given?

A At Doctalor in the House of a Braman.

2 On which side of the Village is the house of the Braman?

A I do not recollect.

2 In what part of the House did the conversation take place?

A I do not remember.

2 What occasion was there for 2 or 3 persons to be present when Wanoomanjee was sick.

A As the Doctor had given him over they came to see him.

2 Where and at what time was the permission given?

A Before noon of that day at 10 Oclock.

A At what time did you go there on that day and how long did you stay there?

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A I went there on that day after one Jaum (or after 9 "Oclock.) and remaind there 2 or 3 hours (Indian) then I went away.

2 How many days after he gave permission did he die?

A I heard that he died on the following day after my arrival.

2 How many days was he sick?

A I do not know how many days he was sick.

2 Did you see any of his relations when you went there?

A I am not acquanted with any one.

2 You have stated that you did not know any of the persons that were there when you went. How then did they come to recognize you and name you as a witness.

A Bunkarawa Eswarapa was their Goomastah and as he mentioned to them that I was there they named me as a witness.

2 Do you remember the words in which the permission was couched?

A I remember them he said "Tho' it has not fallen to my lot do you take a boy from our own Gotrum and adopt him and thus provide for our salvation."

Did

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he desired his wife Rungama to adopt a son I was then near - He mentioned this on the 8th of the increasing moon of the Month Maurgasera of the year Sreemooky 1813.

2 How many days after he said so to his wife did Hanoomanjee Puntooloo die - and how long after this again and whom did Rungama adopt.[2]

A Four days after he gave permission Hanoomanjee died and two or three years afterwards she adopted the son of Mamagunty Rungarow.

2 Do you know any thing more about this case.[2]

A I do not know

[Signed] Navloory Sashiah

Solemnly affirmed before me this 13th day of November 1850.

[Signed] D. White.
Collector

Given on Oath on the 21st November.

2 Besides yourself who else were present when Bollan Hanoomanjee Puntoolos gave his wife permission to adopt.[2]

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A Aukooloory Rammoroydoo an Kooloory Veeratroydoo Durvapully Goondaraydoo and Bunkarasa Eswarapa and some others their relations in all 10 or 16 persons were there - I do not know their names.

2 Of the 10 or 16 persons were there any women[2]

A There were no women amongst them.

2 Where, at what place and in whose house was the permission given.[2]

A At Dootaloor in the House of the curnum situated to the North side of the Village but in what place I do not remember.[2]

2 In what part of the House was the permission granted.[2]

A In the central room of the House

2 On what day and at what time was the permission granted.[2]

A He died two hours after sun Rise on the 8th of the increasing Moon of the Month Maurgasera of the year Sreemooky 1813 - six or seven days before this he gave the permission but at what time of the day he did it I do not know.

2 When did you go there and when did you return[2] what occasion had you to go.[2]

A I went there 6 days before the death

of Hanoomajee puntoolu and returned thence the day after his death. As I was acquainted with him I went there As the Cummums there, are my relations I used to go and stay there and then frequent Hanoomanjees House.

2 How long was Hanoomanjee sick?

A I heard to mentioned that he was sick one Month.

2 Did you see Aresham Krishnumbutloo on that day? When and why did he come there.

A I saw him. He told me that he had come for alms. I do not remember when he came.

2 How many days did you see Krishnumbutloo stay at that place?

A I saw him only on that day. I did not see him afterwards.

2 Do you remember the words in which Hanoomanjee puntloo gave the permission?

A He desired that a relation of the same Gotrum should be taken and adopted and that they should live upon the Cundrega Estate.

2 Besides these words did he utter any thing else?

A I do not remember any thing.

2 Did he utter these words in a loud voice or a low voice.

A He uttered them in a loud voice.

2 How many days after the death of Hanoomanjee did his wife adopt?

A I was told 25 years afterwards I was not here then.

2 What occasion had Bunkarasa & Eswarapa to remain there?

A I do not know.

2 In the deposition given by you on the 13th you stated that the adoption was made 2 or 3 years after the death of Hanamanjee you now state that you were informed that the adoption was made 25 years afterwards what is the reason of this?

A I stated so from forgetfulness.

2 You have heard the deposition read to you, is it correct?

A I have heard it is correct.

Signed Navaloory Sashapa

Solemnly affirmed before me this 21st day of November 1850.

Signed D. White
Collector

Deposition

E

Deposition given on oath by Eswarapa the son of Bunkara sa Poorooshotum aged 60 years of the Smaurtani Sect and an inhabitant of Indoorcoarpett in the Nellore Talook dated 13th November 1850.

2 When and where did Bollan Hanoomanjee puntloo die? What do you know of his having desired his wife Rungama to adopt a son?

A I was waiting upon Hanoomanjee puntloo as a Volunteer for employment when he was Mazoondar of Dootaloor he fell sick and his life being dispaired of he desired his wife on the 8th of the increasing Moon of the Month of Maurgavera of the year Sreemooky to adopt a son I was there present.

2 How many days after he said this did Hanoomanjee die, and how long after that did Rungama adopt?

A Hanoomanjee died the day after he said this, and she adopted the son of Moonagunty Rungapa a son I was there present.

2 How many days after he said this did Hanoomanjee die, and how long after that did Rungama adopt?

A Hanoomanjee died the day after he said this, and she adopted the son of Moonagunty Rungapa a son I was there present.

he at the time?

A Rungarow had two sons and one daughter and Rungama took the second son in adoption.

2 Do you know any thing more regarding this case?

A I do not

Signed Runkarasa Eswarapa.

Solemnly affirmed before me this 13th day of November 1850.

Signed D. White
Collector

Given on oath on the 21st November 1850.

2 Who were present besides yourself when Bollan Hanoomanjee puntloo desired his wife to adopt?

A Durvapully Govindarow aresham Rustnumbut. Loo Navaloory Sashapa and some others whose names I do not know. There were about 10 persons both men and women.

2 Where at what place was the permission granted?

A In the House of the Village Priest of Dootaloor.

2 On what side of the Village is the house of the Village Priest?

A On the North East side of the Village.

2 In what part of the House was the permission granted?

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E

Deposition given on oath by Eswarapa the son of Bunkara a Poorookotum aged 60 years of the Smaurtaui Sect and an inhabitant of Indoorcoorpett in the Nellore Talook dated 13th November 1850.

2 When and where did Bollan Hanoomanjee punttoo die? What do you know of his having desired his wife Pungama to adopt a son?

A I was waiting upon Hanoomanjee punttoo as a Volunteer for employment when he was Mazoomdar of Dootaloor he fell sick and his life being dispaired of he desired his wife on the 8th of the increasing Moon of the Month of Maurgavera of the year Sreemooky to adopt a son I was there present.

2 How many days after he said this did Hanoomanjee die, and how long after that did Pungama adopt?

A Hanoomanjee died the day after he said this, and she adopted the son of Moonagunty Pungarow 24 or 25 years afterwards.

2 Were you present when the son of Moonagunty Pungarow was taken in adoption. How many sons had he at the time?

A Pungarow had two sons and one daughter and Pungama took the second son in adoption.

2 Do you know any thing more regarding this case?

A I do not

Signed Runkara Eswarapa.

Solemnly affirmed before me this 13th day of November 1850.

Signed D. White
Collector

Given on oath on the 21st November 1850.

2 Who were present besides yourself when Bollan Hanoomanjee punttoo desired his wife to adopt?

A Durvapilly Govindarow areshan Rustumbut. Soo Navaloory Sashapa and some others whose names I do not know. There were about 10 persons both men and women.

2 Where at what place was the permission granted?

A In the House of the Village Priest of Dootaloor.

2 On what side of the Village is the house of the Village Priest?

A On the North East side of the Village.

2 In what part of the House was the permission granted?

In.

E

Deposition given on oath by Eswarapa the son of Runkarasa Poorookotum aged 60 years of the Smaurtanic Sect and an inhabitant of Indoorcoorpett in the Nellore Talook Dated 13th November 1850.

2 When and where did Bollan Vanoomanjee punto die? What do you know of his having desired his wife Rungama to adopt a son?

A I was waiting upon Vanoomanjee punto-loo as a Volunteer for employment when he was Mazoomdar of Dootaloor he fell sick and his life being dispaired of he desired his wife on the 8th of the increasing Moon of the Month of Maurgavera of the year I to adopt a son Iwa

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A In the front room of the House.

2. You stated that there were 10 persons who were they?

A Some of them were the Villagers and some were his relations.—

2 At what time was the permission?

A At 10 hours on the 8th of the increasing moon.—

2 What occasion had you to be there when did you go there?

A I had been there about 2 or 3 Months I always remained in that house.—

2. How many days after he gave the permission did he die?

A He died on the following day.—

2. How long was he sick?

A He was sick 8 days.—

2. Did you speak with Kristumbuttoo and Sashapa above named?

A I may have spoken with them but I do not remember.—

2. Can you repeat the words which the deceased used in granting the permission?

He

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A He said God has provided us means for food and raiment. Tho it has not been my lot do you at least adopt a beg from our relations of the same Gotrum and have him invested with the Brammical Thread. This will be well for us.—

2 Did he speak these words in a loud or in a low voice?

A He was sick and therefore spoke in a low tone.—

2 Where were Sashapa and Kristumbuttoo at the time?

A They were there but in what particular place I do not remember.—

2 What occasion was there for those two to come there on that day?

A Kristumbuttoo came for alms and Sashapa went out to the house of his relations and then took occasion to see Bollan Vanoomanjee.—

2 When did these two come and when did they go?

A Kristumbuttoo came on the evening of the 7th of the increasing Moon and went away at 3 Jamms on the following day Sashapa remained all day.—I do not know when he went away.—

Did

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2 Did Kristumbutloo take his meals
on the evining on which you said he arrived?

A On that day and the following day
he took his meals at some other places when I do
not know.

2 Besides the permission given by Hanoomanjee
puntooloo did he speak any thing else previous to
that or subsequent to it?

A. I do not remember

2 Did any one else say any thing at the
time.

A I neither heard nor saw any thing else

2 Besides these words did not Hanoomanjee speak any thing else all that day?

A I do not know; I did not hear.

2. You have stated that besides these words you do not remember that he spoke any thing else How is it that you remember only this one circumstance?

A Besides this I do not remember any thing else.

2. How come Moonagunty Rungarow to name Kristumbutloo was witness in this case who informed him that Kristummbutloo had been there?

A Govindarow gave the information.

2 You have heard this deposition read to you is it correct?

A I have heard it is correct.

Signed/ Bunkarasoo Eswarapa

Solemnly affirmed before me this 21st day of November 1850.

Signed/ D White
Collector

J.C.B.

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F

Deposition given on oath by Caupa-
rauzoo the son of Pauloor Veerunrauzoo, aged 60
years, of the Smaurtum Sect, a Bramin and an
inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Co.
Talook, on the 13th November 1850.

2 What do you know of Bollam
Hanoomanjee Puntooloo having on his death
bed permitted his wife to adopt and of
his wife Rungama having afterwards
adopted?

A. Bollam Rungama having sent
for Moonagunty Rungrow and his Son
from Madras in order to adopt the latter
the said Rungarow told Durvapully
Govindarow Rungamas aunts Son that
"they are asking for my son in adoption"
but did Rungamas husband give her Co.
permission to adopt; to which we heard.
Govindarow say Hanoomanjee puntooloo had
on his death bed desired her to adopt
and therefore you may give your Son in
adoption.

2 Do you know nothing yourself of the permis-
sion given by Hanoomanjee puntoolo to adopt?

A. I do not.

2. Do you know when Rungama adopted

Rungarow

Rungarow's Son.2

A. She adopted him on the 10th of the increasing Moon of the Month answeja of the year Velumby one month after this she invested him with the Braminical thread.

2. Do you know any thing else in this case.2

A. I do not know.

/ Signed / Pauparauzoo.

Solemnly affirmed before me this 13th day of November 1850.

/ Signed / D. White

Collector.

The Father of the adopted boy being here asked if he has any cross questions to put to the deponent, answered that he had none.

/ Signed / D. White

Collector.

G

Deposition given on Oath by Sharabrauzoo the Son of Pautoor Badrapa, aged 55 years, a Bramin and an inhabitant of Indoorcoorpett in Nellore Talook, dated 13th November 1850.

2 What do you know of Bollaw Hanoomanjee puntoolu having on his death bed desired his wife to adopt and Rungama having

afterwards adopted.2

A. Moonagunty Rungarow having come 1838. to our Village from Madras in the year Velumby we heard that Rungama was going to adopt his Son and as we went to their House we heard Rungarow question Durvapully Govindarow / her aunts Son / Do you ask me to give my son in adoption in compliance with the permission granted to Rungama by her husband or does Rungama wish to adopt him of her own accord and Govindarow replied that her husband had given permission therefore give your son in adoption.2

2 Do you not know that Rungama's husband had permitted her to adopt.2

A I do not know.

2 When was the boy adopted and how many Sons had Rungarow at that time.2

A. He was adopted in the month of awsweja of the year Velumbee - Rungarow had two sons at that time - He gave his second son in adoption.

2. How long after the death of Hanoomanjee puntoolu did she adopt.2

A. More than 30 years after his death.

2 What else do you know in regard to this

this circumstance?

A. I Know nothing more.

/Signed/ Pautoor Sharabarauzoo.

Solemnly affirmed before me this 13th day of November 1850.

/Signed/ D. White
Collector.

Moonagunty Rungarow the boy's father here states that he had no question to put to the deponent.

/Signed/ D. White
Collector.

III.

Deposition given on Oath by Govindoo Rauma Kristana Branin, aged 40 years, and an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook, on the 13th November 1850.

2 What do you Know of Bollo Hanoomanjee puntooloo having permitted the adoption and of his wife Rungama having afterwards adopted?

A. When Moonagunty Rungarow came to their House to give his son in adoption I heard Govindarow tell them on being questioned that "Hanoomanjee puntoolo on his death bed gave permission do you therefore give your son to be adopted."

2 Do you not yourself Know the fact of Hanoomanjee puntoolo having given pers mission - How many years after his death did Rungama adopt?

A. I do not Know the fact myself nor do I Know how many years afterwards she adopted.

2 Do you Know the circumstances of the adoption having taken place - Were you present then. How many Sons had Rungarow at the time?

A I was present when the boy was given to be adopted Rungarow had 4 Sons at that time and he gave the second Son in adoption. The adoption took place in the month of Auswija of the year Velumby.

2. Do you Know any thing more about this case.

A. One month after the boy was taken in adoption he was invested with the Bra- minical thread. I Know nothing more about it.

/Signed/ Govindoo Rauma Kristnama

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/Signed/ D. White

taken in adoption he was invested with the Bra- minical thread. I Know nothing more about it.

/Signed/ Govindoo Rauma Kristnama

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here states he has no questions to put to the deponent.-

/Signed/ D. White
Collector.

II.

Deposition given on Oath by Raumasawmy the son of Navaloor Lutchmynurs-oo Bramin, aged 26 years, and an inhabitant of Indoorcoot-pett in Nellore Talook, on the 13th November 1850.-

2. What do you know of the circumstances of Ballow Hanoomanjee puntooloo having permitted his widow to adopt a Son and of her having adopted.-

A. Bollan Pedda Rungama sent for Moonagunty Rungarow in order to adopt his son. As I was there at the time. I heard Rungarow ask Govindarow "Is it with the permission of Hanoomanjee puntooloo that you intend to adopt or does Rungama wish to do it of her own accord," and the latter said Hanoomanjee puntooloo on his death bed gave permission consequently give your Son in adoption.-

2 Do you not know the fact of Hanoomanjee

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puntooloo having given permission on his death bed.- How many days after his death did Rungama adopt?-

A. I do not know the circumstance of Hanoomanjee puntooloo having permitted the adoption.- The adoption took place 26 years after his death.- It was in the year Velumbee that Rungama adopted the son of Rungarow.-

2. How many Sons had Rungarow when he gave his son in adoption.-

A. He had another Son the elder brother of the boy given in adoption and a Daughter.

2. Do you know any thing else in this case.-

A. I do not know any thing more.-

/Signed/ Navooloory Ramasawmy

Solemnly affirmed before me this 13th day of November 1850.-

/Signed/ D. White
Collector.

Moonagunty Rungarow the father of the boy here states that he has no questions to put to the deponent.-

/Signed/ D. White
Collector.

Deposition

J

Deposition given on Oath by Soobaubutloo the Son of Gaudypully Kristnumbutloo, aged 60 years of the Smaurta Sect and an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook, dated 22nd November 1850.

2 What do you know in the case of the adoption by Bollan Rungama?

A. She adopted the son of Moonagunty Rungarow on the 10th of the increasing Moon of the month of Ausweja of the year Velumby. I went there that day and kept near, In the month of Caurteeka or one month afterwards. She invested him with the Braminical thread.

2. Where and when did the ceremony of adoption take place?

A. The House of Rungama is in the centre of the Village of Indoocoorpett and the cermony of adoption was performed in the centre square of the House at 11 Oclock A. M.

2 Who were present then?

A. There were many Bramins as also the Villagers Canoopurty Poollumbutloo, Pautoory Lutchmynursoo, Caravoola Naurapa Naidoo and many others were present.

2. Are you acquainted with Rungarow,

How many Sons has he. What is the age of the boy who was adopted?

A. I am acquainted with him. At the time he gave his boy in adoption he had two Sons. He gave his second Son to be adopted. The boy was about 6 years old.

2 Who performed the ceremony of adoption?

A. The Household Priest performed the ceremoney of adoption. The ceremoney of investing the boy with the Braminical thread was performed by the household Priest.

2. You have heard this deposition read, is it correct?

A. I have heard it. It is correct.

/Signed/ Soobaubutloo.

Solemnly affirmed before me this 22d day of November 1850.

/Signed/ D. White
Collector.

K

Deposition give on Oath by Ayapanaidoo the Son of Karavoola Naidoo, aged 40 years, of the Caupoo Caste and an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook, dated 22d November 1850.

2. What do you know about the circumstance of Bollan Rungama having adopted/a boy/?

A. One day about 12 years ago as I was young

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going through the Street in Indoocoorpett I was told that Bollau Rungama was going to adopt the Son of Moonaguntty Rungarow and so I went into her House. I staid there and witnessed the ceremony of adoption take place. I heard Rungama tell those assembled that she adopted in accordance with the will of her husband.

2. On what side of Village is the House. In which part of the House was the ceremony of adoption performed. Of the persons who were present on the occasion who were there that you are acquainted with.

A. The House is situated on the South side of the High Road. The ceremony of adoption was performed by Gaudy Sully Soobabutloo in the centre Room of the House areshaw Kristumbutloo, Canoopurty Soobaw=butloo, Caranum Achana. Caranum Chenchoo=raumdoo, Anoomaula Narasimloo, Pautoory Narasimha and many others were there, I saw them.

2. How many Sons had Moonaguntty Rungarow at the time he gave his son in adoption. Are you acquainted with him. How old was the boy then.

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A. I am acquainted with Rungarow He had two Sons when he gave his son to be adopted. He gave his second Son who was probably about 8 or 10 years.

2. You have heard this deposition read to you. Is it correct.

A. I have heard it It is correct.

The mark of ayapanaidoo

Solemnly affirmed before me this 22d day of November 1850.

(Signed) D. White
Collector

Ls

Deposition given on Oath by Achana Son of Nellore Naugapa, aged 40 years, of the Cudy=vellum caste and an inhabitant of Indoocoor=pett in Nellore Taluk, dated 22nd November 1850.

2. What do you know about the circumstance of Bollau Rungama having adopted (a boy).

A. She adopted at Indoocoorpett in the month of Auswija of the year Velumby Vencataroydoo the Son of Moonguntty Runga Row. As I was called at the time the ceremony of adoption was performed I went there and witnessed it. The ceremony of adoption was performed in the House of

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of Rungama.

2. On which side of the Village is the House. In which part of the House was the ceremony of adoption performed and who were then present?

A. Rungama's House is in the centre of the Village, the ceremony of adoption was performed in the centre Room of the House. Caravoola Ayapanaidoo, Nellore chenchoo-ramdoo, Anoomala Narasimloo. and many other Bramins &c. individuals were there. The ceremony of adoption was performed in the morning. I went in the evening to take Beatle and Nut.

2. Are you acquainted with Ranga Row. How many Sons had he at that time and how old was the adopted boy?

A. Rungarow had two Sons. He gave his second Son to be adopted. I do not know what the boy's age was.

2. You have heard this deposition read to you. Is it correct.

A. I have heard it. It is correct

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correct.

(Signed) Achana.

Solemnly affirmed before me this 22d day of November 1850.

(Signed) D. White
Collector.

M

Deposition given on oath by Chenchoo-raamoodoo the Son of Nellore Achana, aged 40 years, of the Audy Vellama Caste and an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook, on the 22nd November 1850.

2. What do you know of the circumstance of Bollau Rungama having adopted a boy?

A. Bollau Rungama adopted the Son of Moonagunty Rungarow in her own House at Indoocoorpett in the month of Ausweja of the year Velumby. I was then present.

2. On what side of the Village is her House. In what part of the House did the ceremony take place. who were then present. at what time of the

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the day did the ceremony take place?

A. It is in the centre of the Village on the side of the high Road. The ceremony of adoption was performed in the centre Room of the House, Ayapa Naidoo Venu Gaudy pully Soobaroyalloo and many others were present. The ceremony was performed before noon.

2. Are you acquainted with Rungama. How many Sons had he when he gave his son to be adopted?

A. I am acquainted with him. When he gave his Son to be adopted he had two Sons and a Daughter. He gave his second Son aged 10 years to be adopted.

2. Did you hear Rungama say anything when she adopted the boy?

A. I heard her tell the assembly that she adopted [the boy] in accordance with the will of her husband.

2. You have heard this deposition read to you. Is it correct?

A. I have heard it. It is correct.

[Signed] Chenchooramoorthy

Solemnly affirmed before me this 22nd day of November 1850.

[Signed] D. White
Collector

D.C.

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N

Deposition given on Oath by Narasimloo son of Anoomaula yanaudy Naidoo, aged 50 years, of the Camma Caste and an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Taluk, dated 22d November 1850.

2. What do you know about the circumstance of Bollan Rungamah having adopted? (a boy)

A. About 10 or 12 years ago Rungama adopted in her House at Indoocoorpett the son of Monagunty Rungarow. I then went there as I am a Cultivator of hers. I remained there.

2. On what side of the Village is Rungama's House. In what part of the House was the ceremony of adoption performed. at what time was the ceremony performed. Who were then present?

A. Her House is in the centre of the Village. The ceremony of adoption was performed in the centre Room of the House, the ceremony was performed at 9 in the morning, but I do not remember it well. Ayapanaidoo, the Curnam and many others were present.

2. Are you acquainted with Rungarow. How many sons had he at the time

How old was the boy?—

A. I am acquainted with him. He had two sons. This boy he gave to be adopted was probably 10 years old.—

2. Did Rungama say any thing before the assembly at the time the ceremony of adoption was performed?—

A. I do not remember.—

2. You have heard this deposition read to you is it correct?—

A. I have heard, it is correct.—

The mark of Narasimloo

Solemnly affirmed before me this 22nd day of November 1850.—

/Signed/ D. White

Collector.

O.

Deposition given on Oath by Nauranabuttoo the Son of Canoo party Ramabuttoo, aged 50 years, of the Smaurta Sect and an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook, on the 22d November 1850.—

2 What do you know of the circumstance of Bollan Rungama having adopted? (a boy).

A. I was not present when Rungama adopted (the boy). I know nothing; I was told that she had adopted (a boy).—

When

2 When did you hear that she had adopted? (a boy).

A. I heard of it shortly after the adoption took place which, I was told, was in the month of Answeja of the year Velumby.—

2. Were you present when the boy was invested with the Bramini=cal thread?—

A. I was present when the boy was invested with the Braminical thread, Rungama got it done. The House hold Priest Canoo party Poollumbuttoo performed the ceremoney.—

2 Did you not hear Canoo=party Pollumbuttoo speak about the adoption?—

A. I did not ask him, neither did he tell of it to me.—

2 You have heard this depo=tion read to you. Is it correct.—

A. I have heard it. It is correct.—

/Signed/ Nauranabuttoo

Solemnly affirmed before me this 22d day of November 1850.—

/Signed/ D. White
Collector.

Deposition.

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P

Deposition given on Oath by Vencata=
=Lashausturloo the son of Soorea Nauraina
shausturloo Bramin, aged 31 years, an
inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore
Talook, dated 22d November, 1850.—

2. What do you know about
the circumstance of Bollan Rungama
having adopted? (a boy.)

A. Bollan Rungama adopted
the son of Moonagunty Rungarow on the
10th of the increasing Moon of the month
Ausweja of the year Velumby— I went
there at that time and I heard her say
to those assembled that she adopted (the
boy) in conformity to the will of her husband.—

2. Where did the adoption take place?—

A. It took place in Rungama's House
at Indoocoorpett.—

2. On what side of the Village is the
House, In what part of the House was it performed, Which
of your acquaintances were there?—

A. It is in the centre of the Village, the ceremony
of adoption was performed in the centre Room of the
House. The Villagers as also those of the neighbouring
Villages were present— Aumoodaulapaty

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Rungasausturloo, shashausausturloo,—
Voorybindy soobausausturloo and many
others were there.—

2. How many sons had Moona=
=gunty Rungarow when he gave his son to
be adopted— are you acquainted with him?—

A. I became acquainted with him
after he came here i.e. after he gave
the boy to be adopted— He had either 3 or
2 Sons. He gave his second son to be
adopted— The boy was about 6 years old?—

2. Who performed the ceremony
of adoption?—

A. Rungarow and his wife were
seated together and they gave the boy into the
hands of Rungama. The Ceremony of adoption was
performed by the Household Priest.—

2. When was the boy invested
with the Braminical thread and who
invested him with it?—

A. He was invested with the
Braminical thread one month after he
was adopted, the House=hold Priest
invested him with it.—

2 At what time was the ceremony
of adoption performed.—

A. At 10 Guddies in the morning.

you

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2. You have heard this deposition read to you- Is it correct?—

A. I have heard it- It is correct.—

/Signed/ Venkatasumshanstarloo —

Solemnly affirmed before me this 22d day of November 1850-

/Signed/ D. White
Collector-

Q

Deposition given on Oath by Soobaubattoo the Son of Canoopurty Pollumbattoo, aged 40 years, of the Smaurta Sect and an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook, on the 22d November 1850.—

2. What do you know of the circumstance of Bollam Rungama having adopted?—

A. She adopted the Son of Moonagunty Rungarow in her own place at Indoocoorpett on the 7th of the increasing Moon- of the Month of auswega of the year- Velumby- as my Father is her House hold Priest I went to her house:—

2. On what side of the Village is Rungama's House. In what part of her House did the ceremony take place. Who were then present and at what time was the ceremony of adoption performed?

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A. It is situated on the East side of the Village- The ceremony was performed in the East side of the House and at 10 Guddies in the morning- The Village Canpoo and Curnums -pally Soobaubattoo &c.a were present.—

2. Did Rungama say any thing when the ceremony of adoption was performed.—

A. I heard Rungama tell my Father Pollum Buttoo and the assembly that she adopted the boy according to the will of her husband.—

2. Who performed the ceremony of adoption?—

A. As my Father is her House hold Priest he performed the ceremony of adoption- Rungarow gave the boy and Rungama received him.—

2. Are you acquainted with Rungarow. How many Children had he at the time- How old was the boy who was adopted?—

A. I am not acquainted with him- I saw him after he came here- The boy was about five years old- Rungarow had two Sons and one Daughter.—

When

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2. When was the boy invested with the Braminical thread?—

A. The boy was invested with the Braminical thread one Month after he was adopted. Rungama got him invested with the Braminical thread and my father performed the ceremony.—

2 You have heard this deposition read to you. Is it correct.—

A. I have heard it. It is correct.—

/Signed/ Soobaubuttoo

Solemnly affirmed before me the 22d day of November 1850.—

/Signed/ D. White

Collector.—

R

Deposition given on Oath by Narasimloo the Son of Pautoor Apiah, aged 50 years, of the Smarta Sect and an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in the Vellore Talook, dated 22d November 1850.—

2. What do you know of the circumstance of Bollan Rungama having adopted a boy?—

A. Bollan Rungama adopted in her House at Indoocoorpett in the month of Answeja of the year Velumby the son of Moonagunty Rungarow. and as I was

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invited to take Beatle on the occasion I went there and taking Bette and Nut returned.—

2. On what side of the Village is Rungama's house. In which part of the House did the ceremony take place. Who were then present?—

A. Rungama's House is in the centre of the Village. I do not remember in what part of the House the ceremony was performed. Gaudapully Soobaubuttoo, the Caupoos and Curnums Brammins and many others were present at the time.—

2. Did Rungama tell any thing in the presence of the Assembly?—

A. I do not Remember.—

2 are you acquainted with Rungarow, at the time he gave his son to be adopted, how many sons had he and how old was the boy at the time?—

A. I become acquainted with Rungarow after he gave his son in adoption I was not acquainted with him before that. Rungarow had two sons. He gave his second son to be adopted. The boy was 6 years old. One Month after he was adopted i.e. in the month of Caurteka.

He

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Caurteka he was invested with the Braminical thread.—

2. You have heard this deposi=tion read to you. Is it correct?—

A. I have heard it. It is correct.—

(Signed) Pantoor Narasimloo=

Solemnly affirmed before me this 22d day of November 1850.—

(Signed) D. White
Collector.

S

Deed of donation of land granted by the Caupoos and Curnums of Idooacoorpett to Bolla Kristnaujeepuntooloo the son of Wanoomaujee puntooloo and grand son to yajoostry = aukhandhyaukoolma Bhauradvauganagotra= bhavootina aupastumbasootrierlina Jaumaka on the Swastasree Vijayan Bhoolak of the Epoch of Saulaveranhana 1649 agreeing with the 15th of the increasing Moon of the Month aushauda of the year Pluaringa Fusly 1145. Hazarat Bukshee Emom saubib Sahagheer=dar having come to our Village and desired us to give you a Document specifying the boundaries of the Cundriga which he granted, the following are the boundaries of the

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the Cundriga situated on the South side of the Village. The Boundary on the East runs from the Cutterva of the Garden attached to the House of Jungum Verry paupiah, to the west of the Tangailoo of the Cutterva of the Ingoovaravary Maurriem, thence through the Ecta Goompoo running towards the South East through the Mauladuroovoo to the Murry Tree, thence going Eastward towards the South Road leading to Pottapoody, thence going South to Pacha=potta, thence through the Field of Thatch to the Pachapootta that is to the South, thence to the Palmyra Tree on which a Murry Tree is growing and which is situated to the west of Gootty calloodooroovoo and thence to the Boundary of aamatoor, on the South the Boundary runs along the aumsloor Boundary and crossing the road going to Goodoor leads under the Indoopoor Tank along the Corner Bank of the Maugaumy Land, thence along the Southern Edge of the supplying channel and to the west of the Pachapootta thence along the western Bank and turning west runs along the supplying channel to the Pachapootta on the Road leading to the Polarama Pagoda, thence direct=

direct along the Eastern Bank of the Guddum-vary Dorovoo over the Cluster of Palmyra Trees which is to the West of the Ippa Tree and over the Hillock called Balasoola Brama Mady Debba to the Iyagaury Murry Tree, On the North the Boundary runs along the Bank on the South side of the Road to the Murry Tree under which the Gauly Gungooloo is worshipped, thence it leads to the Street and along the Calleva of the Iungaulapantem up to the East side. The Metta Land and the Mangany Lands the latter sowable with 15 Tooms of seed situate within the boundary above specified and depending for irrigation on the Indoocoor Tank have been granted to you on a Berij of Pagodas (25) Twenty five payable to Government inclusive of Tahareer Parakianga & Roofsoons &c. The Moolum Field Called Coonara Gunta Dorovoo situated on the North side of the Village and sowable with 10 Tooms of seed is also given. As we have thus granted a Deed of limits you will Cultivate the land situated within these limits and paying the Government duty enjoy the produce thereof in perpetuity as long as the Sun and Moon endure and be in happiness. (Here follows a Slocam in Sanscrit.)

Presented on the 5th March 1816.—
(Signed) S. Vencatacharloo
(Signed) Carnum Boochana.—

Caupoos
The Mark of Candymulla Moosalapanaidoo
(Signed) Pullumreddy Rungaureddy
" Paulachoory Nursareddy—
The Mark of Yerraboorla Ramanaureddy
The Mark of Naurapa naidoo.—

D.K.

No 1.

Kyfeut given by the undersigned Caupoos and Curnums of Indoocoorputt in Nellore to Talook, on the 28th November, 1839.—

Hameedoodeen Khan said the Tasildar of our Talook having sent for us and enquired whether Bolla Ramanayama has any claim to the Cundrega of Bolla Pedda Rungama, whether Ramanayama her Husband, Father-in-law and Mother-in-law &c have from the first been in the enjoyment of any share in Pedda Rungama's Cundriga. Whether Pedda Rungama has any issue, who performed the funeral rites &c of Pedda Rungama and of her husband, when the latter died who transacted the affairs of the Cundriga after that event to whom in our opinion the Cundriga should now be given. Whether after the death of Pedda Rungama the Cundriga was made over to any one or not and whether after Pedda Rungama there are any other Claimants to the Cundriga we have to state. That we are not aware that this Ramanayama ever came here during the lifetime either of Hanoomajee Puntooloo or of his wife Pedda Rungamma or that she ever lived with them and enjoyed this property. We are not even aware if they were in the habit of frequenting each others Houses as relatives or not we never saw her in this Village. We do not know that her Father-in-law, Mother-in-law or Husband ever came to the House of Pedda Rungama and shared

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shared with her the Cundriga. We are transact-
-ing the affairs of the Village since the last 40 or
50 years, Pedda Rungama her husband and his
paternal Grand mother Vencama were the
only three that had the enjoyment of the Cun-
-driga. We do not know that any others shared
it. we never saw it. When these three individuals
were alive no other person came forwards as
claiming the Cundriga. Pedda Rungama had
no issue she therefore adopted a boy Venca-
-troydoo the Son of Moonooguntty Rungaroydoo.
and performed the Ceremony of Coopanyanum
when she sent for all of us, and informed us
that she had adopted that boy and that as he
will inherit the property her funeral rites
should be caused to be performed by him.
She also got him to perform the annual
ceremony of her husband Hanoomajee Puntoolu.
She died some time afterwards. After the death
of her husband Pedda Rungama got her
brothers to perform his funeral rites and she
herself continued to manage the Cundriga.
As she had no issue and had in conse-
-quence adopted in our presence the boy
Venkatroydoo and got him to perform the
annual Ceremony of her husband Hanooma-
-jee Puntoolu and as the boy likewise
performed her funeral rites according to her
dying injunctions we think that the whole
of the property should go to Venkatroydoo. We

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believe that the husband of Pedda Rungama
died about 20 years ago.

2. Do you know if the Husband
of Pedda Rungama had before his death or
at the time of his death desired her to adopt
any one.

A. Hanoomanjee Puntoolu the Husband
of Pedda Rungama was employed in Dootaloor
Talook and died there. consequently we do not
know what he mentioned to his wife Pedda
Rungama. But she adopted the Boy Venkat-
-roydoo and on the occasion of his Coopanyanum
she pointed out the boy to us and told us that
she had adopted him in compliance with
the permission given her by her husband. as
as she had after the death of her husband
made enquiries amongst her relatives living
in the North and South for some one to
adopt and had in last year adopted this
boy, we thought that she did so with the
permission of her husband.

2. How old was the boy Venkat-
-roydoo. of what Gotrum is he, and who per-
-formed the Ceremony of adoption and invested
him with the Brahminical thread.

A. We thought the boy was 7
years old. Rungama and the boy were of
the same Gotrum. At the Ceremony of
adoption the Father and Mother of the

boy

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boy delivered him into the hands of Rungama but as she was a female she got D. Goovin=darow her Cousin the son of her mothers Sister who had been brought up by her ever from his infancy to perform the Oopayanam whilst Canoopurty Poollumputtoo her house=hold Priest recited the Muntras.

Incantations

2 Q. You stated that the house-hold Priest recited the Muntras and that Goovinda=row invested him with the Braminical Thread but who whispered into his ear the Incantations. Bramhopadasum.

A. The Boy Govindarow and Pul=lumbettoo sat together under Cover and the Bramhopadasum was performed as usual amongst the Bramins. we did not enter the Cover to see who did it.

2 Q. Of what Gotram is Govindarow who invested the Boy with the Bramini=cal Thread and has he a wife or not?

A. He is of the Causeapa Gotram He has no wife.

2 Q. Did any of the learned Per=sons who were present when the Ceremony of adoption was being performed object to the adoption on the ground that as Rungama's husband was himself adopt=ed he could not adopt another?

We

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A. We were all there present and no one made any objection.

(Signed) Pantoor Lutchmynurson

" Curnum Nellore Nagapa

" Nellore Chenchoo Rammoodoo

The mark of Caravoola Naurapa Naidoo Village Moonsiff.

The mark of Goonoopaty Yanadyreddy

" of Tummereddy Sautaureddy

" of Yeerumreddy Moortyreddy

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(Signed) Patree Kristnarow Shasildar.

No. 2.

Kyfeut given by the undersigned Canpoos of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook on the 28th November 1839.

Hameedoodeen Khan the Tasil=dar of the above Talook having called upon us to state as far as we know who were in the enjoy=ment of the produce of the Ballawanny Hun=dreja in this Village while it was in the pos=session of Pedda Rungama, to state also if there are any individuals entitled to succeed to the possession of the Hundreja and who. Rammayana is, we have to state that during the life time of Ballan Hanoomiajee Puntooloo he enjoyed the Hundreja and after his death his wife Pedda Rungama. besides these individuals there are no others en=titled to the Hundreja. We do not know who

Rammayana

Raumanyama is- we never heard of her till now- do we are the inhabitants of this Villy we know the particulars of the case from the last 30-40-50 or 60 years and have therefor stated above said particulars-

2- Who is entitled to succeed to the Cundriga Vtca of Pedda Rungama?

A- Pedda Rungama adopted the Son of Moonaguntty Rungiah in last year and having also got him invested with the Braminical Thread gave over the Cundriga Vtca to the adopted Son Venkatroydoo- The said Venkatroydoo is now the rightful claimant to the Cundriga Vtca- As we were invited when the Ceremony of adoption was per=formed we were present and witnessed it-

2- Do you know who performed the funeral Ceremonies of Pedda Runga=ma when she died?

A- We know- As Pedda Runga=ma had adopted Venkatroydoo he perform=ed the funeral Ceremonies-

Q- 2- Were Raumanyama or her husband Venkatroo or her Father-in-law Christnarow or her Mother-in-law Rungama ever in the habit of coming to your Village and frequenting the house of Pedda Rungama?

A- We do not know whether the relatives of Pedda Rungama used to

to frequent her house-

/Signed/ Cooroopanty Venkata-
" Coorroopanty Poolliah-
" Coorroopanty Appiah-
" Coorroopanty Ramasawmy-

/Signed/ Patree Christnarow-
Talsildar

No 3-

Kyfeut given by the undersigned Brahmins inhabitants of Indoorcoorpett in Nellore Talook on the 28th November 1839-

Hameedoodeen Khan the Talsildar of the above Talook having called upon us to state as much as we know of the particulars of the parties who enjoyed the produce of the Bollawary Cundriga when it was in the pos=session of Pedda Rungama and of the parties who are now entitled to the Cundriga, also who Bolla Raumanyama is, we have to state that during the life time of Hanoomajee Pantoolu he enjoyed the Cundriga, and after his death his wife Pedda Rungama- With the exception of these individuals we do not know if there is any other entitled to it- We do not remember, that any one had within the last 30 or 40 years laid claim to the Cundriga- We do not know who this Bolla Raumanyama is.-

Who

2. Who is entitled to the Coundriga and other property of Pedda Runganna now?

A. Pedda Runganna adopted in last year a boy Venkatroydoo the Son of Moonaguntty Rungiah and having invested him with the Brammincal Thread. made over to him her Coundriga and other property- Pedda Runganna died subsequently-

2. Were all of you present and saw Pedda Runganna perform the Ceremony of adaption?

A. As we were invited to witness the Ceremony of adaption and that of the investiture with the Brammincal Thread, we were present on both occasions and saw the same

2. Do you know of what Gotrum Pedda Runganna was and of what Gotrum the Moonaguntty family are?

A. The Bollawar are of the Bau=radwaja Gotrum, as are the Moonaguntty's consequently they are of the same Gotrum and are related in that sense-

2. Do you know that Pedda Runganna was desired by her husband to adopt a boy?

A. We know Kanoomajee Puntoolos the husband of Pedda Runganna was dwelt of Dootaloor Talook and departed this life After this Pedda Runganna came here and as=serted that her husband when about dying desired her

her to adopt a boy that there was no boy amongst her relatives and that she should adopt a boy of her own Gotrum and last year informing those assembled that as it was the desire of her husband she adopted this boy and the Ceremony took place in the presence of some respectable persons, Bramins &c.

2. Was Bolla Raumanyama or her husband Vencatrow or her Father-in-law Kristnarow or her Mother-in-law Mungama in the habit of frequenting the House?

A. Who these are and what their names are we do not know- We have never seen them- Many of her relations Bramins &c. used to go to her place for their meals-

2. Who performed the funeral Ceremonies of Pedda Runganna?

A. Her adopted Son Venkatroydoo performed them; as also the periodical rites- He also performed the annual funeral Ceremony of his Father Kanoomajee Puntooloo and the Monthly Funeral Ceremony of Pedda Runganna-

2. Can a Woman 20 years after the death of her husband adopt a son?

A. We heard Cheekoola Soora Nau=rayana Sastoorlo &c. who are Learned in State that according to the work called "Dutha Meemansa" there are ten modes of adoption- Moreover at the time the Ceremony of adoption was

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was performed the said Soora Narayana Sastoorloo &c. were present and said there was no objection to the adoption and proved it by the Saustraus-

2. Who performed the ceremony of adoption and who invested the boy with the Braminical Thread?

A. Being a woman she could not perform the ceremony of adoption- The Father and Mother of the boy recited Muntras according to the Shastras and together with a Chuntooloo (Raw Rice Colored red or yellow) delivered the boy into her hands but the Ceremony of adoption was not performed- If the Father of the Boy is not living any one can invest him with the Braminical Thread, consequently one Durvapully Govindarow who is supported by Pedda Rungama and is the Son of her mother's Sister invested him with the Braminical Thread-

2. Who performed Bramhopadesum to the Boy?

A. The household Priest Canoopurty Poolumbuttloo performed Bramhopadesum but Govindarow was seated together under the Cover-

2. When the widow adopted the Boy did any one object to the adoption on the Score that as her husband was himself an adopted Son- Adoption by him could not be made according to the Shaustraus?

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A. We are not aware that Bhaskara Sastoorloo was present or made any objection when the Boy was adopted or when he was invested with the Braminical Thread-

2. Were Kristna Row the Father-in-law of Paumanyama, Streenevasa Row the Father-in-law of Chinna Rungama and Bolla Venkatrow the Father-in-law of Pedda Rungama an undivided or a divided Family?

A. We do not know whether they were an undivided or a divided Family- With the exception of Hanoomajee Pantloo we are not well acquainted with the others-

2. Has Paumanyama any claim on Pedda Rungama's Cundriga?

A. Paumanyama never come here, nor did she keep with Rungama, nor did she ever claim a share in the Cundriga- Consequently we do not think that she is entitled to any portion of the property of Pedda Rungama-

2. How many Sons has the father of Venkatroydoo and which of the Sons is this boy?

A. Moonoguntty Rungiah has two Sons:-

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Sons and he gave the second boy to be adopted -

/Signed/ Taloopoor Venkatasemadoo -
" Vyshtanavoola Chengleroydoo
" Pantooroo Sharabarangoo -
" Navaloory Lutchmenarsoo
" Pantoory Pauparauze -
" Canoopurty Narain Butloo
" Ingoova Timmana -
" Aresh Pitchiah -
" Gandypully Soobabutloo -
" Mooparala Severanapa -
" Cheroohola Venkatasem -
" Canoopurty Soobiah -

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/Signed/ Patree Crishnarow
Tahsildar

No 4 -

Kyfeut given by the undersigned Carpenters and Gold and Iron Smiths inhabitants of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook on the 28th November 1839.

Hameedoodeen Khan Tahsildar of the above Talook having called upon us to state who enjoyed the produce of the Bullawar Cundriga in this Village when it was in the possession of Pedda Rungana who are the claimants of the Cundriga and who Bolla Raunnayana is we have to state that we have known the Boollaivary Cundriga for the last 40-50 and 60 years, that during all this period we have followed the profession of Carpenters, Iron Smiths & c. a During the life time of Kanoomajee Pantoolu he enjoyed the produce &c. a of the Cundriga and after his death his wife Pedda Rungana - Besides these individuals we do not know that there are any others entitled to the Cundriga - We do not know who Bolla Raunnayana is - we have been

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of her only now -

2 Who is entitled to the Cundriga and other property of Pedda Rungama?

Pedda Rungama adopted in

A. last year a boy Venkatroydoo the son of Moonagunty Rungiah and investing him with the Braminical Thread made over to him her Cundriga and other property. Pedda Rungama died subsequently -

2 Do you know who performed the funeral ceremony &c. a when Pedda - Rungama died -?

Her adopted son Venkatroydoo

A. performed the Funeral Ceremony &c. a

Did this Ramanyana or her

B husband Venkatrow or her Father in law Krishnarow, or her Mother in law Mun-gama ever come to this Village and put up in the House of Pedda Rungama?

We do not know who they are

A. we never saw them - Her relations used to frequent her place but we do not know them -

/Signed/ Auloory Soobiah
" Auloory Caulapah
" Dumpoory Pariah

/Signed/ Patrie Crishnarow
Tahsildar of
Kyfeut

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Kyfent given by Bunkarasoo Easwaraps an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook on the 28th November 1839—

Hameedoodeen Khan Tahsildar of the above Talook having called upon me to state who have been in the enjoyment of the produce of the Ballawa Cundriga in this Village, who the claimants are and who Bolla Rammanjama is, I have to state that I have been for a long time i e from the year Srodana A.D. 1805/6 q.a. accounts as Goomastah under Hanoomajee Puntooloo the husband of Pedda Rungama that I am well acquainted with all the particulars thereof from that Period Hanoomajee Puntooloo during his life time enjoyed the produce of the Cundriga and after his death his wife Pedda Rungama Besides these two individuals I did not hear that there is any other entitled to the Cundriga, neither was it spoken of I know that Rammanjama is the wife of Venkatrow Puntooloo but I never saw her come to or reside in the House of Pedda Rungama—

2 Do you know when Hanoomajee Puntooloo died?

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A. I know, about 26 years ago he was employed in the Dootaloor Talook and my younger Brother Moortenauze was with him. I used to go there from time to time. On one occasion when I went there I found that Hanoomajee Puntooloo had been sick a few days as his end approached he told his wife Pedda Rungama "we have no issue and my time is approaching, there are no boys amongst our [illegible] relations, but when I die you will adopt a boy from a family of the same Gotram there is no objection to this" He mentioned in my presence and that of my younger Brother and other respectable persons residing in Dootaloor, that if a person previous to his death desires an adoption to be made the adoption can after his death be made after this he having died of the same sickness, Pedda Rungama came to this Village and was ever since that enquiring for a boy of her own Gotram. In last year she brought Venkatroydoo the son of Moonagunty Rungiah and assenting that it was the desire of her husband adopted him in the presence of the Caupoos, Curnums and of the Brahmins

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&c.a in the Village and got him invested with the Braminical Thread some time after this Pedda Rungama died and Venkatroydoo performed her funeral cere= =monies and the annual Funeral cere= =mony of his Father Hanoomajee Puntooloo.

Q. Did Ramanyama or her Mother =in law Mungama, or her Father in law Kristnarow or her husband Venkatrow ever put up in the House of Pedda= Rungama?

A. On the tenth day after Hanoo= =majee Puntooloo died Kristnarow the= Father in law of Ramanyama attended and some of their relatives who were present and other Bramins desired him to perform the prescribed ceremonies but he said he had nothing to do with them and went away without washing or shaving= himself. As Joojhala Lodungunamiah is the younger Brother of Mungama the Mother= in law of Ramanyama and Govindarow and Kristnarow the sons of Mungama's younger Sisters Daughter and Gouravarapoo Nar= =singarow her elder sisters Son Ramanyama used to come to see them and put up in

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their houses. At times she used to stay a short time at Pedda Rungama's but was= never in the habit of going and remaining there.

Q. In whose house did Mungama the Mother in law of Ramanyama die?

A. Mungama came to this Village to her Brother's house about 15 years ago. Here she got sick and as she was near her death she sent for Pedda Rungama and told her that her Brothers will make away with the few articles that were with her, that the property should go to her Daughters son, that she should look after this, and that she should get some one to look after her until she dies. Pedda Rungama accordingly= engaged one Covoor Chenchama to wait upon her and removed her into a house which belonged to the Bollavar and which had been given in charity to their household= Priest and which was at the time un= =occupied. Mungama remained in this house and died in it.

Q. Who performed her Funeral= ceremonies &c.a?

A. I do not know who performed them.

(Signed) Bunkararoo Canvaraja.
(Signed) Patrue Kristnarow
Tahsildars
Kyfent

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No. 6

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Kyfeet given by Bolla china Rungama an inhabitant of Nellore—

2 Did Bolla Ramanyama ever come to Indoocoorpett and receive any share from the Coondriga of your Sister in law Bolla Pedda Rungama an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett or enjoy her property?

A Raumanyama used at times to come to the house of Bolla Pedda Rungama and as a relative of hers take her meals and go away but she never received any share from the Coondriga or enjoyed her other property.

Questioned by Seetaram Puntooloo } How is Bolla Raumanyama related to you?

A I heard it mentioned that the Father of my Father in law and the Father of Raumanyama's Father in law were Brothers and so she is my Sister in law

2 Did the complainant Raumanyama's Father in law Kristnarow, and your Father in law Seenevasarow divide between them the family Property in the Coondriga as also the Cattle and Brass Utensils

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A. I do not know this circumstance as I was not born then—

Where did Mungama the Complainants mother in law die?

A. As I was in this Village in mourning for the loss of my husband I was told that one Mungama had died at Indoocoorpett and that her Daughters Son performed her Funeral ceremonies—

2 Did Rungama afford any assistance to Mungama's Grand son to enable him to perform the Funeral ceremonies &c.

A I heard that the property, Mungama's husband was cured by her with her and that Kristnarow spent as much as was required and took away the remainder and spent it for his own use—

2 Do you know that Mungama had when dying desired her Daughter in law Pedda Rungama to give after her death to her Grand son Kristniah 150 Payodas and that Pedda Rungama gave a part of the money to him and not the remainder?

A. I was not in this Country I do not know this circumstance I did not hear of it—

Do

2 Do you know that the deceased Pedda Rungama desired her Sister in law Raumanyama to live with her and promised to get the Cundriga continued to her after her / Rungamas / death?

A. I have heard Seetanam puntoolu keep mentioning this circumstance ever since the death of Rungama

2 Do you know that Venkatakistniah one of the sons of Mungamas Grand Son, Tadakamully Nursingaroydoo, from Teroopulty and another Lutchmecauntum a Son of Mungoo Chenchiah an inhabitant of Poolypauty in Cundavaty Seema, were brought and were to have been adopted?

A. When I was going towards the North on a Pilgrimage to Jaggunnaudu Pedda Rungama desired me to enquire if the Mungoovaruoo would give a boy in adoption and I accordingly went by that road and arriving at that Village questioned the mother &c. of the boy and they said if 100 Pagodas and a Mauniem sowable with 5 Toorus of seed were given they would give a boy to be adopted. I then proceeded on my pilgrimage and on my return to Nellore I mentioned this circumstance

circumstance to Rungama who said that the terms were very high and that she could not agree to them. Tadkamully Nursingarow together with his son came from Teroopulty to Nellore and put up in the house of the Vavilacolavauroo. Some of the Elders were questioned if this boy could be adopted, but as they said that he was not related, in as much as he was not of the same gotrum and that he was not in fact grand son, and Nursingarow also having at the same time demanded a document making over to him the whole of the property that was in the house it was not practicable to adopt the boy.

2 Did not Rungama put her Jewels on the son of Nursinga row who had come from Teroopulty and keep him 6 months in her house?

A. I do not know that circumstance.

2 Has the complainant Raumanyama any share or not in your Cundriga and has she any right to the Cundriga of Pedda Rungama.

A. The Court must decide this question. I do not know. If Raumanyama has

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has a claim to these two Cundrigas why or would she have remained some time in the House of her Brother in law and some time in your i e her father's house. By Brother in law I mean her younger sisters Husband.

Questioned by the Circar

D. Did Raamanyama or her Husband or her Mother in law or her Father in law ever enjoy any portion in this Cundriga and used they to frequent the Cundriga?

A. They did not enjoy any portion I do not know if they used to frequent the Cundriga. Ever since I came to the house of my Mother in law they never frequented it.

Questioned by Seetaram Puntooloo.

2 How do you know whether any portion was enjoyed or not?

A. Neither during the life time of my Husband nor after his death did any one come and demand a share from my Cundriga nor did we give any from this I know that they have no claim.

2 If the proper claimant allows his property to be enjoyed by another for 10 or 12 years and then he comes and

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asserts his right will his title be recognized

A. Kristnarow the Father in law of the Complainant Raamanyama did not go to any Country during his life time. He was employed in this Zillah. He resided in this Village and inhabited the neighbouring houses. He did not go to any Country as hinted in the above question.

D Do you know whether Bollasreenevasa row and his younger Brother Kristnarow and his son Hanoomajee puntooloo lived amicably in one undivided Family or whether they lived separate with their portions of the family property divided formally under Deeds of Separation?

A. I heard that Hanoomajee puntooloo resided at Indoorcoorpett and my Father in law and Kristna row at Nellore in different Houses and that the latter was in Government employ. I did not hear any one mention that the battle, the Brass utensils and Family property were divided within the last 100 years.

2 Was Lutchmecauntum her sisters son brought to Nellore to be adopted or not? Pedda

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A. Pedda Rungama did not pay the expenses and sent for Lutchmecaun-tum to Nellore - As the husband of her Sisters Daughter had died Lutchmecaun-tum and his mother came to Nellore to condole with her —

The Mark of Chinna Rungama

Witnesses

/ Signed / Toommalapully Ramanoojam

" Mantaty Nursiah

Taken on the 1st July 1840 —

/ Signed / Hamvedooden Khan

Tahsildar

No. 7 —

Kyfeut given by Gowravarapoo Rayapah an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett on the 10th September 1840 —

2 Does Bolla Raumanyama en-joy any portion of the Cundriga that is in the name of Bolla Rungama at Indoocoorpett —

A. Balla Rungama has Houses at Indoocoorpett and lives there - The husband of Bolla Raumanyama during his life time and his mother Mungama resided some time in the House of Rungama - Mungama died in her own house I do

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do not remember where Vencatroydoo died — These individuals and Rungama used to live together I do not know in what man-ner they enjoyed the Cundriga —

2 After Vencatroydoo died did — Raumanyama and Rungama ever live together did she / the former / ever enjoy the produce of Cundriga. What more do you know about this circumstance?

A. Raumanyama, excepting the days she resided at her Mothers, remained here and lived in the same house with Rungama - Rungama and Raumanyama lived friendly during the life — time of the former but I do not know in what manner they enjoyed the pro-duce - After the death of Rungama — Moonagunty Rungiah the Father of her adopted Son, and Durvapully Govinda-roydoo were told frequently that Rungama having died Raumanyama has a — claim, that a portion of the Cundriga — should be set apart for her maintenance and the remainder enjoyed by them — and they said that as soon as the — Cundriga is renewed in the name of the Boy some thing will be allowed to — Raumanyama and the matter settled - I heard these particulars —

/ Signed / Rayapah

Taken before me on the above said date.

/ Signed / Patrie Krishnarow

Tahsildar

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No. 8

Kyfent given by Mooperaula Sanhayjoa-
yooloo an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett on
the 9th. September 1840

2 Did Bolla Raumanyama
enjoy any portion of the Lundriga of
Bolla Rungama in Indoocoorpett?

A. I do not know.

2 Did Venkatroydoo the husband
of Raumanyama enjoy any portion?

A. I do not know.

2 Do you know any thing in
regard to Bolla Raumanyama having
enjoyed any portion in the Lundriga
or of her having any title to it or
any other circumstance?

A About 7 or 8 Months ago as
Raumanyama's Father Runganamala
Seetarampuntooloo and Moonaguntyv-
Rungiah the Father of Bolla Rungama's
adopted son were seated in the house
of Gowravarapoo Rauyapah at Indoocoor-
pett I also was seated there writing a
Book Seetarampuntooloo told Rungiah
that Raumanyama also is entitled to
enjoy the produce of the Lundriga that
the Lundriga had heretofore been in the
name

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name of Rungama but that as she
had adopted your son, so much per
year from the income of the Lundriga
should be allowed to Raumanyama
for her maintenance and he said
that after the Lundriga is renewed
in the name of his son something
will be allowed her for her mainte-
nance from the Lundriga Seetaram-
puntooloo said that if the Lundriga
is renewed the matter can be
settled but desired him (Rungiah)
to

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to state before hand what amount he will positively give and that the Deed of Settlement can be prepared after the Cundriga is renewed to your son— On which Rungiah said, I— Durvapully Govindaroydoo &c. will consult and let you know. I heard these particulars at the time—

/Signed/ Sashanjoseyoodoo.

Taken before me on the above said date

/Signed/ Patrie Kristnarow

Tahsildar

J.C.B.

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No. 9.

Kyfeut given by Govinda Rama Kristnama inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Nellore Talook on the 10th September 1840.—

2. Did Bollam Ramanyama enjoy any portion of the Cundriga of Bollam Pedda Rungama in Indoocoorpett?—

A. Pedda Rungama alone used to enjoy the produce of the Cundrega but whenever Ramanyama came here she used to remain at Pedda Rungama's house 5 or 10 days and take her meals there.—

2. Do you know whether Mangama Venkatroydoo and Ramanyama separated previous to the death of Rungama or after her death and do you know anything about this?

A. I do not know.—

2. Do you know where Mangama died?

A. I heard that Mangama died in the House of Bollam Pedda Rungama at Indoocoorpett.—

(Signed) Govinda Rama Kristama

Taken before me on the above said date

(Signed) Patrie Kristarow

Tahsildar.—

No.

No. 10.

Kyfeut given by Goorooswarapoo Narasinga row an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Kellasa Talook on the 10th September 1840.

2. Who used to enjoy the produce of the Cundriga which is in the name of Ballam Rungama in Indoocoorpett.2

A. The Cundrega was continued in the name of Bollam Hanoomanjee and he enjoyed it for a time and died about 26 years ago. The Cundrega was then continued to Pedda Rungama, ever since which period she had been in the enjoyment of the produce.

2. Did not Mungama the wife of Bollam Kista row, and her son Vencatroydoo during their lifetime and Pedda Rungama the registered Proprietrix of the Cundrega live together in the same House.2

A. Rungama, Mungama and Vencatroydoo never lived together as an undivided Family and enjoyed the produce of the Cundrega, as they were related they used to frequent each others Houses and take their meals.

2. Did Rungama and Ramanyama the wife of Balam Vencataroyadoo live together or not

A. Ramanyama used to live with her Father Nurseor whenever

whenever there was any thing particular in the House of Rungama she used to send for Ramanyama who used to remain at Rungamas 15 or 10 days.

2 Were Hanoomanjee the husband of Bollam Rungama and Kristna row the Father in-law of Ramanyama living separately or as members of an undivided Family.2

A Kistna row and Hanoomanjee had separate transactions and lived separately therefore I am not aware that they lived together as an undivided Family.

2. Do you Know whether Hanoomanjee and Kristna row had during their lifetime or Rungama, Mungama and Vencatroydoo or Ramanyama had divided amongst themselves the Cattle and the Brass Utensils and executed Deeds of Separation.2

A. I do not Know.

2 Were they on friendly terms.2

A. I am not aware whether they were all on friendly terms.

2. Do you Know if after the death of Hanoomanjee the husband of Pedda Rungama his Uncle Kristna row presented an Arzee praying that the Cundrega might

might be renewed in his name?

A. After the death of Vanoomanjee Krishna row presented an Arzee to the Circar praying that the Cundrega might be renewed in his name and the Arzee was returned to him with an Endorsement that if he had any Document relative thereto with him he should submit it. I saw the Endorsement as Seetarampuntaloo shewed it to me.

2. How are Bollan Vencatarow the Father-in-law of Pedda Rungama and Bollan Kristnarow the Father in law of Ramanyama related?

Where did Mungama die?

A. These two were the sons of two Brothers. Mungama died in the House of Pedda Rungama.

(Signed) Gooravarapoo Varadingrow

Taken before me on the above said date.-

(Signed) Patrie Kristarow
Tahsildar.-

No. 11.-

Kyfeut given by Managanty Rutnum-puntooloo an Inhabitant of Cusbah of Nellore on the 9th September 1840.-

2. Was the Cundrega which is continued in the name of Bollan Rungama at Indoocoorpett ever in the name of Bollen Mungama or in that of her son Vencatroydoo and

did they ever enjoy the produce of the Cundrega?

A. The Cundrega was in the name of Boochy Vencatama the Mother in-law of Rungama. At that time Boochy Vencatama, and Mungama, and her son Vencatroydoo lived as Members of the same family and boarded together. I am not aware in what manner they enjoyed the produce of the Cundrega.-

2. Did Ramanyama the wife of Bollan Vencatroydoo and Rungama live together?

A. The Cundrega was in the name of Rungama. During her life time Ramanyama used except when she went to her fathers, to live with Rungama in the same House and to eat together. She had not a separate share in the Cundrega.-

2. Did Seetarampuntooloo ever demand either when Rungama adopted a son or when she got him invested with the Braminical Thread or after Rungama's death that some thing should be allotted for his Daughter Ramanyama's maintenance?

A. I do not know when or where

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Seetarampuntooloo asked- I heard him mention that he had presented an arzee to the Circar.-

2. Did any circumstance transpire in regard to the subject of Ramanyama's maintenance.?

A- Seetarampuntaloo told his Daughter Ramanyama that the Father & Uncle of Rungama's adopted Son are causing disputes. that as Rungiah is her (Ramanyama's) Younger Brother, he desired her to speak to him and prevent the disputes. I also told Rungaya not to dispute with her. What took place in regard to the subject of maintenance I do not Know.

(Signed) Managunty Rutnumpuntooloo-

Taken before me on the above said date.-

(Signed) Patrie Kistnarow

Tahsildar.

No. 12.-

Kyfeut of Punganamaula Jama Kyram-puntooloo at present an inhabitant of Nellore dated 10th September 1840.-

2. Do you Know who enjoyed the produce of the Cundrega which is in the name of Bollan Rungama.?

A. The Cundrega Jaygdars Rungama, Mungama,

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Mungama Vencatroydoo and Ramanyama used to enjoy it.-

2. How many years is it now since the death of Mungama and Vencatroydoo.?

A- Vencatroydoo died about 11 years ago. and Mungama 14 years ago.-

2. How is Mungama related to the regis-tered owner Rungama.?

A- As she is the wife of Rungama's maternal Uncle she is her Aunt.-

2. Mungama is not only Elder than Rungama the Jaygdar but she is also her Aunt, in addition to this you have stated above that Mungama and Rungama enjoyed the produce of the Cundrega. Since the elder Mungama was alive what reasons were there for continuing the Cundrega in the name of Rungama.?

A- As the husband of Mungama was in Government employ and by that means earned his livelihood she remained with her husband. The Cundrega was continued in the name of Rungama during the life time of Mungama's Husband. I do not Know why the Cundrega was continued in the

name

name of Rungunna.-

2. Did Bollan Ramanyama enjoy any portion of the produce of the Cundrega?

A. Ramanyama and Rungama lived in the same house in Indoocoorpatt and eat together, consequentty it is known that she did enjoy a portion.-

2. Did any thing transpire in regard to the maintenance of Ramanyama either when Rungama adopted a son or after her death?

A. After the death of Rungama Moo=naganty Rungiah and Durvapully Govindoo=row told Punganamaula Seetarampuntooloo in the House of Voora Rungarow that "we will settle something on Raumanyama for her maintenance why do you intend to make a Complaint." I was there and heard this Moreover one day about two Months ago Moonaguntty Rungiah puntooloo told Seetarampuntooloo at the House of Raucha=poody Narahary row. "you have sent for the papers that were written in regard to maint=nance and Kept them with you, send for those papers and we shall prepare other Documents." Seetarampuntooloo stated that the persons who corrected the original papers

papers are not here- Voora Sashiah has spoken to me and if you also desire it I will bring them: Saying this he called upon some of the persons that were there to be witnesses.- I know this and nothing more.-

(Signed) Punganamala Jany Eyraumpuntoloo-puntooloo.-

Taken before me on the above said date.-

(Signed) Patrie. Kistnarow.
Tahsildar.

No. 13.

Kyfeut given by Codundaramiah an inhabitant of Indoocoorpett in Vellore Taloork on the 12th September 1840.-

2. Do you know who enjoyed the pro=duce of the Cundrega that is in the name of Bollan Pedda Rungama?

A. As Bolla Pedda Rungumah built Houses in Indoocoorpett and lived there Bollan Mungama and her Son Vencatroydoo lived with Pedda Rungama as an undivided Family and enjoyed the produce of the Cundrega. After their death Ramanyama the wife of Vencatroydoo with the exception of the days that she used to go to her Father's

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Father's House lived with Rungama.-

2. Do you Know why the Cundrega was continued to Rungama since there was another Mungama older than her and also her son Vencutroydoo.[2]

A. When the Cundrega was about to be renewed to Rungama, Kristnaroydoo the Husband of Mungama presented an Arzee praying that the Cundrega should be granted to him but Hooga-hully Appiah Puntooloo who was then the Sheristadar got the Cundrega renewed in the name of Rungama yet all of them could enjoy it.-

(Signed) Codundah Raumiah.-

Taken before me on the above said date.-

(Signed) Patrec Kristarow
Tahsildar.

No. 14.

Kyfeut given by Gungapatnam Vungareddy an Inhabitant of Vencanapollem a Hamlet of Codoor in Nellore Talook on the 11th. September 1840.-

2. Do you Know Bollan Pedda Rungama.[2]

A. I Know her.-

2 Do you Know Bollan Ramanyama and

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and her husband Vencatroydoo and Mungama.[2]-

A. I Know them.-

2. Did Mungama and Vencatroydoo and after them Ramanyama enjoy the produce of the Cundrega which is in the name of Bollan Rungama in Indoocoorpett.[2]-

A. Mungama's Husband having died at Indoocoorpett in the House of Pedda Ramgama. She Mungama remained there for some time. Ramanyama used to go from time to time to Rungama's House and stop there two or three days. All used to take their meals together. I do not Know in what manner they used to enjoy the produce of the Cundrega.-

2. What do you Know about the Gang Robbery that took place in the House of Punganamaula Seetarampuntooloo at Nurkoor.[2] Who committed the Gang Robbery.[2]-

A. About 20 years ago I resided in the Village of Nurkoor and Seetaramiah told me that the People of Rungama Vca. entered his House tumultuously one day about 12 A.M. and took away some of his Jewels Vca. Two or three

of

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of us found those persons but they beat us and made their escape. Ramanyama was in the House of Seetarampuntooloo when this Gang Robbery was committed but went to Rungama a few days afterwards.

The mark of Gungapatam Vengareddy.

Taken before me on the above said date.-

(Signed) Patrie Kistarow.

Shasildar.

No. 15.

Kyfeut given by Dursapully Speeneva=sarow an inhabitant of Nellore on the 14th September 1840.-

Q. Did any conversation take place on the subject of the Cundrega amongst the Indoocoorpett Cundregadar Bollan Pedda Runguma & her relatives & Bollan Rungama & her Father Punganamaula Seetarampuntooloo and what do you know about it.?

A. One evening about two Months ago a man came to me from the House of Voora Rungarow and told me that Rungiah is calling me I went to his House and there were there Punganamaula Seeta=rampuntooloo. Momaguntty Rungiah Pannioor

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Pannoor Kristnama and Voora Rungarow. These four gave me 4 Copies of Papers on the subject of allowing mainte=nance to Bollan Raumanyama and desired me to write them fair. I accordingly sat down in his House and prepared the fair Copies. The four Copies which Punganaumaula Seetarampuntooloo has shewn me in your presence in the Talook Cutcherry were originally written by me but of these two Copies are corrected and two Copies are in the same state in which I had written them. I do not know who corrected the two Copies. I do not recollect what other papers

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I had written besides the 4 Copies--

2. Were there only the above Said four persons present or any other when you wrote fair the 4 Copies?

A. When I was writing fair the Copies Veera Shashagherry royd came, consequently he too was present.-

(Signed) Darvapully Sreenevas Row.-

Taken before me on the above said date.

(Signed) Patrie Kistarow
Tahsildar.

(True translations)

(Signed) D. White.
Collector

D.f.

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thereon.- 1 Resolved that the letter above recorded together with it's enclosures be submitted for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to the endorsement of the Secretary to Government dated 8th March 1849 on that Petition.-

2. The Petitioner claims the continuance of a Cundregah Enam situated in Inaboo-coorpettah which formed the subject of a previous report from the Principal Collector of Nellore in 1843, from which it would appear that the Cundregah was first acquired by one Kristnajee; his son Vencatrow succeeded him, but dying childless adopted one Hanoomajee who also died, without any issue and was succeeded by his Widow Pedda Rungama. The latter short time previous to her death addressed the Principal Collector representing that her late husband had authorized her to adopt a Son and that she had, a few months previous to the date of her Urzee, adopted Vencatrow, her husband having then been dead 25 years. Mr. Stonhouse was of opinion that the Cundregah had

had lapsed to Government as an adoption thus made after the lapse of so long a period from the husbands death would not be held to be valid even admitting that the Widow had received authority from the husband to adopt, which was not quite clear- He however added that there could be no objection to the Cundregah being made over to any Member of the family by marriage or adoption if it was thought fit to surrender the amount of Revenue which it yielded, but that there was no male heir surviving.

3. The Board as then constituted considered the adoption of Vencatrow by Pedda Rungamah 25 years after her husbands death, to have been illegal and directed that the Cundregah should on failure of lineal male heirs, be resumed.-

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4. The Principal Collector's letter and the Board's Resolution are now submitted to Government in accordance with the requisition contained in the endorsement of Government on Petition No. 497 of 1850, and the present Collector's report of 11th. July 1857- The points for the Board's consideration have especial reference to the argu-

advanced by the Petitioners in favor of the legality of his adoption as required by that endorsement-

5. Mr. White's letter and it's enclosures shew that the Cundregah in question was acquired so long ago as A.D. 1735, and consists of 27-12-15 G. A. A. of dry and 41-13-2 G. A. A. of Wet land, which yielded an estimated revenue of Rupees 1098-0-0- but was subject to an annual Jodigee of Rupees 100-0-0, it's revenue having averaged no more than Rupees 452-12-0- under rent and among since it's resumption in Fusly 1250- The document termed the original Sunnud is however nothing more than the boundary Chit framed by the Caupoos and Curnums of Isnoocoorpettah, who have therein admitted that the land was conferred by Bukshee Emom Saheb Jageredar apparently in charity, and that they acted under his orders in tracing and fixing the boundaries.-

6. It is also shewn that the Petitioner Vencatrow was a child of the same Gotrum or lineage as his adoptive Mother and her husband, that at the period of adoption he was 6 or 8 years old, that the usual ceremonies were performed, and

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that he inherited the personal and real property of his adoptive Mother. In reference to the Widow's authority to adopt it is shewn by the recorded opinions of the Hindoo law Officers of the Sudr Udalut, obtained by the Collector thro' the Register of the Court, 1st that there is no necessity for a written authority from a husband to a Wife to adopt but that verbal authority established by the evidence of witnesses would suffice, 2dly that there is no limit as to the period within which such an adoption can take place, for it can be made at any time the Widow pleases after her husband's death, 3dly that it is not essential that the adopted son should be named by the husband, 4thly that it does not signify if the adopted son be not in existence when permission from the husband is given to adopt, and finally that an adoption under the circumstances above related is held to be valid and a son so adopted is entitled to inherit.—

Enclosure 1 in From Stellore 11th July 1857.—

7- It would thus appear that the point on which evidence is required is that of husband previous to

authority to adopt, and it is this point alone that the Petitioner has failed fully to establish; the Collector points out that, altho' full enquiry has been instituted, yet that the evidence is conflicting and unsatisfactory, four persons having deposed to the fact but the evidence of no two being alike, and only one person having given evidence on this point at the enquiry made by Mr. Stonhouse in 1839 as seen in the Ryfeet of Bunkarasoo Eswarapah No. 5 of the Record forwarded by the Collector.—

8- The Board are ready to admit that the ground upon which the resumption was made, Viz. the illegality of an adoption after the lapse of 20 years from the death of the former incumbent, is not upheld by the opinion now given by the Pundits, and this having failed they are reluctant now to take up other and distinct grounds in support of that measure, even supposing that the defect in the evidence for authority to adopt could now with propriety be urged as a main objection; they think that it should have been the duty of the local authorities to have

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prefsed this point during the enquiry in 1839 &c
especially as it was then found to be not quite
clear, and that the delay which has occurred
since (in all 14 years) has rendered it diffi-
-cult to prove the point, every year having &c
added to the difficulty.-

9- If the absence of the origin
Summud proving hereditary right and the &c
competency of the party who originally &c
conferred the grant be not objected to, it &c
rests with Government to determine whether the
claims of the Petitioner under the &c
circumstances set forth shall &c
be admitted.-

Read the following letter

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No 62

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

(33)

Br. No. 1839

Sir.

From the Collector of Bellary

With reference to the Extract from the proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 24th March 1851 remarking that there was nothing in previous correspondence to shew that the yeomiahdar Badabehee therein alluded to who declined appearing personally to receive her yeomiah allowance, the payment of which was transferred under an order from Government dated 12th July 1841, to this district from that of Nellore, was in that peculiar position of life to entitle her to any indulgence above the common class of yeomiahdars, and that they had not been informed as to how her identity had been Established, who her Vakeel was, under whose orders he was allowed to act for her, and whether she was allowed one previously at Nellore, and calling for explanation on these points, I have the honor to state that the cazee of Adonie, his Naik some respectable neighbours, and one Sabeenamah

Furnishes the information in full Called for in the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revr. under date the 24th March 1851 relative to the yeomiahdars Badabehee and Patcha-behee.

who

who is employed as sweeper on the receipt of a rupee and a half a month as Government pay, who were sent to the house of the said Badabeebee thro the means of the Tahsildar of Adonie to ascertain the fact personally as to her existence, and have presented a Mahazirnamah bearing the signatures to the effect that the said Badabeebee is still living and that she is about 54 years of age, giving certain other particulars. It is also stated in the Mahazirnamah given by the Canjee and others that the ancestors of the said Badabeebee were of the Mashuyak Cast and that this family was supported by a Yeomiah allowance in the Nizam's territory also that Mashuyaks in the Mussulman caste are highly respectable people, so much so, that even the remains of the females of this class are allowed to be seen by Strangers. Since this individual had been transferred to this district in the year 1844, she received her yeomiah allowance according to the 3d and 4th rules of those which accompanied the Board's Cavendar of the 18th January 1[illegible]

thro the means of her Vakeel Chendasahib [illegible]

of the canjee who is a Yeomiahdar on the receipt

of a Monthly allowance of Rupees 8-1-

The said Chendasahib having afterwards died she employed one Nyanathoola who is also a Yeomiahdar on the receipt of a Monthly allowance of Rupees 8-1-. It appears also from a letter received this day from the Collector of Nellore (see enclosure) that she received her yeomiah allowance in the Nellore district thro a Vakeel named Boolagadda Abdoo a Merchant.

2 With reference to the 2d para of the said Contract remarking that no mention had been made as to how the identity of the Yeomiahdar Patchabeebee mentioned in Minutes of Consultation dated 11th August 1843 had been established, and under what circumstances she was allowed a Vakeel and that there was nothing to shew that she was classed above the ordinary ranks of Yeomiahdars, I beg to state that a Mahazir namah given by the same individuals named in the 1st para of this letter who were deputed in the case of Patchabeebee in the same manner and for the same purpose as they had been in that of Badabeebee, is to the effect that the said Patchabeebee is still alive and that she is now 68 years of age and that her family

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is of equal rank to that of Badabeleee and consequently not permitted to appear in public and that therefore she is entitled to receive her yeomiah thro a Vakeel. Patchabelee had received her yeomiah since the time it had been granted Viz.t 14 August 1843 according to the 3d and 4th rules of those which accompanied the Board's Circular of the 18th January 1841 thro her Vakeel and brother in law Kuttary navaz who is a sub Shareer in the yeomiah. the circumstance of the said Vakeel being a Shareer being deemed irregular one Nyamathoola who is a yeomiahdar on the receipt of Rupees 8-1-. a Month was appointed her Vakeel from the Month of March 1850.

3 The Board's Circular of the 10th March 1851 directs that the amount of the yeomiah or enam of a Vakeel should not be less than half of the amount of the yeomiah or aggregate of yeomiahs of those for whom they may act as Vakeel, consequently if the circumstances set forth in the foregoing paras are taken into consideration and these two individuals are allowed to receive their yeomiah thro Vakeels arrangements will be made for a separate Vakeel to be appointed on the part of Badabelee accordingly

to the above mentioned order.

4 The Collector's order does not appear to have been obtained previous to the employment of Vakeels by the two individuals in question copies of the rules of the 18th January 1841 were sent to the talooks with instructions to carry them into effect and they were accordingly carried out.

Bellary Collector's Office
29th July 1851.

/Signed/ C. Pelly
Collector

No 1

To C. Pelly Esqre
Collector of Bellary.

Sir.

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letters dated 11th June and 19th July 1851 and to inform you that it appears by the Records in my Office that Badabelee the Female yeomiahdar therein alluded to was permitted while in this District to draw her Pension by a Vakeel. The name of her Vakeel was Boorlagudda obvolee a merchant.

Nellore Collector's Cutcherry
21st July 1851

/Signed/ D. White
Collector

/A true Copy/
/Signed/ C. Pelly
Collector
Ordered

Ordered that the foregoing letter and the previous correspondence on the subject be submitted with the following address.

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No 356

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

Bd No 1644

To the Chief Secy to Government

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying correspondence with the Collector of Bellary on the subject of Two female pensioners above the age of 50 praying for exemption from the rule requiring personal appearance at the Collector's Treasury.

Submitting a Correspondence with the Collector of Bellary regarding the exemption of Badalaccheo and Patchalaccheo 2 female yeomiahdars from the rule requiring personal appearance at the Collectors Treasury, and recommending that the indulgence may be granted to them and that the arrears due to them be paid to the former by a Vakeel to be hereafter nominated and to the latter, to Nyamuthoola himself a yeomiahdar.

From Bellary 28th Feby in Trans 24th March 1851. Progs to Dr 24th March " From Dr 29th July in Trans 18th augt 1851.

2. The Collector having ascertained on enquiry instituted for the purpose, that the females adverted to named Badaleechee and Patchaleechee are Muselmanees of a highly respectable class and above the ordinary rank of yeomiahdars, the Board recommend that the indulgence may be granted to them, upon the above ground in accordance with the spirit of the order of Government dated 3d December 1850. They likewise recommend that sanction be granted for the arrears of allowance due to these females as detailed in the enclosure to Mr Pelly's letter of the 28th February 1851. the arrears to Badaleechee amounting to Rupees 202-8-" to be paid to a Vakeel to be hereafter nominated in reference to the Board's Circular 10th March 1851. and the arrears to Patchaleechee amounting to Rupees 45-2-9 to be paid to Nyamuthoola himself a yeomiahdar on the receipt of Rupees 8-1-" per mensem appointed as her Vakeel from the month of March 1850. he being competent to act as such, the payments in both cases being subject to the production of the Certificates of identity and existence provided for in para 4 of the yeomiah Rules.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St George, 18th August 1851

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary.

Read the following letter.

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Bd No 1875

From the Collr of Bellary

No 64

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St George

Sir,

I have the honor to report that I have been unable to submit the Statements of "Demand Collection and Balance" and those connected therewith for fusly 1260, so as to reach your Office by the 1st August in accordance with the Board's Circular.

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of the 28th January and 21st November 1850, and must request the indulgence of the Board to grant till the 15th of October for submission of the same. in the mean time every effort will be made to effect their dispatch at an earlier date.

2 It is not feasible to submit the Statements in question as directed because the losses sustained by the Ryots from the effects of the late Storm and the Remission that it will be necessary to give in consequence (and which Remissions are to be deducted from the Beriz in accordance with the orders of the Board of Revenue of 17th July last) have not been fully ascertained nor can all the Statements ordered from the Talooks be expected for some time yet, owing to the variety of losses sustained by the Ryots, the particulars of which must be ascertained, and this cannot but occupy much of the time of the Talvildars and the Officers subordinate to them in preparation of the necessary accounts.

Bellary, Collector's Office 1st August 1851

/ Signed / C. Pelly
Collector

B. No 1612
Proceedings thereon.

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The Board observe that their orders of 17th July 1851, quoted by the Collector in the foregoing letter, were not intended to suspend the preparation of the annual Demand, Collection, Balance Statements, and the accounts connected

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with them.

2 In the annual Statement B a remark may be entered to the effect that enquiries are in progress respecting the amount of remission to be granted in consequence of the losses sustained by the late storm particulars of which will be detailed in the Summabundy Report - or if the Collector is able to do so, he may specify the probable amount which will have to be remitted.

3 And in the Summabundy Report and accounts, he will, as directed in the Board's Proceedings of 17th July 1851, open a separate heading for these Remissions, with a view to the sanction of Government being obtained for striking them off.

Read again letter from the Acting Collector of Cuddapah, dated 21st June and entered in consultation 10th July 1851.

Read the following letter.

No 64.

To, W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George.

Sir

I have had the honor to receive an extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated the 10th Instant, desiring that I would state whether

it.

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B. No 1692
From the Collr of Cuddapah
Reporting on the practicability under the present circumstances of the case, instituting Proceedings

Proceedings against the late CashKeeper and Head Sheriff under Regn IX of 1822 &c

whether it be practicable under the present circumstances of the case, to institute proceedings against the late CashKeeper, and Head Sheriff, under Regulation IX of 1822.

2. The question which I am directed to reply to, is one of a general nature, depending upon the construction to be put upon the Regn itself, and is not a question of a more local character.

3 The only class of persons declared by the third clause of the second section of the Regulation to be amenable to its penalties among whom the CashKeeper and Head Sheriff could ever have been included, is that which includes all the native servants of the collective public establishments. and from that Establishment these two persons have already been formally dismissed, which in my opinion will constitute a legal bar to their being now put upon their trial for acts done while in the service of Government.

4. The letter from the Honorable Court of Directors quoted in the Board's circular order of the 8th of June 1843, would appear to lay down the principle that all native servants of high standing charged with malversation are to be tried before dismissal from office, and that dismissal must in such trial is to be resorted to only in such peculiar

cases, as leaving no moral doubt of guilt, are incapable of legal proof. In the case now in question the parties have already been dismissed, and it would not appear that the order above quoted would warrant their subsequent trial.

5 I have also considered the propriety of instituting proceedings against the CashKeeper for forgery on account of the forged endorsements made on some accountant General's bills but besides the leading difficulty of proving that the forged endorsements were made by the CashKeeper himself, it is very questionable whether the circular order of the Foujdaree Adalut dated the 28th August 1841 would not preclude all hope of obtaining a conviction in the Court of Sessions. That order declares that to constitute the crime of forgery, the effect and object of the fabrication or alteration must be to defraud some person of money, and also, to injure him, and declares that where these requisites do not exist, the case cannot be treated as a forgery.

6. I do not think that under these limitations the charge could be sustained in Court, as there is nothing to shew that the CashKeeper intended to obtain a more than very temporary accommodation, as is admitted in the 11th paragraph of the Board's proceedings of the 3d of February 1851. where they say that

that probably had time been allowed, the sum total of the Cash book and the Shroffs accounts would have balanced a doubtful prosecution had better not be set

7. The report called for in the second paragraph of the Board's proceedings will be furnished as soon as I have an opportunity of ascertaining the facts of the case. the Head Sheristadar is with the Head assistant Collector in the Jummabundy Cutcherry; and the Sub Division Sheristadar, who the Board are aware, has been doing duty as Nail in the Collector's Office has just died. The unauthorized reduction of assessment referred to by the late Acting Collector will leave almost entirely reference to the proceedings reported in Mr Murray's letter of the 27th of June, on which I await the orders of the Board.

Cuddapah Collector's Office 17th July 1851 } /Signed/ H. Forbes Collector

No 1

Bd No 1024 352

Proceedings thereon. Resolved that the letters above recorded be submitted for the information and orders of Government with reference to

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in Cons 29th May 1851 Contract Minutes 22d May 1851.

2.

Paras 21 & 22. On receipt of the Board's Proceedings of the 3d February 1851 directing the dismissal of the Cash Keeper and Head Shroff, the Acting Collector

all further proceedings in the trial of those servants under Regulation IX of 1822, and stated that the decision of their case by higher authority seemed to turn in the light of a final termination of the trial. At the same time he offered to commit the parties before the Criminal Court under Sec XVII Regulation IX of 1822 or Clause I Sec III Regulation VI of 1811, if the Board thought proper; prefaced some remarks on the complicated nature of the accounts which it was necessary to examine during the investigation of the defalcation, and referred to certain irregularities which have come to light in the Salook of Muddenpully in which the Collector's Sub Collector's Nath Sheristadar in aiding his own enquiry into the Treasury defalcation.

+ From Acg Collr 20th June in Cons 10th July 1851.

Mr Forbes having assumed charge of the Cuddapah District shortly after the receipt of Mr Murray's letter it was pointed out to him that the Board's Proceedings of the 3d February 1851 were not intended to interrupt the investigation then being made by Mr Murray into the conduct of the Cash Keeper and the Head Shroff, and he was called upon to state whether it was practicable now, under the circumstances of the case, to institute proceedings against these parties, as required by Government in para 25 Contract Minutes of Consultation 22d May 1851 and to

Prox 10th July 1851

Submit

submit a report on the irregularities adverted to by Mr Murray.

From Collr 17th July in cons 18th augt 1851

2 In his reply, Mr Forbes points out that the Cash Keeper and Shroff having already been formally dismissed are no longer on the establishment of the Collector and that this circumstance will, in his opinion constitute a legal bar to a continuation of proceedings for acts done while in the service of Government. The Board are not fully satisfied of the correctness of this construction, and have directed a searching their records for some precedent to guide them but without success. as it seems doubtfull however whether further proceedings under Regulation IX of 1822 would be upheld in Law, they are unwilling to press a criminal prosecution of these parties

5 In regard to the propriety of instituting proceedings against the Cash Keeper for forgeries endorsements on Accountant Generals Bills it appears to the Board to be just possible that the charge of forgery might be sustained, but adverting to the difficulties stated by the Collector they are reluctant to urge a prosecution the success of which is so doubtful.

6 The irregularities referred to by Mr Murray as engaging the attention of the Board and Mr Forbes will be requested not to lose sight of the orders conveyed in para 3 Extract Minutes of Consultation 22d May 1851 in regard to the suspension or removal of such other servants who may have been in the employ of the Treasury Peons in question.

Read the following Letter

No 74

To, W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

39

Sir

Bd. No. 1753
From the Collector of Cuddapah
Reporting upon the accompanying Petitions Nos 2163 of 1849 and 478 of 1850.

I have the honor to report upon petitions Nos 2163 of 1849 and 478 of 1850.

Para 1

2. The petitioner Soobramoneya Somayazooloo States that he and his cousin Narrain Somayazooloo, entered into a deed of division of their family property in the year 1829, when certain Bhutwartee Enam land in the Coilgoontlah Talook fell to petitioner's share, that his son having died in 1840, he proceeded on pilgrimage for three years, and returning to his Village in 1843, found that his cousin Narrain Somayazooloo being dead, his son Sooreanarrain held possession of the Enam, having reported the death of petitioner that

	Acres Cons	as	as	as
† In the Village of Wareacum	21	3	6	8
Do Ogalandlah	12	20	8	18
Do Cumdamoodlah	5	13	7½	9
Do Allooor	6	37	13	8
Total	45	35	2½	54

	9	5
	6	9
	4	5
	5	2
	8	6

that he then instituted a Civil Suit against Sooreanarrain, which was thrown out as not cognizable by the Court, and he now claims possession of the land.-

3. His opponent denies petitioners Statement, and says that his grand uncle Pedda Narrain Jata vullaboolu his grand father Chinna Narrain Jata vullaboolu, petitioners father Gungadara Jata vullaboolu, and Livingana Jata vullaboolu, were four cousins that their discendants, Narrainaradhanolu the son of Pedda Narrain Jata vullaboolu opponents father Narrainsomayajoolu, petitioner, and Narrain, son of Livgana Jata vullaboolu, on inheriting their Fathers property, entered into a deed of division in the year 1803- and that on occasion of a Suit being brought before the Civil Court in 1828, the deed was admitted as authentic, he further states that the deed of division referred to by petitioner is a forgery- and that as the Enam land in dispute was not of family inheritance, but property acquired by opponents father, it is not entered in the deed

division which was made in 1803, opponent further affirms that petitioner admitted in a deposition given before the Zillah Court at Bellary, that he had no right to the land now in dispute, and states that the deed of division now produced by petitioner was then cancelled.

4. The following documents are submitted by Petitioner in support of his claim-

1 A deed of division on unstampt paper executed in 1828 by opponents father Narrain Somayazoolu- and petitioner, by which the land in dispute, with some other lands in Bellary fell to petitioners share

2 Copy of a Takeed from the Collector of Bellary to the Taksildar of Pancha-yelliem, directing that opponent should not interfere with petitioners enjoyment of certain lands, which had come to his share on a division of property.

3 A genealogical tree.

4. Copy on Stampt paper of an answer filed in the District Moonsiffs Court at Gootty by a Vakeel on behalf of opponents father Narrainsomayazoolu, admitting that the Genealogical tree now

now submitted by petitioner is correct.

5 Copy on Stampt paper of a razeenamah filed in 1837, in the Sudr Ameen's Court at Bellary by a Vakeel on behalf of opponents father Narrainsomayazooloo engaging to pay Rupees 62. 6. " to petitioner, as rent due on lands in petitioner's share, which had been received by Narrainsomayazooloo

Copy on Stampt paper of an order of the late Provincial Court confirming the above Razeenamah, which had been cancelled in Appeal by the Zillah Court.

The following documents are submitted by opponent.

1 Copy of the deed of division referred to above as having been made in 1803.

2 Three original orders written by a late Tahsildar of Koilcoontlah to the Heads of Villages dated in 1805 and 1806, by order of Colonel Munro, directing that opponents father Narrainsomayazooloo should not be disturbed in the possession of same disputed Enams.

Two

3. Two original orders by another late Tahsildar of Koilcoontla dated in 1810 and 1813, to the Heads of Villages, directing that opponents father Narrainsomayazooloo should continue in the enjoyment of any Enam land of which he had held undisputed possession for a length of time.

6. Opponent has offered no documentary proof of the truth of his assertions regarding petitioner's denial of all right to the land, before the Bellary Court. the deed of division produced by petitioner having been cancelled.

7 The Enam land in the Village of Harevarum, is entered in the Pymaish and Enamaty accounts in the name of Narrainsomayazooloo opponents father.

8 The land in the Village of Ooyalamada is entered as Circar land in the Pymaish accounts, and as belonging to Narrainsomayazooloo in the enamaty accounts.

9 The land in Cumpamullah is entered as Circar land in the Pymaish accounts,

and

and as Surna Enam belonging to Jatavulla-
booloo in the enamaty accounts.-

10. The land in ulloor is entered
as belonging to Jatavullabasasty, represent
-ed by the present heads of the Village o
opponents Grand father, both in the
pymaish and enamaty accounts.-

11 The following is the evidence
adduced by petitioner.-

Barevanum Village

12. The Curnum of the Village
states that 22 years ago, Narrainsamaya
-Zooloo and petitioner came to the Villag
and that the former told him that on a
division of property the Enam land had
fallen to petitioner's share, and that
the rent was to be paid to him accord
-ly that he continued to enjoy the land
for 15 years, and that 7 or 8 years ag
opponent came to the Village, repre-
-sented that petitioner and his Son were
both dead, that he was then entitled t
the land, of which he was put in posses
-ly the Tahsildar, and has since receiv
the rent. The two Village Reddies con-
-firm this Statement, one of them asser
-ting that his Father rented the land
of

of petitioner.-

Doyalawadah Village

13 One of the two Curnums of
this Village declares his knowledge of
opponents father having possessed the
land 22 years ago, of his having come to
the Village with petitioner and stated
that on a division, the land had fallen
to petitioners share, of his having en-
-joyed it accordingly for 12 years, and
of opponent having come and represented
the death of petitioner and his Son, obtain
-ed possession of the land, and received
the rent on it for the last 7 or 8 years.-

This Statement is corrobo-
14 -rated by the Village Reddy, who affirms
that he himself cultivated the land and
paid the rent to petitioner for 12 years,
until opponent came and received it,
on the representation that petitioner
was dead.-

The 2d Curnum states that
15 petitioner enjoyed the land for 7 or 8 years,
about 11 years ago, since when it has been
in opponents possession, to whom it was given
by an order of the Tahsildar

The two Reddies of this
Curupamollah Village 16. Village

Vellore Village.

village give precisely the same evidence as above.

17. The Curnum and one Pros:cutlah Ramunnah assert, that petitioner and Narrainsomayazooloo came to the Village, and shewed a deed of division by which the Enam land in the four Villages of Harenarum, Poyalamadah, Cumpamullah, and Vellore, fell to petitioner's share, that the rents were paid accordingly for 15 years, until opponent coming and announcing petitioner's death, obtained possession of the land.

18. In 1839 Narrainsomayazooloo complained to the Collector that the petitioner obstructed his free enjoyment of his Enam land, and an order was passed directing that whoever had held long possession should be continued in the same, and the complaining party obtain redress at law. On receipt of this order the Tahsildar reported that the right of long possession was with Narrainsomayazooloo present opponent's father, who had held the land for many years

years, and whom he therefore confirmed in possession, although he stated at the same time that petitioner had rented the land out to ryots, for various terms from 3 to 6 years.

19. The family tree presented by petitioner is annexed for the Board's information.

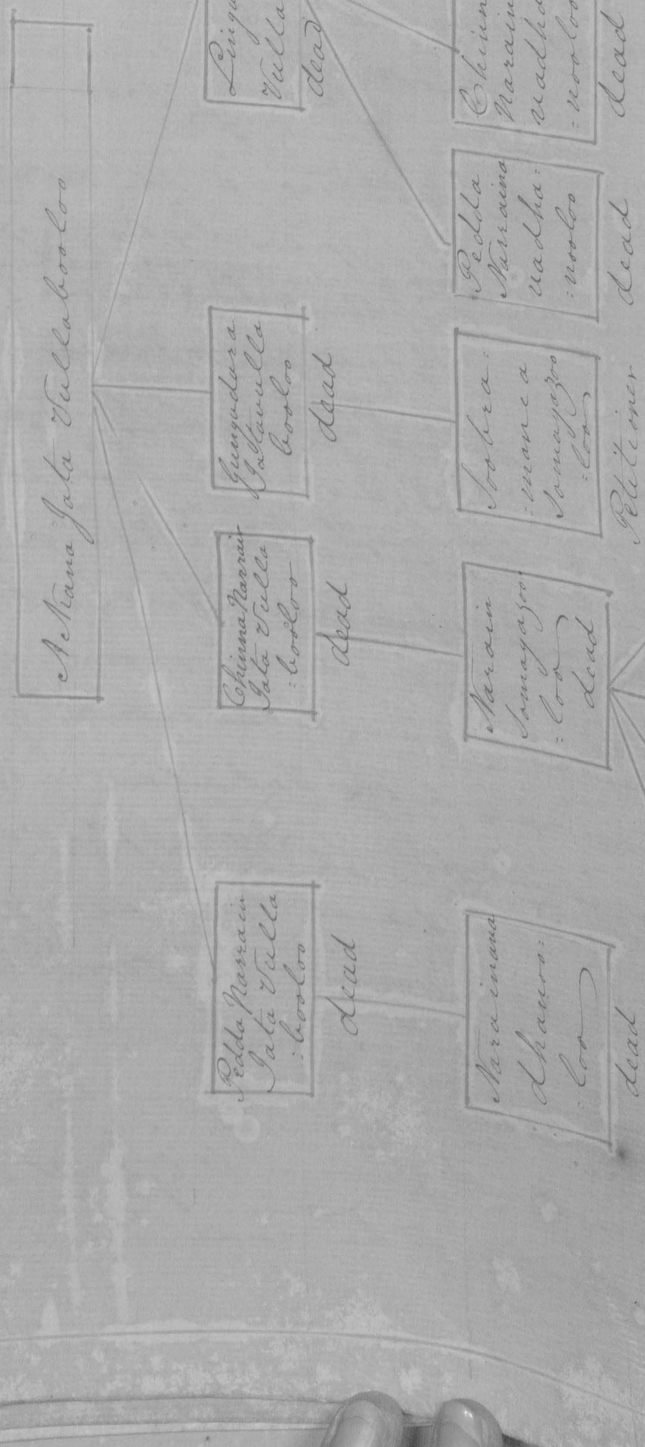
20. It is my opinion that petitioner has made good his claim to the land he seeks, and that his opponent's case has failed

Cuddapah,
Collector's Office,
24th July, 1851.

(Signed) H. Forbes
Collector

A Kana

11034 Fort St. George 18th August 1851



(Signed) H Forbes

11035 Fort St. George 18th August 1851.

B.d No. 1648.

Proceedings thereon.

(39.40)

No. 357.

Resolved that the letter above recorded be submitted for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to the endorsements of the Acting Deputy Secretary to Government dated 20th December 1849 and 20th April 1850 respectively on Petitions No.s 2163 of 1849 and 498 of 1850.

+ B.d No. 38 of 1849
B.d No. 20 of 1850.

1850.

2. The Petitioner Bhagee Soobra-manyen Somayajoolu seeks permission for the Civil Court, his Cousin Narrain Somayajoolu, the present holder of certain Enam lands falling under the provisions of Regulation IV of 1831, which it is alleged were usurped by the latter during the absence of Petitioner from the District—

3. Adverting to the evidence of the Village Officers and to the result of the enquiry made by the Tahsildar in 1839 under the orders of the Collector to the effect that the Petitioner had rented out the lands in question to the Ryots for various terms from 3 to 6 years, the Board concur in opinion with the Collector that the Petitioner has made good his claim—

It remains with Government to direct further investigation to be made if necessary;

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or to order that Petitioner shall be put in possession - the opposite party Sooria Narrain being referred to the Courts for redress in conformity with Section II Regulation IV of 1831.

No. 76.

To

W. H. Bayley Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

(41)

B. de N. 1836.

From the Coll.r of Cuddapah } Sir,

1- I have the honor to reply to your letter of the 16th June on the matter of petition No. 1216 of 1851.

2- The state of the Curnums Emm in the Village of Goobagoondum Jeem Soolding in the Kailgoontlah Talah when petitioners were dismissed was as follows

		Rs	a	p
Soobiah	Petitioners	285	1	4
Shetumbarum	Petitioners	126	13	4
Nundummah widow of late Curnum Yellamanaze		126	13	3
Total Rupees		538	11	11

The widow Nundummah continues to enjoy the

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the share her husband held, and the shares of both the Curnums Soobiah and Shetumbarum were carried to Government account on their dismissal in Fusly 1256.

3- From the proceeds of the Emam has since been paid an Amany Mootoodly at the rate of eight Rupees a month, and this person performs the duties formerly entrusted to three Curnums, in a Village the berige of which is Rupees 2332.

Cuddapah Coll.rs Office } Signed W. Forbes
30th July 1851. } Collector

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.

To The Collector of
Cuddapah.

(42)

B. de N. 1645.

Sir,

To the Coll.r of Cuddapah }

The Petitioner in No. 1216 of 1851 is reported in your letter of the 30th July to have been dismissed together with one Soobiah (whose case is not however under review) and that an Amany Mootoodly had been appointed for the performance of the Curnums.

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Cummum's duties.

2. The Board would have wished that you had stated your opinion expressly whether the Office had been adequately filled by this sole appointment, but whether this be the case or not the widow Wundummah (3rd share holder originally) should have been directed to nominate a Goomastah in return for the Emoluments received by her.

3. The Board will not interfere in the dismissal of Pettiver if on further enquiry into the case you find there exists good reason to believe that judicial proof failed that Petitioner was guilty of malversation in question but should your opinion exculpate the Petitioner you will reappoint him to the Office removing the Mootoeddy now in Office.

Revenue Board's Office
Fort St. George, 18th Augt 1851

(Signed) W. H. Bayley
Secretary

Ordered that the following Endorsement be passed on Petition &c. 1216 of 1851.

"Petitioner is referred to the Collector who has been instructed regarding him."

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Read the following Letter.

No. 48.

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

(43)

Bd. No. 1855.
From the Collr. of North Arcot.

Sir.

With reference to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 21st Ulto. I have the honor to submit a copy of a letter of the 30th Idem received from my Assistant Mr. Blair requesting the Board's reconsideration of his claims to draw Extra Allowance for the period he may provide accommodation for his Establishment in his own house.

North Arcot Collr's Circuit Cutcherry Palmanair
1st August 1851

(Signed) S. N. Ward
Ag. Collector.

No. 1.

To S. N. Ward Esqre
Acting Collector of
North Arcot.

Sir.

Para 1. I see from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date

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date 21st July that the Board do not consider me entitled to draw Extra Tent allowance during the time that I may provide accommodation for my Cutcherry in my own house, on account of the smallness of my Establishment and the short time that I shall have to provide this accommodation. Rule 11 for the Grant of Tent allowance states that Subordinate Officers in separate charge who are not provided with Public accommodation for their Cutcherries shall draw Extra Tentage when they are residing at the Chief Station of their Division, if they provide suitable accommodation for their Establishments in their own houses.

2. Ever since the 7th of June on which date I returned to Chittoor from Cummum, I have been obliged owing to the Public Cutcherry being under repair I have been obliged to hold Cutcherry in my own house I have a separate charge which comprises the two Zemindaries of Calastry and Carvetnuggur each consisting of Two Divisions of Police as well as the Revenue and Police duties of the Talook of Shalingpur. My Establishment consists of two Goomastahs and

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I have provided suitable accommodation for them in my house, as well as for the duftar belonging to the Office. I have had to examine Cases, receive Petitions and Muster Yeomiahdars and on these occasions I have been put to considerable inconvenience from the number of persons in and about my house.

3. With regard to the Board's remark as to the shortness of the time during which the Public Cutcherry will be under repair I beg to state that nearly 2 Months have already passed since I returned to Chittoor and it seems probable that it will be some Months more before the Cutcherry will be available for business.

4. I have the honor to request that you will forward this letter to the Board of Revenue in order that they may reconsider my claim to draw Extra Tent allowance during the time the Public Cutcherry is under repair.

I have &c.

(Signed) W. S. Blair
Assistant Collr.

Chittoor
30th July 1851.

(True Copy)
(Signed) S. N. Ward
Ag. Collector
Under-

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B. of R. 1613

Proceedings thereon -

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Under the explanation afforded by Mr. Blair in his letter which accompanies the foregoing one, the Board of Revenue will be prepared to sanction the Extra Tent allowance drawn by him for the period he may provide accommodation for his Establishment in his own house -

2 - The Acting Collector is requested to quote these Proceedings in his Tent Allowance Statement -

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Read the following letter of Mr. Collr. of Salem No. 107.

W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir,

B. of R. 1861.

From the Collr. of Salem — soliciting authority for accepting the offer of one Wolwaddy Lachmana Naik to take on a lease of thirty one years a Mangoe Tope belonging to

1 - One of the Mangoe topes planted during the period when Mr. Orr was Principal Collector of this District, having been ascertained to produce fruit of which as yet no return has reached the Government treasury I have the honor to report that I directed the Tahsildar of

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to Government at an Annual rent of Rs. 14-6-

of Talook. A. to visit to ascertain whether it could not be rented on terms likely to ensure the preservation of the trees and at the same time yield revenue.

2 - That Officer having now apprised me that one Wolwaddy Luchmana Naik is willing to take the tope on lease for a period of thirty one years at an annual rent of Rupees 14-6-. I have the honor to request authority for accepting the offer -

3 - The tope comprises nineteen trees planted on Acres — 24-1 of Poonja land, the assessment of Rupees 1-6-8. The sum proposed to be given is certainly small, but I am informed that the soil of this tope is materially different from that of the two Orchards referred to in my communication dated the 23d September last added to which the absence of easy means of irrigation is another important drawback.

Fr. B. of Apl. 15-50.

Salem District
Collrs Cutcherry
31st July 1851

Signed W. D. Phillips
Collector.

The

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B. of R. No. 1617.

Proceedings thereon.

45.46

The Board of Revenue sanction the acceptance of the Offer of Moluvady Lachmana Naik for the rent of the Mangoe tope referred to in the foregoing letter for a period of Thirty one years at an annual rent of Rupees 14-6-0 with the understanding that if the trees be not carefully tended and preserved it will be cancelled.

2. Mr. Phillips attention is called to Para 2 Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 24th October 1850, forwarded with the Board's Proceedings of 14th November 1850, requiring him to satisfy himself by occasional examination that the trees are not cut down nor damaged in any way.

In Cons. 14 Nov. 1850

Read the following letter

No. 68.

To

W. H. Bayley Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue

Sir,

Fort St. George

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B. of R. No. 1972.

From the Collr. of Trichinopoly submits Report to

Agreeable to the instructions conveyed

Fort St. George 18th August 1851.

Report upon the irrecoverable balances under the head of Sayer Jummas as they stood up to the close of Fusly 1259 / 1849-50 for the District of Trichinopoly.

conveyed by your Circular letter of the 10th March 1851, I do myself the honor to submit my general report upon the irrecoverable balances under the heads of Sayer Jummah as they stood up to the close of Fusly 1259 / 1849-50 for the District of Trichinopoly.

2. The accompanying Statement in abstract has been prepared from the Accounts of the Office, and exhibits the Collective Demand on each separate item of Sayer Jummah distinguishing that under head of Arrear up to Fusly 1259 / 1849-50 current from that of

That period and the aggregate collections balance still due is also shewn with the two distinct heads opened at the end to exhibit the sums recoverable from those irrecoverable.

3. Your Board will observe on reference to this tabular Statement, that the entire demand amounted to Rupees 19141-10-5 the Collections to Rupees 1423-4-8 and the Balance due to the close of 1259 to be Rupees 8718-5-9. Of this Sum Rupees 794-15-3 stands as irrecoverable

irrecoverable while Rupees 7923-6-6 are set down as wholly irrecoverable.

4- Of the recoverable balance the sum of Rupees 375-13-8 was realized and brought to account during the past Fusly of $\frac{12\,60}{1850\text{-}51}$ thus leaving a matter of Rupees 419-1-7 to be hereafter liquidated.

5- I will now take the several heads of Sewoy jummah seriatim as they stand in the statement, explain their nature and give my reasons for considering the sums set down as irrecoverables, as incapable of realization.

Doubla jasty-6- The Doubla jasty comprises the land tax due on fields that have been cultivated subsequent to the issue of the Pattahs, or to the making up of the Annual Jummah Settlement and not entered in the Annual accounts of the Fusly. Sometimes it may be land cultivated in due season, but surreptitiously omitted by the Curnum at the settlement. Subsequently discovered and so brought to account- The total demand under this head is Rupees 1495-2-3- The Collection within the Fusly of $\frac{1259}{1849\text{-}50}$ amounted to

Current-396-3-10
Arrears-1098-14-5-

*Current-141-12-4
Arrears 119-15-4.

to Rupees 161-11-4. leaving a balance of Rupees 1,333-6-11. Of this Rupees 364-11-8 were realized in Fusly 1260, reducing the demand due to Rupees 968-11-3. The recoverable portion of this is Rupees 96-9-7½ and the irrecoverable Rupees 872-1-8.—

7. The demand for this arrear is for the most part of very long standing and it is resisted by the ryots with every sort of objection and Argument, such for example, as that the Crop was destroyed by drought. That the entry of Cultivation is in the part of the Curnum, and that the Lands were never cultivated at all.—

The subjoined Abstract shews the items of the irrecoverable balance, and I feel convinced your Board will concur in the recommendation of their being written off.—

	Rupees	a.	P.	
Amount due by deceased Ryots—	26	4	1	
Do— by deserted— Do—	4	1	4	
Amount due by individuals— whose names are unknown, the Village accounts having been destroyed by fire	16	"	10	

Second

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		Rs. A. P.
Second Crop demand on certain lands held under Amany Management during Fuslies 1240- 1248- and 1251. The entire outturn of which only covered the tax due on the land as 1st Crop. Loss must be borne by the Government	51- 7- 7	
Dowle jasthy in Fusly 1248. and 49. become Shavi	7- 14- 5	
Land brought to account in Fusly 1250- as Dowle jasthy. But was after = wards found not to be in the Sirear Village	55- 7- 9	
Loss by actual outturn of a Tope brought to account in 1251 by estimate in the first instance	8- 7- 7	
Land Falsely and Maliciously entered by Curnum for Fusly 1251 which on inspection was found not to have been ploughed at all	190- " "	
Grass tax entered twice over in Fusly 1251-	31- 5- 5	
Land improperly Surveyed and brought to account as excess by Curnum in Fusly 1251. when no such excess existed	284- 1- 5	
Amount due by individuals whose lands were put up to Auction		

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		Rs. A. P.
on account of the Ain balance but no purchasers were found. The balance due under the head of Dowle jasthy is also standing against the same Individuals there being in other means for the recovery of the latter it is considered irrecoverable		14 11 10
Land brought to account in Fuslies 1253. and 1254. under Dowle jasthy but the Crop subsequently destroyed by Locusts must be remitted		152 2 11
Total Rupees		872 1 8

Revenue Fines 8.

The fines here entered are those imposed upon public Servants such as Curnams and Monegars of Villages for neglect of duty, as also sums adjudged to be levied under the provisions of Regulation IX of 1822.

The Total demand up to Fusly 1259 was Rupees #826-1-8. Of this Amount Rs. 774-7-8. were realized up to Fusly 1259 and a further sum of Rupees 11-2-" in Fusly 1260 leaving the present balance of Rupees 40-8-" which should be written off. Eight annas being due by the Curnum of Coorgalore who has emigrated to Kandy, and the forty Rupees imposed in 1848 on the Pattadar and

#Current 774-7-8
Arrear 51-10-"

and Shroff of Thuckengoody but subsequently ordered not to be collected.—

Fines on account of Cattle trespass on the Cultivation.

9. A trifling sum of Rupees 2-10-0 is exhibited here as due, this can be realized without difficulty.—

Fines on Cattle for grazing on Paddoogay.

10. The total demand here is Rupees 1,635-10-0 and Rupees 209-7-0 have only been realized, leaving a sum still due of Rupees 1,426-3-0. Of this Rupees 280-10-0 may be recovered, the remainder Rupees 1,145-9-0 is due on account of the following items and should be struck off.—

	Current			Arrears			Total		
Due against Individuals dead	15	4	0	267	2	0	282	6	0
Due Do. absconded	"	"	"	27	8	0	27	8	0
Do. Nadar	9	8	0	89	2	0	98	10	0
Name of the Individuals by whom the balance is due not known	11	12	0	259	8	0	271	4	0
Amount due by Individuals who objects to pay there being no proof against the imposition of fine	"	"	"	407	6	0	407	6	0
Amount remitted by order of the Hoozoor upon finding that the Cattle did not graze in the Paddoogay	"	"	"	58	7	0	58	7	0
Total Rupees	36	8	0	1,109	1	0	1145	9	0

There-

Proceeds of Enams land while under attachment.

There is a small balance on the Accounts of Rupees 9-5-0 accruing on certain Individual Enams placed under attachment from Fusly 1243/1833/34 to 1252/1842/43 but which Enams were in Fusly 1253/1843/44 incorporated with the Government lands.—

The demand is against two parties one has deserted, and the other is dead. It must of necessity be written off.—

Fines for Neglect of Corumboos.

12. The Amount here set down is large being Rupees 5,897-6-10 and has accrued since Fusly 1247. It is a fine imposed upon the land proprietor or occupant for neglecting to furnish his quota of men for the raising of the Corumboo at the head of the irrigating Channel to turn the stream of the river into the Channel during the low freshes. It is a most unpopular impost and generally resisted by the people, and therefore most difficult to enforce in the absence of legal grounds for its imposition. The small sum of Rupees 2-4-0 have been collected leaving Rupees 5,895-14-10 which it is hopeless ever to expect to realize.—

The entire sum considered irrecoverable.

13.

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irrecoverable is Rupees 7,925-6-6 and for the writing off this for the reasons shewn above I solicit the sanction of Government may be obtained. Their retention on the accounts is useless and only causes confusion and anxiety.—

Trichinopoly,
Collectors' Office,
11th August, 1851.

/Signed/ J. Bird.
Collector.—

Abstract.

No. 1. Abstract Statg distinguishing Recoverable with theirly.—

		D. Irrecoverable. Cur. Current. Arrears. Total.		
		RRs A P	RRs A P	RRs A P
1	Dowle yasty of Extra Cultivation	39 " "	87 2 1 8	87 2 1 8
2.	Revenue fines	77 " "	40 8 "	40 8 "
3	Fines due on account of Cattle trespass & grazing down the Cultivated fields	22 " "	" " "	" " "
4	Dr for Dr Dr in the Paddoogay	39 " "	36 8 "	1,109 1 " 1,145 9 "
5	Proceeds of Enam Lands while under Zuft	" " "	9 5 "	9 5 "
6	Amount of fine from Pullers for not attending to the Corumboo	187 " 1830	12 6	4,025 2 4 5,855 14 10
	Total Co. Rupees	366 1867	4 6 6	6,056 2 " 7,923 6 6

Trichinopoly,

Ordered.—

Order thereon.— Ordered to lie over.—

47.48

No. 69.—

To,

W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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Bd. No. 1987.
From the Collector of Trichinopoly

Sir,

As directed by Extract from the Proceedings of your Board dated 24th Ultimo, I have the honor to submit a supplementary Certificate granted by the Garrison Surgeon of Trichinopoly and Counter-signed by the Superintending Surgeon Southern Division in the case of Mr. Gordon, and I trust the document will be deemed sufficient to justify his having left Trichinopoly prior to Official permission from the Government.—

13th July 1851.

Trichinopoly District,
Vyganellore, Collectors'
Circuit Cutcherry,
14th August 1851.—

/Signed/ J. Bird
Collector—

No. 1.

J. R. Gordon Esqre. Assistant to

to the Collector and Magistrate of Trichinopoly having applied to me for a Certificate on which to ground an Application for leave of absence, I do hereby Certify from personal observation that he is suffering from periodical attacks of Fever and irritation of the Mucous Membrane of the Urinary Organs for the last 2 Months and that in consequence, I consider a temporary removal necessary for the benefit of his health and that he should be permitted to proceed with as little delay as possible, and be absent from his Duty for the space of one year to visit "The Neilgherries and Bangalore."—

Trichinopoly,— 2nd August, 1851.—

/Signed/ W. G. Maxwell M.D
Garrison Surgeon—
/Signed/ Geo: Bactson Supt. Surgeon S.D.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.—

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Bd. No. 1607.
To the Secretary Medical Board.—
From Trichinopoly 14th Inst. Cons 18th August 1851.—

To, The Secretary
Medical Board—

Sir,

In forwarding to you, for the Countersignature of one of the Members of the Medical Board, the accompanying Medical

/Signed/ R. Davidson
Deputy Secretary to Govt.

Fort St. George 18th August 1851.

Medical Certificate granted by the Garrison Surgeon of Trichinopoly to J. R. Gordon Esqre, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to state that much delay and inconvenience has frequently occurred of late owing to the Certificates submitted in support of applications for Sick leave not being drawn up on the prescribed form.

2. With a view to prevent these inconveniences for the future the Board of Revenue desire me to suggest that the Medical Board should call the attention of the Medical Officers in the Provinces to the Orders of Government dated 6th April 1841. and to the form of Medical Certificate thereto annexed.

Vide Gazette 1841 pages 299-300. Civil Absentee Rules pages 19-20.

Revenue Board office, Fort St. George, 18th August, 1851.

Signed W. H. Bayley Secretary.

Fort St. George 18th August 1851.

Read the following letter.—

No. 162.

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

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Bd. No. 1877.

From the Collector of Tinnevelly.

Forwarding for the information of the Board and Government Copy of a second report by the Master Attendant of Tutacorin on the result of his continued examination of the Pearl Banks on the Coast of his District.

× To Master Attendant 22d July 1857. From Do. 24th Do.

I have the honor to forward for the information of the Board and Government Copy of a Second report by the Master Attendant of Tutacorin dated 16 Ultimo on the result of his continued examination of the Pearl Banks on the Coast of this District together with that of a further correspondence between that Officer and myself from which it will be perceived that the expectation of obtaining Pearls hereafter in these waters is completely disappointed. I trust I shall be considered to have acted properly in requesting the Master Attendant to withdraw the guard from the Nullatunny teevoo bank for it seems sufficiently certain to me that causes over which no control can be exercised, probably those conjectured by the Master Attendant in his letter dated 24th Ultimo, are in operation to prevent the formation of Oyster beds and that it would be only a waste of public Money to continue the guard longer it having been

been maintained without advantage from 21st. of October last- For the same reason I am not disposed to recommend the further search proposed by the Master Attendant but as the cost will amount to only a few Rupees and not render the whole cost of the service greater than was sanctioned by Government under date 15th. February 1850, I request the Board to decide whether the Master attendant shall be instructed to make another investigation of the Mullatunny teevoo Bank or not.-

Tinnevelly
Tencausey
1st. August 1851.

(Signed) C. J. Bird.
Collector-

No. 1.

To,
C. J. Bird Esqre.
Collector Tinnevelly.

Sir,

1. I have the honor to forward this my second report upon the inspection of the Pearl banks north of Tutacorin the result of which I regret will be found by the following Statement most unsatisfactory and has fallen far short of my expectations

2- On the 2d. of April I left Tutacorin with the intention of proceeding to the large

large bank East of the Light House, but the boats being becalmed on reaching the outer roadstead were obliged to return with the sea breeze in the afternoon.

3- The 3d. proved a favorable day- the southern end of the large bank was examined, but the result was unsuccessful-

4- On the 4th. Seven Oysters under the age of twelve months were found upon the middle portion of the same bank.-

5- The north end of the large bank, and a small one adjoining, were inspected on the 8th. but only one young Oyster was obtained from the former.-

6. On the 11th. the boats were again prevented from reaching the banks in consequence of calm weather.

7- From the 15th. until the 11th. of May ill health and the unfavorable state of the weather prevented me proceeding with the Inspection-

8- May 11th. four small banks to the Eastward of Tutacorin were examined but only four Oysters about the same age as those taken on the 4th. Ultimo were found on them.-

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9. Three small banks bearing about E: by S. of the Light House were inspected on the 21st from which two Oysters were taken.

10. On the 30th the examination was carried on over two banks a short distance to the North of those inspected on the 21st when only three Oysters were found.

11. The unsettled state of the weather again put a stop to the inspection until the 3d July when I left Tutacorin for Nallatunny Teevoo where I arrived the following evening.

12. On the 5th the work recommenced over the banks which had been guarded, and was continued during the 7th but I am greatly concerned to have to report that not an Oyster was taken. I must however state that the water was so thick at the time that it was with difficulty the Divers could discern the bottom - at the same time it is my opinion that had the Oysters been in any quantity some would have been taken up with the numerous portions of rock brought to the surface by the Divers.

The two banks on which Captain Crawford found thirty Oysters were examined

on the 8th but I regret to have to state with no better success than attended the operations on the 5th and 7th Instant.

Should you consider it advisable that the banks off Nallatunny Teevoo be again examined when the weather permits, I trust I shall be able to perform the duty without further expense to the Government than the amount already sanctioned for that purpose.

By the enclosed account of the expenses attending the examination of the Pearl banks it will be seen that there is a balance of Rupees (7-7-10¼) seven annas seven, and Pice ten and one quarter in favor of Government which I shall retain until I have further instructions from you.

I beg to annex a list of the different banks furnished me by Sadetalaven, which will shew the number of Oysters found on each during the years 1848-1850 and 1851.

Tutacorin, 16th July 1851.

/Signed/ W. Robertson.
Master Attendant.

/True Copy/
/Signed/ C. J. Bird.
Collector.

List

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Fort St. George

No. 1. List of Pearl banks examined during the years 1848, 1850, and 1851.—

Date of Examination—	Names of Pearl banks—	Number of Oysters found—	Date of Examination—
1848.			1850.
March 15th.	Autoova Oonbadoo paur W. Eastward of light House	3	March 19th.
	Cootadiar —— Do. —— Do. —— Do.	"	"
	Pattari —— " —— " —— "	1	"
	Pause —— " —— " —— "	"	"
16th.	Vada Oonbdoo —— " —— " —— "	"	20th.
	Sayatenbadoo —— " —— S. Eastward Do.	"	21st.
	Cannapoontettoo —— " —— Do. —— "	"	26th.
	Pooly poontettoo —— " —— " —— "	3	"
22d.	Vadiaputto —— " —— " —— "	1	April 18th.
23d.	Croochanthoontoo —— " —— W. Eastward —— "	1	"
	Croochan —— " —— Do. —— "	11	19th.
	Padootammarikan —— " —— " —— "	19	20th.
24th.	Peria —— " —— " —— "	"	"
25th.	Thavey —— " —— Eastward of Vyspaur	"	"
	Pernautoo —— " —— Do. Do. Putnummardoor	"	"
April. 4th.	Peria —— " —— " —— " —— Do.	17	22d.
	Coomalum —— " —— " —— Off Vambaur	16	"
	Caria —— " —— S. Eastward of Mookoor	"	23d.
7th.	Auny —— " —— Off Vambaur ——	"	24th.
	Pulliamalya —— " —— Do. —— Mookoor	"	
	Nallatumy Teevoo —— " —— Do. —— Do.	2	
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18th August 1851.—

The years 1848, 1850, and 1851.—

Names of Pearl banks—	Number of Oysters found—	Date of Examination—	Names of Pearl Banks—	Number of Oysters found.
		1851		
Thavey paur ——	"	April 3d.	Thoolayerum paur Eastward of light House ——	"
Pernautoo Do. ——	"	" 4th.	Do. —— Do. —— Do.	7
Padootammarikan " ——	"	" 8th.	Do. and Vadeputtoo Do.	1
Peria —— " ——	1	May 14th.	Cathy " —— " —— "	14
Croochan —— " ——	2	" "	Oottee " —— " —— "	
Vyspaur Caria —— " S. Eastward of Vyspaur	"	" "	Oodooriny " —— " —— "	
Padootammarikan Thoontoo " ——	"	" "	Nagari " —— " —— "	
Thavey (again) —— " ——	"	" "	Vandeevo Auroopaga ——	
Pernautoo —— Do. ——	"	" 21st.	Cootadia " ——	2
Vambaur Caria " ——	"	" "	Puttari " ——	
Nallatumy Teevoo " ——	60	" "	Pansi " ——	
Auny —— " ——	"	" 30th.	Autoova Oonbadoo —— " ——	2
Pulliamalia —— " ——	"	" "	Croochan Thoontoo —— " ——	1
Coomalum —— " ——	"	July 1st.	Nallatumy Teevoo —— " ——	"
Salt water Teevoo " Eastward of Mookoor	"	" 8th.	Croochanthoontoo —— " ——	"
Peria —— " ——	"	" "	Croochan —— " ——	"
Parumben —— " ——	25			
	88			17

(Signed) W. Robertson.
Master Attendant.

(True Copy)
(Signed) C. J. Bird.
Collector.

No. 1

Fort St. George 18th August 1857.

No. 2.
No. 928.

To,
W. Robertson Esqre
Master Attendant
Tutacorin.-

Sir,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your 2d report under date 16th Instant of escamina= tions of Pearl Banks conducted by you under sanction of Government dated 15th February 1850.

2- From Para 12 of this report it ap= pears that the expectation formed from the result of your former escamination of the Sullatumy Teeroo Bank during March and April of last year that if the bank were guarded Pearls might be obtained from it has been completely disappointed. Unless therefore you are of opinion that the failure to find Oysters probably arose from the thickness of the water which you mention it appears to me that there will be no advantage in continuing the guard over the bank any longer. and in that case I request that it may be withdrawn and the Canoe and other articles connected with it sold and the proceeds credited to the estimate.-

3- I shall be obliged by your favouring me with your opinion respecting the cause

Fort St. George 18th August 1857.

cause of the great and continuing diminution in the number of Pearl Oysters on this coast.-

4. I beg to remind you of the copy of the chart called for in a Memorandum from the Office dated 22d June 1850.-

Timnevelly,
Tencauxey,
22d July 1857.

/Signed/ C. J. Bird.
Collector.-

To,
C. J. Bird Esqre
Collector Timnevelly.

Sir,

With reference to 2d of your letter of the 22d Instant No. 928 received this morning, I have the honor to inform you that I have no reason to change the opinion I gave in para 12 of my letter of the 16th Instant respecting the failure of the Pearl banks situated near Sullatumy Teeroo, I have therefore attended to your request by ordering the withdrawal of the guard, the sale of the materials on the Island, and the return of the Canoe to Tutacorin for the purpose of disposing of it to the best advantage.-

In order to put the question at rest regarding the probability of Oysters being

on

on the above mentioned banks I beg most respectfully to suggest that they may be again examined at a more favorable season- The funds I now hold will I am confident be ample for the purpose-

In answer to the 3d. para of your letter I beg to note, that the only reasons I can assign respecting the decrease of Pearl Oysters on this coast are the following.-

1st. The opening of the Paumben Pass through which the current runs with greater force than formerly, and must consequestly have the effect of disturbing any beds of Oyster that may have formed on the Banks-

2d. The constant change of water flowing through the channel into the Gulf of Manaar, which must be injurious to the Pearl Oysters.-

3d. The number of Vessels of considerable tonnage frequenting this coast since the opening of the Paumben Pass must also tend very materially to disturb the Banks on this coast-

Referring to the last para of your letter, I regret to have to state that I

found it quite out of my power to supply the chart called for, seeing that I was unable to provide myself with a proper instrument for taking bearings- The only compass I was provided with was one procured from one of the English Vessels in these Roads last season, principally for the use of the Boats in case of bad weather overtaking them when at a distance from the Coast- I found it so imperfect that a bearing could not be taken with it in the slightest degree approaching to truth-

In conclusion I beg to remark that only a small number of shells of course description were found in a perfect state on the Pearl Banks, but large quantities of a finer class were brought up by the Divers and Dredges, much broken and evidently had been dead for many years- From these slightest observations alone, I am deeply concerned to have to give my opinion that not the slightest prospect can be entertained of a Pearl fishery again on this coast of the Gulf of Manaar so long as the Paumben Channel is open-

Tutacorin, 24th. July 1851-

/Signed/ W. Robertson.
Master Attendant.

/True Copies/
/Signed/ C. J. Bird.
Collector.

Resolved

Fort St. George 18th August 1851.

Bd. No. 1649.

Resolution thereon-1.

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No. 360-

Resolved that the letter above recorded together with its enclosures be submitted for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to the papers noted in the Margin.

To Government	31st January 1850.
From Do.	15th inst:	25th Feby.	—"—
Proceedings to Do.	13th June	—"—
From Do.	9th inst:	15th July.	—"—
Proceedings to Do.	8th August	—"—
From Do.	30th Do.	inst:	5th Sept.	—"—

2- The examination of the Pearl Banks on the Tinnevelly Coast which forms the subject of the foregoing report has entirely disappointed the prospects held out in the previous year's examination of obtaining hereafter the supply of any quantity of Pearls on this coast, only 17 Oysters having been picked up between the 3d April and 8th July. Not a single Oyster it is observed was found on the Banks off Sullatummy teevoo (notwithstanding the guard sanctioned by Government 30th August 1850 to protect those Banks) owing, it is stated, to the water being so thick that the bottom could not easily be discerned, and the Collector has therefore very properly withdrawn the guard from those Banks, with the view to obviate any further unnecessary expence-

24th July 1851 para 2
Encl: 2. From Collr.
1st August 1851.

3. The Master Attendant in his communication to Collector seems desirous of putting at rest the question as to the probability of there being Oysters on these Banks, and suggests therefore that, at a more favorable season, they may again be examined; the funds he holds being ample for the purpose- The Collector does not support this suggestion, but the Board, in consideration of the very favorable prospects which the examination of these Banks in 1850 held out, are willing to recommend that a further trial be allowed, provided the cost of the examination already made, and of the further trial now suggested, does not exceed the sum of Rupees 300- sanctioned by Government on the 15th February 1850.-

D.G.

Fort St. George. 18th August 1851-

No. 154.

To

W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George-

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B. No. 1893-

From the Collector of Tinnevelly

Sir,

I have the honor to state for the information of the Board of Revenue that the Number of Chanks fished in Fasly 1260 was considerably less than in preceding years and that the price offered by the highest bidder when they were put up to auction before me has also fallen below that formerly obtained- Whence, as will be seen in the Margin, the net profit to Government should the Board consent to the offer being accepted and none better is likely to be made will

No. of Chanks fished during the Fasly	Rate at which the good Chanks were sold	Do. at which the damaged Chanks were sold	Total Value-	Amount of Charges-	Net Profit-
Fasly	Good Chanks	Damaged Do.	Rupees-	Rupees-	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees
1256	499387	20703	6/8 per 100	1 per 1000	30613	10414	20199
1257	496234	43160	3 3/4 per Do.	8 3/4 per Do.	18973	10509	8464
1258	498859	55031	3 5/8 per Do.	4 7/8 per Do.	18336	10464	7872
1259	506838	584372	2 3/4 per Do.	1 per Do.	14000	10626	3374
			Bid for Fasly 1260-				
1260	390205	298742	2 11/16 per 100	9/16 per Do.	10503	8225	2278

will amount to only Rupees 2278-6-

Tinnevelly,
Tencausey,
2d August 1851.

Signed / C. J. Bird
Collector.

B. No. 1620.
Proceedings thereon -

(53·54)

The Board of Revenue sanction the acceptance of the offer for the Chanks fished in Fusly 1260 at the rates noted below no higher offers having been received -

390.205 at 2 1/16 Rupees per 100 -
29.874 at 9 1/16 ——"—— per 1000 -

Read the following letter -

No. 81 -

(55)

To,
W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.

B. No. 1945
From the Collector of Coimbatore.

Sir,

With reference to my letters of the 28th February and 12th April last I beg the favor of early orders, the need of the Police Ameen proposed being urgent -

Coimbatore,
7th August, 1851.

Signed / E. B. Thomas
Collector.

B. No. 1823 -
Proceedings thereon -

(55·56)

Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

2 - The former application of the Collector was laid before Government on the 5th May 1851 -

Read.

Read the following letter -

No. 53 -

(57)

To, W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

B. No. 1870 -
From the Collector of Canara.

Sir,

Forwards an account shewing the importation of Goa Salt by the several roads of his district for Fusly 1260 -

Para. 1 - With reference to my letter of the 4th June last, I have the honor to forward an account shewing the importation of Goa Salt by the several roads of this district made up for the whole of the last Fusly -

	Indian Rupees	
Fusly 1259 from Jan.y	23735 -	
1260	29,765 -	
Increase in 1260 -	10030 -	

2 - The importation amounts to 39,765 Indian Maunds bearing a duty of —— 29,825 Rupees -

3 - Of this it is probable that about 3,476 Maunds is in supercession of our own Sales, this being the amount by which the Sales of the Ankola and Honore talooks have fallen off -

Sales in Honore and Ankola 1259 -	153,698 -	
1260 -	150,222 -	
Decrease -	3,476 -	

4 - This leaves a net increase of 36,289 Maunds in the trade of this district. How much of this is counterbalanced by a decrease in the Bombay Revenue and is merely salt brought by a more direct route, and how much is an actual increase in the trade of the country, the Bombay accounts will shew; and it will be useful to me if I should be favoured with this information in time to embody it in my report of the season on the Extra Sources of Revenue -

Collector's Cutcherry,
Mangalore, ———
30th July, 1851. ———

Signed / F. N. Maltby
Collector
Statement -

1107/-

Fort St. George

No 1-

18th August 1851-

Statement Showing the Importation of Salt by Land from Goa into Canara -

Frontier Choakies by which imported -	Quantity imported during the last 5 years of the 3 Rupees duty per Maund -						Imports since the reduction of Duty from 3 Rupees to 12 Annas -												Remarks -
	Fusly 1254-		1255		1256-		1257-		1258-		Fusly 1259 from January 1850-		Fusly 1260-		Portion consumed in the District		Portion Exported to the Mahratta Country -		
	Indian Maunds	S.T.	Im.	S.T.	Im.	S.T.	Im.	S.T.	Im.	S.T.	Im.	S.T.	Im.	S.T.	Indian Maunds	S.T.	Im.	S.T.	
1 Dokurpak	8 37	3 35	60		3 35	17	5 22	70	9 39	70	4 99	41	5	70	9 90	32	0	10	3 26	19	30	6 15	7	60
2 Coondall	15 6	36½	3	32	00	8 25	10	8 5	20	20	32	"	19	89	35	70	32	64	37	50	18	21	70	3	21	0	15	00
3 Digby	29 1	10	17	"	75	8 38	55	21	23	72	12	14	"	5	53	5	20	10	12	03	92	0	20	6	25	11	20	11	4	14	18	"
4 Cooveshy	14 7	90	18	13	89	16 22	58	25	37	57	17	23	47	8	36	5	29	11	10	"	"	1	7	31	17	30	9	4	28	2	50
5 Tinnay	1 23	70	8	10	89	6 24	55	8	14	20	44	7	44	2	85	0	35	16	33	97	21	70	2	00	2	32	70	1	39	4	29	"
Total	84 36	20½	51	20	28	44 28	27	69	23	99	110	37	1	23	73	5	35	15	39	76	28	70	8	15	4	22	60	3	10	11	6	10
															Rupees	a	P.	Rupees	a	P.	Rupees	a	P.	Rupees	a	P.					
Frontier Duty levied —															17	831	5	5	29	82	58	10	6	11	6	8	"	23	9	"	10	

/Signed/ T. N. Maltby -
Collector

Resolved -

11072. Fort St George. 18th August 1851.

B. N: 1625

Resolution thereon. Resolved that the foregoing letter with its Enclosures be submitted for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to the Board's Proceedings dated 30th June 1851.

(57.58)

2- It will be observed that the importation of Goa Salt for Fusly 1260 amounts to 39,765 Indian Maunds bearing a duty of Rupees 29825.

Read the following letter-

No 75

To.

W. H. Bayley Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue,

Fort St George.

(59)

B. N: 1880-

From the Collector of Malabar.

Sir,

I have the honor to annex a Statement of the highest Offers made for the rent of the Abkarry Farms in this District for Fusly $\frac{1261}{1851/52}$, and to request the Board will be good enough to confirm the same- The renters have all given good and sufficient security-

Calicut; 11th July, 1851-

I have Signed/ H. V. Conolly

Collector

Statement

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Remarks-

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B. No. 1619.
Proceedings
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thereon. The Board of Revenue sanction the acceptance of the offers for the Abkarry Farms of the District of Malabar for Fusly 1261 reported in the foregoing letter, amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 20,326 and authorize the renters being placed in possession of their respective Farms, on their making the necessary deposits and giving the required security.

C.O. 14th July 1828 page 79.

2. Mr. Conolly is requested to submit future Abkarry Statements in the prescribed form.

C.O. Book page 33.

Resolved that the following letters be despatched.

No. 355.

61

To. The Chief Secretary to Government.

B. No. 1634.
To the Chief Secretary to Government.

A

Sir. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit the accompanying Comparative Statement of Contingent Charges incurred in the Revenue and Magesterial Departments from 1st January to 31st March 1851 sanctioned by

by the Board under the orders of Government dated 28th July 1843.

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2. Accompanying is also submitted a Statement of Contingent charges incurred in the Offices at the Presidency for the same period.

Stamp Office.
Sub Treasurer.
Savings Bank.
Civil Auditor.
Sea Custom Department.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 18th August, 1851.

Signed / W. H. Bayley
Secretary.

Statement.

1078. Fort St. George, 18th August 1851.

A

Statement shewing the Contingent Charges incurred in the Districts under the Madras Presidency from 1st January to 31st March 1851 and sanctioned by the Board of Revenue under the orders of Government dated 28th July 1843 published in the Fort St. George Gazette.

	Actual charges incurred from 1st January to 31st March 1850.		Actual Charges incurred from 1st January to 31st March 1851.		Comparison — Increase.		Decrease.	
	Rs.	a. p.	Rs.	a. p.	Rs.	a. p.	Rs.	a. p.
Ganjam	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "
Vizagapatam	25	8 "	88	12 4	41	4 4	"	" "
Rajahmundry	11	9 3	15	1 3	3	8 "	"	" "
Masulipatam	22	7 "	9	7 6	"	" "	12	15 6
Guntoor	39	5 10	26	2 4	"	" "	13	3 6
Chingleput	30	2 10	13	1 5	"	" "	17	1 5
Salem	14	4 "	21	2 -	6	14 "	-	- -
Madura	33	" 10	39	2 6	6	1 8	"	" "
Nellore	10	4 "	23	11 4	13	7 4	"	" "
N.rn Div.n of Arcot	22	14 "	34	12 11	11	14 11	"	" "
S.rn Div.n of Arcot	15	2 6	23	15 6	8	13 "	"	" "
Tanjore	3	2 "	7	5 3	4	3 3	"	" "
Trichinopoly	2	13 "	"	10 "	"	" "	2	3 "
Tinnevelly	62	12 9	44	7 3	"	" "	18	5 6
Bellary	1	14 "	"	" "	"	" "	1	14 "
Cuddapah	"	13 "	2	10 6	1	13 6	"	" "
Coimbatore	9	15 9	20	14 10	10	15 1	"	" "
Canara	"	" "	× 22	9 8	22	9 8	"	" "
Malabar	89	" 7	80	6 3	"	" "	8	10 4
Madras	14	12 1	15	11 "	"	14 11	"	" "
Kurnool	18	4 "	11	1 2	"	" "	7	2 10
Total	408	1 5	459	1 "	132	7 8	81	8 1.

× Rupees 7-3-8 incurred in the Sub Conservatorís Depatt.t in July 1259 -

81 8 1 Deduct Decrease -

50 15 7. Net Increase.

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley Secretary - Statement -

11077-

Fort St. George, 18th August 1851-

B

Statement Shewing the Contingent Charges incurred in the Undermentioned Offices on account of Salaries &c during the month of March 1851 and Charged from 1st January to 31st March 1851 and Authorized by the Board of Revenue under the orders of Government dated 28th July 1843 published in the Fort St. George Gazette-

	Amount of Salaries &c drawn during the month of March 1851	Actual Charges from 1st January to 31st March 1851	Deficiency	Excess	Remarks
	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	
Stamp Office	12 15 3	10 7 2 2			Articles retained on Indent from the Commissioners Ordinance Department this Statement not Centered in their value not being known-
Sub Treasurer	12 15 3	12 15 3			
Savings Bank					
Civil Auditor					
Sea Customs Department	105 3 10	85 2 5		19 1 5	
Total	3 05 10 0	4 11 7 1	Deduct Excess	19 1 5	
			Net Deficiency	4 4 2 11	

(Signed) W. H. Bayley
Secretary

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Fort St. George, 18th August 1851-

No. 349-

(62)

To. The Chief Secretary to Government-

Sir.

B. No. 1605
To the Chief Secretary to Government

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors the Broken Set of the Proceedings of the Commissioner in the Northern Circars for the month of March 1851-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George, - - -
18th August, 1851- - - -

(Signed) W. H. Bayley
Secretary-

Resolved that the following letter be despatched-

(63)

To. The Sub Treasurer-

Sir.

B. No. 1610-
To the Sub Treasurer-

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to remit to you the sum of Rupees (1-8-9) One, Annas eight and pice nine, being one day's Salary of Survattah-mah Row Goomastah in the Maratta Cutcherry attached to their Establishment, who resigned his situation on the 31st ult. may last in consequence of his being appointed as Tahsildar at Masulipatam

Masulipatam and request that you will acknowledge the receipt of the same -

2 - Survottamah Row's resignation not having been received till late in June, his pay for the whole of May was drawn in the following Month. The amount overdrawn is therefore now refunded -

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, - - - 18th August, 1851. - - - } (Signed) W. H. Bayley Secretary

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No. 1975 -
From the Collector of Madura - Read Detailed list
64 of the Revenue and Magisterial Estab-
lishments including Sea Customs De-
partment as they stood on the 30th April last -
64-65
Order thereon - Ordered to be recorded -

No. 1958 -
From the Collector of Rajahmundry - Read Com-
66 parative Statement shewing the quantity
of Salt for Home and Inland Con-
sumption for the Quarter ending
66-67 31st July last -
Order thereon Ordered to lie over -

68 Read the undermentioned
No. 1968 - Registers -
From the Collector of Bellary - Register of En-
dorsements passed by him on Petitions
referred

69 referred by the Board for the Month
No. 1971 of July last -
From the Collector of Trichinopoly - Register of
Endorsements passed by him on Petitions
70 referred by the Board for the Month
No. 1974 of July last -
From the Collector of Madura - Register of En-
dorsements passed by him on Petitions
referred by the Board for the Month
68-71 of July last -
Order on the 3 abovementioned Registers } Ordered to be
lodged in the Office -

Received the under-
72 mentioned Miscellaneous Letters and
Int. No. 951 Statements -
From the Acting Sub Collector in Charge of Nellore } Return of fines
imposed and stoppages made from
the pay of public servants for the
73 Quarter ending 30th June last -
Int. No. 955 From the Collector of Chingleput - Return of fines
imposed and stoppages made from
the

74
Int. No. 956
From the Collector of Chingleput- Return of public servants for the Quarter ending 30th June last-

75
Int. No. 954
From the Collector of Chingleput- Return of public servants suspended and dismissed for the Quarter ending 30th June last-

76
Int. No. 952
From the Collector of Tinnevelly- Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance for the Quarter ending 30th June last-

77
Int. No. 949
From the Collector of Tanjore- Stating that no persons have been charged with Offences or confined under Regulation IX of 1822 for the month of July last-

78
Int. No. 957
From the Collector of Trichinopoly- Stating that certain returns were not forwarded for the Month of June last-

From

Int. No. 953
From the Collector of Nellore- Stating that no Village Officers were suspended or dismissed under Regulation VI of 1831 for the Month of July last-

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80
Int. No. 958
From the Collector of Trichinopoly- Stating that no cases of suspension or removal have occurred for the Month of July last-

81
Int. No. 950
From the Acting Sub Collector in Charge of Nellore- Statement shewing the quantity of Salt in store and ready for Exportation on account of Chittagong Indent up to 31st July last-

82
Int. No. 910
From the Collector of Coimbatore- Statement of smuggled Tobacco recommended for confiscation for the Month of June last-

83
Int. No. 918
From the Collector of Malabar- Statement of smuggled Tobacco recommended for

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for confiscation for the Months of June last.

Order on the 2 abovementioned Statements. } Ordered that the confiscation and sale of smuggled Tobacco enumerated in the abovementioned Statements be authorized.

Comps. dd. 6th Inst.

" Wyld. Cleghorn

" W. Blane

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Diary

Received the following

20th August.

letter.

To. C. J. Bird Esqre

Collector of Tinnevelly

(1)

Sir,

Bde No. 2003.

From the Collector of Tinnevelly. } I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to take the necessary steps requisite to procure for me leave for two Months on Medical Certificate in Section III and V of the absentee Rules to proceed to the Presidency, preparatory to applying for leave for three years to proceed to Europe on Medical Certificate.

The Certificate has been transmitted to the Medical Board by whom it will be forwarded to the Revenue Board under Paras 293 of the Government Notification published in the Fort St George Gazette of 6th April 1841 Page 299.

(Signed) F. S. Child

Actg Asst Collector

Tinnevelly. - - - - }
Courtalum. - - - - }
11th August 1851. - - }

Recommended

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No 1

Original

F. S. Child Esqre Head Assistant to the Collector of Tinnevelly having applied to me for a Certificate on which to ground an application for leave of absence, I do hereby Certify, from personal observation, that he is suffering from an attack of Acute Dysentery which came on about Six days ago characterized by severe griping pains in the abdomen, frequent calls to stool with tenesmus, the evacuations from the Bowels being of a depraved character, with some blood and slime occasionally mixed.

That since April last he has been suffering from frequent attack of a similar but less severe character, and that in consequence I consider a removal necessary for the benefit of his health, and that he should be permitted to be absent from his duty for the space of Two Months to visit the Presidency, preparatory to applying for leave to return to Europe on sick certificate.-

(Signed) R. Davidson
Physician General

Courtallum. . . .
11th August 1851.

(Signed) Frede L. Clementson
Zillah Surgeon, Tinnevelly

(Signed) G Beetson
Supg Surgeon Sn Dy

Recommended

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Recommended for compliance.-

Tinnevelly. . . . .
11th Tyeaadasey August 1851.-

(Signed) C. J. Bird
Collector

Order thereon.

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Ordered to be submitted through the Channel of the Civil Auditor for the favorable consideration of Government.-

At a Meeting Present

Thursday 21st August 1851

J. Goldingham Esqre Second Member
and
J. L. Blane Esqre Third Member
Walter Elliot Esqre Senior Member

Absent on duty &c &c
Commissioner No Circars

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.-

Read the following letter

3

Bd-No 1936.

From the Secretary to Government. . .

No 806.

To. The President and Members of the Board of Revenue

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Right

Right Honorable the Governor in Council to request that you will report for the information of Government what you may have done in pursuance of the instructions conveyed to you in Extract Minutes of Consultation 8th October 1850, No 948 for the preparation of a Lease for the Land upon the Neilgherries applied for by Mr

S. Mc Ivor.-

Fort St George
11th August 1851.

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary to
Government

Read also the following letter.-

To

No 78

To W. H. Bayley Esqr
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George

(4)

Bd No 1881

From the Collector of Coimbatore - - - -

Forwards draft copy of lease to be issued to Mr Mc Ivor for land applied for by him on the Neilgherries.

Sir

With reference to Extract from Minutes of Consultation of the 14th October 1850, No 956 and the Boards Proceedings of the 11th November last, I have the honor to forward draft Copy of lease to be issued to Mr Mc Ivor for land applied for by him on the Neilgherries.

This has been prepared
2 according to the form prescribed by Government, and the instructions laid down by the Honorable the Court of Directors in their General letter of the 17th July 1850. No 3.-

The only additions which
3 require any explanation are those contained in Clauses XI and XVI the former appears necessary to prevent unnecessary distraction of wood and the latter to maintain the present cultivators of small patches of land comprized within the area applied for in their occupancy of the same until arrangements could be made to give them other

hands

lands, and thus induce them to give up their pre-
-sent holding to Mr Mc Ivor.-

4 The amount of Goodoo payable on the land specified in the lease will be cor-
-rectly ascertained and a plan and description of the boundaries thereof will also be obtained for the pur-
-pose of being added to the same.-

5 As the counterpart to be taken from Mr Mc Ivor, is nearly a copy of the lease I did not think it necessary to transmit a draft of it.-

6 To enable me to furnish the Board with a list of lands for which leases are required as directed in the 3rd para of their Proceedings above quoted, it is necessary that I should receive information from the Pro-
-prietors of land on the Neilgherries as to whether they require a lease in the new form, or a Grant in the old form, many of them are absent from the Hills and I would therefore request should the Board approve, that the enclosed advertisement may be published in the Official Gazette for the information of the Parties concerned.-

Coimbatore, 2nd August 1851. } (Signed) E. B. Thomas Collector

Advertisement-

No 1

Advertisement

Proprietors of land and Houses on the Neilgherries, are requested immediately to communicate to the Col-
-lector of Coimbatore, whether they require a lease in the new form for their respec-
-tive Properties hitherto held without lease or on some other document, and if so that they will furnish him with as much informa-
-tion as they may be able to afford on the following points.-

Viz:-

1 Extent of Land
2 Its boundaries
3 Since when enclosed
4 Title under which it is now held.-
5 Value of the entire holding
6 Whether taken for building, or Farm-
-ing purposes. ~~The above information being required for the Board of Revenue~~

Coimbatore, 2nd August 1851. } (Signed) E. B. Thomas Collector

No 2

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No 2

I, C. B Thomas Esqr Collector of Coimbatore for the time being by and with the authority of the Governor in Council of Fort St George to me conveyed by an order in Council bearing date the ~~8th October 1850~~ No 648 do hereby lease to Mr Wm Graham Mc Ivor, on behalf of his brother John Mc Ivor all that tract of land situated at Ootacamund in the Talooks of the Neilgherries in the Collectorate of Coimbatore bounded on the East by

West by

South by

and North by

consisting of 1600 Cawnies as per Plan annexed to be held by the said John Mc Ivor his heirs, Executors, Administrators or Assigns for the terms of 25 years from the 1st day of January 1852 subject to the following conditions and restrictions Viz:-

1 The said John Mc Ivor his heirs, Executors, Administrators, or assigns shall hold the said land, rent free, for the 1st 10 years from the date of this lease subject however to the payment as

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as "Goodoo" or compensation to the Todas, such annual sum not exceeding.- as may be determined by the Collector under the orders of the Board of Revenue to be a due commutation for their interest in the land, the same having been certified by the Collector under his hand and seal.-

2 After the expiration of ten years from the date of this lease the said John Mc Ivor shall be charged with a rent to Government of one Rupee per annum for every Cawny of land ploughed or otherwise turned up, during the year whether cropped or fallow and this payment to be in addition to and exclusive of the Goodoo or compensation referred to in Article I, and this Lease shall be renewable at the expiration of the period of 25 years from the said 1st day of January 1852 on condition that the whole extent of the land (1600 Cawnies) and not merely that under the plough shall then become subject to the ordinary rates of assessment prevailing on the Neilgherries.-

3 The said Lease shall be

be recoverable in the event of the said John Mc Ivor not reaching India within 2 years from its date, unless prevented by Shipwreck or other unavoidable accident duly proved to the satisfaction of the Government of Fort St George and any portion of the land comprised in the Lease which may be unappropriated or unimproved by the said John Mc Ivor, his heirs, executors administrators or assigns at the expiration of 10 years from the date of his arrival in India shall be liable to be resumed by Government.-

4 The said John Mc Ivor immediately on reaching India, shall satisfy the Government of Fort St George as to his competency in point of capital to establish the Farm which he has agreed to do on the land hereby leased to him, and require no pecuniary assistance from Government.-

5 The said John Mc Ivor his heirs, Executors or administrators, shall not sell mortgage or otherwise alienate his or their interest in any part of or sublet the lands hereby leased without the permission of Government, and any such alienation shall be wholly null and void.-

6. The said Wm Graham Mc Ivor, the

the nominal Lessee for the present, and John Mc Ivor the actual holder of the lease, or their heirs pr ca shall not work any mine for the purpose of raising Coal, or Ore or other mineral matter, excepting stone and slate in the lands hereby leased without the special permission of Government, certified by the Collector in writing and on the demand of Government conveyed to him, by the Collector in writing, he shall surrender any part of the said land which may be required for the purpose of working such a mine with a sufficient roadway to it.-

7- The said John Mc Ivor, his heirs pr ca shall erect boundary marks, defining the limits of the land hereby leased according to the directions which shall be given to him by the Collector and shall maintain them in good order.-

8- The said John Mc Ivor, his heirs pr ca shall maintain and keep open all existing roads, footpaths, and rights of way through or over the land hereby leased, or marked in the plan hereunto annexed. He shall also allow roadways through or over the

It is believed that pr ca has no meaning in legal instruments.-

the said land for the purpose of giving access to any other land belonging to the Government which is not otherwise conveniently accessible on a demand to that effect being made to him by the Collector in writing.-

9 The said John McIvor his heirs & cas shall allow any portion of the land hereby leased to be taken for the purpose of forming any road or channel or other work of general utility or convenience or necessary for the exigencies of the Public service or for any public purpose whatsoever on its being certified to him in writing by the Collector that such portion of the land is needed for such purpose and a demand being made accordingly for the surrender of the same.-

10 The said John McIvor his heirs & cas shall not stop, impede, or alter the course of any spring or stream of water, rising in or passing thro' or over or by the side of the land hereby leased, nor appropriate to his own use the water of

of such a stream or spring, to the prejudice of any party or parties or if the public or otherwise than as shall be directed by the Collector in writing.-

11 The said John McIvor his heirs & cas shall not fell the Trees or do any thing to destroy the woods or any part of them now standing on the lands hereby leased without the special permission of the Collector.-

12 When the said John McIvor his heirs & cas shall be required to surrender any portion of the land hereby leased to afford a way of access to other land, under article 8 of this lease, or to form part of a public road or for some other public purpose or purposes of Government under article 9 or in order to the working of a mine therein by Government under article 6, he shall be entitled to compensation for the land surrendered, to be settled by mutual agreement between him and the Collector or determined, failing such agreement, by arbitration in the manner following- that is to say one referee shall be appointed by the said John

John Mc Ivor his heirs &ca and one by the Collector and these two shall select a third The award of the arbitrators or of the Majority of them, shall be final unless it be set aside by the summary decision of the Civil Court of the Coimbatore District for gross partiality or incompetence on which ground it may be challenged by either party, and both Parties shall be found to submit to the award which shall be given by the Court after hearing the evidence adduced by them respectively or by the complainant alone, if the other Party after due notice shall fail to appear and offer evidence. In the event of the first award being thus set aside arbitrators shall be appointed a second time in the manner aforesaid, and their award whatever it may be shall be final. It is to be understood, however, that all these stipulations refer to land which may have been brought under the plough, or prepared for cultivation by the said John Mc Ivor and not to that in its original condition, that is not improved by

by cost or labour altho it is comprised within the lease, and for which he shall claim no compensation beyond a proportionate abatement of the demand when it becomes payable as provided in Act II.

13. In all disputes regarding boundaries, springs water courses roads, and rights of way which may arise between the said John Mc Ivor his heirs &co and other parties, in which the Government is an interested, he shall be bound to abide by the decision of the Collector subject to an appeal to the Board of Revenue and Government. When the question or dispute relates to a matter in which the Government is interested, and the said John Mc Ivor &co is not satisfied with the decision of the Collector, he may appeal to the Board of Revenue, and if he is dissatisfied with the issue of such appeal, he may institute a suit in the Civil Court of the Zillah, but in no other Court for the determination of the point at issue, in which suit the Collector shall be defendant.

This

14 This lease is to be in force for the period of 25 years at the expiration of which term it is renewable under the conditions specified in article II unless revoked intermediately Vide article III.-

15 If the rent payable annually under this lease together with any sum which may be payable as "Goodoo" to the Todas, be not duly discharged within the space of one month after the same shall have been due, it shall be lawful for the Collector of Coimbatore for the time being, after demand in writing for the said rent, to levy the same by the distraint and sale of any personal property which may be found upon the said land or of any personal property belonging to the said John Mc Ivor, his heirs &co wherever found and if the proceeds of the property so destrained and sold shall be insufficient to cover the Public demand with all costs of distraint and sale, and if the said John Mc Ivor his heirs &co shall neglect to make good the deficiency or if he or they shall fail after due notice in the performance of any other of the conditions stipulated in this lease then it shall be

be lawful to the Governor in Council of the Presidency of Fort St George to resume the said lands with all the buildings standing on them and this lease shall thereupon determine and cease to have effect.-

16- It is to be clearly understood that this lease confers no authority on the said W. G. Mc Ivor, John Mc Ivor, or his or their heirs &co to evict the present occupants of small patches of land comprised within the area leased, who on the contrary will be maintained in their occupancy unless the Collector finds it convenient to give them other lands in lieu.-

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector

No 367

Resolved that the letter above recorded together with its enclosures be submitted for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to the papers noted in the Margin.-

2 The Draft Lease in question has been framed on the usual Form of Lease

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Bd. No 1707.

Proceedings

Submitting a letter from the Collector of Coimbatore forwarding a Draft of the Lease proposed to be given to Mc Mc Ivor for certain lands on the Nilgherries stating that the Board have made a few additions to the Draft lease and requesting to know whether Government is to collect the goodoo payable

Extm. Govt. Order in Cons. 18th March 1852 No 1707 in Cons. 21st Aug. 1851.

payable by the lessees to the Todas also recommending that the advertisement forwarded by the Collector inviting proprietors of Cairos to state whether they require Leases in the new form for their property be published in the Official Gazette.- From Govt to Collr in Cord 4th Nov 1850.

Lease, but with additions having reference to the instructions contained in the Honorable Courts letter of 17th July 1850, No 3 These special conditions are contained in the 1st & Clauses.-

3 One of the Clauses in the usual Form of Lease has been omitted, Viz: Clause 4 which would bind the lessee to report to the Collector any assignment or alienation made to another party within 3 Months from the period of transfer. The only additions in the Draft Lease besides those introduced under the Honorable Courts instructions are stated by Mr Thomas to be in Clauses 11 and 16 of the Draft.-

4 The Board do not perceive any alteration in Clause 11 though there is a considerable addition to Clause 12.- This however has no reference to "unnecessary destruction of wood." There seems no objection to this addition or to that of Clause 16 having for its object the protection to the occupancy of petty cultivators who now hold land within the area comprised by the Lease.-

The

5. The Collector points out that the amount of Goodoo has yet to be ascertained - that a plan and description of the boundaries has also to be obtained, and that he did not think it necessary to transmit the counterparts of the Draft Lease to be taken from Mr McIvor, as the two documents will be nearly alike.-

6. The Board have suggested the introduction of a few words in red Ink in Clauses 2 and 12 of the Draft Lease, and with reference to Clause 15 of that document, and to Clauses 10 and 21 of the Neilgherry Manual, they request to be informed if it is intended that the Government should be burdened with the duty of collecting the Goodoo payable by the Lessees, to the Todas or to such other parties as the latter may have assigned their right.-

7. With these observations the Board consider that the Draft Lease contains

contains all that is necessary and submit it for the approval of Government.-

8 They recommend also that the Advertisement enclosed in Mr. Thomas' letter inviting proprietors of Lands on the Nealgherries to state whether they require Leases in the new form for their property and calling upon them to state particulars may be published in the Official Gazette, with the exception of the Clause which has been erased in the red Ink.-

Read

No. 713

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, Under date the 15th July, 1851.-

Read the following letters...

From the Secretary to the Board of Revenue

(Here enter 19th April 1849 No. 172)

From the Under Secretary to the Government of India.

(6)

Here enter 18th August -. — " — .

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council having had for some time under his attentive consideration the Draft Act submitted by the Board of Revenue for enabling the officers of Government to obtain at a fair valuation Land required for public purposes, and having made various alterations therein, resolves now to forward to the Board a copy of the revised Draft, entitled "An Act to facilitate the acquisition of Land needed for public purposes in the Presidency of Fort St. George", for any observations which they may desire to make on its provisions

2. The Governor in Council

Council resolves also to forward the letter of the Board of Revenue recorded above with a copy of the revised Draft Act to the Court of Sudr Udalut for any suggestions which they may see reason to offer respecting it.

(A True Extract)
(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

A

An Act to facilitate the acquisition of Land needed for Public purposes in the Presidency of Fort St. George.

1 Whenever it shall appear to the Governor in Council of Fort St. George that any land is needed for a public purposes he shall make a declaration to that effect in a Minute of Council, and such declaration shall be conclusive evidence that the purpose for which the land is needed is a public purpose.

2 When a declaration has been made by the Governor in Council that any land is needed for a public purpose

purpose, if there shall be any hindrance to the immediate acquisition of such land by bargain with the parties interested therein, it shall be competent to the Governor in Council to order the land to be assumed and applied to the purpose for which it is needed, leaving claims for compensation for the land and its appurtenances to be determined as hereinafter provided.

3. When an order is passed by the Governor in Council for the assumption of any land for a public purpose it shall be sent to the Collector of the Distrct in which the land lies or to such other officer as the Governor in Council shall think fit to appoint to carry it into Execution, and the Collector or other Officer so appointed shall cause the land ordered to be assumed to be marked out and measured and possession to be taken thereof on behalf of Government and the land and its

appurtenance

appurtenances shall thence forwarded be vested absolutely in the Government.

4 As soon as the land has been marked out, the Officer appointed by Government shall cause the Order in Council to be affixed in some conspicuous place upon the land, and published by proclamation in the neighbouring Bazars and Villages with a Citation to all parties interested in the land to appear before him in person or by authorized Agents on a certain day, not less than 15 days after the date of Citation, that the nature of their interests may be made known and enquiry instituted into their claims to compensation for the land and for any buildings or improvements thereon.

5 It shall be competent to the said Officer to admit any such claims that appear to him to be valid, and if he and the parties interested agree as to the compensation to be allowed to them respectively to pass an award for the same.

6 If the said Officer shall judge any of the claims preferred to be inadmissible and

and the claimants shall nevertheless persist in their claims, or if the said Officer admitting the interests claimed shall object to the compensation demanded for the same, as excessive, the points in dispute shall be referred to the determination of Arbitrators to be appointed in the manner hereinafter provided.

7 Two persons shall be chosen to act as arbitrators on the part of Government by the Officer duly appointed by Government to preside over the inquiry, and the claimants shall be called upon by the said Officer to elect, within a certain reasonable time, two persons to act as arbitrators on his, or their part. If there be several claimants and they cannot agree within the required period in the election of persons to act as Arbitrators on their behalf, then and in that case each of them shall nominate one person, whom he may desire to act on his behalf, and the Officer presiding shall choose by lot out of the persons so nominated by the parties or by any of them, two persons to act as arbitrators on behalf of the claimants

claimants. If only two persons shall be so nominated they shall be the Arbitrators on behalf of the claimants, whether the whole of the claimants may or may not have been concerned in their nomination. If only one person shall be so nominated, then only one of the persons selected to act as arbitrators on the part of Government shall be employed on the duty. If the claimants shall refuse or neglect to make any nomination within the required period, then the presiding Officer shall and may select two impartial persons to arbitrate the matter between Government and the parties.

8 Before they proceed to any other duty, the arbitrators shall be required by the presiding Officer, to appoint an Umpire for the decision of any points whereon they may differ in opinion, when the voice on each side shall be equal. If the arbitrators cannot agree in the selection of an Umpire, the Officer presiding shall be authorized to choose some person to act as such.

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9 In cases wherein the Arbitrators may differ in opinion, if the voices on each side shall be equal, the decision of the Umpire on the point of difference shall be conclusive. In all other cases the opinion of the majority of Arbitrators shall determine the award.

10 The Arbitrators shall hold their enquiry under the general Superintendence of the presiding Officer who shall be competent to exercise towards them such powers and authority for the purpose of securing their attendance and the due completion of their award, as the Courts of Judicature may legally exercise toward persons Summoned as witnesses before them for the purpose of compelling them to attend and give evidence. It shall further be competent to the Officer presiding in the event of any unnecessary delay on the part of arbitrators in determining any point referred to them, to call upon them to make their award within a specified time, and in default thereof to refer the matter to the Umpire for

his

his decision.

11. The presiding Officer shall on the application of the Arbitrators, summon and is hereby authorized to summon, any witnesses, whom the arbitrators may call for, and whom the parties may not be able to produce before them without such process. He shall also cause the proper forms of affirmation to be executed by any witnesses whom the Arbitrators may desire to examine upon affirmation, or he may empower the Arbitrators to cause the execution of such affirmation if the witnesses cannot with convenience attend before him. Any Witness who shall refuse or omit to appear when duly summoned by such presiding officer, or who shall appear but shall refuse to execute the affirmation to be administered as aforesaid, or who shall refuse to give evidence shall be liable to the same punishment which would be incurred under the Law by a witness refusing to appear or give evidence before a Court of Justice. Further any person giving intentionally and deliberality

deliberality a false deposition under a solemn affirmation in any case referred to arbitration as above and upon a point material to the issue thereof, shall be held to be guilty of perjury and shall be liable to the penalties prescribed for that offence by Law; and any person causing or procuring another person to commit the offence of perjury as above described, shall be held to be guilty of subornation of perjury, and punishable according to Law

12. It shall also be competent to the Officer presiding to demand the production of any accounts or other documents which may be required by the Arbitrators for the purposes of their enquiry, and in the event of such accounts or documents being withheld and the fact of their existence being proved by information given upon solemn affirmation, to order the seizure of such accounts and documents wherever they may have been deposited, in the manner prescribed by Section IX I Regulation IX 1822 of the Madras Code, and to exercise

for

for that purpose the powers thereby vested in Collectors.

13 The Arbitrators shall take into consideration the Statements of the claimants and the objections of the Officer on behalf of Government, and after examining the evidence offered on both sides and making any further enquiry that may appear to them to be necessary, shall pass their award allowing or disallowing the interests claimed, and determining the total amount of compensation to be given for the interests allowed, the mode in which it is to be given, and if to be given to more than one party, the shares of the total compensation which each party shall be entitled to receive.

14 The award of the arbitrators or of the umpire, if he shall be called upon to make an award, shall be binding conclusively both upon the Government and the parties interested in the land, as respects the gross amount of the compensation to be paid by Government unless the award shall be set aside by

by the Civil Court of the Zillah upon a charge of corruption against the Arbitrators or the Umpire as the case may be brought by either party and proved after due investigation to the satisfaction of such Court, in which case the matter shall be referred for the determination of a second set of Arbitrators, to be chosen in the same manner as the first, and their decision whatever it may be shall be final. The award of the Arbitrators or umpire shall also be binding, as respects the shares to be paid to the several parties interested, unless, upon a Suit instituted in a competent Court by any of the parties concerned to alter the apportionment made by such award, an injunction shall be issued to suspend the payment until a decree is passed in the case.

15 If the question of the previous possession of any land assumed by Government under this act shall in any case be doubtful or if there exist other grounds, which in the judgment of the Arbitrators render it improper

to

to make immediate payment of the compensation awarded by them, or of any part thereof, to any of the claimants, it shall be the duty of the Arbitrators to certify the circumstance to the Officer under whose directions they may act, and in such case the amount, which they may propose to reserve shall be held in deposit, being invested in Government Securities if of sufficient amount to render such a measure desirable until one of the claimants shall obtain an Order of Court for the payment of the same.

16 On the close of the enquiry, the Arbitrators or Umpire shall deliver to the Officer Commissioned as aforesaid to Superintend the Arbitration a full and complete report and award, upon the point or points submitted to their Arbitration, under their respective signatures, specifying the amount of compensation to be granted, and (unless in cases wherein under Section 15 of this Act

shall it may appear proper to suspend payment) the parties to whom it is to be made, and the proportions to be paid to each respectively with a solemn declaration subscribed thereto, that the award so given, is to the best of their judgment, true and impartial, and according to the evidence adduced before them they shall, at the same time deposit with the said Officer the whole of their proceedings.

17 In the case of land declared by a minute of the Governor in Council to be needed for a public purpose being acquired by the Government by bargain with the parties apparently interested therein, the Officer appointed by Government to receive possession of the same shall cause proclamation to be made in the manner prescribed in the 4th Section of this act of the transfer of the land to Government by the said parties and requiring all other persons who may claim any right, title or interest in such land to prefer their claims on or before a certain date and any claims that may be preferred shall be dealt with under Section 5 or Sec 6

of

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of this act and it is hereby provided that after such proclamation shall have been made, any suit to recover the land transferred to Government or to obtain from Government compensation for the loss thereof which may be preferred in any Court of Judicature shall be dismissed with costs. But nothing herein contained shall affect the liability of the party who may receive the Value of any land or other property transferred to Government without having a good title to the same.

18 In cases referred to Arbitration under the provisions of the preceding Sections any necessary expense which may attend the enquiry of the Arbitration whether for the diet of Witnesses or otherwise shall be paid by Government.

19. And it is hereby further enacted that the provisions of Act No. XLII of 1850 or an act of amending additional facilities for Public Works in Bengal shall be extended to the Madras Presidency, and the said enactment shall be taken as part and parcel of this Act except that for Regulation I 1824 of the Bengal Code mentioned in the said Act XLII of 1850, shall be substituted this present Act.

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

D.F.

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Ordered that the following letter be submitted in reply.

Sec. 359.

(67)

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Submitting the Board's observations on the Revised Draft of an Act entitled "An Act for facilitating the acquisition of land for public purposes."

To The Chief Secretary to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to reply to Extract Minutes Consultation dated 18th July 1851. forwarding for such suggestions as may appear requisite a copy of the Revised Draft of an Act entitled "An Act for facilitating the acquisitions of Land for Public purposes."

2 Except as regards an advantageous abbreviation the Board perceive no material difference between the Revised Draft, and the Draft forwarded by the Board to Government on the 19th August 1849. which was based on the seven first Sections of the Bengal Regulation I of 1824.

3 The only Madras Regulation that treats on the subject of arbitration is Regulation XXI of 1802 but this supposes more of mutual consent than is contemplated under the Act now proposed

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proposed. It is probably on this account that Government have not thought it necessary that the parties should sign an obs arbitration Bond, which was a part of the procedure mentioned in the Board's Draft / Cl. 1 Section VI. /

4. The Board perceive that the provision of the Bengal Railway Act XLII of 1850 / passed since the Board sent up their Draft / have been embodied in the Revised Draft, which now appears to them well adapted to promote the objects it has in contemplation it being perhaps hardly necessary to notice that the period within which a suit may be preferred under Sections XIV and XVII is not stated.-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George.
21st August, 1851.

/ Signed / W. H. Bayley
Secretary

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Bd. 8th 1866.

From the Secretary to Government.

Read the following Resolution

No. 778.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date 2d August 1851.
/ From Board 21st July /

Resolved that the Collector

Fort St. George 21st August 1851.

Nellore be authorized to disburse subject to audit the arrears of Jyemiah due to Abdool Vahibkhan from November 1849 to May 1851 amounting to Rupees / 66-8-0 / Sixty Six and annas eight and to continue the payment of his allowance for the future

By Order,
/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

Bd. 8th 1635

Order thereon

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Ordered to be communicated to the Sub Collector in charge of Nellore, with reference to the Collector's Statement of arrears of Jyemiah dated 30th June 1851.

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Bd. 8th 1866

From the Secretary to Government - Authorizing the Continuance and resumption of certain Enams in the District of Cuddapah

700

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date 4th August 1851.

/ From Board 23d June /

Pcr Para 2. The Enams enjoyed by the deceased must be considered to have lapsed to Government in default of heirs or near relatives.-

3. This portion of the Enam may

may be continued as recommended by the Acting Collector and the Board of Revenue, to Munjah the widow of the late holder's son, to be enjoyed by her for life.—

Sr. 260 4. The deceased having left no relatives except an elder Sister who is stated to have been married into another family, the Government concurs with the Board that the Enam held by him should be resumed.—

Sr. 267 5. The share of the deceased in both Enams will be continued to his widow Soonckah for her life as recommended by the Board of Revenue.—

Sr. 271 6. This trifling Enam may be continued to the widow of the late incumbent for her life.—

Sr. 274 7. Deducting the portion of the Enam said to be in the enjoyment of Pedda Chedumbarabuttoo, there remain A, 17-35—14 3/4 assessed at Rupees 61-1-1 which are shewn to have been in the joint possession of the deceased and

and Chinna Chedumbarabuttoo—The Government concur in the view taken by the Board as to the right of succession in this case, and desire that instructions may accordingly be issued for making over the moiety enjoyed by the deceased to Nursumbuttoo the Younger brother of the deceased, if of an undivided family, but if otherwise it should be continued to the widow, for her life.—

Sr. 275 8. The Government see no sufficient reason for continuing the share enjoyed by the deceased to his sister's son Siddalingadoo, and direct that it be made over to Ramackah the Mother, for her life.—

Sr. 276 9. Neither do the Government see sufficient grounds for continuing the share of the late T. Nagammah to her grand son in the female line as recommended by the Board and they resolve therefore that it be resumed.—

Sr. 277 10. The share of A 3-3-10 assessed at Rupees 22-12-0 enjoyed by

by the deceased will be continued as for life to Paupah his brother's widow as recommended by the Board and the remainder will be left in possession of Soobroydoo who is said to have purchased and enjoyed that portion, for the last 20 Years.-

No. 278

11 The Government do not concur with the Board of Revenue that long possession in this case forms sufficient ground for the continuance of the share held by the deceased to her grandson in the female line. It will therefore be resumed as recommended by the Acting Collector.-

By Order

Signed/ T. Pycroft

Secretary to Government

10-11

Bd. No. 1645.

Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated together with copy of the Board's Remarks dated 23d June 1851 to the Collector of Cuddapah with reference to the Tabular Report of lapsed Enams in his District dated

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dated 15th April 1851.

Bd. No. 1071

From the Secretary to Government.-

No. 786

Read the following Extract

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date 5th August 1851.

Read the following

No. 943

To

Sir. H. C. Montgomery Bart.-

Chief Secretary to Government at Fort St. George

Sir,

It appears from the Circular orders of the Madras Board of Revenue that Estimates for charges to be incurred during the Year are submitted for Sanction before the charges are incurred.-

2. I have therefore been directed to request that You will move the Right Honorable the Governor in Council at Fort St. George to favor this Government with information as to what Estimates are submitted, and what description of items are entered therein, and what forms gone through before the accounts are audited and the money finally adjusted as sanctioned Expenditure

in

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expenditure in the accounts of the dis-
-bursing Officers.-

Bombay Castle,
10th July 1851. - - -

(Signed) A. Malet
Chief Secretary to Governm

No. 706

Resolved that the Board
of Revenue be requested to furnish the infor-
-tion applied for by the Governmnt
of Bombay.-

(Signed) J. Pycroft
Secretary to Governm

Order that the following
letter be submitted in reply.-

No. 362

(12-13.)

Bd. No. 1660

To The Chief Secretary to
Sir, Government

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

I am directed by the Board
of Revenue to acknowledge the r
-ceipt of a Resolution of Govern-
-ment dated 5th August 1851 forward-
-ing copy of a letter from the Chief
Secretary to the Government of Bomb
requesting that information be furnish
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J. G. B.

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are incurred, the description of items entered
in them, and the forms gone through be-
-fore the accounts are audited, and the
money finally adjusted as sanctioned expendi-
-ture in the accounts of the disbursing Officer-

2- In reply I am instructed to
Estimate of Tuccavy &c. forward herewith copies of certain Estimates
" of Extra charges noted in the margin, for the Districts of
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-blishments. for Fusly 1259, shewing the items for
which Estimates are usually submitted
previous to the charges being incurred. These
it will be seen are of a fluctuating nature-

3- In addition to the above all
Saderwared charges, both for the Revenue
and Magisterial Departments are incur-
-red under a Standard Estimate which
has been sanctioned by Government for
each District based upon the average
quantity required and price of each
article for three successive years. All
Saderwared disbursements are regulated
by this Standard. A list of Saderwared
Articles to be included in this Estimate,
page 159- will be found in the C. O. of 7th April 1834-

On

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Bombay Castle,
10th July 1851. - - -

(Signed) A. Malet
Chief Secretary to Gover

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Bd. No. 1660

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(page 159-)

On

Fort St. George, 21st August 1851.

4- On an Estimate for Tuccavy being submitted, it is scrutinized in the Board's Office, and should there be no material difference between the items entered therein, and those of the preceding years, or such occurring, if sufficient explanation be afforded, it is submitted for the sanction of Government. The same scrutiny is observed in regard to the Estimates for Extra Establishments and Extra charges. Estimates for Tuccavy and Extra charges are submitted to Government from time to time as they are received from the several Districts but with respect to Extra Establishments a General Statement+ is prepared in this Office, and laid before Government, in which is exhibited in separate Columns the actual charges of the preceding, and the Estimated charges of the Current Fusly and concise remarks noted as to the cause of fluctuations. The separate detailed Statements received from the Collectors, which contain minute explanation regarding each item of increase or decrease, also accompany this General Statement

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+ Vide Form accompanying-

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Statement-

5 All "Estimates" as will be observed from the Board's Standing orders of 13th July 1826, are to be submitted two months previously to the commencement of each Fusly year, but those for Extra Establishments, being prepared on a comparison with the actual charges of the preceding year cannot be submitted until after the close of the Fusly-

6- Statements of "actual charges incurred under Estimates" as above explained, are to be submitted two Months subsequent to the termination of each Fusly year- These when received, are compared with the Estimates that have been previously sanctioned by Government, and the accounts particular for the Saderwared and Extra charges which accompany them, are carefully checked- If these are found correct, and satisfactory reasons given for any difference that may exist between the Estimated and the actual disbursements, the amount with the exception of the expenditure incurred on account of Tuccavy, is recommended for sanction after the orders

Para 23 page 53.

Vide Form C.O. Book Page- 206-

orders of Government are received they are communicated to the Collector direct by the Board and the original Statements are forwarded to the Civil Auditor who after comparing them with the accounts furnished to his Office by the Collector admits the sanctioned charges. The accounts are then considered finally adjusted -

Vide Form C.O. Book page 54-

7- The Statements of actual charges for Tuccavy are sanctioned by the Board under an order of Government dated 11th May 1846, provided the amount disbursed does not exceed the Estimate. In cases however where the charges exceed the Estimate, they are transmitted for the orders of Government, and sanction communicated to the Collector and Civil Auditor in the same manner as for other charges.

8- Though not expressly sought for by the Bombay Government, the following information may be acceptable regarding other charges, which do not admit of an Estimate; such as Batta to Hoozoor Servants on Circuit; Rewards for the destructions of wild Beasts; charges for Transporting Treasure &c. &c. which Collectors

C.O. 13th June 1830. page 209-

" 4th July 1830 Page 204-

Collectors are authorized to incur on their individual responsibility, and to include in one General Statement of charges incurred without Estimate, proper explanation being afforded in it of the necessity for incurring each new item, and of the cause of any marked increase. The Statement is forwarded to the Board accompanied by the necessary detailed accounts particular, within two Months after the termination of the Fusly, and is submitted for the sanction of Government, after it has been scrutinized in this Office. These charges are finally adjusted like the other charges in the manner explained above.

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Vide Form C.O. Book page 206-

C.O. 10th January 1828 page 74-

9- In addition to the foregoing, Collectors are authorized, at their discretion, to incur charges for contingencies to the amount of Rupees 20. without previous sanction. These are scrutinized and passed Monthly in this Office and the actual disbursements is laid before Government quarterly.

10- The Board direct me to add that their Circular orders under the head "charges" will be found to afford full

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full information on the subject under consideration.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
21st August, 1851.

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary

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B. No. 1887.
From the Secretary to Government.

Read the following Memorandum
Official Memorandum.

In Section XXVII of the revised Draft Act for securing the Madras Abkarry revenue submitted by the Board of Revenue with their Secretary's letter of June 1851 it is prescribed that "the provisions regarding Distilleries in Sections II and III of Act XXXII, 1845 except such portion of Section II as relates to the duties of the produce of the Distilleries of the licensed retail dealers of Madras are made applicable to the Town of Madras and the limits defined in Section II of this Act."

The Secretary to Government in the Revenue Department has directed to request explanation of the reason of this exception. The first Section II Act XXXII 1845 refers to prohibits the sale of spirits the

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of Distilleries in the Provinces, to the licensed retail dealers of Madras, and the effect of excepting from this prohibition the Distilleries to be established at Madras or in its suburbs would seem to be to allow the free disposal of Spirits manufactured at them to the Presidency retail Venders, which it is presumed was not intended by the Board of Revenue.

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government.

Fort St. George,
7th August, 1851.

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.

Ordered that the following Memorandum be submitted in consequence.

14.15

No. 358.

B. No. 1857.
To The Secretary to Government.

Official Memorandum.

With reference to the Official Memorandum under date 7th August 1851 from the Secretary to Government in the Revenue Department, the Secretary to the Board of Revenue has been directed to explain that the words noticed by Government in Section XXVIII of the revised Draft Act for securing the Madras Abkarry Revenue were intended to preclude any necessity for applying to the

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the Legislature in the event of it's being the wish of Government to effect a change of the Madras Abkarry System, and to place it on a footing similar to that which obtain in the provinces where the Abkarry Renters has the option of obtaining Spirits from Distilleries established under the provisions of Act XXII of 1845.

2. As Section VI of the revised draft provides that the Licensed dealers of Madras can obtain their supplies in as may be permitted by their Licenses it was not deemed that the effect of the clause in question, would be as supposed by Government and to meet this view, the words "whether it is supplied by the Officers of Government or otherwise" added to Section VI. On further consideration however the Board would suggest that the entire passage of Section VI should run as follows, Each License shall distinctly specify the amount of Rent to be paid to Government, the kinds or kinds of liquor the holder is authorized to sell, the manner in which

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and source when such Liquor is to be supplied to him, and, if it shall be supplied to him by the Officers of Government, the price which he is to pay for it. The License shall further specify &c.-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George, - - -
21st August, 1851. - -

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary -

16

B. No. 1980-
From the Secretary to Government

Read the following Extract -

No. 823.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, in the Revenue Department, under date the 15th August, 1851-

Read the following letter

No. 85-

To
T. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to Government
in the Judicial Departt.

Sir,

1 I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Sudder Udalut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 3rd June 1851 requesting with reference to the original correspondence herewith returned, the opinion of the Court

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Court as to the authority competent to take cognizance of claims to or complaints connected with Enams in the Venkatagherry Estate.

2. The Judges observe that the clause by which, on the Summuds issued to the Northern Zemindars, the Grants of Rentfree or favorably assessed lands by the former Governments were specially reserved, and so practically confirmed, and continued to the holders by the British Government, is omitted in the Summud issued to the Zemindar of Venkatagherry and they consequently consider that Regulation IV of 1831 and Act XXXI of 1836 do not apply to Enams in the Estate in question and that claims to such Enam are cognizable by the ordinary Tribunals.

Register's Office, 5th August, 1851.

/Signed/ G. T. Beauchamp
Register

Ordered that the foregoing letter be communicated to the Board of Revenue with reference to Para 3 of Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 3 [illegible]

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June 1851. No. 537.

/A true Extract/

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government.

(18.17)

B. No. 1647.
Order thereon.

Ordered to be communicated to the Sub Collector in charge of Nellore with reference to the Board's Proceedings dated 12th June 1851.

(18)

B. No. 1982.
From the Secretary to Government.

No. 827.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department, under date the 15th August, 1851.

Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

(Here enter 17th July 1851. No. 304.)

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased, agreeably to the recommendation of the Board of Revenue submitted in the case of the lapsed share in the Dehaut Enam of Mailcoopum in North Arcot to authorize the continuance of the portions now in the enjoyment of the families of Mahomed Hoosain and

Extract Minutes Consultation 11th March 1851. No. 240. para 3.

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and Mahodeen Beebee and to direct that the amount Viz.t Rupees 132-0-0 / One hundred and thirty two per annum, / payable to each family be registered in equal shares in the names of the undermentioned Members, each share to lapse with the life of the present incumbent.—

Family of Mahomed Hoosain—

1.	Mahomed Awooleya alias Awooleyah Hoosain son—	each Ds 33-0-0 per annum
1.	Hoosain Mahomed ——— Do:	
1.	Abdool Cauder ——— Do:	
1.	Mareem beebee, Niece.	
4.		

Family of Mahodeen Beebee—

1.	Syed Bee, grand daughter—	each Ds 16-8-0
1.	Meeran bee ——— Do:	
1.	Abdool Guffoor grandson—	
1.	Cauder Mohodeen ——— Do:	
1.	Mahomed Essuff ——— Do:	
1.	Meeran bee daughter—	
1.	Nunnee bee daughter of the said Meeran bee—	
1.	Cauder bee, grand daughter—	
8.		

/ A true Extract /
/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary to Govern.
Ordered

D.G.

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B.R. No. 1862.
Order thereon.
(18.19)
Dated 17th July 1851.

Ordered to be communicated to the acting Collector of North arcot, with reference to his letter dated 30th June 1851.—

B.R. No. 1988.
From the Secy. to Government
(20)

No. 821.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department under date the 15th August 1851.—

Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue—

/ Here enter 4th August 1851 No. 338 /

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased under the circumstances represented to exempt Badaraj ahs Saibah from personal appearance at the Collector's Cutcherry and to permit her to draw her pension through her Vakeel, subject to para 4 of the Yeomiah Rules 24th December 1840, as modified by para 2 of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation 25th February 1851 No. 194.—

(20.21)

/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government.

B.R. No. 1663
Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated for the information and guidance of the Sub Collector in charge of Nellore, with reference to his

In Cons 4th Augt 1851

his letter dated 19th July 1851.

Read the following letter.

No. 350.

To,

W. A. Bayley Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue.

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B. No. 1789.

From the Commissioner Northern Circars. } Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of an Extract from the Board's Proceedings of the 21st instant forwarded for my information with reference to the disposal of the question regarding the rent of the Custom Chowkies on the Frontier of the French Settlement of Yanaon. From the mention which occurs of the acceptance of an offer to rent the right of collecting these duties I am led to suppose that this mode of realizing the Revenue is considered to be in accordance with the provision of act V of 1844. In that case it might be advisable to extend the practice to other places in which the present system has not been found to work satisfactorily, and I shall therefore feel obliged by your favoring me with copies of any resolutions adopted by the Board of Government

Government on the subject.

Masulipatam ... Commissioner's camp 26th July 1851. ... } /Signed/ Walter Elliot Commissioner.

Ordered that the foregoing letter and the previous correspondence on the subject be submitted with the following address.

No. 363.

22.23

B. No. 1674

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

To The Chief Secretary to Government ... } Sir,

From Regy to 10 Inclos 21st Augt 1851 Proceedings 14th Augt 1851

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to state for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that agreeably to the authority of Government contained in Para 6, of Extract from Minutes of Consultation dated 29th April 1851 they have accepted the offer of one Puttanetta Venkana for the rent of the Yanaon Chowkies of the District of Rajahmundry for Fusly 1261.

2. The Commissioner has however since expressed a doubt as to whether this

this mode of realizing the revenue is in accordance with the provisions of act V of 1844.

3. The Board of Revenue are not prepared to give a decided opinion on this point, and would solicit the instructions of Government as to whether the question should be reconsidered.-

4. They notice that under Section IX of act VI of 1844 it is lawful for the Government to appoint any Officer to collect the Customs duties - but it is not clear whether a Renter may be delegated to make such collections. In case of any change however the Board think it would be sufficient to notify the same in the Official Gazette agreeably to Section X of the Customs Act.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George,
21st August 1851.

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary.-

Read the following letter

(24)

B. R. 1316.

From the Collector of ....
Masulipatam.

No. 21

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

With reference to your letter of

of the 5th Ultimo, I have the honor to inform you that a careful search has been made in the Records of this Office on the subject of the limits of Military Cantonment at this place, but no information is forthcoming.- a reference has been made to the Brigadier Commanding Masulipatam on the subject, from whose reply, a copy of which is herewith forwarded it will be observed that Masulipatam had never been established as a Military Cantonment.-

Masulipatam
Collectors Cutcherry
7th June 1851....

/Signed/ R. J. Porter
Collector.

Encl. No. 1.
No. 148.

To, R. J. Porter Esqre
Collector and Magistrate
of Masulipatam.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge your letter dated 29th Ultimo, requesting me to furnish you with a Plan defining the limits of the Military Cantonment at Masulipatam and to afford you such information on the

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the subject as to enable you to reply to a letter from the Revenue Board on the subject a copy of which accompanied your letter.

2. I beg in reply to state that on searching the Garrison records, I cannot find therein, any reference made whatever to Masulipatam having ever been established as a Military Cantonment; there is no Plan of such in existence, nor has it been marked off as prescribed by G. O. G. 17th April 1849. I am therefore of opinion that Masulipatam is not a Military Cantonment.

3d. It appears on record that in the year 1823 a small piece of ground within the Pettah was rented at 35 Rupees per month (for a Military Bazar) in consequence of the crowded state of the Fort, but that it was discontinued in 1833 when the Military Bazar was established within the Fort.

Masulipatam, 5th June 1851.

(Signed) I. K. Luard Brigadier
Commanding Masulipatam

(True Copy)
(Signed) R. J. Porter
Collector

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Order thereon. (24. 25)

Ordered to lie over

Read the following Letters.—

No. 16.

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

(26)

Bd. No. 556.

From the Collector of Nellore ——— Sir,

Forwarding the Reports of the Sub Collector on the details and the result of the Survey of Palcoor in the Sub Division as respects the Circar and Enam Lands with his observations.—

In reference to an Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 8th April 1850 directing a new Survey and Classification of the lands of the Village of Palcoor in the Sub Division of this District, I have the honor to forward herewith the Report of my Sub Collector on the details and result of the Survey, both as respects the Circar and Enam lands. The grounds for the Classification and rates of assessment adopted are fully explained by Mr. Purvis, and the detailed native accounts which are also herewith submitted will, it is hoped, afford all the information required.—

2. In respect to the treatment of Enams which show an excess above the registered extent, the Board have already

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already expressed their opinion. It appears to me that to call upon the holder to prove that he has always been in possession of that excess as the only condition of his retaining it will in most instances be tantamount to demanding an unconditional surrender, for the only satisfactory proof in the absence of properly prepared field war Chittahs must be drawn from the Original Sunnads and other Documents, and these are known to be professedly vague and dubious on the other hand, that there exist extensive encroachments on Circar lands and fraudulent absorptions of waste cannot be doubted, and it would be an undue sacrifice of the interest of Government to leave such encroachments untouched. Mr. Parvis recommends a middle course which I think may be adopted Viz: that all excess above per ℅ should be resumed under the same rule as obtains in regard to Circar land and brought to the ain accounts, but the distinction he proposes in the case of wet land Enams, tho it may be unobjectionable when received with reference to

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to one particular Village, should not I think be regarded as a general measure applicable to the Enams throughout the District, but the same rule should apply without distinction to both dry and wet lands. Whatever be the mode, however in which it may be ultimately determined to deal with the excess in these cases, it is highly desirable, as proposed by Mr. Parvis that the whole of the Enam ayacut should be at once measured and marked out with definite boundaries, that further encroachments may be prevented.

I much regret that my occupation for the last 2 Months with the settlement has occasioned the earlier transmission of this report to be overlooked.

Nellore,
Collector's Cutcherry,
4th March, 1851

/Signed/ D. White
Collector.

No. 1

Report on the Survey Proposed Classification and Assessment of the lands of the Village of Pulloor in the Davagoodoor Talook, of the District of Nellore.

Position of Village

1. The Village of Pulloor which

which is one of the largest in the Talook to which it is attached, lies about seven miles from the sea between the Palair and Munnair rivers. About five miles to the west of the high North road.—

Area. 2. The total area of the lands of the Village as ascertained by the present survey is Acres 7,044 — Cents 9 77/64 or about eleven square miles.—

Population— 3 The inhabitants, among whom are a considerable number of Brahmins, are almost all employed in agriculture.— I have had the houses enumerated and as correct a census as possible taken of the population of the Village, including a small hamlet and an agraharam situated within the boundary and the result is as follows.—

Number of houses	260
Inhabitants	
Males above 10 years of age	522
Females— Do.	551
Children	560
Total—	1,633

Number of Ryots and Puttahs 4 The number of Ryots in Fusly was 123— Of Puttahs 103— of plough

1259 / A.D. 1849-50 / No. 1. ploughs 138. For further statistical details I beg to refer to the Statement numbered as in the Margin.—

Cultivation 5. The Cultivation carried on is principally of dry grain amounting on an average of the last twenty years, according to the old accounts, to — Gortoos 506 — 27/64 or Acres 1,582 — Cents 17 14/64 per annum— There is but one Tank under which any Crops of paddy are raised and that not a very large one, the average annual Cultivation for the same number of years being 27 24 3/4 / 64

Gortoos or ——— Acres 85 —— Cents 23 3/64 ——

About 10 7/64 Gortoos or Acres 31 —— Cents 24 62/64 of land are yearly planted with Tobacco and Chillies, but the extent of land Cultivated with the Ordinary Garden Crops is very limited.—

Former Survey and Assessment— 6. In Fuslies 1211 / A.D. 1801/2 and 1212 / 1802/3 that is immediately after this part of the Country came under the present Government, Mr. Travers caused all the lands of the Village whether cultivated, or waste to be measured but large tracts were measured

measured as one field, no account showing the boundaries of each field or tract was kept, and no boundary marks of any sort were laid down. The lands were classed and assessed, but, as was to be expected when the extent of each field was so great there was generally more than one and often several classes in the same field and nothing is forthcoming, indeed no account was ever prepared to show under what class any particular portion of the field was placed. The assessment imposed by Mr. Travers continued till Fasly 1218 A.D. 1808/9. In the following year the biennial rents were introduced and were succeeded by the decennial. In Fasly 1232 A.D. 1822.3 and 1233 A.D. 1823.4 a kind of Putcut system prevailed, and in the two following years the Revenue was collected under a division of the produce. In the formation of these years under instruction from Mr. Smalley, who was then administering the affairs of the Dis-

all the arable lands in the Village were divided into portions and numbered but the duty was performed by some of the Curnums in the Hoozoor Cutcherry, without any measurement or examination of the fields, under no rule as to the size of each field and no account showing the boundaries of each number, or how each was situated with reference to adjoining numbers was kept. In Fasly 1236 A.D. 1826/27 Mr. Travers classification and assessment was reverted to, but a remission of 7 per Cent on the assessment fixed but that Gentleman on both dry and wet lands was granted, the produce accounts for a series of years being supposed to show such to have been called for. In Fasly 12-38 A.D. 1828.9 this remission was increased to 15 per cent which is the amount that has since been annually granted. It is unnecessary for me to refer to what has since passed in reference to this Village, the circumstances attending which are detailed in the Board's Proceedings of

of the 8th April 1850.—

Present Survey

7. The measurement on the present occasion was made on the modern or square system with a chain of 33 feet, one such chain each way making a Coonta and 40 Coontas an acre. In order to the work being completed with as little delay as possible and before the commencement of the ensuing Cultivating season, I divided the lands of the Village into two parts and entrusted the duty of measuring the lands of each devision to two intelligent Goomastas The instructions given in Para 34 of the Board's Proceedings directing that the survey should be undertaken formed the bases of my instructions to the Surveyors - They were to measure all land of whatever description numbering each spot or field successively, keeping a careful record of the detailed measurement and the number of Chains each way in each field or division of a field. All natural boundaries and land marks to be minutely recorded with the bearings of all the adjoining fields the name

of the holder whether the field be Goverment or Enam land whether dry, wet, or garden, and in short every particular relative to the present state of the field, or what would aid in identifying it hereafter. The Surveyors were directed not unnecessarily to Subdivide fields, but where the existing field exceeded 10 or 11 Acres in extent it was to be divided into two or more numbers - They were carefully to avoid including under the same number, land of more than one description of Soil or of unequal productive powers. All waste land fit for Cultivation they were directed to divide into separate fields each such field not to exceed 10 acres in extent.—

Check Measurements.

8. As a check on the proceedings of the Surveyors and in order to ascertain with what degree of correctness they performed the duty entrusted to them, I appointed a servant in whom I had reason to place confidence carefully to compare every field with the Surveyors' measurement accounts, to ascertain

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that all entries were made correctly, and to remeasure a certain portion of their daily work, the fields so remeasured being of course fixed upon at the discretion of the examiner. About 1626 acres 27½ Cantas or very nearly one fourth of the whole land of the Village was thus remeasured. The result was very satisfactory and further examinations instituted when I was myself at Pulloor have tended to confirm me in my opinion of the accuracy of the present survey.—

Boundary marks.

9. The boundary of each field was first marked out with a plough and stones were placed at each angle, but a difficulty was experienced in getting stones of sufficient size and as they are also liable to removal I induced the Ryots to raise a small earthern bank round each field in their possession, either for cultivation or for grazing. I believe this to be the best plan that can be adopted to mark the limits of the fields such

such banks cannot when once properly raised be easily removed and with ordinary attention at the proper season can be kept in repair with but little trouble. I have since learnt that this is the plan that has been adopted in the surveys under the Bombay Presidency. I did not think it fair to call upon the Ryots generally to raise banks round the waste land, not in their possession and which has now been measured classed and assessed, but propose it should be a rule that any party hereafter taking up such land for cultivation should, immediately on entering on the occupancy of the field, define the boundary of it in the manner proposed.—

Number of fields.

10 The number of fields as fixed by the present survey are as follows.—

	Number of fields	Total Extent Acres Cantas	
Government land			
Dry land	929	5027— 32—	41/64
Wet land	259	232— 7—	5/64
Garden	110	43— 37—	59/64
	1298	5303— 37—	41/64

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Enam land	number of fields	Total Extent Acres	Cents
Dry land	115	1,151	39
Wet	26	35	32
	141	1187	31
Deducted for various reasons	121	552	17
Grand Total	1,560	1644	9

Size of Fields

	Acres	Cents
Dry	5	16
Wet	"	25
Garden	"	44

11. The average size of the fi
in the Government lands deducte
tional parts of a Coonta is given
the Margin. They are generally
than I could have wished but it
not be avoided, for to have mer
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or more Ryots under separ
Puttahs would have caused
confusion. The total extent
land available for wet cultiv
being small these lands in pa
cular are very much subdivided

Map of Village.

12. Being strongly impressed
the advantage to be derived from having a
the Village showing the position of every fi
in it, I ordered such to be prepared by

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surveyors; the one they have executed is as was to be expected from the novelty of the task so rough and so out of proportion as not to be presentable, though rough as it is, it is not without its utility and I still hope should the survey be approved of and be ordered to be acted upon to be able with the aid of a Maistry to have a tolera-
-ble map of the Village drawn out.-

Result of Survey.-

13. The subjoined Statement shows the total extent of land of every description recorded as within the boundary of the Village according to the old accounts and the actual extent as ascertained by the present survey. The deductions from the total extent on account of land oc-
-cupied by the site of the Village, hills, water courses, roads &c &c and rent free land are also exhibited. The remainder being the total extent of land availa-
-ble for cultivation.-

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Items	Extent of land as per old Geodical-			Extent of land as per present measurement		Increase		Decrease	
	In Gortoos	Acres	In Cantas	Acres	Cantas	Acres	Cantas	Acres	Cantas
Total Extent of land	2,103 6/64	6572	6 46/64	7,044	9 17/64	..	..	..	..
Deductions									
Site of the Village &c	10 57/64	34	1 21/64	34	14 55/64	..	13 34/64	..	..
Water Channels	9 15/64	28	34 19/64	34	17 2/64	5	22 47/64	..	..
Supplying and Irrigating Channels	"	"	"	50	10 2/64	55	10 2/64	..	..
Banks of Tanks Small Tanks for cattle Wells &c	13 3/16	41	8 7/16	74	5 15/64	32	36 51/64	..	..
Hills stony ground and land impregnated with salt	19 1/4	60	6 1/4	86	25 29/64	26	19 13/64	..	..
Sandy tracts and bed of river	34 7/16	107	24 11/16	196	14 5/64	88	29 25/64	..	..
Roads and paths	10 46/64	33	19 62/64	69	11 49/64	35	31 51/64	..	..
Tank Sits	"	"	"	1	39 26/64	1	39 26/64	..	..
Bed of Tanks	63 54/64	199	20 22/64	"	"	"	"	199	20 22/64
Total	185 9/16	579	35 5/16	552	17 55/64	247	2 57/64	274	20 22/64
Exams									
Dry land	309	965	25	1151	39 39/64	186	14 39/64	..	..
Wet lands	8 9/16	26	30 5/16	35	34 10/64	9	3 54/64	..	..
Total	317 9/16	992	15 5/16	1187	33 49/64	195	18 29/64	..	..
Total Deductions	503 1/8	1572	10 5/8	1740	11 5/8	442	21 22/64	274	20 22/64
Remainder						Net Increase			
Dry land cultivated and fit for cultivation	1086 43/64	3395	34 15/64			168	1		
Do grazing waste	386 43/64	1208	13 63/64						
	1473 22/64	4604	8 14/64	5027	32 41/64	423	24 27/64	..	..
Wet land	102 7/64	319	3 27/64	232	7 5/64	..	..	86	36 22/64
Garden Land									
Mooloom two Crops	8 61/64	27	39 9/64	7	9 15/16	..	..	20	29 13/64
One Crop	2 3/64	6	15 55/64	"	"	..	..	6	15 55/64
	11	34	15	7	9 15/16	..	..	27	5 1/16
Jaeeb									
Tobacco	6 46/64	20	39 54/64	17	25 37/64	..	..	3	14 17/64
Chillees	6 25/64	19	38 53/64	17	17 7/16	..	..	2	21
Vegetables	" 26/64	1	10 50/64	1	24 62/64	..	14 3/16	..	..
	13 33/64	42	9 29/64	36	27 63/64	..	14 3/16	5	35 42/64
Grand Total	1599 62/64	4999	36 6/64	5303	37 41/64	423	38 39/64	119	37 1/16
						Net Increase			
						304	1 35/64		

14 The existing Godicut was drawn up in Fusly 1212 - A.D. 1802-3 The extent of land deducted under the heads referred to in the last Para-graph was not ascertained with any partic-ular degree of accuracy - To this cause is to be attributed the increase found by the present survey in most of the items - The sandy tracts run along the line of the Palair river and have extended of late years owing to the river having somewhat changed its course - I thought it right that the land in the bed of the tank should though deducted in the old accounts be measured, classed and assessed as five dry crops may be raised on it in a year of drought - I did the same in regard to land planted with Topes as though the land on which most of them stand is not now capable of being cultivated, it in many instances affords good pasturage and may at some future period be brought under the plough - Three of the Topes entered in the accounts of Fusly 1212 - A.D. 1802-3 are no longer standing and the land has as the trees died off been planted with wet crops - I propose noticing the increase found

found in the Enam lands in a separate communication -

15 The decrease in the extent of land entered in the new survey accounts as available for wet cultivation requires some explanation - It is owing principally to about 30 Gortoos or 93 acres having been in Fusly 1240 - A.D. 1830-31 - transferred from the dry to the wet land ayacut under a proposal made by the Ryots of the Village to bring that extent of land under wet cultivation, provided a certain tank / Kulla / thereon was repaired - The repair was made but very small extent of land was cultivated and only for two or three years when it is alleged that the water was discovered to be impregnated with Salt - and unfit for cultivating purposes - No wet crops have been raised under this tank subsequently so that only the extent cultivated as abovementioned has been entered in the new wet land - ayacut under this tank, the remainder is

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left as dry, indeed no particular fields were when the proposal was originally made noted as those to be converted into wet cultivation, although 30 Gortoos of land are annually entered in the account as taken up for cultivation and annually deducted as waste a useless enhancing of the gross demand which will now be put a stop to. It is right to mention that the revenue derived from the land cultivated as above stated just about covered the outlay for the repair of the tank.-

16. The decrease in the new survey under the head of Garden land (Mooloom) is owing to certain tracts cultivated with garden Crops in the last famine and which under the rules then in force were hence forward included in the accounts as garden having now been retransferred to their proper head of dry land there being no means of artificial irrigation. The Lands have been waste

waste several years.-

17. The present survey has not shown any very large increase in the total extent of land within the boundary of the village but has brought to light a considerable increase in the extent of dry land occupied for cultivation as will be seen in the Margin. The difference in the mode of measurement is of course put forward as the cause of this increase but although a portion of the increase in a few fields of an unusual shape may be owing to this it is clear the great bulk of it is not or there would have been an equal increase in the waste arable and grazing land, which is not the case. The fact is since Fasly 1249 A.D 1839-40 when the discussions regarding

	Gortoos	or acres	Cantas
Dittum For Fasly 1259	509 $\frac{8\frac{1}{2}}{64}$	1591	1 $\frac{32\frac{1}{2}}{64}$
As per Measurement	610 $\frac{5\frac{1}{2}}{64}$	1906	20 $\frac{58}{64}$
Increase	100 $\frac{61}{64}$	315	19 $\frac{25\frac{1}{2}}{64}$
acres or 19	Coontas $33\frac{10}{64}$ per cent		

	Gortoos	Acres	Cantas
Waste Arable land	577 $\frac{34\frac{1}{2}}{64}$	or 1804	32 $\frac{46\frac{1}{2}}{64}$
Grazing land	386 $\frac{43}{64}$	or 1208	13 $\frac{63}{64}$
	964 $\frac{13\frac{1}{2}}{64}$	or 3013	6 $\frac{45\frac{1}{2}}{64}$
As per present Measurement	998 $\frac{13}{16}$	or 3121	11 $\frac{47}{64}$
Increase	34 $\frac{38\frac{1}{2}}{64}$	or 108	5 1½
or 3	at 6 23½ per cent		

regarding this Village arose the dry lands have never been measured and the waste has been encroached on.-

Clafsification. 18 Before commencing the ex-amination and Clafsification of the lands I thought it right, more I confefs that I might follow what has I believe been the practice in similar occafions than with much hope that any advantage would re-fult from it, to call on the Curnums and Ryots themselves to give in a clafsifica-tion account. This they did but the in correctnefs of it was at once evident indeed, it was admitted by some that it had been framed with but little re-ference to the capabilities of each field, but arranged so as to give each Ryot a tolerably equal proportion of low clafsed land.-

19- It is unnecefsary to enter into a long detail of the different soil of which the lands of the Village are composed but for the purpose of clafsification it

did not appear to me to be necefsary to have a greater number than 6 different clafses in dry and four in wet land; no diffically was found in arranging all the land fit for cultivation under one or other of these clafses and it is obviously inexpedient to have in the same Village a greater number of clafses than is absolately necefsary. I have since seen reason to think, though it was too late to make any alteration, that 5 Clafses in dry land would have been sufficient; the extent entered under the last or 6th Clafs being so small.-

20 The detail of the clafsifi-cation was entrusted to the Deputy Sheresta-dar of the Collectors Cutcherry, whose services were placed at my disposal for the pur-pose, but the work was carried on un-der my immediate superintendence as I was at the Village during the whole time it was in progrefs. Intelligent Ryots of neighbouring Villages were called on

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to accompany the Assessor and aid him with their opinions though it was very often not found practicable to adopt them. It is a mistake to suppose such parties are a bit more likely to give their real opinion because they are not immediately interested in the matter at issue. They have all a fellow feeling towards one another and are far more inclined to conceal than divulge the truth. In the present instance they were perhaps in doubt whether a new survey of the District having been so long talked of they might not soon themselves require the good offices of their friends at Bulkoor.

21 The examination was conducted with all possible care every field and every part of the field being separately and Minutely examined. Following the orders of the Board no reference was had to the class under which the field was stated to stand in the old accounts. The nature of the soil, the productive powers of the field its present state of cultivation, its proximity to

to or distance from the Village and every thing tending to affect the eligibility of it for cultivation were taken into consideration and the class under which it should be placed determined. The condition whether flourishing or the reverse of the first occupier of the field was not of itself allowed to have any weight though a field which has been held by a Ryot in good circumstances, has been well manured and well cultivated for a series of years, must of necessity be in a better condition than another possessing the same equal productive powers held by a Ryot who has put just stock sufficient to plough it and must consequently fall under a higher class, while the latter is placed in such lower class as its unimproved state renders necessary. In classing the wet lands the proximity or distance of the field from the source of supply and the facility or the contrary with which it could be irrigated was of course taken into consideration.

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22 The quantity of dry land plow under each class is as follows.-

	Acres	Cents
1st Class	332	6 5/64
2nd "	824	32 53/64
3rd "	1433	2 13/64
4th "	1601	26 41/64
5th "	701	12 53/64
6th "	134	31 53/64
	5027	32 21/64

and of irrigated

1st Class	37	4 32/64
2nd "	68	11 32/64
3rd "	79	28 1/64
4th "	47	2 32/64
	232	7 1/64

and of Garden land (Bagayet)

1st Class Tobacco	17	25 32/64
2nd " Chillies	17	17 1/64
3rd " Two crops ordinary Garden land irrigated with tank water	3	33 32/64
4th " Vegetables	1	24 [illegible]
5th " Two Crops Garden land irrigated with well water	3	16 [illegible]
	43	37 [illegible]
Grand Total	5303	37 [illegible]

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Produce and old produce Accounts.

23 The Board desiring to be informed of the proportion the proposed assessment may bear to the gross produce, the next point was to determine, with as near an approach to Correctness as practicable, the gross produce, per gontoo or Acre the lands in each class would yield in an ordinary season and in an ordinary state of cultivation. No information in any degree to be depended upon, was to be obtained from a reference to the old produce accounts. Those prepared under Mr. Smalley's directions in Fusly 1236 (A.D. 1826/7) were forthcoming but it is well known how little they are to be trusted. I will quote a passage from a report of Mr. Orr the then Sub collector showing his opinion of these accounts.

Para 10 From the Sub Collr. to Collector 25th April 1827.

"Informing the settlement of this year I followed as much as possible the principles laid down by you in your instructions transmitted to me in taking charge at the close of last Fusly Viz. to modify Mr. Travers Turrum assessment on reference to the average of past 5 Years produce. I found it however, without other Checks, quite impossible

impossible to do so at all satisfactorily or Correctly from the accounts furnished by the Tahsildars of the estimated produce of last Years, as these anchanaks or estimates were on all hands admitted to have been so loosely and incorrectly taken / especially during the Decennial lease / that little or no Confidence could be placed in them.

24 If these accounts were not to be depended on, it is is quite certain those of subsequent years are still less worthy of Confidence. For the Ryots and Curnums learnt from the settlement of that year how very advantageous to them were law accounts of produce and took care to arrange matters for the future accordingly. For the last few years the practice of calling for produce accounts at all has been abrogated such not being thought compatible with a fixed money Assessment. Had however these accounts been as correct as they are known to be the Contrary, they would still have been useless for my purpose because

because it is utterly impossible to identify now the field, its extent or its boundaries, that is said in such and such a year to have produced such and such a quantity of Grain.

25 After the fullest enquiry from all parties whom I thought Capable of giving me any information on the subject the following is the Conclusion I arrived at in regard to the amount of gross produce of the different Classes of dry and wet land as regarded the dry lands Jonna was the Crop more especially referred to, the produce of other descriptions of grain is however / Arlloo excepted / much about the same.

Class	Dry gross produce per Gorloo		Wet Gross produce per Gorloo	
	Candy	Toms	Candy	Toms
1st.	1	"	4	10
2nd.	"	15	3	"
3d.	"	10	2	10
4th.	"	7½	2	"
5th.	"	5	"	
6th.	"	3	"	

Proposed Assessment

Dry land

26 The Government share of the produce has in this part of the country usually been, after deducting 6½ per cent on account of fees to Village servants, eleven shares in twenty, and from this Custom I did not feel justified in departing on the present occasion, so that all that remained to be done was to fix the price at which the Government share of the produce should be commuted to a fixed Money payment. The price fixed by Mr. Travers for all dry grain was 28 Rupees and by Mr. Smalley 30 Rupees per Candy, but for the last 23 years the price has except in the season of famine and the year immediately following, never attained the last named sum and has generally been very much below it. The Statement enclosed† exhibits the annual average price for the last 23 years of the fine sorts of dry grain principally raised in the Village under reference, at the principal town of the Talook to which the Village is attached. I had a similar account from the Cumba town of the adjoining Talook, Buddapoody, prepared but it differs

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differs so very little from the first that I do not think it necessary to submit it. The extent of land annually Cultivated with each description of grain on an average for the last seven years is shown in the margin. Jonna it will be observed is the grain of which by far the greatest breadth of land is annually sown. Aulloo I have not included as one of the grains on which the average is struck. It is a low priced produce but the return is usually so abundant as to more than make up for the low rate at which the Ryot is able to dispose of the Grain.

	Acres	Cents	
Jonna	799	6	18/64
Sudja	125	29	50/64
Horse Gram	69	20	7/64
Varega	119	35	26/64
Lamp Oil Seeds	129	12	54/64
Aulloo	174	2	57/64
All other kinds of Grain	25	31	1/4
Total average annual Cultivation	1422	18	31/4

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Fusly 1242

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Proposed Assessment

Dry land.

26 The Government share of the pro=duce has in this part of the country been, after deducting 6½ per Cent on ac=count of fees to Village servants, eleven shares in twenty, and from this Custom I did not feel justified in departing on the present occasion, so that all that remained to be done was to fix the price at which the Government share of the produce should be commuted to a fixed Money payment. The price fixed by Mr. Travers for all dry grain was 28 Rupees and by Mr. Smalley 31 Rupees per Candy, but for the last 25 years the price has except in the years of famine and the year immediately following, never attained the last named sum and has generally been very much below it. The Statement enclosed† exhibits the Annual average price for the last 25 years of the fine sorts of dry grain principally raised in the Village under reference, at the principal town of the Talook to which the Village is attached. I had a similar account from the Cumba town of the adjoining Talook, Buddapoody, prepared but it differs

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seen is Rs. 23 — a. 3 — p. 8 and allowing something for hire of Conveyance to the Market I fixed 22 Rupees per Candy as a fair price at which the Government share of dry land produce should be Commuted to a money payment. The assessment per acre therefore stands as follows.—

Class	Value of gross produce after deducting 6½ per cent fees to Village Servants	Ryots Share 9 in 20.	Government share or proposed assessment
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
1	6 9 3¾	2 15 4¾	3 9 11
2	4 14 11¼	2 3 6	2 11 5½
3	3 4 7½	1 7 8	1 12 11½
1	2 7 6¾	1 1 9¾	1 5 9
5	1 10 4	- 11 10¼	- 14 5¾
6	- 15 9¾	- 7 1½	- 8 8¼

Wet land. 28.

Hitherto there has been but three classes of wet land in this Village but

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but I found it necessary to increase the number to four, some land inferior in itself and at a distance from the source of supply Could not fairly be placed in either of the three higher classes Mr. Travers's Commutation price for paddy was 20 Rupees per Candy, this rate was continued by Mr. Smalley but as will be observed from the Statement already noticed the average per Candy taking the last 23 years is Rs. 23 — a. 4 — p. 11 I thought myself justified therefore in fixing 22 Rupees as the Commutation price to be now adopted. The wet land assessment therefore, the same proportion of the gross produce being taken as in the case of dry lands is per Acre as follows.—

No. 2.

Class	Value of gross produce after deducting 6½ per cent fees to Village Servants	Ryots Share 9 in 20.	Government share or proposed assessment
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
1	29 9 11¾	13 5 2¼	16 4 9½
2	19 12 ¼	8 14 2¾	10 13 9½
3	16 7 4	7 6 6	9 - 10
4	13 2 8	5 14 9	7 8 11

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Garden Land.

29 I did not after giving the subject the best consideration I was able, think it necessary or expedient to make any alteration in the rates of assessment fixed by Mr. Travers on the different descriptions of garden land and which rates have obtained without alteration since they were imposed. They are not complained of as excessive though they are high enough - The probable out turn of a tobacco or chilly garden is hardly ever known even to the Cultivator himself, till the crop is ready for Cutting. To attempt therefore to ascertain the gross produce of lands Cultivated with such crops for a series of years and draw inferences from such accounts of produce with a view to change an assessment which had been in force for such a length of time I felt would not be likely to lead to any satisfactory result - The fact is the soil in which these Crops are raised differs in its natural state in no respect from the dry land around it and of which it originally formed a part - The land when well cultivated and

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and highly manured produces Tobacco and Chillies, as most of the adjoining fields would do if treated in the same manner - In the Classification of lands all that could be done therefore was to class as such, land actually under Cultivation with tobacco and Chillies and such as had, as far as could be ascertained, been previously cultivated with these Crops - The land is not under well irrigation. If the Crops require irrigating tank water is made use of - The extent of the other descriptions of garden land is very small and may I think safely be left to pay the assessment at present imposed on it - The garden assessment proposed is therefore as follows -

	per Acre Rs.	a	p
1st Class Tobacco	37	1	11
2d Class Chillies	13	11	8 3/4
3d " Two Crop Ordinary garden land irrigated from Tank	13	7	1/2
4th " Vegetables	9	4	5 3/4
5th " Two Crop Ordinary garden land under well irrigation	6	11	6 1/4

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Present and Proposed Rates and General result.

30 In the Statement given below the different rates of assessment per acre as fixed by Mr. Travers, as they stood after the remission of 15 per Cent was granted in Fusly 1238, and the rates now proposed are shown, and in the Statement enclosed numbered as in the margin, the general result of the new survey and proposed assessment as compared with that at present in force is shown—

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Items	Class	Mr. Travers assessment per Acre	Present assessment being 15 per Cent deduction on Mr. Travers rate	Proposed assessment per Acre
		Rs. a. ℘	Rs. a. ℘	Rs. a. ℘
Dry land	1	5 8 8¼	4 11 4¾	3 9 11
	2	4 6 11½	3 12 4	2 11 5¼
	3	2 10 7	2 4 2½	1 12 0½
	4	1 5 3½	1 2 1	1 5 9
	5	none	none	" 14 5¾
	6	none	none	" 8 8½
Wet land	1	19 " 2¾	16 2 7	16 4 9½
	2	12 10 8	10 12 3½	10 13 9½
	3	9 8 1	8 1 3½	9 " 10
	4	none	none	7 3 11

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31 The above statement exhibits a considerable decrease in the rates proposed for the three first Classes of dry land below those imposed by Mr. Travers and below the amount to which those rates were reduced by the remission granted in Fusly 1238 A.D. 1828.9. This is partly occasioned by the difference in the Commutation price adopted by Mr. Travers and that now proposed and partly from my estimate of the gross produce of these lands and their present productive powers being less than that Gentleman's. There is no doubt that the assessment imposed by Mr. Travers on the higher Classes was generally too high. The consequence has been that in some instances this too highly assessed land has been left waste though it is more commonly actually in possession of the Ryots but fraudulently entered in the accounts as of a lower Class. I need not after the above observations further allude to the decrease in the proposed total dry land assessment as

Mr. Travers rate per Candy 28 Rs. Proposed rate 22 Rupees.

No. 3

as shown in the general statement submitted herewith. The Cause of this decrease in the extent of Garden land I have explained in Para 16 of this report.—

32 I now beg to refer to statement No. 4 from which the effect of the new Survey and proposed assessment as regards the extent of land at present in the occupation of the Ryots is shown. The increase in the dry land is undoubtedly considerable but the result could hardly have been otherwise when such an extents of Concealed Cultivation has been brought to light and so large a proportion of the best lands of the Village are under Cultivation. Although the extent to which the fraudulent alteration of the classification of the lands has been carried may admit of doubt, that the Classification has been changed to a considerable extent no one, who has had an opportunity of going over the lands of the Village and Comparing the

the land now in profession of the Ryots with the waste, can have any reasonable doubt.—

33. I would beg attention to the following Statement showing how greatly the average per gontoo of the dry land assessment has fallen since Fusly 1218 A.D. 1808-9. For the sake of brevity I have taken every fifth year—

Fusly	Gontoos Cultivated	Assessment	Rate per Gontoo.
		Rs a ℔	Rs a ℔
1218	211 5/64	2759 4 1	13 1 2
1223	346 9/16	3648 9 9	10 8 5 3/4
1228	402 3/16	3998 13 4	9 15 1
1233	389 1/4	3714 2 1	9 8 8
1238	400 7/64	3139 14 1	7 13 7
1243	394 12 1/2 / 64	2648 11 0	6 11 6
1248	486 45 1/2 / 64	2872 11 11	5 14 5 1/4
1253	523 24 1/2 / 64	2822 2 8	5 6 3 1/4
1258	510 5 1/2 / 64	2726 15 3	5 5 6 2/8
1259	509 8 1/2 / 64	2730 4 5	5 5 9 1/2

*Remission at 15 per cent granted from Fusly 1238 The rate entered in that actually paid—

The average rate per gontoo according to the rates now proposed of all land under occupation at present is 6 Rs — 5 a — 3/4 ℔—

34. Those Curnums and Ryots who have for years held the best lands at the lowest rates will not of Course be very well pleased to

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to pay more but that the assessment is moderate I have every reason to believe and I venture to hope that it will be advantageous both to Government as securing its just dues, and to the Ryots generally as enabling them to contract or extend their farms when they are desirous of so doing in the former case without endless discussions as to the portion to be relinquished, it limits and assessment, and in the latter without running the risk of being assessed for the new land at perhaps the highest rate in the Village for as according to the Accounts all the low classed land is already occupied it follows that all waste must be of the higher classes

35. To show that the proposed dry land assessment is not higher or indeed nearly so high as that now paid by the Ryots of several Villages in the vicinity of Pulkoor I would refer to the marginal statement in which the average assessment per gontoo paid in last Fusly on the whole extent of dry lands held for Cultivation in the Villages named is exhibited. The increase in the total wet land assessment over that the Ryots are now paying is very trifling. Should

Villages bordering on Pulkoor.	Average Assessment per Gontoo. Rs.	a	p
Cananalla	9	11	2
Vogoor	7	10	11
Kundacoor	9	9	7 3/4
Kondicundacoor	5	12	10 1/4
Veperalapeta	5	15	5 3/4
Danagoodoor	5	10	3 1/2
Nundanananum	7	4	4
Sanumpoody	6	5	3/4
Kalikinoya	5	4	6 3/4
Pulkoor	5	5	9 1/2
Proposed assessment per Gontoo	6	5	3/4

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36. Should the Survey and assessment be approved of and introduced, it may probably be found that some of the Burnams and others who have hitherto held at a very low rate more land than their stock enabled them properly to Cultivate will find themselves under the necessity of Contracting their farms; but this is in no way to be regretted for it can never be to the advantage of the Ryot or the Government that the former should hold a larger extent of land than he has the means of rendering productive

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(Signed) A. Purvis
Sub Collector

Statement.

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No 2. Statement Shewing the number of Houses Population Cattle and other Tanks.

Names of Villages and Hamlets.	Houses. By what caste inhabited.	Number of Houses.	Male Population.	Females.	Children under 10 years.	Total.	Pagodas.	Tanks. Names of the Tanks.	In repair.	Ruined
Pulkoor	Brahmins	37	55	62	70	187	3.	Large Tank	1	"
	Ratsavalloo	1	2	1	4	7		Nulla Cheroovoo	"	1.
	Comaties	2	7	7	3	17		Colla Cheroovoo	1	"
	Soodras	120	247	261	246	754		has been out of repair for the last 50 years		
	Smiths	6	12	11	11	34				
	Batrazooloo	3	8	5	3	16				
	Pot Makers	1	3	4	5	12				
	Barbers	1	2	3	2	7				
	Washermen	6	10	14	12	45				
	Moosulmen	9	16	18	21	55				
	Cotton cleaners	3	7	4	7	18				
	Tank Diggers	7	24	24	26	74				
	Yanadies	3	3	3	4	10				
	Pareahs	16	34	36	50	120				
	Chucklers	15	28	35	29	92				
	Total	230	467	488	493	1448				
Hamlet Venkanapollem	Soodras	15	33	35	39	107				
	Comaties	1	2	2	"	4				
	Yanadies	1	1	2	4	7				
	Total	17	36	39	43	118				
Agraharum Chitrakanevaree pollem.	Bramins	3	8	7	6	21				
	Soodras	10	11	14	18	46				
	Total	13	19	21	24	67				
	Grand Total	260	522	551	560	1633.			2.	1.

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: details of the Village of Pulkoor with the grofs and Net Revenue for Fasly 1259 and —

Goutas or Cattle Ponds. Wells Topes Cattle.

In repair	out of repair.	Total.	In repair.	out of repair.	Total.	Full grown trees.	Young plantations.	Total.	Number of Cows.	Number of Bullocks.	Number of the Buffaloes.	Number of He Buffaloes.	Number of Sheep.	Total.
21	18	39	15	24	39	14.	6.	23.			Pulkoor.			
Of which in Government land.			Of which in Government land.						814.	273.	361.	93.	1982.	3523.
											Venkanapollem.			
	18	17.	35	13	21	34			34.	17	13	3.	16	83.
In Enam land.			In Enam land.								Chitra Ravyvareepollem.			
3.	1.	4	2.	3	5.				13.	2.	7.	4	63.	89.
									861.	292.	381.	100.	2,061.	3695.

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For J. G. A. George

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average Revenue of previous years.—

Ploughs.	Resident Ryots.		Payacary Ryots.		Joint Puttahs.		Total.		Firstly 1259. Ryots paying from.								Number of Joint Puttahs.	Total.
	Number of Ryots.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Ryots.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Ryots.	Number of Puttahs.	Number of Ryots.	Number of Puttahs.	100 Rs. to 150 Rupees.	75 Rs. to 100 Rupees.	50 Rs. to 75 Rupees.	40 Rs. to 50 Rupees.	30 Rs. to 40 Rupees.	20 Rs. to 30 Rupees.	10 Rs. to 20 Rupees.	under 10 Rupees.		
138	81	81.	2	2.	40.	20.	123	103.	3.	7.	6	13.	10	3	11	12	18	20	103.

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1259. (Continued)

Gross Demand.				Finely Deduction.										
Dry land Assessment.	Wet land Assessment.	Garden land assessment.	Total assessment.	Dry waste.	Wet waste.	Garden waste	Total.	Remainder.	Cattle tax Quit rent on Enams and Fusel Jasty &c.	Total Bariz.	Collection.	Balance.		
Rupees a P.	Rupees a P.	Rupees a P.	Rupees a P.	Rupees a P.	Rupees a P.	Rupees a P.	Rupees a P.	Rupees a P.	Rupees a P.	Rupees a P.				
2,73045	3,60y2y	818 15 1	7,156 61	y 1 " 256 44		29 8 6	2,601 4 10	4,555 13 9	71 11 "	5526 12 3	5,346 10 3	180 2 "		

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1259. / (Continued)

Gross Demands.				Justly Deduction.														
Dry land Assessment.	Wet land Assessment.	Garden land Assessment.	Total Assessment.	Dry waste.	Wet waste.	Garden waste.	Total.	Remainder.	Cattle tax Quit rent on Enams and Fusel Jasty &c.	Total Bariz.	Collection.	Balance.						
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2,73045	3,60,929	818151	715661	71	25644	29	26014	10455513	971	11	5526123	5346103	180	2				

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Fusly

Extent of land cultivated as per settlement accounts.

Dry.		Wet.		Garden.		Total.	
Acres.	Cantas.	Acres	Cantas.	Acres.	Cantas.	Acres	Cantas.
1422.	38 40½/64	91.	24 35¼/64	32.	3. 44¼/64	1546.	27 3/16

1259/ (Continued)

Extent of waste included in the Barrez.

Dry.		Wet.		Garden.		Total.	
Acres.	Cantas.	Acres	Cantas.	Acres.	Cantas.	Acres	Cantas.
161.	32 42/64	6	37 22/64	1.	15 42½/64	170.	5 42½/64

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Revenue on

Average of last ten years of Nabobs Government.	Average during Mr Travers Management Fusly 1211 to Fusly 1218.	Average during triennial and decennial rents Fusly 1219 to Fusly 1231.	Average from Fusly 1232 to Fusly 1241.	Average from Fusly 1242 to Fusly 1251.	Average from Fusly 1252 to Fusly 1259.	Average annual revenue from Fusly 1211 to Fusly 1259.	Highest revenue realized under present Government	Lowest revenue realized under present Government
Bareez. Collections	Bareez. Collections	Bareez. Collection	Bareez. Collection	Bareez. Collection	Bareez. Collection	Bareez. Collection	Rupees a/p	Rupees a/p
Rupees a/p	Rupees a/p	Rupees a/p	Rupees a/p	Rupees a/p	Rupees a/p	Rupees a/p		
5,89,0,91,5	5,5,88,15,1	5,48,1,-,5	7,64,15,6	5,7,64,15,6	6,60,85,8	2,59,45,22	8,63,11,2	117 " "
							Fusly 1212	Fusly 1242 famine
For Fusilies 1223 & 1224						5,33,4,10,8	4,19,9,2	5,47,2,8
6,300 " "						5,22,5,2,5	5,66,-,1	5,34,7,11,1
6,300 " "								
From Fusly 1225 to								
Fusly 1231 annually.								
6,282,8 "								
6,282,8 "								

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J.C.D.

(Signed) A. Purvis
Sub Collector

Statement.

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No. 3. Statement Shewing the average annual price of grain in the Davagoodoor Talook from Fusly 1237 to Fusly 1259.

Dry Grain.

Fusly.	Sadiya.		Samp ail seeds.		Pyra Jonna		Horse Gram.		Variga.	
	Rs.	a p	Rs.	a p	Rs.	a p	Rs.	a p	Rs.	a p
1237	20	" "	24	" "	20	" "	16	" "	18	" "
1238	20	5 4	24	5 4	21	" "	18	" "	19	5 4
1239	21	13 1	26	5 10	24	" "	21	4 4	21	13 1
1240	21	" "	23	" "	21	" "	18	" "	21	" "
1241	19	5 4	21	13 1	18	10 8	15	5 4	19	13 4
1242	41	2 8	34	2 8	48	2 4	40	13 4	38	2 8
1243	45	" "	42	8 "	53	13 4	54	10 8	41	8 "
1244	22	13 4	32	" "	28	" "	33	" "	25	5 4
1245	14	5 4	22	13 4	21	13 4	24	" "	18	2 8
1246	22	" "	23	" "	22	8 "	19	8 "	20	8 "
1247	21	4 4	28	5 9	21	13 1	23	10 2	20	" "
1248	25	" "	38	" "	26	2 8	25	2 8	22	4 "
1249	22	5 4	29	10 8	22	13 4	24	2 8	20	5 4
1250	18	" "	25	4 "	18	12 "	24	" "	17	" "
1251	11	13 4	24	5 4	15	10 8	17	5 4	12	2 8
1252	11	5 4	21	9 4	14	5 4	15	8 "	11	5 4
1253	8	13 4	18	2 8	12	5 4	11	10 8	10	2 8
1254	14	13 4	18	5 4	18	" "	15	5 4	13	6 8
1255	24	" "	27	8 "	27	5 10	26	8 "	24	" "
1256	25	" "	32	" "	28	8 "	30	8 "	24	12 "
1257	25	5 4	26	8 "	29	10 8	26	10 8	23	10 8
1258	22	5 4	22	5 4	24	2 8	18	13 4	20	2 8
1259	15	2 8	21	8 "	17	13 4	16	" "	14	10 8
Total	496	1 5	687	8 8	556	6 7	535	14 6	475	9 1
Averages of the 23 years	21	9 1¼	26	6 7 3/4	24	3 3/4	23	4 9 3/4	20	10 10

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Paddy.

Total.		Average		Fine		Coarse.		Total.		Average	
Rs.	a p	Rs.	a p	Rs.	a p	Rs.	a p	Rs.	a p	Rs.	a p
98	" "	19	9 7	22	" "	20	" "	42	" "	21	" "
103	" "	20	9 7	22	2 8	20	6 5	42	9 4	21	4 8
115	4 4	23	" 10½	23	7 3	20	8 9	44	" "	22	" "
104	" "	20	12 9 3/4	23	" "	20	" "	43	" "	21	8 "
92	15 9	18	9 6½	21	5 4	19	5 4	40	10 8	20	5 4
202	7 8	1,0	8 "	39	" "	33	8 "	72	8 "	36	4 "
237	8 "	47	8 "	45	8 "	40	5 4	85	13 4	42	14 8
141	2 8	28	3 8 3/4	24	10 8	25	5 4	53	" "	26	8 "
104	2 8	20	13 4	22	2 8	20	2 8	42	5 4	21	2 8
107	8 "	21	8 "	26	13 4	24	5 4	51	2 8	25	9 4
115	1 4	23	" 3	26	11 6	23	13 1	50	11 7	25	5 9
136	9 4	27	5 3/4	26	5 4	21	14 8	48	4 "	24	2 "
119	5 4	23	13 10½	23	14 8	20	8 "	44	6 8	22	3 4
103	" "	20	9 7	22	8 "	20	8 "	43	" "	21	8 "
81	5 4	16	4 3 1/4	18	14 8	16	13 4	35	12 "	17	14 "
74	1 4	14	13 3/4	18	5 4	16	5 4	34	10 8	17	5 4
61	2 8	12	3 9	18	2 8	16	" "	34	2 8	17	1 4
79	14 8	15	15 9	20	2 8	18	1 4	38	4 "	19	2 "
129	5 10	25	13 11 3/4	24	14 8	25	2 8	53	1 4	26	8 8
140	12 "	28	2 4 3/4	28	12 "	24	12 "	53	8 "	26	12 "
131	13 2	26	5 10	23	5 4	21	2 8	44	8 "	22	4 "
107	13 4	21	9 3/4	20	13 4	18	10 8	39	8 "	19	12 "
85	2 8	17	" 6½	19	5 4	16	" "	35	5 4	17	10 8
2671	8 3	534	4 10½	588	8 5	503	11 2	1072	3 7	536	1 9
116	2 5½	23	3 8¼	24	11 6	21	14 4 3/4	46	9 10 3/4	23	4 11½

(Signed) A. Purvis Sub Collector

Statement.

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Comparing it with the new Survey and

Remainder.	Assessment per acre Deducting the Remission.	Acres.	Cents.	As per new survey and proposed assessment. Assessment per acre.	Total Assessment.
	8	9	10	11	12
	Rs. a p	Rs. a p		Rs. a p	Rs. a p
				3 9 11	1202 5 .
3122 9 6	4 11 4¾	332	6 5/64		
				2 11 5¼	2239 2 10
		824	32 53/64		
3115 15 .	3 12 4			1 12 11½	2593 11 .
		1433	2 18/164		
2108 10 6	2 4 2½			1 5 9	2177 2 8
		1601	26 49/64		
2468 9 2	1 2 1			" 14 5-3/4	634 10 6
		701	12 55/64		
" " " " " "				" 8 8¼	73 2 4
		134	31 53/64		
" " " " " "					
10815 12 2	" " "	5027	32 41/64	" " "	8920 2 4
		37 4	21/64	16 4 9½	604 13 6
521 9 6	16 2 7				
		68	11 54/64	10 13 9½	741 13 4
1262 12 3	10 12 3½				
		99	28 1/16	9 " 10	721 7 6
512 12 6	8 1 3½				
		47	2 54/64	7 3 11	341 " 2
" " " " " "					
		232	7 5/64	" " "	2409 2 6
2297 2 3	" " "				

Remainder.	Assessment per acre Deducting the Remission.	Total Assessment.	Deduct Remission @ 15 Rs. per cent granted in Fasly 1238 and still in force.
	6	7	
	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	
2	3673 10 .	551 "	6
9	3665 12 1	549 13 1	
1	2481 " 3	372 5 9	
6½	2904 3 5	435 10 3	
" " " " " "			
" " " " " "			
"	12724 9 9	1908 13 7	
8	601 8 3	79 14 9	
4	14772 12 3	215 " "	
3	5967 7 7	83 11 1	
" " " " " "			
"	26735 12 1	3778 9 10	

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6 Total Assessment. Rs. a p	7 Deduct Remission @ 15 Rs. per Cent granted in Fasly 1238 and still in force. Rs. a p
767 14 9	" " "
280 9 9	" " "
100 6 6	" " "
11 12 6	" " "
137 13 "	" " "
28 10 6	" " "
1,327 3 "	" " "
16,427 8 10	2,287 7 5
138 9 4	20 12 7
249 7 6	37 6 9
761 1 2	114 2 7
795 14 9	119 6 2
" " "	" " "
1,945 " 9	291 12 1
59 6 8	8 14 7/8
299 5 7	44 14 5
" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "
358 12 3	53 13 "
2,303 13 "	345 9 6
19,031 5 10	2,633 " "

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As per new survey and proposed Assessment.

8 Remainder Rs. a p	9 Assessment per acre deducting the remission. Rs. a p	10 Acres	Cantas.		11 Assessment per acre. Rs. a p	12 Total Assessment. Rs. a p
					37 1 11	654 12 4
764 14 9	37 1 11	17	25	37/64	13 14 8 3/4	242 11 4
280 9 9	13 14 8 3/4	17	17	7/16	13 7 1/2	51 6 8
100 6 6	13 7 1/2	3	33	1/64	9 4 5 3/4	15 1 "
11 12 6	9 4 5 3/4	1	24	62/64	6 11 6 1/4	22 15 11
137 13 "	6 11 6 1/4	3	16	69/64	4 7 6 1/4	" " "
28 10 6	4 7 6 1/4	"	"	"	" " "	986 15 3
1,327 3 "	" " "	43	34	59/64	" " "	12316 4 1
14440 1 5	" " "	5303	32	41/64	" " "	" " "
114 12 9	4 11 2	"	"	11/64	2 11 5 1/4	89 15 1
212 " 9	3 12 4 1/2	33	5	23/64	1 12 11 1/2	807 7 1
646 14 7	2 4 2 1/4	446	5	3/16	1 5 9	802 7 8
676 8 7	1 2 1	590	13	57/64	" 14 5 3/4	74 9 1
" " "	" " "	82	15	39/64	" " "	1774 6 11
1633 4 8	" " "	1151	30	46/64	15 4 9 1/2	7 10 1
50 8 1	16 2 5 1/8	"	18	7/16	10 13 9 1/2	92 15 10
254 7 2	10 12 4 1/2	8	22	42/64	9 " 10	108 8 10
" " "	" " "	11	30	22/64	7 3 11	104 7 4
" " "	" " "	14	33	10/64	" " "	316 10 1
" " "	" " "	35	34	49/64	" " "	2091 1 4
304 15 3	" " "	1187	33	26/64	" " "	4407 5 1
1,958 3 11	" " "	6491	31			
16398 5 4	" " "					

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Increase between Columns 4 and 8 and 10 8 12.			Decrease between columns 4 and 8 and 10 8 12.			Net Increase.		Net Decrease.		
Acres.	Cantas.	Assessment.	Acres	Cantas.	Assessment.	Acres	Cantas.	Assessment.	Acres	Cantas.	Assessment.
13		14	15		16	17		18	19		20.
		Rs a p			Rs a p			Rs a p			Rs a p
1	35	49/64	81 12 2	5	10	21/64	194 14 9	"	"	"	"
2	38	14/64	38 7 "	5	19	23 1/4/64	76 5 5				
"	9	26/64	3 2 3	3	35	14/64	52 2 1				
1	24	62/64	15 1 "	1	10	50/64	11 12 6				
"	11	59/64	1 15 11	17	15	57/64	116 13 "				
"	"		" " "	6	15	53 7/64	28 10 6				
7	"	47/64	140 6 4	39	26	38 1/4/64	480 10 1	"	"		
1,413	19	53 1/4/64	1,966 2 10	1,001	15	43/64	4,090 " 2	412 4	10 1/4/64		
"	"		" " "	25		"	117 12 9				
"	"		" " "	23	4	53/64	122 1 8				
160	7	55/64	160 8 6	"		"	" " "				
"	"		125 15 1	8	4	5/16	" " "				
82	15	57/64	74 9 1	"		"	" " "				
242	23 3/4		361 " 8	56	9	9/64	239 4 5	186	14	39/64	
"	"		" " "	2	26	18/64	42 14 "				
"	"		" " "	15	2	7/8	161 7 4				
11	39	42/64	108 8 10	"		"	" " "				
44	33	22/64	107 7 4	"		"	" " "				
26	33		216 " 2	17	29	10/64	204 5 4	9 3		54/64	
269	16	3/4	5 7 7 " 10	73	38	19/64	444 3 9	195	18	29/64	
1,082	36	37 1/4/64	2,513 3 8	1,075	13	62/64	4,534 3 11	607	22	37 1/4/64	
								32	26	34/64	340 3 9
"	"	"	" " "					"	"	"	2,123 13 4
"	"	"	" " "								
								121	2 3.	"	" " "
								11	10 10	"	" " "
								132	13 1	"	" 1991. " 3.
								"	" "	"	"

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(Signed) A. Purvis Subcollector

Statement.

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...s.	Deduct Remis-sion.	Remainder.
...P.	Rs. a P.	Rs. a P.
...	10 10 3	60 5 9
...3	75 14 "	430 4 3
...	206 2 "	1166 10 "
...5	189 6 "	1073 " 5
...	" " "	" " "
...	" " "	" " "
...8	482 " 3	2730 4 5
...6	73 7 2	484 4 4
...6	206 6 5	1214 " 1
...7	83 11 1	512 12 6
...	" " "	" " "
...37	363 8 8	2211. 10 11
...09	" " "	555 10 9
...34	" " "	181 3 4
...	" " "	59 1 "
...	" " "	" " "
...	" " "	21 " "
...51	" " "	818 15 1
...74.	845 8 11.	5760 14 5

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Assessment in Fasly 1259 according to the existing-
Assessment in F. D. 1849/50.

As per new Survey. Acres.	Cantas.		Assessment. Rupees	a	P.	Increase. Acres.	Cantas.		Assessment. Rupees	a	P.
								42/64	532	9	6
163	32	24/64	592	15	3	151	"	18½/64	643	14	5
395	26	44/64	1074	2	8	281	23	41½/64	462	2	9
399	37	32/64	1628	12	9	384	7	"	"	"	"
509	10	54/64	692	4	"	"	"	3/64	7	5	4
8	4	3/64	7	5	4	8	4	"	"	"	4
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
+1976	31.	½	3995	8	"	824	35	41/64	1646	"	"
34	4	21/64	604	10	6	"	7	29	35½/64	119	15	2
68	11.	54/64	741	13	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
74	1.	9/64	694	4	"	14	9	27/64	181	7	6
39	1.	29/64	282	13	"	39	1.	29/64	282	13	"
						61		27½/64	587	3	8
221	18	49/64	2326	11	9						
							1	35 49/64	81	12	2
							2	38 1/64	38	7	"
			639	6	11				"	"	"
17	9	3/64	219	10	4			"			
15	31.	9/64				"		23/64	6	5	6
3	24	7/64	48	6	9	"	27	59/64	1	15	11
"	24	23/64	6	5	6	"	11				
3.	16	59/64	22	15	11	"	33	3¼/64	128	8	7
40	28	37/64	936	13	5	5					
2238	38	57/64	7259	1	2	891.	29	7¾/64	2361	12	3

+ In this is included about 70 acres of land not in the Ryots holding in Fasly 1259 but which now forming parts of the new fields is necessarily entered under this head.

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accounts with the new survey and proposed assessment of the same lands.

Decrease						Net Increase					
Acres.	Contas.		Assessment.			Acres.	Contas.		Assessment.		
			Rupees	a	p				Rupees	a	p
"	"		"	"	"						
"	4		"	"	"						
"	"		"	"	"						
439	5	41 1/2 / 64	380	12	5						
"	"		"	"	"						
"	"		"	"	"						
439	5	41 1/2 / 64	380.	12	5	385	29	63 1/2 / 64	1265	3	4
"	"		"	"	"						
43	30	34 / 64	42	2	10						
"	"		"	"	"						
"	"		"	"	"						
43	30	34 / 64	42	2	10	17	9	54 1/2 / 64	115	"	10
"	"		"	"	"						
"	"		"	"	"						
"	31	43 / 64	10	10	3						
"	"		"	"	"						
"	"		"	"	"						
"	31	43 / 64	10	10	3	5	1	24 1/4 / 64	117	14	4
483.	27	54 1/2 / 64	863	9	6.	408.	1.	14 1/4 / 64	1498	2	9

20th November 1851. (Signed) A. Purvis
Sub Collector
No. 6.

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Report on the Enams in the Village of Pulkoor.

1. The total extent of Enam land in Pulkoor is according to the accounts 317 9/16 or 992 acres 15 5/16 Coontahs — of this 287 1/2 or 898 acres 25 5/16 Coontahs are Enams originally granted during the Nabobs Government but continued by the present and Gortoos 30 or 93 acres 30 Coontahs are Enams granted since the assumption of the Country by the British Government.

2. The Enams may be classed as follows.

1. Rent free Enams

	Registered Content Gortoos	Acres	Coontahs
Village Servants	65 3/8 or	204	11 7/8
For support of Pagodas Mosques Choultries &c.	44 9/16 or	139	10 5/16
In lieu of resumed Offices and Privileges	18. — or	56	10
Granted for Subsistence (Batavarty)	156 1/2 or	489	2 1/2
Total	284 7/16 or	888	34 11/16

Enams on which a Quit Rent is payable.

Village Servants	16 — or	50	— "
In lieu of resumed Offices and Privileges	8 — or	25	— "
Granted for Subsistence (Batavarty)	9 1/8 or	28	— 20 5/8
Total	33 1/8 or	103	— 20 5/8
Grand Total	317 9/11 or	992	— 15 5/16

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3 The whole of these Enam lands were measured in the course of the new survey of the Village – A list of them is transmitted herewith. The result shews a considerable extent of land to be in possession of the holders – in excess of the registered extent amounting in the aggregate to acres Coontahs 195 – 18 29/64 or A. C. 19 2 14/64 per cent. In some of the Enams the per centage of excess is much higher. When the survey was in progress I instituted an enquiry into all the Enams in the Village and examined all documents forthcoming in support of the different grants. I found very few supported by any thing more than a few dowbalahs. Summuds as usual stated to have been burnt. Although many of these Enams are now in possession of the heirs of the parties in whose names they stand in the Register and have as is very much the case throughout the District, never been positively continued to such heirs, I did not meet with any that

	Registered Extent.			Present Measurement.		Increase.	
	Gontas	Acres	Coontahs	Acres	Coontahs	Acres	Coontahs
Dry	309	965	25	1151	39	186	14 39/64
Wet	8 9/16	26	30 5/16	35	34 10/64	9	3 54/64
Total	317 9/16	992	15 5/16	1187	33 10/64	195	18 29/64

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that appeared to be improperly or fraudulently held. On the death of any of the present holders the question of the continuance or otherwise of the Enam to the heirs will be disposed of under the orders of the Board of Revenue dated 27th July 1848.

4 The point that I now beg leave to submit for consideration and instructions is whether the excess in these Enams above the registered extent brought to light by the present survey is to be incorporated with the Government lands or left in possession of the Enamdars:–

5 The Enamdars have nothing but their own assertions to show that they are not now holding more land than was originally granted to them. They refer to the different system of measurement as the main cause of the increase but while the total increase in all the other land of the Village amounts to but A. C. 7 – 1 3/16 per cent, the increase in the Enams is A. C. 19 – 2 14/64 per cent. Again in one Enam the increase is A. C. 71 20½ per cent in another but A. C. 3 – 18 15/16 per cent. The truth is but very little, if any, of the increase is attributable to the

System

system of measurement. If the work be conducted with care there will be but little difference between the old and new system. In a few instances deeds of limits have been produced given to former holders by the Curnums and Head Inhabitants but they are so vaguely drawn up as to be quite useless for the purpose of identifying the limits of the grant or to show that the boundaries then intended to be recorded are those still in existence.

† 27th June 1850

6 The Board in their reply to a reference made on the point declare that such Enam lands as can be proved to be in excess of the original grant should be deprived of that excess but notice certain points for consideration.

First That being most of them grants previous to our assumption of the Country much dependence cannot be placed on the extent named in the respective grants.

Secondly That there is uncertainty as to the size of the Gortoo in the Nabobs time.

As regards wet lands, Enams, the extent of each being in the original grants and accounts generally expressed by the quantity of seed required to sow it, these observations may have some weight, though even

even in such cases the extent of land granted was generally very well known; but in this part of the Country the dry lands were in the Nabobs time measured with the Gamboo rods and the extent of the gortoo then was exactly the same as it is now.

Thirdly That the correspondence alluded to by me in my letter to your address of the 30th April last had reference to Enamdars holding land in excess of what was registered in the survey of an European Officer of Government, which will probably not be found to be the case in the present Enams now under observation were measured in Fusly 1212 and where excess was then A.D. 1802-3 found such excess was as appears from an account received from the Nellore records included in the Jyen account. This I have frequently found to be the case in other Villages and I think satisfactorily proves that the authorities then administering the affairs of the District saw no grounds for continuing the excess to the Enamdars. The only exemptions in the present instance being in the case of the Enams granted for the support of Pagodas which

which seem to have been allowed to re-
-tain the excess.

7. Positive proof of encroachment further than such as is afforded by actual measurement is seldom I may say never, forthcoming. The Curnums and Head Ryots are easily bribed to be silent, indeed they are often the parties profiting by the en-
-croachment, themselves holding the land from the Enamdar at a favorable rent-
-fixed on the registered extent. It was ad-
-mitted to me by the present holder of the largest Enam in Pulicat that for years the whole of the land had been in possession of the Curnums, that they paid or rather ought to pay him 80 Rupees for 70 Gortoos, that in addition to this they among them held under his grant 21 Gortoos entirely rent free, and that of the remaining 13 Gortoos according to the register, he never could get them to give him any explanation. In this Enam an excess of $48^{a} - 15\frac{46}{64}^{b}$ or $12\frac{3}{4}^{a}$ per cent was found, from which, at all events the Enamdar has not benefitted.

8 I have entered into some detail on the subject as

as it is a point of very great im-
-portance, not as regards the Enams of Pulicat alone, but throughout the District generally and particu-
-larly in this Division where the extent of Enam land is so considerable and where the field measurement account of the Go-
-vernment land are so imperfect, my own opinion is that the onus probandi should rest on the Enamdar and that unless he can show that his grant included and that he has always held more land than the registered extent he should as a general rule be called upon to relin-
-quish the excess. In the present case I think as re-
-gards the dry land Enams 10 per cent should be allowed under the same rule as

obtains

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obtains in Government Lands
and all excess above that in-
corporated in the Syen ac-
counts. an exception may
should it be thought proper
be made in favour of the
Enam's granted for the suppo
of the Village Pagodas. All
Travers, as I have before
observed, not having
with the excess in those Enam
Though the increase in the
wet land Enams is consid
able when compared with the
total extent of such Enam
in the Village yet the excess is
the aggregate trifling and found in
veral separate small Enams and fa
in those to which a Service is attached
the circumstances of the case
I think may, should Ligher
see fit, be left in

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Statement shewing the Enams in the Village of Pulkoor of Davagoodoor Talook and the

			8 3/8	26	6 7/8	11 19/64	35	12 27/64	9	5 35/64	"
7	Washermen	Dry Land	6	18	30	6 5/8	20	27 13/64	1	37 13/64	10 1/4
		Wet Ditto	1/4	"	31 1/4	26 1/2/64	1	12 34/64	"	21 18/64	68
			6 1/4	19	21 1/4	7 2 1/2/64	21	39 47/64	2	18 31/64	"
8	Chucklers	Wet Land	3/16	"	23 7/16	32 1/2/64	1	23 17/64	"	39 53/64	170
9	Vetty People	Dry Lands	8	25	"	8 63/64	28	3 38/64	3	3 38/64	12 1/4
		Wet Do.	3/16	"	23 7/16	26 1/2/64	1	10 55/64	"	27 27/64	117
			8 3/16	25	23 7/16	9 7 5 1/2/64	29	14 29/64	3	31 1/64	"
						Paying Quit Rent					
10	Cuttoobady People	Dry Land	16	50	"	16 45/64	52	6 1/8	2	6 1/8	4 1/4
						In lieu of resumed Offices and Privileges					
						Rent Free.					
11	Balarow	Dry Land	16	50	"	23 14/64	72	22 34/64	22	22 34/64	45
		Wet Do.	2	6	10	2 35/64	7	38 21/64	1	28 21/64	27 1/4
			18	56	10	25 49/64	80	20 55/64	24	10 55/64	

Granted in July 1229

Granted by Mr. Ork in July 12

Quit rent of 4 R payable

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Paying Quit Rent

12	Mala Curnums	Dry Land	8	25	"	8 17/64	25	3 15/64	"	3 15/64	3 1/4	Quit Rent of Pr a/c 12-10-2 payable

For Support of Pagodas Mosques &c.

Rent Free

	Shree Chennakeswara swamy Pagoda at Pulloor	Dry Land	10	31	10	11 47/64	36	27 25/64	5	17 25/64	17 1/4	
		Wet Dr	1/2	1	22 1/2	49 1/2/64	2	16 38/64	"	34 6/64	54 1/2	
			10 1/2	32	32 1/2	12 32/64	39	3 63/64	6	11 31/64	"	
	Sedlaswaraswamy Veera Badraswamy Pagoda at Pulloor	Dry Land	16	50	"	16 62/64	52	39 49/64	2	39 49/64	6	
		Wet Land	3/4	2	13 3/4	5 9/64	2	33 11/64	"	19 27/64	20 1/2	
			16 3/4	52	13 3/4	17 7/8	55	32 15/16	3	19 3/16	"	
	Narasimaswamy Pagoda at Singaycondah	Wet Land	3/4	2	13 3/4	54/64	2	25 13/64	"	11 29/64	12	
16	Shree Somaswaraswamy Pagoda at Cundoor Poor	Wet Land	1/2	1	22 1/2	38/64	1	33 59/64	"	11 27/64	18 1/4	
17	Kacharamah Village Goddess at Pulloor	Wet Land	1/16	"	7 13/16	5/64	"	10 37/64	"	2 49/64	35 1/4	
18	Singaroy Conda choultry	Dry Land	4	12	20	4 29/64	13	30 50/64	1	16 50/64	11 1/4	
19	Chalinindra of Hoosain Naig at Cundoor poor	Dry Land	4	12	20							
	Mosque of Ditto	Ditto	8	25	"							
			12	37	20	17 38/64	54	39 29/64	17	19 29/64	46 1/2	

Bataverty Enams.

Rent Free.

20	Chitrakavy Narsimas Charloo	Dry Land	24	75	"	28 61/64	90	19 1/2	15	19 1/2	20 1/2	

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21 Navaloor Mungiah	Dry Land	8	25	"	11 21/64	35	15 62/64	10	15 62/64	41 1/2	
22 Cauree Bata Razoolu	Dry Land	4	12	20	6 1/4/64	18	32 31/64	6	12 31/64	50 1/2	
	Wet Land	1/2	1	22 1/2	45 1/2/64	2	8 53/64	"	26 21/64	42	
		41/2	14	2 1/2	6 45 3/4/64	21	1 5/16	6	38 13/16	"	
23 Kadur Saib Enams	Dry Land	16	50	"	20 6/64	62	31 15/64	12	31 53/64	25 1/2	
24 Gladiarum Ranta Sastoorloo Caundrigal	Dry Land	104	325	"	119 31/4/64	373	15 46/64	48	15 46/64	14 3/4	
					Paying Quit Rent						
25 Goondlapoody Pauw Spumbuttoo	Dry Land	3	9	15	4 3/4/64	12	24 38/64	3	9 38/64	34 1/2	Quit Rent of 6 Rx payable
Poolagandla Sam	Dry Land	2	6	10	3 27 1/2/64	10	28 50/64	4	18 50/64	71 1/2	Ditto of 4 Rx Dr
26 Cadeemoodoo	Wet Ditto	1/2	"	15 5/8	13 1/4/64	"	25 3/4	"	10 1/8	64 3/4	Ditto of 1 Rx Dr
		21/8	6	25 5/8	3 40 3/4/64	11	14 34/64	4	28 58/64	"	
27 Canoomulla Lutchmee Enursoo	Dry Land	2	6	10	2 37 1/2/64	8	37/64	1	33 7/64	29 1/4	Ditto of 4 Rx Dr
28 Pulkoory Condagherry Nairsaraux	Dry Land	2	6	10	2 28 1/2/64	7	25 57/64	1	15 57/64	22 1/4	Ditto of 4 Rx Dr
					Total Enams.						
					Rent Free.						
Service	Dry Land	62	193	30	71 5/36	222	35 27/64	31	5 27/64	"	
	Wet Ditto	3 3/8	10	21 7/8	4 13/16	15	1 50/64	4	25 50/64	"	
In lieu of resumed Offices and Privileges	Dry Ditto	16	50	"	23 14/64	72	22 34/64	22	22 34/64	"	
	Wet Ditto	2	6	10	2 35/64	7	38 21/64	1	28 21/64	"	
For support of Pagodas	Dry Ditto	42	131	10	50 3/4	158	23 25/64	27	13 25/64	"	
Mosques &ca	Wet Ditto	2 9/16	8	5/16	3 12 1/2/64	9	39 30/64	1	39 10/64	"	

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Batavurty Enams	Dry Land	150	487	20	185 583/64	580	35 41/64	93	15 34/64	
	Wet Ditto	1/2	1	22 1/2	" 45 1/2/64	2.	8 53/64	"	26 21/64	
Total	Dry Land	276	862	20	331 103/64	1034	36 63/64	174	16 7/8	
	Wet Ditto	8 7/16	26	14 11/16	11 17/64	35	8 26/64	8	39 38/64	
		284 7/16	888	34 11/16	342 273/64	1070	5 25/64	183	16 39/64	

Paying Quit Rent.

Service	Dry Land	16	50	"	16 45/64	52	6 1/8	2.	6 1/8	
In lieu of resumed Offices and privileges	Dry Land	8	25	"	8 17 1/4/64	25	34 15/64	"	34 15/64	
Batavurty Enams	Dry Land	9	28	5	12 31 1/4/64	39	2 17/64	10	37 3/8	
	Wet Ditto	1/8	"	15 5/8	13 1/4/64	"	25 3/4	"	10 1/8	
Total	Dry Land	33	103	5	37 30 1/2/64	117	2 5/8	13	37 47/64	
	Wet Ditto	1/8	"	15 5/8	13 1/4/64	"	25 3/4	"	10 1/8	
		33 1/8	103	20 5/8	37 43 3/4/64	117	28 3/8	14	7 55/64	
Grand Total	Dry	309	965	25	368 41 1/4/64	1151	39 39/64	188	14 39/64	
	Wet	8 9/16	26	30 5/16	11 30 1/4/64	35	34 10/64	9	9 45/64	
		317 9/16	992.	15 5/16	380 7 1/2/64	1187	33 49/64	197	24 21/64	19 1/2

20th November, 1850.

Signed A. Purvis

Sub Collectors.

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No. 22.

To W. A. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

27

B. No. 625.

From the Collector of Nellore...

Sir

In reference to my letter of the 4th Instant reporting on the new Survey and classification of the lands in the Village of Pulkoor in the Sub Division I have the honor to forward the detailed native Accounts alluded to therein and request that the same may be returned to me when no longer required as the fair copies thereof have been kept in Sub Collector's Office.

Nellore District,
Padamuttapollem,
Collector's Cutcherry,
10th March, 1851.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
Humble Servant
(Signed) D. White
Collector
Dist.

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Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.-

To The Collector of Nellore.-

26.28

Sir,

B. No. 1642.-

To the Collector of Nellore....

With reference to Mr. Purvis' report on the Survey of Pulcoor forwarded in your letter of 4th March 1851. I am desired by the Board of Revenue to request that you will send to their office one of the Measures called a Mountah from Pulkoor or the neighbourhood to enable them to ascertain what the real quantity of a Candy is in Madras measures.-

2. They understand that the Mountah is generally reckoned at 2½ Madras measures, but if this be the case the prices of grain as stated in Mr. Purvis' Report will not correspond with the Prices of the Periodical Returns where the quantities are given in Garcos.-

3 The Board also desire to know the Value in

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in Madras Rupees of the Pagoda referred to in the early Nellore Accounts of Mr. Travers time.-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George,
21st August, 1851. . . .

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary

Read again letter from the Collector of Chingleput dated and entered in Consultation 10th January 1851,

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.-

29

To, The Collector of Chingleput.

B. No. 1639
To the Collector of Chingleput.

Sir.

In your letter of the 7th June you allude to the expediency of contracting the limits of the Cantonment of St. Thomas Mount and Palaveram to such extent as may be required for purely Military purposes.

2. The Board would be glad to learn at an early date, in what manner you would propose with reference to the Proclamation of 1st June 1832, to carry out your suggestions in which subject it is advisable that you should obtain the opinions of the Military authorities at the places mentioned.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George,
21st August, 1851. . . .

/Signed/ [illegible]

JF

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Read the following letter.-

No. 49.

To,
W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

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Bd. No. 1886.

From the Acting Collector of North Arcot, Para 1.
Furnishing with reference to the Board's Proceedings dated April 28th 1851. information respecting the Yeomiahs of Zorah Begum and Begum Sahibah, recommended to be transferred to Madras.-

Sir,

With reference to Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 14th April last. No. 367 communicated with the Board's Proceedings of the 28th Idem requiring certain information regarding the nature &c. of the Yeomiahs of Zorah Begum and Begum Sahibah recommended for transfer to Madras. I have the honor to state.-

That the Yeomiahs in question are Mootalinguan and form a portion of an allowance of 2 Rupees per diem granted for the maintenance of the Family of Meer Mahomed Tukee Fyazy (as per the Nabobs' Pharist in Fusly 1210) which was in 1824 divided* into eight shares of 88-8-"- each per Annum, two of which are those in question.-

That the manner in which they are entered in the Registers of this Collectorate may be seen from the Statement /B/ of Mootalinguan Yeomiahs transmitted

X Extract of a Pharist is herewith forwarded with translations Nos. 1 and 2/.

* From Board 8th March 1824
To Do. 22d. Do.
From Do. 29th. Do.

transmitted with Mr. Graem's letter of the 1st December 1813 entry No. 42 of Vellore, to which I beg leave to refer the Board.

And that the yeomiah allowance of which they form a part is included in full in the Mozenzabitah for Fusly 1228 sanctioned by Government on the 23d April 1829.

2. The parties in question have neither of them been registered in the form sanctioned by Government on the 24th December 1840. Up to the time the rules in question were not in force in this District. In 1850 Mr. Bourdillon applied to the Collector of Madras for a descriptive roll, and one was accordingly furnished by Mr. Thelwall (+ Copy of which is herewith sent) but in consequence of it's having been prepared solely upon information given by a third party (a female employed for the purpose) Whereas the 2d of the Rules received with the Board's Circular of 1st July 1850 requires the personal attendance of all females above 50 years of age (which both these parties

+ No. 3.-

been able to do any thing towards effecting that object, for both the females have declined appearing notwithstanding that the payment of their allowances has been stopped pending their doing so. My information therefore as to their identity is not so satisfactory as I could wish it to have been. In the mean while however I have written to the Chief Magistrate and Superintendent of Police at Madras requesting him to make enquiries regarding them, and let me know the result and obtained from him the answer, + Copy of which is forwarded herewith. His information (which he designates "correct") agrees very well with that contained in the descriptive roll furnished by the Collector of Madras. If these accounts are correct, Zorah Begum must now (1851) be about 60 years of age, and Begum Sahibah about 58. In my letter to Mr. Elliot I likewise requested that he would let me know if he could discover any peculiarity in the circumstances of either of the parties which should entitle her to the privilege of exemption from personal attendance, and in reply he says that both ought to be exempted, being the daughters of a man highly connected.

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3.

Sir,

I am directed to request that you will cause Meer Hoossain Ally, servant to Syed Mahomed Hoossain Khan, who was appointed to act as Interpreter to the Court of Requests for the Northern Division of Madras, to be paid the sum of Rupees Thirty, being the amount of his salary for the month of July last, and to charge the same to the Contingencies of your Office.

I am, Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
(Signed) C. A. Ward.
Acting Collector.

To
The Collector of Madras.

Sir,

I have the honor to transmit herewith a Descriptive Roll of Zoharah Bagum and Bagum Sahibah, as taken by a female Marum Sahiba, who was employed for that purpose on the 23d July 1850.

I am, Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
(Signed) J. A. Huddleston.
Collector.

Collector's Office,
Madras, 14th August 1857.

(True Copy)
(Signed) S. A. Ward.
Acting Collector.

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No. 3. Descriptive Roll of Zoharah Bagum and Bagum Sahibah, as taken by a female Marum Sahiba, who was employed for that purpose on the 23d July 1850.

Names.	Age in 1850.	Colour.	Height	Indelible marks and other signs.	Remarks.
			Feet I		
Zoharah Bagum	59.	Brown	4 11	Small posced face	Her father Meer Mausoom Fyazy, father-in-law Syed Mahomed Kareem, husband Meer Abbos Ally, and Grand father Meer Thucky Saib Fyazy.
Bagum Sahibah	57	Ditto	5 "	Slightly small posced face	Her father Meer Mausoom Fyazy, father in law Syed Nezamoodeen, husband Syed ally Rajah, and Grand father Meer Thucky Saib Fyazy.

Madras, 31st July, 1857.

(Signed) J. A. Huddleston.
Collector.

(True Copy)
(Signed) S. A. Ward.
Acting Collector.

To

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No. 4.

To,

S. A. Ward Esqre

Magistrate of North Arcot.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 111 of the 22d May, I have the honor to annex correct information regarding the two females to which it alludes- They are the daughters of the late Meer Mansoom Syazy a man highly connected and under such circumstances they ought to be exempt from personal attendance.-

Madras, General Police Office,
The 8th July, 1857.

/Signed/ E: F: Elliot
Chief Magistrate and
Superintendent of Police

/True Copy/
/Signed/ S: A: Ward
Acting Collector

Zoharah Bagum and Bagum Sahibah are the daughters of Meer Mansoom Syazy the son of Meer Rucky Sah Syazy- Zohara Bagum married one Meer Abbas Ally, the son of Syed Mahomed Khareem- She has an adopted daughter named Meer Ally Hoosain Syazy who lives with her in Mootar Alli Khans' Garden- She had a daughter named Fathmah Bagum, who died 6 years ago, in her 18th year.-

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Personal Description of Zoharah Bagum

About 60 years of age. Colour Brown- Large marks of small pox. Height 4 feet 10½ inches-

Bagum Sahibah the sister of Zoharah Bagum married one Syed Ally Razah, the son of one Syed Nizam Sahib- She has two daughters both married and a son named Meer Abbas Hoosain.

Personal description of Bagum Sahiba

Aged about 58 years, Colour Brown, slightly marked with small pox, 5 feet in height.-

/Signed/ E: F: Elliot.
Chief Magistrate and Superintt.
of Police.

/True Copy/
/Signed/ S: A: Ward.
Acting Collector.

30.31

Bd. No. 1637.

Resolution thereon-

In Coux: 28th April 1857.

Resolved that Copies of the foregoing letter, of Extract Minutes of Consultation of 14th April 1857, and of the Board's Proceedings thereon of the 28th Idem, be furnished to the Collector of Madras, with a request that he will furnish any explanation in his power as to the identity of the female Yeomiahdars in question and the manner of their receiving

their

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their stipends. Mr. Hudleston will state the date of his first payment of these pensions and the authority for his making them, whether any and what steps were taken at that time to identify the pensioners, and whether he is now satisfied of their identity.-

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No. 50.

To,

W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.
Fort St. George.

(32)

Bd. No. 1929.

From the Collector of North Arcot.

Sir,

With reference to the transfer to Chinglepet of the Goonedispoondy Division together with the Town of Pulicat and its dependencies which was made on the 12th July in pursuance of the directions contained in the Extracts of the Board's Proceedings of 28th April and 7th July 1857, I beg leave to request that the Board will take into consideration the propriety of allowing the whole collections on account of the Abkarry rent for Fusly 1261 to be made by me. Credit being given at the end of the year

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years to the Collector of Chinglepet for such portion of it (the amount according to the account furnished by the renter will be 4,910 Rupees) as may appertain to the Villages recently transferred and that should they see no objection to the proposal they will sanction my carrying it into effect.- The Board are aware that the whole Abkarry of the District has been rented to Mr. Morison for three years Viz.t, from Fusly 1259 to 1261 (both inclusive) and that the Deposit made by him as security lies in my Treasury in the shape of Bank shares for Rs. 30,000- I have made known to Mr. Morison my intention of submitting the above reference to the Board and in reply received his cordial acquiescence in the proposal-

North Arcot,
Collector's Circuit Cutcherry,
Palmanair, 6th August, 1857.

/Signed/ S. N. Ward-
Acting Collector.

Bd. No. 1636.

Proceedings thereon-

(32.33)

The Board of Revenue do sanction the arrangement proposed by the Acting Collector in the foregoing letter, for collecting the Abkarry rent for Fusly 1261, of the Villages recently transferred from the District of

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of North Arcot to that of Chingleput, Cus
for the amount being given to the latter s
district in the accounts of the former.- The
order has reference only to the payment of the
Revenue into the Treasury of the Collector
of North Arcot, the Villages on account of
which payment is to be made having been
transferred to another Jurisdiction, the
rules prescribed for the Abkarry can be
exercised by such jurisdiction only.-

2. Ordered that a Copy of
Mr. Hard's letter, and the Board's
Proceedings, be forwarded to the
Collector of Chingleput, for his information
and guidance.-

Read

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No. 96.

To, W. A. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

(34)

B No. 1677
From the Collector of Salem
Soliciting further instructions in regard to the objections raised by Messrs R. Cockburn and Sinclair to the terms of the Puttas for Fusly 1259 issued for their Coffee holdings on the Shevaroy Hills and suggesting the adoption of one form of Putta for the land Cultivated respectively by the several settlers and others in those Hills.
Encl 8.

Sir,

1. Adverting to your Board's proceedings dated 16th Ultimo, I regret that I am under the necessity of again soliciting instructions in regard to the objections raised by Messrs R. Cockburn and Sinclair relative to the terms of the Puttas for Fusly 1259 issued for their Coffee holdings on the Shevaroy Hills.

The opinion of the Board that no

2. valid ground of objection can be taken by these Settlers to the insertion in their puttahs, of the clause in respect of an eventual change in the assessment now paid, and the Board's consequent decision that no alteration should be made, seem founded on the belief that a corresponding condition must have been entered in the Moochilkauze, which I infer the Board presume has been taken from Messrs Cockburn and Sinclair.-

I have therefore the honor to repeat

3. that no Moochilkauze appears to have been

received

received at any time from any of the settlers now or heretofore residing on the Shervaroy Hills for such of the lands in their possession as have been purchased from, or otherwise transferred to them by the Malecalies: and, further, that the Durkhasts of later and more recent occupiers of land have been regarded as sufficient Moochilkauze without their being called on to execute any fresh document under the latter name.

4. Since the Hills came under Amany management, the issue of pattas has been preceded by the mere procural of the Cultivator or Sellers mark or signature, in the appropriate column of the "Shist Form". In cases where lands have been taken up under distinct applications to the local authorities, afterwards submitted to and approved by your Board, it has been required of applicants to specify in their Durkhasts all such conditions as your Board have from time to time prescribed for observance and insertion in applications of the kind; but in no instance have fresh Moochilkauzes been required from Sellers or native Cultivators in addition to those Durkhasts

Durkhasts, nor have Moochilkauzes been required year by year. It has been deemed a sufficient protection to the interests of Government, that the applicant should once have bound himself by written agreement to the observance of the required stipulations.

From Govt. to B. 13th May 1839 on the Summahlundy Report of Fusly 1247 para 8.

5. In justification of the system it may be proper to refer your Board to a correspondence about the annual acceptance of Moochilkauzes from Ryots, which took place when Principal Collector Mr. Greig thought it advisable strictly to adhere to the Regulations affecting the Putta and Moochilkauze, rather than continue the practice of taking signatures in the "Shist Form" which had prevailed during the time of his predecessor Mr. Orr. On reference to that correspondence it will be found that the system which obtained under Principal Collector Mr. Orr was considered preferable and sufficient.

6. Under the circumstances above stated, I submit that Messrs. Cockburn and Sinclair may, with some show of justice and right, demand the issue of Pattas similar in all respects to those granted to them for several successive years. These Pattahs, I am informed, have in certain

instances,

instance, become the basis of pecuniary arrangements which a modification of the documents on which, they are founded, may injuriously affect; and although, adverting to the several notifications which have been published in regard to a future assessment, no change in that respect could be resisted with any chance of success, I apprehend that strong, and fair exception may be urged to any other modification of tenure on which the old Settlers and inhabitants hold their putta lands.

7. If the Board deem me correct in this view, I would respectfully suggest a reconsideration of their refusal to permit the withdrawal from Messrs Cockburn and Sinclair's Puttas of both the clauses to which objection has been raised by them; and as in the last of Mr. Cockburn's communication to myself I now observe that he distinctly solicits the grant of Puttas such as he always used to receive, I would further beg permission also to remove from them, the clause about the taking of roads through his grounds.

8. The latter condition appears to have been added to the Puttas, consequent on a

a suggestion by the late Sub Collector, which your Board approved, by ordering on the 8th January 1849 that, on the occasion of granting Government lands, written agreements should in future be taken to the effect, that if, in order to make the lands, beyond the land granted, accessible, it should be necessary to take a road through the land granted, the Government shall have a right of doing so.-

9. The Board's order of the above date is clearly inapplicable to any of the land held by such an old Settler as Mr. Cockburn, and your Board will, I hope, be indisposed to place me in the false position of tendering for that Gentleman's acceptance, a putta which with good cause he may decline to receive. There are many other parties on the Sherwaroys who may make the same objection. I, therefore, further beg to request authority for removing from their puttas also the clause in regard to road making.-

10. Having disposed of the subject of Mr. Cockburn's objections, I now beg to bring before your Board for consideration, that official inconvenience and confusion and personal hardship will hereafter arise, unless I am authorized to issue

to

to all parties holding land on the Sherwaroys, one form of putta; and I submit that that form may, without objection, be the one now in use in the Government Villages in the plains.

11. It seems obvious that I may fairly enter in a Settlers putta, only those conditions by which he was bound before his occupancy commenced. The condition which relate to holdings on the Sherwaroy Hills are however various, and their justifiable enforcement dates from various periods. old settlers have become liable to the application of the one, but not of the other of them, just as their Durkhasts were presented and sanctioned, thus creating the anomaly of an entire holding composed of several parts variously affected by the several stipulations which your Board at different dates have prescribed for adoption. The bulk of the ground held by such settlers may, however by reason of its having been procured from the Malecalies before the Hills came under Amany, be liable to the operation of none of those stipulations, excepting the original one for an eventual change of teerva. The preparation of a putta for a holding such as I refer to, will, as your Board will easily understand, be a matter of difficulty when

From B 26th October 1844
" " 30th March 1846
" " 20th Sept.r 1847
" " 7th Sept.r 1848
" " 8th Jan.y 1849

when the land embraced in it comprises several holdings contiguous the one to the other without any defined permanent land marks and without, as is much the case on the Sherwaroys, the means of readily establishing any, unless by the expensive process of raising a stone wall. If I be ordered to prepare separate Puttas for such separate portions of every Settlers land as, with reference to date of application, fall within scope of your Board's several orders, there will, I submit, be equal inconvenience and confusion, as one occupant of a tract of many contiguous acres will have several documents given to him for the one tract, the component parts of which these documents cannot be made distinctly to define.

12. On a view of these difficulties, it appears to be my duty to suggest that due regard being had to the stipulations by which settlers may be bound in the Durkhasts (Moochilkauze in other words) originally accepted from them, no sensible advantage is derived from the issue of a putta in which those stipulations are repeated, and that no detriment will arise to the interests of Government by

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by granting, without distinction, to all land-holders on the Shevaroys, puttas in the manner of a low country putta.

13 In making the above suggestion, I have not overlooked the fact that certain lands were given under a Government grant to Mr. Gay and four others in 1831 when the Hills were rented. But whatever the origin of a holding may have been, I find that puttas have for years past been periodically issued indiscriminately for all holdings on the Hills, and that the distinct right involved in the possession of these grants, has been lost sight of altogether, except in the case of a few of the ground now belonging to Messrs. Richardson & Co.

14. Neither have I overlooked the intention of Government to prepare and circulate a new form of Caboolietnama and Coulenama, but it occurs to me that when circulated for use in this District the form in question will of necessity have effect only in respect of ground applied for and occupied subsequent to the form being brought into operation.

B. Pro. 11th Nov. 1850.

Salem District, Office, Collector's Cutcherry, 16th July 1851.

Signed J. D. Phillips, Collector.

B. N. 1630.

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thereon, In their Proceedings of the 16th June 1851 the Board laid down the rule that there should be no change in the terms of the Puttahs already issued to settlers on the Shevaroy Hills, but that the insertion of the clause, rendering the assessment liable to revision and change upon the introduction of a Survey, should stand, as this reservation was made simultaneously with the order fixing the rate of assessment, at one Rupee per Acre, on all land occupied by settlers whether Cultivated or not.

× C. O. Page 273 Vol. 10 To Salem 8th Sept. 1842 No. 1633.

2, If an Isteyar to this effect was proclaimed, it appears to the Board that Messrs. Cockburn and Sinclair, and all Settlers, must have been aware of the reservation, and if it appears in their original Durkhasts it is of no importance whether any Moochilka was obtained from them or not annually as the Government have deemed the signature of each Ryot to the Village Schedule to be sufficient for securing the interests of the state, the Board approve of the discontinuance of the Moochilkas.

3. The clause for taking roads through the grounds of Settlers may be omitted in the Puttahs

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Puttahs issued for lands held previous to the Boards orders of the 8th January 1849 but the holders should be informed that this concession will not invalidate the claim of Government to take such lands as may be needed for Public purposes under the enactment now before the Legislative Council.-

4. The Board will now notice the other stipulation in the papers noted in the Margin of the 11th para of the Collectors' letter. Their views have already been communicated, in para 2 of their Proceedings of the 16th June 1851 on Para 12. of the Honorable Courts' letter of the 3rd July 1844, furnished to Salem with the Board's resolution of 28th October 1844.

5. The order of the 30th March 1846 merely repeated that of the 8th September 1842 regarding the liability of Cultivators, ryots, and Settlers to pay a revised assessment, upon which point the Board have decided in their present proceedings, as well as in those dated 16th June 1851.

6. Their order of the 20th September 1847 directing that subsequent applications or Durkhasts should contain a stipulation

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for the lands being liable to resumption if not Cultivated within 3 years can give little or no dissatisfaction, as it ceases to have effect after the 3 years occupancy.-

7. Their rule of 7th September 1848 that lands on the Shevaroy Hills for Coffee planting should generally be granted in considerable lots and to parties possessed of Capital and connexion, in order to guarantee the undertaking, was for the Collectors guide, and cannot affect the occupancy of the present holders.-

8. Adverting to the difficulties mentioned in para 11 of Mr. Phillips' letter, the Board observe that the leases according to the Manual need not be renewed annually neither is their any necessity for issuing a fresh Puttah every year, especially as no Moochilka is obtained in return. It appears to them that a simple endorsement on the old Puttah would suffice; the correct limits of each holding and it's boundaries should be inserted in the Puttahs and Leases, as soon as the Survey, now in progress will admit.-

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Read again letter from the Acting Collector of South Arcot dated 28th February and entered

in

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in Cons: 3d April 1851.

Read also the following letter

No. 52.

(38)

To,

W. A. Bayley Esqr.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

B. No. 1764

From the Collector of South Arcot. Ltr. 1.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 3rd April last on the subject of the arrangements proposed under the direction of the Board and Government, for improving the Salt Department by fixing Standard Rooms in some instances and remunerating the Servants in others by fixed stipends.

2. As the subject has been discussed at length in the previous correspondence it seems proper to limit my remarks to the points upon which the Board calls for explanation. I beg therefore to observe that Kilongeapollium is not a separate Village as the Board suppose, but the name of a set of Salt pans included in Merkanum. These pans were worked for the first time under our rule in Fusly 1239/31 and

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and it appears to me that it would have been more advisable if instead of allowing Roosooms the additional executive servants required on the occasion had been remunerated by fixed salaries. No Salt had been made at these pans for the 5 years preceding the promulgation of Regulation I of 1805, and the Roosooms were arranged upon the system and scale prevailing at the other pans.

3. It is not intended to stop the manufacture of Salt at Kilongeapollium where it will be continued under the superintendence of the servants allotted to the Village of Markanum in which it is included. It is not however considered that under the circumstances now represented its Roosoomdars have any claim to the continuance of their Roosooms or to compensation on their cessation. These individuals have no duties to perform under the new arrangements and have had no ancient enjoyment of the Roosooms. Measures will however be taken to provide 3 of the 5 parties alluded to by the Board with employment as vacancies occur.

Curnum. Measurer Angasalayor Watchers.

With

4. With respect to the observations of the Board regarding the Extra Servants proposed to be employed, I beg to observe that the name of Lutchmana naik Puttah Monegar of Oorany is entered in the account Particulars for fusly 1258. as however this individual since died and the duties of his Office remained in abeyance in consequence of disputes among his heirs, his name was not entered in the account for 1259. The Standard roofsoom proposed for his Office has now been entered opposite his name, in order that when his heir is declared, there may be no difficulty about his enjoying his Meerasi privilege.

The remarks affixed to the Statement No. 2. which accompanied Mr. Wroughton's letter appear to render further observation on my part unnecessary.

5. Under this explanation I request that sanction may be obtained for entertaining the Establishment proposed in my predecessor's letter of the 28th February last.

6. Having so recently joined this District I feel unable at present to offer an opinion respecting the 2 Villages in which Mr. Wroughton recommended that the manufacture of salt should cease

cease. In accordance with the instructions of the Board. I send specimens of the Salt produced at these two places which is certainly of an inferior description. I am not however aware of its being now less wholesome than formerly and it may be found possible to improve it. I propose therefore addressing the Board hereafter on this subject when I am better acquainted with the state of these pans and have been able to consult the Civil Engineer on the feasibility of increasing the manufacture at Teagavally.

South Arcot
Collector's Cutcherry,
Cuddalore 23d July 1851.

/Signed/ E. Maltby
Collector.

13th No. 1659.
Proceedings thereon

Resolved that the letters above recorded, together with the enclosure in the first be submitted for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to the papers noted in the margin.

Rec'd 6 Govt Ltr 14th October 1850
Answd Qr 22 Inst 16th Inst

2. In their Proceedings of the 14th October 1850, in reference to a register of the Salt Roofsooms prepared and submitted by Mr. Acting Collector Bird, on the scale of 5 years average sales and manufacture previous to the establishment of the Salt Monopoly in 1805 / in which the Offices were classed.

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classed under 11 heads and the compensation amounted to Rupees 569—8—7 per annum. The Board approved of the Subdivision as a standard of emolument for the offices of Mo-nigars, Curnums, Waterpandal, Mutlums, Boat-man, and Carpenter at an annual cost of Rupees 363—15—6, but called upon the acting Collector to furnish an Account particular of the sum payable to each individual and his name. This Statement forms enclosure 1 to Mr. Wroughton's letter of the 28th February 1851.

3. At the same time the Acting Col-lector was requested to forward a Statement of the Establishment he had proposed to enter-tain in lieu of the Kotagars, Talaries, measurers, Ungasalay, and Sotics entered in that register, but recommended to be abolished. This Statement forms enclosure No. 2 to Mr. Wroughton's letter and amounts to Rupees 702—— per annum.

4. In their Proceedings of the 3d. april 1851, the Board contrasted the proposed standard with the number of Servants employed in Fusly 1259, to whom Rossooms were paid, and observed that out of 11 Servants whom it was proposed to discharge in the Village of Kilongeapollium 6 only still held Rossoons at Merkanum, the

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the remaining 5 being apparently about to be deprived of their allowance without any compensa-tion. The Collector was therefore called upon to state the reason of abolishing the entire Ross-ooms in the Village of Kilongeapollium, and what Compensation he would propose to the 5 Servants to be deprived of employ. He was also requested to send specimens of the Salt manufactured at Cuddalore and Killay pronounc-ed by Mr. Wroughton to be inferior and un-wholesome, and to state whether he concurred in the expediency of discontinuing its manufacture

5. In his reply of the 23d. July 1851. Mr. Maltby points out that Kilongeapollium is not a separate Village, but a set of pans, in-cluded in Merkanum, which were first worked only in Fusly 1230/31, no Salt having been made there during the 5 years preceding the promulgation of Regulation I of 1805, and the Rossooms having been arranged on the system and scale prevail-ing at the other pans, that, under these circum-stances, and because the Servants have no duties to perform in the new arrangement, it is consider-ed that they have not a claim to the continuance of their Rossooms or to compensation when they cease. He

points

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points out that it is not intended to discon-
tinue the manufacture of Salt at that pans, but
to continue it under the superintendence of the
Servants allotted to the Village of Markanam
and that 3 out of the 5 unemployed Servants
adverted to by the Board, will be provided
for when vacancies occur.

Mr. Mallby has also forwarded
separately, specimens of the manufacture of
Salt at Cuddalore and Killay, which seem to
the Board to be of inferior quality but not
unwholesome and has deferred his opinion on Mr.
Wroughton's proposal to discontinue the manufacture
at these pans, until he is better acquainted with
their state and until he has consulted the Civil
Engineer on the feasibility of increasing the
manufacture at Teagavelly.

7. The total standard for the Establish-
ment proposed in lieu of the Salt Roofsooms
hitherto paid in the South arcot District, as
detailed in the two statements received in Mr.
Wroughton's letter of the 28th February 1851 amount
to Rupees 1065—15—6. per annum, shewing a net
saving of Rupees 903—5—10. per annum when
contrasted with the average disbursements of the
past

Average of
5 years Rs. 1969. 5—4
Proposed
Standard 1065 15 6.
Net saving 903 5 10

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part five years, as sanctioned in Contract Min-
utes of Consultation 2d. November 1850, and is
liable to a further reduction, if it be found ne-
cessary to discontinue the manufacture at Cudda-
lore and Killay and to substitute instead an
increased manufacture at Teagavelly.

8. Mr. Mallby requests sanction for
entertaining the proposed Establishment, and
the Board recommend that it be granted accord-
ingly, the arrangement to take effect from the
1st September 1851, and the actual charges incurred
up to that date, calculated upon the system hitherto
in force to be submitted in a separate Statement
for Sanction.

Read the following letter

No. 57.

To, W. H. Bayley Esqr.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.
Fort St. George.

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B. No. 1897.

From the Collr. of South Arcot

Sir,

I have the honor to forward Copies
of correspondence between the
Government of Pondicherry and the
acting Collector Mr. Wroughton
regarding

From French Govt. 11th Janry 1851.
To Do. 14th January — "
From Do. 11th February — 1851.
To Do. 15th Do. — "
From Do. 19th Do. — "
To Do. 21st Do. — "

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regarding 40 Garces of Salt supplied to the French Government from the Markanum Salt pans in February last which were rejected as being of an inferior description. It will be observed that Mr. Wroughton pronounced the Salt to be of the usual quality excepting in Colour, but he considered it inexpedient to contest the point with the French authorities and supplied fresh Salt in lieu of that which had been condemned.

See enclosed Statements.

2. An outlay of an unusual nature amounting to Rupees 408—6—2 has been incurred in the Conveyance of these 40 Garces of rejected Salt to and from Pondicherry and the amount remains unadjusted in the accounts of this Office I request that the Board will be pleased under the circumstances to obtain the Sanction of Government for the outlay or give me authority to include the amount in the Salt charges for the past fusly which will be shortly submitted for Sanction.—

3. The Salt of Markanum is the best produced in this District, but its Colour has been injured in the 2 past years unseasonable falls of rain during the season of Manufacture; I should add that the 40 Garces rejected by the French Government have been since disposed of to the Merchants of this District.—

South Arcot.....
Collr. Cutcherry Cuddalore
8th August 1851.....

/Signed/ E. Maltby
Collector

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Establissement français de l'Inde
Service administratif
No 2.

No 1

Pondichery le 11 Janvier 1851—

Monsieur le Collecteur de la Division du sud

D'arcat

a Gandelaur

Monsieur le Collecteur.

J'ai l'honneur de vous prier de vouloir bien donner des ordres pour l'envoi à Pondichery, le plustôt qu'il vous sera possible de "Cent dix" garses desel de marcani et de Dix garses de sel de gandelaur

Agreez Monsieur &c.

Le Gouverneur
Des Etablissemens français de l'Inde
/Signed/ a. Bédier.

To His Excellency Monsieur a Bedier
Governor of the French Estts. in India
Pondichery

Sir,

In reply to your Excellency's letter of the 11th Instant I have the honor to inform you that orders have been issued for the Shipment of 110 Garces of Salt from Markanum and 10 Garces from the Pans of Cuddalore as therein requested.—

I have &c.
/Signed/ I. C. Wroughton
Actg. Collr. in charge of the
Spl. Ad. Dept.
Pondichery

Cuddalore—
14th January 1851

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Etablissemens français de l'Inde

Service administratif

No. 11.

Pondichéry le 11 Février 1851.

Monsieur Le Collecteur de la Division du Sud

D Arcat

à Gandelaur

Monsieur Le Collecteur

Cent le sel expédié de gandelaur, depuis l'envoi des 40 garses déjà reçus sur la quantité demandée par ma lettre du 11 Janvier dernier, est d'une qualité tellement inferieure que l'administration a du le refuser et en faire constater l'infériorité par Procès-Verbal que j'ai l'honneur de vous transmettre ci-inclus.

Je vous prie en conséquence Monsieur Le Collecteur, de vouloir bien donner des ordres pour que les 80 Garses de sel restant à fournir par le Gouvernement anglais soient de qualité supérieure à celle dont il s'agit, c'est à dire marchande.

Agréez Monsieur &c.

Le Gouverneur

Des Etablissemens français de l'Inde

(Signed) A. Bedier

L'an mil huit cent cinquante un, le jourd'hui, 10 Février 1851 à midi

Nous, Rattinapoullé, écrivain de la cutchéri centrale, Montouco-marapoulle aminah de la régie du sel, et Ranganatha modeliar interprete du controle, formant la commission nommée le

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le 6 du Courant pour le recette du sel envoyé au Gouvernement français par le Gouvernement anglais, nous étant rendus à cet effet à la Regie du sel, avons visité le sel que l'on debarquait aujourd'hui nous l'avons trouvé D'une qualité autre que celle de 40 garses de sel debarqués du 4 au 7 du mois, et celle qu'on nous livrait ordinairement, qualité noire et mêlée de poussière, nous avons remarqué en même tems que cette qualité est de nature à causer un prejudice considerable aux consommateurs.

Dont nous Sommes d'avis de suspendre la recette de ce sels d'en donner connaissance à Monsieur Le Receveur du Domaine, de nous conformer à Son ordre.

De tout quoi nous avons dressé le présent Procès Verbal que nous avons signé ce

(Signed) S Rattinam - Montoo-camaron & Ragandane.

Nous Receveur du Domaine

Vu le Proces Verbal qui précède Déclarons refuser le sel dont it s'agit comme n'étant pas de qualité marchande autorisons en outre la Commission de recette à refuser tout le sel de la meme qualité qui pourroit etre ulterieurement debarqué et déposé par l'agent de l'autorité anglaise dans les magasins du gouvernement Pondy le 11 février 1851. Le receiver du Domaine.

(Signed) J. Montbrun

Vu d'appuyé
Le chef du Service
a.o.f.
(Signed) M. Malafosse

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To

His Excellency Monsr A Bedier
Governor of the French Estms in India

Sir,

&c. &c. &c.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Excellency's letter of the 11th inst. with its Enclosure regarding the quantity of Salt being supplied to your Government. In reply I beg to state that immediately on its receipt I sent for samples of the Salt in question. that supplied from the Cuddalore Pans appears on examination to be of the same quality as that usually supplied but I feel to admit that it is not of such description as I could wish it to be, however it is the best in store at that Depot. The subject of improving the quality of Salt manufactured in this District has already attracted my attention and measures are in contemplation to arrive at that object; and as I find from the Returns furnished by the agent now at Pondicherry that the 18 Cargoes of Salt taken from the Cuddalore Pans have already been landed and measured over to the Commissioners appointed by your Excellency's Government and moreover as it is the best that could be supplied this year, perhaps you will under this explanation not object to its being passed.-

As regards the Salt from Maracanum it appears that a small portion now in Store at

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at Pondicherry has also been objected to I find from a Sample now before me, that the only objection to it is founded on its appearance and dark color but in other respects it is considered not to be of bad quality.- Instructions have however been sent agreeably to your desire, for the supply of the best Salt in store, and this I have no doubt will be duly attended to in completing the remaining portion due for the current season. Should your Excellency desire to have the entire quantity furnished in future from the Maracanum Pans instead of a portion from the Southern ones, I need hardly say that I am ready to comply with and meet your wishes.-

I have only to add that the Salt lately furnished is the best kind to be had, the previous Season for manufacturing it, was unpropitious and the Salt was much injured by rain before it could be collected.-

I have &c.

Cuddalore...
15th February 1851.

(Signed) J. C. Wroughton
A.C. Collr. in charge of the Supt. A. D.

Pondicherry le 19 février 1851 Monsieur

Etablissemens français de l'Inde
3e Bureau administratif
No. 2.

Le Collecteur de la Division du sad' arcatt
a Gandelaur.

Monsieur Le Collecteur,-

En reponse a votre letter du 15 de ce mois, j'ai l'honneur de vous faire connaitre que l'administration

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l'administration de Pondichery a reçu conformément à la demande contenue dans votre lettre du 11 Janvier dernier, 10 garses de sel provenant directement des salines de gandelaur et n'a rien trouvé a redirriguant à la qualité de ce sel c'est donc par erreur qu'il a été indiqué que les quantités refusées avaient été expediées de gandelaur. Ainsi que vous le remarquerez plus bas, les observations ne portent que sur une partie du sel de marcanié

En effet, sur les 110 garses demandés par ma lettre précitée, il m'a été débarqué d'abord 40 lesquelles, étant conformés aux précédents envois, ont été admises sans aucune difficulté.

Mais depuis lors il est arrivé des bateaux chargés de sel de marcani, de couleur noirâtre, très gros, et mêlé, en outre de matières étrangères présentant un déchet considérable pour le consommateur. C'est cette quantité, apprécié approximativement à 40 garses, le sel rebuté n'ayant pas été mesuré, qui a dû être refusée.

Il n'y a donc rien a changer ce qui concerne la composition de notre approvisionnement ordinaire. Je vous prierai sentement de vouloir bien donner des ordres pour que les 70 garses restant a fournir du sel de marcani soient de

qualité

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qualité marchande et par conséquent supérieure à celle du dernier envoi.

Agreez Monsieur &c.
Le Gouverneur
de Etablissts français de l'Inde
(Signed) a. Bédier

To
His Excellency
Monsieur A. Bédier
Governor of the French Estts in India
&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

As I find by your Excellency's letters of the 19th Instant that notwithstanding the explanation afforded in the concluding part of my letter of the 15th that the second shipment of Salt from Marcanum (about 40 Garce) is of such bad quality that it could not be admitted by your Excellency's Government, I have issued orders for meeting this difficulty in the best manner that can be devised by the Salt ameen of that Department and in order to prevent further question he has been directed to send a sample of the Salt that can be supplied which if approved of will be followed up by the quantity indented for.

I have the honor to remain with sentiments of the highest consideration and respect.

&c. &c. &c.
(Signed) J. C. Wroughton
Actg. Collr. in charge of the S.A.D.

Cuddalore
21st February 1851.

(True Copies)
E. Maltby
Collr. in charge of the S.A.D.

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No. 2 Account Particulars of charges incurred for 40 Garces of Salt exported from the Salt Pan at Murkanum to be delivered to the Pondicherry Government in February last in the Southern Division of Arcot.

		Amount	
		Rs.	a.
1	Amount of Cart hire for carrying 40 Garces of Salt from the Pan to the beach at Murkanum at 3-12- per Garce	150	"
2	Amount of Boat hire for carrying the Salt (40 Garces) to the Vessel at 1-12- per Garce	40	"
3	Amount of freight paid for 40 Garces of Salt from Murkanum to Pondicherry at 4-8- per Garce	180	"
		400	
4	Amount of Cart hire for bringing a portion of Salt from Pondicherry to Cottacoopum for 19 Carts at " 3 " each	3	9 "
	Amount paid for 37 Coolies employed for putting Salt in the Munkal at 2 annas each	4	10 -
	Amount paid for Matts and Baskets	"	32
		8	02
	Total	408	02

(Signed) E. Maltby
Collector

This

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B. No. 1638.

Proceedings thereon,

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The Board of Revenue authorize the Collector to include the charges for the conveyance of 40 Garces of Salt to and from Pondicherry, referred to in the foregoing letter, in his Statement of actual charges incurred with out Estimate and to quote these Proceedings in support of the same in the proper Column of Explanation.—

2. The Board are of opinion that the French Government should depute some person to see and approve the Salt before it is shipped and the Collector will be good enough to effect this arrangement if possible.—

Read the following letter

No. 57.

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George,

(40)

B. No. 1999.

From the Collector of Tanjore ... 1.

Sir,

With reference to the Board's Proceedings July 10th 1851. calling for a report as to whether any and what reductions can be made in the Frontier Establishment in consequence of the adoption of the revised schedule of articles liable to duty, I have the honor to state that as the

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the change neither lessens the duties or responsibilities of the Choukey servants I do not consider that any reduction can be made without deteriorating from their efficiency.—

2. A list of the Establishment is enclosed, it is already barely suffiuint for guarding the extent of Frontier— The present reduction only averages about 150 Rupees a year on the Imports, the main reduction (2,864 Rs) being in the Exports, thus the effects of the reductions will be rather relief to our and the French subjects, than diminished probability of smuggling and as remarked by the Board 29th. April 1851 our Chowkies must not be considered as simply for the Collection of the revenue but for the prevention of smuggling Goods into our Territory that have been imported by Sea into Karrikal.—

3 Moreover crimping into the French Territory (in spite of all effects at prevention) is carried on to a very great extent and watching against it has imposed considerable additional labour and responsibility on our Chowkies which are of great use in checking the egress of coolies from our Territories.—

Tanjore
16th. August 1851

(Signed) J. W. Goodwyn
Acting Collecto
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Chouki or Mettu	Rank	Present pay per month		Total.	
1	2	3		4.	
		Rs.	a	Rs.	a
Cusbah Swamimmgaz Sam Chowkie	Chowkiedar	28	"		
	Sumpertty	7	"		
	Curnum	5	4		
	Shroff	5	4		
	Peons	24	"		
	Mashalchu.	1	8	71	"
Alletoor Mettoo	Maniam	7	"		
	Curnum	5	4		
	Peons	14	"	26	4
Sashamvolay Mettoo	Head Maniam	14	"		
	Sumpertty	7	"		
	Peon	13	8	34	8
Covilcundengoody.	Tany Curnum	7	"		
	Peons	14	"	21	"
Vellangoody	Maniam	10	8		
	Curnum	5	4		
	Peons	10	8	26	4
Kundalar Dz	Maniam	10			
	Curnum	5	"		
	Peons.	39	"	54	"
		Total Rs		233	"

Tanjore 16th. August 1851 Signed J. W. Goodwyn
Acting Collr.

Ordered

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Order thereon.

(40.41) Ordered to lie over.

Read again letter from the the Collector of Trichinopoly dated 14th and entered in Consultation 18th August 1851.

(42) Order thereon

Ordered to be submitted through the Channel of the Civil Auditor for the favorable consideration of Govern=ment with reference to the Board's Pro=ceedings dated 28th July 1851.

Read the following letter

No. 87.

To, W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

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B. R. 1831.

From the Collector of Madura ... } Sir,

I have the honor to submit a Statement of a lapsed Enam.

As the Enam was originally gran=

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=ted for lameness and the claimant is an adopted son only, I would recommend its being resumed.

Madura. 29th July 1851. } [Signed] R. D. Parker
Collector.

Report

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21st August 1857.

No. x Report of Enams in the Districts of Madura and Dindigul.

Case -	Talook and Village -	Share enjoyed by the deceased and that held by other Members - Name -	Amount -	Family left by the deceased and Name and ages of the parties - Name -	Age -	Their circumstances and the means of subsistence possessed by the family -	Recommendation and grounds thereof.	Further Remarks.	Remarks of the Board of Revenue -
			Cas Ps aP						
Cripples Enam to the extent of 4/16 Goontahs in the taxed at 11 3/16 fs. entered among the Miscellaneous Enams in the account of 1213 -	Vanga Coomara Talook -	Hammall deceased Father Members -	3. 5. 8 -	Rengapa Naik adopted son Coopammal daughter	35 40 -			That as the Enam was Originally granted for services and the claimant is an adopted son only it should be resumed -	4 years previous to the death of Sungama Naik which happened 25 years ago. Rengapa Naik was born of his Brother Sooba Naik and adopted by Sungama Naik and his wife on the 30th day after his birth and he performed the funeral rites of both. It is mentioned in the accounts of July 1257 and 58 that Lame Sungama Naik died and his wife Yellammal and son Rengapa Naik were enjoying the Enam.

/ Signed / R. D. Parker
Collector

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B. No 1702.

Remarks thereon.

Cripple Enam in Vangacoorchey a Village of Coomaraw ady Pillum Pamghery Taloob

Cawd	Value Rs a p
2	3-5-6

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It does not appear that there are any grounds for the continuance of this Enam, it having been originally granted for the personal benefit of the original grantee. Under the circumstances represented by the Collector the Board recommend that it may be resumed.

Read again letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly dated 27th July and entered in Consultation 5th August 1850.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.

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B. No 1641.

To the Collector of Tinnevelly.

In Cons. 5th August 1850.

To,
The Collector of
Tinnevelly

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 27th July 1850 the Board wish to be informed whether you have been enabled to establish the limits of the proposed new Cantonment of Palamcotta.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
21st August, 1851.

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary

Read.

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Read the following letter.

No 70

To. W. H Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.

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B. No 1670.

From the Collector of Coimbatore.

Affording further explanation required by the Board with reference to the allowances for the Hindoo and Mahomedan religious ceremonies in this District.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated the 28th November last requiring further information relative to allowances for the Hindoo and Mahomedan religious ceremonies in this District.

2. I view taken by the Board in para 3 of their Proceedings, is perfectly correct, and the amount of the allowances referred to, cannot but be considered "as a direct gift from the Funds of Government for the performance of specific acts of Hindoo and Mahomedan worship." it does not form part of the Sudeek of any Pagoda, but is a separate charge from the Public Treasury. Contemporary with the Devastanum allowances as will be seen from the accounts submitted with Mr. Garrow's letter of the 1st November 1808, in which, both the allowances are exhibited as distinct items. Vide Memorandum in the Margin, and under these circumstances

	C	F. C	Rs a p.
Devastanums	15,178	54	39. 53/25-14-3
Chittarum and Sundry Ceremonies	376	2	33 1318-2-1
	15554	1	72 54446-4

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Circumstances it cannot be paid as part
"and parcel of any Trust deek into the
"hands of the Trustees who receive the
"other payments on account of the same
"Devastanam."

3. As required by the Board in Para 6, I beg to forward a Statement shewing the several Taloohs in which the disbursement is made, the amount payable is only Rupees 1157-10-4 as will appear from Column 6, and not 1309-11-4 as stated in Mr. Wroughton's Communication of the 22d December 1845; the difference of 152-1-8 allowed for the Choultry at Nadoocaval, having been discontinued in the late Chuttrum arrangements Sanctioned by Government on the 26th September 1850.

4. With reference to Rupees 1157-10-4 alluded to, I would observe, that it constitutes the allowance of the several ceremonies yet continued, the Trustees appointed to receive it, are not Pagoda Trustees as the Board are led to believe, nor long connected with the performance or supervision of these ceremonies, they were nominees of, and selected entirely by, the Tahsildars of the

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the respective Taloohs in 1844 and recommended for the approval of the Board of Revenue, the money is paid to them when demanded, for a specific occasion, upon requisitions submitted thro' the Tahsildar at his discretion, to assist them in performing certain ceremonies at particular seasons of the year, the recipients are in fact usually Bramin followers of the Tahsildar, and the allowances is appropriated by them, a small portion only being spent in the ceremony and the allowances referred to, cannot, therefore, now be included in the general payments made to Pagodas &c.

5. As observed by the Board in Para 8, it does not appear that the allowances for the sundry ceremonies were in lieu of land resumed in Statement B transmitted by Mr. Garrow, land assessed at "C. F. C." 18-8- equivalent to 1 Rupee 6 Annas, and 6 Pice, would only seem to have been allowed originally for "Vaasa Pooja," none for others and the absence of similar evidences either in land or money in the Southern Division of the District would

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would go far to prove that the payment-
ri the Northern Division was a modern
one, and had its origin at the time no-
-ticed by Mr. Garrow in para 7 of his
letter to the Board dated the 1st November
1808-

6- To avoid confusion, I have added
to the accompanying Statement a foot-
note descriptive of Mr. Garrow's Trustees,
and of the manner in which the amount
is now paid and adjusted,
from which it will be seen,
that the payment of 1291-
6-4, has ceased, that of
1157-10-4, is now under re-
-ference, and that residue Viz. 57995,
yet continue to be disbursed to Trustees
for the support of Deavastanums-
7. Mr. Wroughtons letter of
the 31st August 1847 refers, as remarked
by the Board, to the transfer of the
landed property only; but the interfer-
-ence of Government with the Dewas-
-tanums receiving money allowances was
previously withdrawn, and the Circar
Officers have now nothing to do with
them,

Sugga Pully Chittoor	533	3	0
Ramanjeen	Do	525	0	0
Vadavacoil	Do	152	0	8
Puttee Poojah		21	0	0
Vanay Poojah		60	3	4
		1291	6	0

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them, except the disbursement of the
Trustee money once in every quarter, the
sole charge and management being vested
in the Durmacurtahs-

Coimbatore,
14th July, 1851-

/Signed/ E. B. Thomas
Collector-

Statement-

11261.

Fort St. George.

No. 1. Statement of Sundry Ceremonies &c. in the

Talooks-	Ceremonies of which the allowances are Hindoo - Varoonajapem.	Vanabhojanum.	Veasa Poojah-	Ceremonies still paid - Mahomedan Rusyam Hoosobah-	Total -	Ceremonies discontinued - Under the Board's orders of the 30th Aug 1836- Veraick Poojah.	Swswaty Poojah.	Under Government orders 20th September 1850 Madoo=cawk ca Chuttrum.	Total-	Grand Total-
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Coimbatore	105 " "	41 " "	5 4 5	5 4 8 "	205 12 5	10 " "	" " "	" " "	10 " "	215 12 5
Peroondoray	52 8 "	21 " "	5 2 6	61 5 "	139 15 6	5 " "	" " "	" " "	5 " "	144 15 6
Errode	52 8 "	21 " "	5 2 6	17 8 10	96 3 4	5 24	" " "	" " "	5 24	101 5 8
Cheyoor	105 " "	25 " "	10 5 1	5 " "	145 5 1	8 " "	" " "	" " "	8 " "	153 5 1
Suttiamungalum	105 " "	40 " "	5 8 9	58 10 10	209 1 7	10 " "	" " "	" " "	10 " "	219 1 7
Denaikencottah	105 " "	20 " "	5 " "	" " "	130 " "	7 " "	" " "	" " "	7 " "	137 " "
Andicoor	52 8 "	31 8 "	5 4 "	55 " "	144 4 "	5 " "	" " "	152 " 8	157 " 8	301 4 8
Calligal	52 8 "	21 " "	5 2 6	8 5 11	87 " 5	5 " "	" " "	" " "	5 " "	92 " 5
Total	630 " "	220 8 "	46 11 9	266 6 7	1157 10 4	55 24	" " "	152 " 8	207 3 "	1364 13 4
Huzoor	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	5 " "	21 " "	" " "	26 " "	26 " "
Grand Total	630 " "	220 8 "	46 11 9	266 6 7	1157 10 4	60 24	21 " "	152 " 8	233 3 "	1390 13 4

N.B. Mr Garrow's Investk Vide Statement C.

Devastanums -
Sundry Ceremonies and Chuttrums -

Particulars -

To Devastanum now paid -
Sundry Ceremonies now under reference -
Allowances of discontinued Ceremonies -
Three Chuttrums discontinued -

dated 1st November 1808-

L.	F.	C.	P.	A.	P.
15178	34	39	53	12	5 3
376	25	33	13	18	2 1
15555	17	72	54	44	" 4
			54	99	5 "
			11	67	10 4
81	2	4			
1210	3	8	1201	6	"
Total			54	44	" 4

Coimbatore, 14th July, 1837. C. C. P.

21st August 1851

District of Coimbatore-

Before

(Signed) E. B. Thomas Collector

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B. No 1640.

Proceedings thereon.

(46.47)

Before passing orders on the matter referred to in the above letter, the Board would wish to know from Mr. Thomas how far his observations as to the withholding the payments of "Sundry Ceremonies" applies to the expenditure for the Ramzan and Koolbah which are observed by Mahomedans, and the yearly amount of which is stated to be 200 & odd Rs. No explanation has been afforded as to the individuals receiving these payments.

Resolved

11263. Fort St George, 21st August 1851.

Resolved that the following letters be despatched -

(48)

B. No 1629.

To the Collector of Salem.

To,
The Collector of
Salem.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request you will be so good as to furnish the information called for in their Proceedings of the 5th July 1849. No 1137.

A reply having been received from the Collector of Coimbatore on this subject, the Board only await the receipt of yours to enable them to submit their report to Government.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St George, - -
21st August, 1851 - - -

/ Signed / W. H. Bayley
Secretary.

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(49)

B. No 1632.

To the Collector of Madras.

To,
The Collector of
Madras.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of

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of Revenue to request you will be so good as to expedite the despatch of your Statement of the quantity of Salt in store available for exportation to Calcutta on private trade for the month of July 1857.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George, - - -
21st August, 1857. - - -

/ Signed / W. H. Bayley
Secretary -

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To

The Barrack Master

Sir,

B. No. 1633.

To the Barrack Master. - - -

I have the honor to request that you will cause two pairs of glass shutters to be supplied to two windows of the Secretary's room of the Revenue Board Office before the setting in of the N. E. Monsoon -

2- It frequently becomes necessary to close these windows during the prevalence of the Monsoon, and the glass shutters will prevent

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prevent the room from being darkened as it often now is.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George, - - -
21st August, 1857. - - -

/ Signed / W. H. Bayley
Secretary -

51

No. 1984 -

From the Collector of Canara - Read Detailed List of the Revenue and Magisterial Servants as they stood on the 30th April last -

51. 52

Ordered to be recorded -

Order thereon.

53

No. 1991 -

From the Collector of Coimbatore - Read Register of Endorsements passed by him on Petitions referred by the Board for the Month of July last -

53. 54

Ordered to be lodged in the Office -

Order thereon.

Received the undermentioned Miscellaneous letters and Statements -

55

Mr. No. 905 -

From the Collector of Ganjam - Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last -

56

Mr. No. 959 -

From the Collector of Trichinopoly - Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last -

From

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M. No. 963.

From the Collector of Coimbatore - Reporting that certain returns were not forwarded for the month of July last.

57

M. No. 962.

From the Collector of Coimbatore - Return of persons suspended and dismissed under Regulation VII of 1831 for the month of July last.

58

M. No. 966.

From the Acting Sub Collector in Charge of Nellore - Statement shewing the quantity of Salt in store and ready for Exportation on account of Chittagong Indent up to 8th August 1851.

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Comp.d D. Gills.

" Goldingham

" T. L. Blane

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No Diary

At a Meeting Present.

Monday 25th August 1851. } J. Goldingham Esqre Second Member and T. L. Blane Esqre Third Member

Walter Elliot Esqre Senior Member — Absent on duty as Commr. Northern Circars

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

Read the following Extract.

No. 736.

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Bd. No. 1736.

From the Secy. to Government } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department under date the 24th July 1851.

Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue

(Here enter 16th June 1851 No. 249)

Before passing final orders relative to the disposal of the Enam Village of Parlapully the Right Honorable the Governor in Council resolved to draw the attention of the Board of Revenue to a circumstance which is not noticed in their report, Viz.t. that, as shown by Petition No. 1318 of 1850 presented by Venkatamarrain Iyen maternal father of the claimant Ingoovah Ramasawmy

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Ramasawmy Iyer, the adoption of his Son by the deceased Ingovvah Ramachendriah, though made in September 1847 was not communicated to the Collector until 29th April 1848 or at most one Month before the death of I. Ramachendriah which happened in May 1848. Whereas by the Notification published on the 16th March 1846 no claim to succession to a Shotrium, Yeomiah &c. founded on adoption is to be recognized, unless the fact of the adoption had been reported to the local authorities at least six Months before the decease of the party making it. The Governor in Council would wish the Board to reconsider the case in reference to the above remarks.

To

The President & Members (A true Extract
of the
Board of Revenue (Sigd. J. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

Ordered that the following
letter be submitted in reply.

No. 365.

To

The Chief Secretary to
Government

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

(1-2)

Bd. 8-1689.

To the Chief Secy to Government. Stating with reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation 24th

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24th July 1857. That strict rule in the Notification of 16th March 1846 were strictly applicable in the case of the Parlapully Enam in Nellore, the claim of the adopted party to succeed to it, will be forfeited, but as the adoption was made nearly a year previous to the decease of the late Enamdar, there appears no reason to believe that any intention to defraud Government was ever contemplated also suggesting that the Board be permitted to recommend for favorable consideration those cases where it is evident that there could be no fraudulent intention.

C.O. Book 8 p. 205 Sig. 28th Aug. 1857.

Consultation dated 24th July 1857. calling upon the Board to reconsider their opinion on certain claims to the Enam Village of Parlapully in the Nellore District with reference to the Notification of Government dated 16th March 1846.

2. The circumstance to which the Government have drawn the attention of the Board relates to the fact that the adoption made by the late Enamdar of Parlapully was not reported until about a Month previous to his decease, while the rule in the Notification expressly enjoins that unless an adoption is reported to the Collector six Months previous to the death of the party making it, the adoption will not be recognized.

3. Applying the rule strictly therefore there can be no doubt that the adopted party, whose case forms the subject of my letter of the 16th June last, has forfeited his claim to succeed to the Enam in question.

4. The object of this rule is expressly declared to be to prevent adoptions being made by parties at the point of death for the sole purpose of barring the rights of Government.

5. In the case of the Parlapully Enam

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Enam however the adoption was not made at the time of the decease of the late Enamdar, but nearly a year previous to that event and there is no reason to believe that any intention to defraud Government of their rights was ever contemplated.

6. The Board would take this opportunity to submit that the Notification of the 1st March 1846 directing that an adoption should be reported Six Months previous to the decease of the party making it must in its practical operation bear hardly in very many instances if carried out to the letter.

7. Not to refer to the obvious case of a person who, though in sound health at the time of making an adoption may die within 6 Months, it is to be observed that a Hindoo seldom resorts to the ceremony of adoption until late in life, and very hope of obtaining a Son of his own body has ceased, and that under this feeling it is not unfrequent that he is induced solely on religious grounds and without any intention to bar the rights of Government to postpone the Ceremony to the last moment.

8. The Board do not by these observations mean to object to the Notification issued by

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by Government but to suggest that they may be permitted to recommend for favorable consideration those cases where it is evident that there could be no fraudulent intention.

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/ Signed W. H. Bayley
Secretary.

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Bd. No. 2019.

From the Secy. to Governments

Read the following Resolution.
No. 822.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 15th August 1851.

(From Bd. 24th July)

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the charges retrenched in the accounts of the Collector of Tanjore for Fasly 1256 amounting to Rupees (408-2-2) Four hundred and eight, 2 Annas Two, and pice two, and also the Sum of Rupees (19-12-1) Nineteen Annas twelve and Pice one, paid but not included in the Statement of Potails allowances for the same year which received the sanction of Government on the 29th April 1848.

Items 13-14 48.

/ Signed T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

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Bd. No. 1692.

Resolution thereon. Resolved that copy of the foregoing order of Government and of the Board's Proceedings to which it is a reply, be communicated to

to the Collector of Tanjore, with reference to his
letter dated 10th July 1851.

In Cons 24th July 1851.

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Read the following Extracts -

Bd. No. 1978.

From the Secy. to Government intimating that Government concur with the views of the Board and are entirely averse to any change in the Canara and Coimbatore Forests resolving to communicate the same to the Government of India and Bombay.

No. 836.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department under date the 15th August 1851.

Read the following papers -

From the Secretary to the Board of Revenue - (Here enter 14th July 1851 No. 2170)

From the Chief Secretary to the Government of Bombay. (Here enter 24th July 1851)

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Para 1 - In the letter above recorded the Board of Revenue submit communications from the Collectors of Canara, Coimbatore and Malabar on the proposal of the Bombay Government for the transfer of the Forests of Soonda and Canara to the charge of Dr. Gibson, and for combining the Office of Conservator of the Wallies and Annamallie Forests under the Collector of Malabar or Coimbatore with that of the Agent for Timber on the part of the Government of Bombay -

2 - It appears from this correspondence that the Collector of Canara is averse to the measure proposed with respect to the Forests -

Forests in his District as one that would be attended with very serious embarrassment and inconvenience, and is of opinion that the advantages of such a measure would be as well secured as observed by a former Collector of the District, by a cordial co-operation between the Collector and Dr. Gibson, He further points to difficulties, such as those arising from the peculiar tenure of land in Canara, the unsettled rights of private individuals in the Forests and the state of the cultivation, which in the opinion of Government render such an arrangement altogether unadvisable.

3 - The Collector of Coimbatore also deprecates any change in the present Agency for the management of the Annamallie Forests and urges the continuance of Lieutenant Michael in his present post, as being peculiarly fitted for it from his qualifications and the influence which he possesses over the people.

4 - Adverting to the opinions thus communicated by the local Officers, and to the views expressed by the Board of Revenue on the subject in which the Government fully concur, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is entirely averse to any such change

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Changes in the management of the Canara or Coimbatore Forests. as is proposed by the Government of Bombay which in his opinion would be fraught with all the evils inseperable from a divided authority and in all respects to be both unnecessary and inexpedient. He observes that the present System has been established after the fullest enquiry and mature consideration and combines all the advantages of excellent local supervision and conservancy with the utmost economy consistent with efficiency. The Governor in Council resolves to communicate these views to the Government of Bombay in reference to Mr. Secretary Goldsmids letter of 27th January 1851 and to the Government of India in reference to the letter from that Government to the Government of Bombay 18th. November 1848 and for the reasons expressed in this Extract Minutes of Consultation and papers recorded in it strongly to urge upon the Government of India that the management of the Forests in Canara and Coimbatore be left on its present footing. —

To

The President and Members
of the
Board of Revenue.

(A true Extract)
(Signed) J. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

Ordered.

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Bd. No. 1691.
Orders thereon.
5-6

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Extract from Minutes of Consultation and of the Boards letter to which it is a reply be communicated to the Collectors of Coimbatore and Canara respectively, for their information. —

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Bd. No. 1997.
From the Secy. to Government

No. 840

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department under date the 18th August 1851.

Read the following letter from the Board of Revenue to the Secretary to Government.

(Here enter 28th July 1851 No. 933)

"Under the explanation of Jurdn Para 1. in the foregoing letter, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the payments made in Fusly 1254 on account of compensation for the suspended manufacture of Salt in Malabar, amounting to Rupees 237 - " 6 being Rupees 6-7-6 less than the annual sum fixed by the Moyengalitah of Fusly 1228.

He also authorizes the continuance of the allowances payable to the several incumbents according to the Account Particulars furnished.

+ Two hundred and thirty Seven and Pice Six. + Rs. 243-8 per annum as per Moyengalitah Sanction 22 May 1819.

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furnished by the Collector and directs that an attested copy of this Statement be forwarded to the Civil Auditor for his information and guidance, in admitting the future as well as the past payments on the above Account since Fasly 1255-

To The President & Members of the Board of Revenue

(A True Extract)
Signed T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government-

Bd. No. 1656.
Order thereon

(7-8)

Ordered that copy of the foregoing Extract from Minutes of Consultation and of the Board's letter to which it is a reply, be communicated to the Collector of Malabar, with reference to his letter dated 12th July 1851-

2- Mr. Conolly will observe the orders of Government contained in para 2-

(9)

Bd. No. 2002-

From the Secy. to Government

Resolving to subscribe for 3 Copies of the Circular Orders of the Calcutta Board of Revenue- proposed to be published by Mr. W. H. Jones a set of which is to be on receipt by the

No. 842-

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department under date the 19th. August 1851-

Read the following letters-

From Mr. W. H. Jones
From the Secretary to the Board of Revenue (Here enter 1st June 1851)
(Here enter 24th July 1851 No. 316)

Para 1- In the Prospectus which accompanied Mr.

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has furnished to the Board and stating that the Bengal Government will be requested to supply or procure 5 Copies of Sir H. Elliot's Glossary one of which also will be forwarded to the Board-

Mr. Jones's letter of the 1st June he proposes to publish the Circular Orders of the Calcutta Board of Revenue from 1837 to 1850 in continuation of a similar work previously executed by Mr. Peters- As remarked by Mr. Jones some of the Circular Orders since 1837 has been published in detached parts by Mr. Poole, and the Government observe from the correspondence noted in the margin that copies of such publications were obtained and forwarded to the Board of Revenue at this Presidency-

From	Mr. G. H. Poole	27th March	1839
To	Do.	24th May	"
From	Do.	1st July	"
To	Do.	30th August	"
From	Do.	19th February	1842
To	Do.	30th April	"
From	Do.	4th June	"

Extract Minutes Cons. 27th July 1842 No. 744-

2- The Board of Revenue in their letter of the 24th July apply for the supplements to Peter's Edition of the Circular orders or any revised edition of those Orders since 1838 in a complete form- They also desire to have a copy of the Glossary of Revenue terms by Sir Henry Elliot-

3- Mr. Jones's Prospectus appears to meet the first of the requisitions of the Board of Revenue and the Government resolve to

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to subscribe for three copies one of which will on receipt be furnished to the Board.

The Government will also request the Bengal Government to supply them or to procure for them five copies of S. W. Elliot's Glossary one of which will be furnished to the Board.

To The President & Members of the Board of Revenue.

(9-10)

/ A true Extract /
/ Signed T. Pycroft /
Secy to Government.

Order thereon - Ordered to be recorded.

(11)

B. No. 2000. No. 848.

From the Secy to Government. Recording observations and orderson the Settlement of the Land Revenues in the District of South Arcot for Fusly 1259.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department under date the 19th August 1851.

Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue -

(Here entered 10th July 1851 No. 308)

Para 1. The rains except in the Month of November were scanty throughout the year. The freshes in the Coleroon were steady, but the other rivers in the District the Vellaur, Pennar and Gudelum were but indifferently supplied. The season therefore of Fusly 1259 in South Arcot was unfavorable and affected both the extent of cultivation and the outturn of the produce raised. Some compensation for the failure

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of the season was found in the improvement of the prices of the chief kinds of Grain which were better than in Fusly 1258 though still below the rates of Fusly 1257.

2. The year like that which preceded it, was healthy.

3. The Demand or Cultivation = engagements for Fusly 1259 amounted to Cawnies 4,62,240 bearing an assessment inclusive of Kuffer or tax for the use of Circar waters of Rupees 24,03,407 subtracting from this the Calculated Bunjer or remissions on lands left unsown Rupees 4,35,094 - the gross Settlement stands at Rupees 19,68,312.

4. The net Settlement was thus formed.

		Rupees.	Increase or Decrease compared with 1258.	
Gross Settlement.	Poonjah	10,55,331	1,31,928	Rs 1,12,414 is caused by the transfer Taroot of certain Villages of the Collectorate Jaghire which had been under Amanie in Fusly 1258.
	Nunjah	8,40,209	2,68,371	
	Garden	21,013	1,748	
	Kuffums	51,758	10,399	
		19,68,312	4,12,448	
Deductions on land cultivated		28,752	3,500	
Remainder		19,39,560	4,08,642	
Add ready money Collection		18,493	2,460	
Rents		5,95,068	× 17,491	Vide remark above.
Peishcush		8,940	"	
		20,26,539	3,93,617	
Deduct Village Sibbendi		1,63,861	26,072	
Net Settlement		18,62,698	3,67,545	

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5. The net settlement of land revenue under all its items was Rupees 18,62,695 or Rupees 3,67,545 below that of Fasly 1258 which again had been Rupees 2,60,502 less than that of Fasly 1257. Thus the land revenue of the District has fallen off to the extent of Rupees 5,28,047 in the course of two years. The decline is ascribed to the character of the season and it is remarked that the Fasly of the year under report corresponded with that of Fasly 1252 "the reason "of which pretty nearly equalled that of last "year." The causes here assigned will not however account for the continued falling off in revenue of the Chellumbrum and Mummargoody Talooks which received a full supply of water from the lower Anicut. The deficit in this part of the District is attributed by the Acting Collector to "the low price "of grain in Fasly 1258 which had seriously "discouraged and impaired the means of "the Ryots". The Board do not admit this to be a sufficient cause pointing out

Report para 22

Para 6

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out that notwithstanding the depreciation of prices there has been a considerable increase of cultivation in the Villages of the adjoining Talook of Bowangherry which are supplied from the Vellaur Anicut. Still they are unable to explain the decline of Revenue in the two Talooks which in four years has fallen from 3,49,688 to Rupees 2,25,220 or above 31 per cent. It is trusted that the inquiries now being prosecuted by the present Collector will enable him to detect the true cause and suggest an efficient remedy.

Report Para 18.

6. The assessment of waste land included in the settlement amounted to Rupees 6679 the greater proportion Rupees 5,204 of which was for Kart Burgies or for parts of fields left uncultivated and charged for under the usual rules of the Hookummanah.

7. The remissions which in consequence of the failure of the season were allowed for withered Crops were Rupees 2343-9-10 a sum small in itself but beyond what is ordinarily granted in the District. The Government agree with the Board

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Board that the salaries of Village Officers which are given them in remuneration for the performance of public duties, should not be taken into account in reduction of their claims to these remissions.—

8. The Collections, current and Arrears were.—

	Within the July.	Subsequent to 30th. April 1851.	Balance.
Current	1696,140-1-1	1641079-8-1	2478-12-11
Arrears	353,824-3-4 including Rs. 863-12-10 remitted.		42692-7-3

9. The demand for July 1759 on account of all sources of public revenue amounted to Rupees 2301764- the balance outstanding on the 30th. April 1851 was Rupees 2,306-14-—

To The President and Members of the Board of Revenue.

I have the honor to be Gentlemen Your most obedient Servant

(Signed) J. Pycroft.
Secretary to Government.

Bd. No. 1666.
Order thereon—
11·12
Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of South Arcot with reference to

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to the Board's Proceedings dated 10th July 1851.—

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Bd. No. 2004.
From the Actg. Depty. Secretary to Government.

†From the Collr. of Salem 12th Augt. 1851.

Fort St. George, 20th. August 1851.
To the Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

Read the following Memorandum
Public Department.—

Memorandum.—

The Secretary to the Board of Revenue is requested to forward to this Office for reference, the correspondence alluded to in the accompanying letter † relating to the conduct of Timmapien late Tahsildar of the Ossoor Talook in the Establishment of the Collector of Salem.—

(Signed) J. D. Sim.—
Actg. Deputy Secretary to Govt.

Ordered that the following Memo. be sent in reply.—

13·14

Bd. No. 1708.
To the Actg. Dy. Secy. to Government.

No. 368.

Memorandum.—

As requested in the Memorandum from the Actg. Deputy Secretary to Government dated 20th. August, the Secretary to the Board of Revenue has the honor to forward to him the correspondence noted in the Margin, relating to the conduct of

From Salem	18th July	in Cons 4th. August 1842.
To Government		17th. October 1842.
From Do	7th. November	in Cons 8th. December
To Collector		8th. December
From Collector	19th. December	in Cons 12th. January 1843
To Collector		12th. January
To Government		12th. Do.
From Govt.	3d.	in Cons 6th. February
To Collector		6th. Do.
From Collector	30th. August	in Cons 4th. November 1847
To Collector		4th. November
From Collector	27th. September	in Cons 18th. Novr.
Proceedings to Collector	18th. November	
From Collector	23d. February	in Cons 20th. April 1848
From Collector	10th. March	in Cons 20th. April
From Collector	10th. Do.	in Cons 20th. Do.
Proceedings to Collector	27th. April	

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of Timmapoor, late Talookdar of Oofsoor Talook in the Salem District.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 25th. August 1851. } (Signed) W. H. Bayley. Secretary.

Read the undermentioned Extracts.

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No 2030. From the Secretary to Government, Dated 21st. Augt. 1851. } Recording observations and orders on the Reports of the Commissioner for the Northern Circars, relative to the sale of the Bantgur and Polaky Zemindaries in the District of Ganjam for arrears of Revenue.

15.16

Order thereon.

Ordered to be recorded.

(B. No 2029. From the Secretary to Government, Dated 21st August 1851. } Sanctioning the sums recommended by the Commissioner for the Northern Circars, to be disbursed on account of advances for cultivation and for the manufacture of Salt in the Districts of Guntoor and Masulipatam for July 1851.

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17.18

Order thereon.

Ordered to be recorded.

Read.

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Read the following letter

No. 15.

To

W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

19

B. No. 1787. From the Collr. of Rajahmundry Stating the reductions in the Establishment on the Yanaon Frontier.

Sir.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of an Extract from the Board's Proceedings dated the 10th Instant requesting to be informed whether any and what reduction can be made in the Frontier Establishments in this District with reference to the adoption of the revised Schedule of Articles liable to import and export duties, and in reply to state that at the Veelapully Chowky the Gomastahs pay can be reduced to 10 Rupees per Mensem and the Pyguasty and five Peons can be entirely done away with. This will leave the establishment there as follows.

	Rs.	a.	P.
1 Gomastah	10	"	"
5 Peons	20	"	"
2 Boatmen	7	12	"
Saderwaid	1	8	"
	37	8	"

A reduction of 30 Rupees is thus effected.

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2. At the Ingeram Choultry Gomastahs pay cannot be reduced, but the Pyguasty and five Peons can be d away with and the establishment there will remain as follows-

	Rs	a	P
1 Gomasta	10	—	—
5 Peons	20	—	—
1 Boatman	3	8	—
Saderwand	—	8	—
	34	—	—

A reduction of Rupees 28 — — is thus effected.

3. At Gootteneadeevy there is no frontier establishment, but the Sub Police Officer carries on the business-

These establishments will be abolished altogether as soon as I receive sanction for renting out the Yanam duties

At the Horizon Sunneer it will be necessary still to employ a Writer on a pay of Rupees 10 per mensem to keep the accounts transmitted by the Yanam renter and by the establishment on the frontier of His Highness the Nizams territories consisting of-

	Rs	a	P
1 Gomasta	10	—	—
4 Peons	16	—	—
Saderwand	—	8	—
	26	—	8

The total expenditure per mensem will thus be reduced to Rupees 81 — —

Rajahmundry Districts
Rajahmundry 25th July 1851

/ Signed T. Prendergast
Collector

Ordered to lie over.
Read the following Statement
Statement

Order thereon

(19.20)

Fort St. George 23 August 1851.

Rd 25th 1851.

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Statement shewing the Quantity of Salt in Store available for exportation to Calcutta on Private Trade at each District of Rajahmundry

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Places at which Salt is available for exportation by Sea	Quantity to be delivered in 1850-51	Quantity already delivered	Remarks
Coringa	26,800	7,000	19,800

Rajahmundry Collector's Office 9 Aug 1851

/ D. Prendergast
Collector

Statement

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Order on the foregoing Statements. Ordered to be sent for publication in the Fort St. George Gazette.

21.23

Read the following letter.

No. 79.

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

24

Bd's No. 1970
From the Actg Sub Coll.
in charge of Vellore.

Sir.

I have the honor to request you will furnish me with the opinion of the Board as to whether I am entitled to draw Extra Tent allowance during the time I remain at Vellore in charge of the District the Boogoor Cutcherry here being under repair at present and my Tent pitched for the use of public Servants and Records.

I have &c.
(Signed) C. Arbuthnot
Actg. Sub Collector
in charge.

Vellore
Collector's Cutcherry
14th August 1857.
Bd's No. 1655.

Proceedings thereon. The Board of Revenue will not object to Mr. Arbuthnot drawing Extra Tent allowance whilst in charge of the District so long as the Collector's Cutcherry is not available for his Establishment.

24.25

2. Reference should however be made to these Proceedings in support of the charge in the Annual Statement of Extra Tent allowance.

Read.

Fort St. George 25th August 1857.

Bd's No. 1968. Statement exhibiting the Quantity of Salt in Store and available for exportation to Calcutta on Private trade at each of the Stations under the Collectorate of Vellore up to 31st July 1857.

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No.	Stations	Places at which Salt is shipped	Quantity of Salt actually in Store and ready to be exported	Quantity remaining to be exported	Quantity of Salt actually in Store and ready for exportation this year 1850/51.	Quantity already exported this year
			Indian Measure	Indian Measure	Indian Measure	Indian Measure
1	Tirumalaipundy		9200	9200	9200	
2	Do Station		21600	21600	25000	3400
3	Porgaudipully		"	"	10300	10300
4	Vareery		15000	15000	15000	"
5	Kriskinapatnam		40000	40000	40000	"
			85800	85800	1,00000	14200

Vellore Collectors Cutcherry 12th August 1857.
(Signed) C. Arbuthnot
Actg. Sub Collector
in charge.

Fort St. George 25th August 1851.

Read the following letter

No 81.

(26)

To

W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir,

Bd. No. 1922.

From the Collr. of Cuddapah — 3 Parcl.

By Act IV of 1839 it is provided that any person desirous of obtaining a certificate of the origion of Sugar, the produce of the British possessions in India, shall receive such Certificate on making a declaration in the form prescribed by the Act, before the Collector of the District.

Reporting that he has declined to grant certificates of the origin of Sugar to an individual who applied for the same for certain reasons.

I have lately had an application from an individual to grant him seventeen different Certificates for various quantities of Sugar Amounting in the aggregate to ninety five thousand Maunds which he stated was the produce of the Muddenpully and Gooramcondah Talooks and which was then stored and ready for transmission to Madras. The man could give no satisfactory reason for taking so many different certificates for one quantity of Sugar and it seemed to be very improbable that he could have at one time a quantity to transport, which could not have been carried in less than 300 Carts. I therefore declined

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declined to grant the Certificates until I had received the local Officers reports of the quantity actually in store. By the replies which I received to my reference to the Tahsildars it appeared that only eighteen hundred Maunds of Sugar were in the Villages named by the Applicant, and in explanation of this contradiction to his former Statement, he then asserted that Sixty thousand Maunds had been despatched one Month previously, and that it was for that quantity for what was then in store, and for what he further proposed to obtain, that he asked for the Seventeen Certificates.

3. In consequence of this I have declined to grant his request until I have received the orders of the Board.

4. There is nothing in the Act which provides that the party demanding a Certificate shall shew that the Sugar for which he demands it is actually in existence. but as the law was passed for the express purpose of preventing the importation of foreign Sugar into the British possessions, it is obviously incumbent on the Officers granting Certificates to be careful that no opportunity is afforded for fraud in foreign Sugar being protected by a Certificate of British origin. In the present

present case the demand for a number of passes for a quantity of Sugar said to be all in store, led me to entertain some suspicion of the possibility of their being made use of to cover Sugar the growth of Pondicherry which might then be shipped to the United Kingdom as the produce of British India and until I have received the Board's instructions I shall not consider myself at liberty to issue Certificates for any quantity of Sugar and actually in store, at the time the Certificate is demanded.

Cuddapah, Collector's Office, 7th August 1851.

(Signed) W. Forbes
Collector.

B. of R. 1654.

(26.27)

Proceedings thereon. The Board of Revenue are of opinion that if the Collector has no reason to suspect that the Sugar already despatched to Madras is Foreign Sugar he may grant the prescribed Certificate for that, and for the quantity still in store but not for Sugar to be hereafter obtained from the manufacturers. He should caution the individual referred to in para 2 of the above letter that he has laid himself open

open to the penalties prescribed in Section VI of Act XV of 1839 by making an application for Sugar not being in his possession" Section II.

2. The Collector might also intimate as opportunities offer, to parties engaged in the Sugar Trade, that Certificates will not be granted hereafter for Sugar after it has left the District, except in special cases where it may be necessary to depart from a rigid enforcement of this rule, when the Collector will be at liberty to act according to his discretion.

No. 80.

To, W. H. Bayley Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

(28)

B. of R. 1933.
From the Collector of Cuddapah.

Reporting the measures he has taken upon the Statements contained in the Petitions presented to the Board by Sunjeeva Rao Goomastah of the Cash Department.

Sir.

I have had the honor to receive from the Board two Petitions from Sunjeeva Rao, late a Goomastah in this Treasury bearing an Endorsement to me to give the Statements they contain the consideration they may appear to deserve.

2. Petitioner states that he was fully

fully aware of the irregular conduct of the late Cash Keeper and that he made it known to Appa Rao the Head Sheristadar and I have observed in the reports of the late acting Collector that he was of opinion that "had the necessary supervision of the Accounts belonging to the "Cash Keeper and Head Shroff been held "by the highest native revenue officers" "(Subsequently explained to mean the "Head and Naib Sheristadars) entrusted "with the entire management of all "accounts," the deficiency in the Cash would not have taken place and the attention of the Board has naturally been attracted to this notice of the Sheristadar's conduct and they have censured it accordingly.—

Letter to the Board of Revenue 4th Dec. 1850 Para 10.

Letter to Board of Revenue 18th January 1851 Para 52.

3. My own communications with Appa Rao upon the treasury business led me to believe that he had not had that full and fair opportunity of defending himself from the charge brought against him, which every one might have claimed by right and which his long and able services would I feel confident, make the Board peculiarly desirous that he should have enjoyed, and when therefore I received the Board's instructions to give to Sunjeeva Rao's representations the attention they deserved, and observed the

one of his Statements was that he had made Appa Rao acquainted with what was going on in the Treasury, I considered that while I obeyed the Board's instructions, I should be able at the same time to give to Appa Rao the opportunity of stating his own case which the Board would consider he should from the first have had.

4. Appa Rao has now stated to me in writing that on returning from the Jamalundy in July last year, he became acquainted with the facts of the Cash Keeper's habit of taking at once from the Cash chest the money due on Government bills before they came to maturity, and that he drew up a Statement giving full particulars of the practice, and placed an English translation of it in the hands of the Collector in the Month of August. A copy of this Statement I have the honor to annex, and it appears to me entirely to exonerate Appa Rao from every of neglect of his duty which was fully and entirely performed when he had thus publicly reported to his only Superior the irregularities he had found to exist.—

Cuddapah, Collector's Office, 7th August 1851.

(Signed) H. Forbes
Collector

Statement.—

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Fort St. Geo.

25th August 1851.

Statement of the Government Bills paid before they were due, in June, July and August 1850.

No. of the Bill	Date of the Bill	To whom the amount of the Bill was paid	Amount of the Bill	At what sight	The date of acceptance by the Collector	The date on which the Bills became due	The date on which the amount was paid	Difference between Columns 7 and 8
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
			Rupees	Days.				Days.
307	29th May 1850	Condapoah	1,950	10	13th June 1850	22d June 1850	17th June 1850	5
326	31st Do. Do.	Baseelly	2,000	10	6th Do. Do.	15th Do. Do.	10th Do. Do.	5
516	11th June Do.	Venkiah	6,000	10	17th Do. Do.	26th Do. Do.	19th Do. Do.	7
881	13th July. Do.	Venecatachellum	17,500	10	19th July Do.	28th July Do.	24th July Do.	4
1103	1st August Do.	Golliah	2,000	10	5th Aug.t Do.	14th August Do.	10th Aug.t Do.	4
1132	2d Do. Do.	Baseelly	2,000	10	5th Do. Do.	14th Do. Do.	12th Do. Do.	2
1235	13th Do. Do.	Do.	1,000	10	20th Do. Do.	29th Do. Do.	24th Do. Do.	5
1287	16th Do. Do.	Golliah	3,000	10	20th Do. Do.	29th Do. Do.	24th Do. Do.	5

Cuddapah Collectors Office 7th August 1851.

Signed W. Forbes
Collector
Ordered

11297. Fort St. George 25th August 1851.

Order thereon -

(28.29)

Ordered that the foregoing communication and its accompaniment be forwarded to Mr. I. B. Cochrane late Collector of Cuddapah, for such observations as he may wish to offer on the Statements contained therein. -

11298 Fort St. George 25th August 1851.

No. 85.

To

W. H. Bayley Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

(30)

B. R. 1987

From the Collector of Cuddapah -

Affording further explanation on the subject of the accompanying Petition No. 1079 of 1850 presented to the Board of Revenue by Venkatapah Cuttaabady Enamdar of Cailcoontla Talook.

Sir,

Para 1. I have the honor to address you on the subject of petition No. 1079 of 1850, in connection with the Board's Proceedings dated the 15th of May last. -

The only points to which it is necessary that I should advert are 1st. whether 2. the Cuttoobady service in petitioner's Village is now performed by any one - 2d. what the number of Cuttoobady peons in the Village is, and 3d. whether the entire Enam, as it stood before petitioners brother's share was resumed was more than sufficient for the remuneration of the service for which it was granted

3 There are at present 49 Cuttoo- badies in the Village of Peddayemmanoor the aggregate of whose Enam, deducting the Jody payable to Government, is Rupees 979-0-3 per annum, being on an average very nearly 20 Rupees for each man or somewhat less than the Standard recommended by Mr. Arbuthnot, which was Rupees 23-10-0

Whatever

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4.

Whatever therefore may be the Board's pleasure regarding petitioners' claim to his Brother's office I am not of opinion that the resumption of the Enam was a measure, which it is desirable should be confirmed.—

Cuddapah Collector's Office, 15th August, 1851.
Bd. No. 1671.

Signed/ H. Forbes

Collector

Proceedings thereon.—

(30.31)

The Petitioner Vencatuppah and his brother having separated from Nachagadi previous to the late orders prohibiting the partition of service Enams, the Board think that the brothers should be permitted to retain their shares, the portion of Nachagadi being also made over to them; as the Emoluments even with this addition, are barely sufficient for the duties required.—

Ordered that the following Endorsement be passed on Petition No. 1179 and 1223 of 1850.

"The Board have desired that the portions of Cuttobady Enam lately held by Petitioner and his Brother should be restored to them."

Read

Fort St. George 25th August 1851.

Read the following letters.

No. 9.

To, W. H. Bayley Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

(32)

Bd. No. 1670.

From the Collector of Chingleput . . .

Affording further explanation as called for from the Board's Indorsement on Petitions No. 1346 of 1851. presented by Rutna moodely

Sir,

Para 1. Adverting to the Endorsement of the Board of Revenue on Petition No. 1346 of 1851. and dated 24th June requiring me to reconsider and report on the claims of the Petitioner particularly with reference to the rights he may possess as a member of an undivided Family I have the honor to state that on again giving the subject my best consideration, I am still of opinion that the circumstances of the case preclude any other arrangements being entered into. It does not appear that the name of the Petitioner has ever been entered in the Puttah or that any division of Family property conducive to such joint association or sub division of land had been effected, to which property the widow would have in such case succeeded on the demise of her husband. She is the legal representative of the late

holder

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holder, and it appears equally unfeasible to split the Puttah as to make a joint entry therein without the consent of both parties, it being in the present instance as indispensable that the widow should be assentient to the measure as it would have been to have obtained her husband's consent were he alive.-

2. Petitioners Sister-in-law might probably agree to sub-divide the Puttah Land on a fair distribution of the Family Property; but even to this arrangement her consent would now be necessary - as the matter now stands, it would certainly be against her Interest to surrender her claims to any portion of the land in question in consideration of the bare pittance she may alone receive from her Brother-in-law (Petitioner) as co maintenance.-

3 I beg further to state that I shall be glad to be favored with the sentiments of the Board on the merits of the case under discussion and to act accordingly.-

Chingleput District,
Collector's Circuit Cutchery,
Cuttevanik, 1st August, 1857.

Signed/ J. F. C. Cochrane
Collector.

The

11302

B. of R. 1657
Proceedings
32-33
Petition No. 1346 of 1857

Fort St. George 25th August 1857.

The Collector has not supplied sufficient information to enable the Board to dispose of the claim of the Petitioner to the transfer in his name of the Puttah held by his late Elder Brother.-

2 Mr. Cochrane has left untouched the settlement alleged to have been effected by the parties in dispute nor has he stated distinctly whether the family was undivided.

3. The widow is said to be the legal representative of her husband, but this is only the case when the family has been divided and a separation of interests has taken places. If no such separation has occurred, the Petitioner on the death of his elder brother becomes the head of the family and is entitled to manage its affairs and the consent of the widow is unnecessary for this purpose, her claim on the property extending no further than the necessary maintenance.-

4. The Collector will with reference to the foregoing observations state if the family is found to be undivided and whether in that case there is any objections to the registry of the Puttah land in the name of the Petitioner.-

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To

11303 Fort St.e George 25th August 1851.

No. 139.

To

W.m H.s Bayley Esq.re
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St.e George.

(34)

Board's No. 1998

Sir,

From the Collector of Chingleput.

I have the honor to transmit an Advertisment for the sale of certain M.s Mootahs on account of arrears of Revenue due for Fusly 1260 and request that publicity may be given

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given to the same in your Office with the sanction of the Board of Revenue.

Chingleput District Collector's Cutcherry, - - - - Pullecarroy, - - - - 18th August, 1851. - -

Signed J.H. Cochrane
Collector

Advertisment

1305

Court Sit. Sessions 23rd August 1831

Clerk's Name.

Table A Kelly qui tam &c. Commrs of Assessed Taxes Appellants

1											
23	Thompson		1	040	1	106	1	3	9	4	137 2 2
24	Hopkins		2	24	12	4	15	12	4	" 9	3 1 3 3
25	Hemming		6	2,400	7	3	124	1	7	3	41 13 11 43 2 7 1328 9 11
26	Broomhead Jessop		1	254	10	10	32	10	10		1 7 3 1 13 11 63 " "
27	Hunt		1	604	13	11	16	15	11	" 7	6 3 12 11 21 4 4
28	Tasker		4	1,203	9	"	107	1	"	16	13 2 27 1 6 137 1 0
29	Bramhall		1	2,900	3	3	1406	12	11	37	12 11 66 9 11 1603 3 9
30	Cornforth		1	963	3	7	203	3	7	0	2 11 4 9 4 215 13 10
31	Greenwood		1	340	7	6	466	9	6	18	3 6 23 12 6 370 9 6
32	Hunter		1	308	9	3	193	9	3	6	3 " 3 4 10 203 1 1
33	Thornton		2	2340	9		2322	9	11	108	3 7 137 7 2 2765 6 0
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35	Cornforth		1	963	3	7	203	3	7	0	2 11 4 9 4 215 13 10
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39	Hyam		3	2992	3	7	2992	3	7	141	9 3 130 6 10 3272 3 0
40	Brown		1	278	3	"	109	3	"	6	6 6 9 0 2 203 1 0
41	Hutchinson		1	1086	11	7	233	6	"	10	1 4 27 4 0 270 12 "
42	Hyde		2	367	12	9	228	12	9	9	2 10 10 " 10 238 " 3
43	Smedley		1	36	13	3	22	13	3	"	13 11 1 10 0 23 7 10
44	Cammerlam		2	327	13	4	329	13	4	13	3 6 16 9 3 339 12 1
45	Crosby		1	287	4	11	40	3	10	3	" 4 0 15 " 34 3 2
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47	Cladcrosse		3	217	13	8	1806	11	10	94	14 11 70 14 9 1960 9 6
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36	Hutchinson		1	1086	11	7	233	6	"	10	1	4	27	4 0 270 12 "
37	Hyde		2	367	12	9	228	12	9	9	2	10	10	" 10 238 " 3
38	Smedley		1	36	13	3	22	13	3	"	13	11	1	10 0 23 7 10
39	Cammerlam		2	327	13	4	329	13	4	13	3	6	16	9 3 339 12 1
40	Crosby		1	287	4	11	40	3	10	3	"	4	0	15 " 34 3 2
41	Clennell		4	2233	4	7	406	1	1	20	9	3	27	2 11 433 13 3
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Terms of Sale:-

2 Persons desirous of becoming purchasers may depute authorized agents or Vakeels for that purpose and all purchases made by such authorized Vakeels shall be held to be valid in the same manner as if the purchases had been made by their principals.-

3 But it is required that such authorized Vakeels shall state at the time of purchase the names of their constituents on behalf of whom such purchase may be made.-

4. The intention of the above conditions being to prevent fraudulent Collusion, notice is further given that in the event of any purchase being made under a fictitious name the deposit money made on account of such purchase will be liable to be forfeited to the Government and the Estate to be resold.-

5 A Summud Sunnud Inaulkeat Estimerar or deed of permanent rights has been lodged at the Cutcherry of the Collector and at the office of the Board of Revenue describing the obligations to be incurred and the rights to be obtained by purchase of land under this advertisement. All persons are therefore referred to that instrument for particular explanations.-

6 The purchasers of Estates will not be put in possession till the sale has been sanctioned by the Board of Revenue, but in the mean time 15 per cent of the purchase money will be required to be deposited immediately and Security given for the payment of the remainder on the receipt of the Board's sanction or within one month from the date of sale in default whereof the deposit money will be forfeited and the Estates will be resold at the risk of the first purchaser.-

7. In case of the sale not being sanctioned by the Board of Revenue the deposit money will be returned and the person depositing it released from all responsibility with regard to the Estate or Estates.-

8. For further particulars enquire at the office of the Board of Revenue or at the Collector's Cutcherry between 10 and 5 O'Clock, Sundays excepted.-

The

11304

Bd. Sec. 1867

Proceedings thereon.—

(34.35)

Fort St. George 25th August 1851.

The Board of Revenue sanction the sale for arrears of public revenue of the lands entered in the advertisement which accompanies the foregoing letter on the date fixed by the Collector and direct the publication of the advertisement in their office.—

Sec. 142

To,

W. H. Bayley Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue,

Fort St. George

(36)

Bd. No. 2012

From the Collector of Chingleput.—

To,

Para 1

I have the honor to submit for the information of the Board of Revenue the accompanying Statement of Balance of Peishcush due on account of certain Shotriam Villages in this District for Fusly 1260 and to suggest that the usual notice be issued to the several Proprietors in arrears stating that unless their Balances are liquidated within one month from the date of notification their Shotriam land will be resumed.—

I beg to state for the information of

Forwarding the Statement of Balances of Peishcush due on certain Shotriam Villages for Fusly 1260 and requests for issue the usual notice for their resumption.—

Vide Enclosure A

D.P.

11308. Fort St. George 25th August 1851.

of the Board of Revenue that although Interest has hitherto been charged as sanctioned on the Balance of Peishkush due by the Shrotriemdars, its payment does not seem to have been in all instances rigidly enforced. In order to ensure the more punctual payment of the Peishkush with Interest, I have been induced to include in the Statement now submitted the Interest as also the Maramut portion of the Hijsa charges also due by them, and trust the arrangement will meet approval.—

Chingleput District Collectors Cutcherry, Pullecarney, 18th August 1851.

(Signed) J. H. Cochrane
Collector

Statement

11309. For Fort St. George

A. Statement shewing the balance of Kists outstanding

25th August 1851.

against the Shrotriem Villages for Fusly 1260 in the Zillah of Chingleput.

Talook	Name of the Shrotriem Village	Name of the Proprietor	Kist for Fusly 1260	Collection up to 31st July 1851	Balance of Fusly 1260	Balance of Fusly 1259	Total Balance	Interest due for the amount of Balance of Fusly 1260	Amount of repairs executed to the Hissah Tanks in Fusly 1260	Total Balance including interest and the amount repairs executed to the Hissah Tanks in Fusly 1260
			Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p
Coramgoody	Poollamun cottah	Vada Reddy Ramasawmy Reddy	445 11 8	419 " "	26 11 8	" " "	26 11 8	1 4 6	" " "	27 12 2
	Atuntangal	Streenevasa Rogavah Chairy	183 1 11	" " "	183 1 11	" " "	183 1 11	5 7 3	" " "	188 9 2
	Codember Coil	Streecodumbanadaswamy	41 11 11	33 11 11	8 " "	" " "	8 " "	" 11 8	" " "	8 11 8
	Casaboodoor	Singarah Chairy	182 14 4	" " "	182 14 4	" " "	182 14 4	5 6 10	" " "	188 5 2
	Avulloor	Narrasimmiah &ca	1,200 13 4	" " "	1,200 13 4	" " "	1,200 13 4	35 14 "	" " "	1,236 11 4
	Naycoopum	Narasiah &ca	271 2 10	132 6 "	138 12 10	" " "	138 12 10	8 2 1	" " "	146 14 11
			1,879 12 4	166 1 11	1,713 10 5	" " "	1,713 10 5	55 9 10	" " "	1,769 4 3
Collamallore	Arapanunjary	Venkatanarainiah	306 9 10	190 12 "	115 13 10	" " "	115 13 10	9 3 10	" " "	125 1 8
	Conarecoopum	Casavooloo Naidoo	1,039 4 6	750 " "	289 4 6	" " "	289 4 6	30 5 9	" " "	319 10 3
	Cuttevaukum	Ramacharry &ca	51 2 9	42 " "	9 2 9	" " "	9 2 9	" 6 8	" " "	9 9 5
	Valliccaputtada	Ragva Moodely &ca	154 13 4	150 3 4	4 10 "	" " "	4 10 "	" " "	" " "	4 10 "
	Perooccalicandoo	Caroomboochetty Churchi-warden of Stree Suttanadaswamy	42 14 4	" " "	42 14 4	" " "	42 14 4	4 9 8	" " "	47 8 "
Conjeveram	Poleyengah Puttada Nooloomboo Puttada	Venkatachella Moodely &ca	20 9 2	" " "	20 9 2	" " "	20 9 2	" 10 6	" " "	21 3 8
	Saindoovalee &ca	Kistniah &ca	8 13 3	" " "	8 13 3	" " "	8 13 3	1 6 "	" " "	10 3 3
	Coolacomboo Puttada	Mroothoonjia Sastry &ca	17 " "	" " "	17 " "	" " "	17 " "	1 2 4	" " "	18 2 4
			62 6 6	45 6 6						

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Fort St. George

25th August 1851.

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Name of the Shrotriem Village	Name of the Proprietor	Hist for Fusly 1260	Collection upto 31st July 1851	Balance of Fusly 1260	Balance of Fusly 1259	Total Balance	Interest due for the amount of Balance of Fusly 1260	Amount of repairs executed to the Hifsah Tanks in Fusly 1260	Total Balance including interest and the amount repairs executed to the Hifsah Tanks in Fusly 1260
		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p
Yareepaukum	Mohoomed Gouz	27 2 11	21 " "	6 2 11	" " "	6 2 11	" 13 9	" " "	7 " 8
Canoocumpullum	Churchwarden of Stree Yadot Rakary Swamy	131 15 4	76 " "	55 15 4	" " "	55 15 4	3 9 10	" " "	59 9 2
Terospady Coomum	Stree Trelokeyanadaswamy	348 15 4	50 " "	298 15 4	" " "	298 15 4	9 2 5	11 " "	319 1 9
Paranathum	Kistna Sastry & Co	171 " 3	2 4 8	168 11 7	" " "	168 11 7	4 15 8	" " "	173 11 3
Kulparaonanelloor	Dº Dº	735 " "	" " "	735 " "	" " "	735 " "	22 " 1	" " "	757 " 1
Caulloor	Kistnamah Charry & Co	976 76	382 9 "	593 14 6	" " "	593 14 6	26 2 1	" " "	620 " 7
Moolaput	Dhondoo Bayee Seevoo Bayee	17 8 "	9 4 "	8 4 "	" " "	8 4 "	" 8 5	" " "	8 12 5
Voragada Mahadavee Mungalum	Nogojee Row	337 12 9	178 8 "	159 4 9	" " "	159 4 9	10 " 10	" " "	169 5 7
Tolajah poorum	Lutchmanah Charry & Co	119 7 2	54 8 "	64 15 2	" " "	64 15 2	3 9 3	" " "	68 8 5
Caroor	Vencatasuraya nathatha charry	439 11 9	301 11 9	135 " "	" " "	135 " "	10 2 3	" " "	145 2 3
Vadul	Narrasimmah Charry & Co	627 2 8	" " "	627 2 8	" " "	627 2 8	18 12 11	" " "	645 15 7
Nuttanelloor	Streenevasa Syengar	210 2 7	" " "	210 3 7	" " "	210 3 7	6 4 7	" " "	216 8 2
Taunghee	Ponniah Moodely	380 7 5	" " "	380 7 5	" " "	380 7 5	11 5 7	" " "	391 13 "
Codamanelloor	Rungammal	359 " 3	323 " "	36 " 3	" " "	36 " 3	3 13 2	" " "	39 13 5
Tanumbaukum	Yajamana Kistna Row & Co	694 6 "	381 14 2	312 7 10	" " "	312 7 10	19 4 4	" " "	331 12 2
Cadurpoor	Davalum Soobbyah & Co	845 10 "	38 15 11	806 10 1	" " "	806 10 1	24 15 6	" " "	831 9 7
Maradam	Gopala Kistniah & Co	446 11 9	226 13 8	219 14 1	" " "	219 14 1	12 8 "	" " "	232 6 1
Yarevoy	Seetaramiah & Co	1,028 10 2	624 13 2	400 13 "	" " "	400 13 "	27 14 2	" " "	428 11 2
		9,730 13 11	4,002 11 7	5,728 2 4	" " "	5,728 2 4	263 11 7	11 " "	6,002 13 11

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For Fasly George

25th August 1851.

To Looks	Name of the Shrotriem Village	Name of the Proprietor	Kist for Fasly 1260	Collection up to 31st July 1851	Balance of Fasly 1260	Balance of Fasly 1259	Total Balance	Interest due for the amount of Balance of Fasly 1260	Amount of repairs executed to the Hissah Tanks in Fasly 1260	Total Balance including interest and the amount repairs executed to the Hissa Tanks in Fasly 1260
			Rus a ps	Rus a ps	Rus a ps	Rus a ps	Rus a ps	Rus a ps	Rus a ps	Rus a ps
Chingleput	Malarepaukum	Bram Saib	107 15 5	53 10 1	54 5 4	u u u	54 5 4	1 5 3	u u u	55 10 7
	Nelvoy	Ebram Saib Dca	96 11 9	90 u u	6 11 9	u u u	6 11 9	2 9 8	u u u	9 5 5
	Eroombalee	Ramachundra Row Dca	106 u 1	u u u	106 u 1	18 8 9	124 8 10	3 3 u	u u u	27 11 10
	Puttecaud	Ragoonadingar	218 12 8	u u u	218 12 8	u u u	218 12 8	6 8 7	u u u	225 5 3
	Vadacadoomba dy	Fakeer Mohodeen	81 6 4	71 1 7	10 4 9	u u u	10 4 9	1 10 2	u u u	11 14 11
	Paroomallaree	Covelong Durga	132 2 11	61 7 11	70 11 u	u u u	70 11 u	3 1 2	u u u	73 12 2
	Nullanpettal	Stree Stalasyanaswamy	73 3 10	41 9 11	31 9 11	u u u	31 9 11	2 3 1	u u u	33 13 u
			816 5 u	317 13 6	498 7 6	18 8 9	517 u 3	20 8 11	u u u	537 9 2
Manimungalum	Eroombadoo	Streenevasaragavaiengar Dca	122 13 5	106 1 8	16 11 9	u u u	16 11 9	2 7 10	u u u	19 3 7
	Eroongadoocotah	Nulla Seerama Naidoo Dca	175 12 6	168 u u	7 12 6	u u u	7 12 6	3 14 6	u u u	11 11 u
	Cullummadoo	Appaja Iyengar	63 10 9	50 u u	13 10 9	u u u	13 10 9	2 2 2	u u u	15 12 11
	Vengoody	Vadanta Charry Dca	18 9 11	15 4 u	3 5 11	u u u	3 5 11	u 6 8	u u u	3 12 7
	Mavaloorcoopum	Ramanoojiengar Dca	399 7 1	u u u	399 7 1	u u u	399 7 1	13 13 7	u u u	413 4 8
	Perouncarney	Streenevasa Iyengar	461 3 u	305 12 u	155 7 u	u u u	155 7 u	15 3 u	u u u	179 10 u
	Poodoopair Para: voor	Nat Ponnambala Moodely Dca	264 8 2	198 12 u	65 12 2	u u u	65 12 2	5 8 10	u u u	71 5 u
			1506 u 10	843 13 8	662 3 2	u u u	662 3 2	43 8 7	u u u	705 11 9

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Talook Ks.

Name of the Shrotriem Village	Name of the Proprietor.	Kist for Fusly 1260.	Collection up to 31st July 1851.	Balance of Fusly 1260.	Balance of Fusly 1259.	Total Balance	Interest due for the amount of Balance of Fusly 1260.	Amount of repairs executed to the Hijsah Tanks in Fusly 1260.	Total Balance including interest and the amount repairs executed to the Hijsah Tanks in Fusly 1260.
		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p
Proprietors.									
Cadumboor	Sabapathy Moodely	104 15 6	" " "	104 15 6	" " "	104 15 6	3 1 9	" " "	108 1 3
Umbanumpaukum	Rajagopacharry	48 6 6	11 8 "	36 14 6	" " "	36 14 6	1 7 6	" " "	38 6 "
Covelontangal	Sree Gunnapooraswara Swamy	32 6 4	" " "	32 6 4	" " "	32 6 4	" 15 8	" " "	33 6 "
Eachumcarney	Syedman & Co	276 5 8	229 11 11	46 9 9	" " "	46 9 9	" 2 1	" " "	46 11 10
		462 2 "	241 3 11	220 14 1	" " "	220 14 1	5 11 "	" " "	226 9 1
Garagumbaukum & Co	Narasummal	913 12 6	884 12 2	26 " 4	" " "	26 " 4	" " "	" " "	26 " 4
Moogalavaukum	Sree Prevateeswaraswamy	424 7 2	337 5 7	87 1 7	" " "	87 1 7	12 14 3	" " 4	99 15 10
Aragodum	Veerasamiah & Co	277 9 11	202 13 8	74 12 3	" " 4	74 12 3	5 3 5	" " "	79 15 8
Poolagarum Pelavery	Coopoo Tagaroya Moodely	333 3 8	" " "	333 3 8	" " 4	333 3 8	9 12 7	" " 4	343 " 3
Yaranavoor	Vencataraya Moodely	140 10 9	40 " "	100 10 9	" " "	100 10 9	3 10 2	" " "	104 4 11
Colattoor	Coopoo Tagaroya Moodly	679 7 2	" " "	679 7 2	" " 4	679 7 2	20 15 6	" " 4	699 12 8
Neelungaray	Sreenivasa Sastry	108 13 5	" " "	108 13 5	" " "	108 13 5	3 4 9	" " "	112 2 2
Peroovamoor	Sree Tagaroya Swamy	527 3 9	462 " "	65 3 9	" " "	65 3 9	" 12 2	" " 4	65 15 11
Modepaukum	Peroomala Naick	62 " 6	" " "	62 " 6	" " "	62 " 6	1 14 5	" " 4	63 14 11
Cotevaukum	Do	27 14 3	" " "	27 14 3	" " 4	27 14 3	" 13 3	" " 4	28 11 6
Keelacutta	Vencut Row Moocoonda Row	161 8 11	150 12 6	10 12 5	" " "	10 12 5	1 9 1	" " 4	12 5 6
Muppadoo	Vencatanarasa Pillay	173 4 8	165 " "	8 4 8	" " 4	8 4 8	" 11 8	" " 4	13 " 4
Arryaloor	Noor Saib & Co	101 11 7	40 " "	61 11 7	" " "	61 11 7	2 4 3	" " "	63 15 10
		3,931 12 3	2,285 11 11	1,646 " 4	" " "	1,646 " 4	67 3 6	4 " "	1,713 3 10

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Fort St. George

25th August 1851.

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Name of the Shroteriem Village.	Name of the Proprietors.	Kist for Fusly 1260.	Collection upto 31st July 1851.	Balance of Fusly 1260.	Balance of Fusly 1259.	Total Balance.	Interest due for the amount of Balance of Fusly 1260	Amount of repairs executed to the Hissah Tanks in Fusly 1260.	Total Balance including interest and the amount repairs executed to the Hissah in Fusly 1260.
		Rus a ℘	Rus a ℘	Rus a ℘	Rus a ℘	Rus a ℘	Rus a ℘	Rus a ℘	Rus a ℘
Aulapaukum	Iyavengar	246 5 6	214 6 6	31 15 "	" " "	31 15 "	2 2 5	" " "	34 1 5
Yellapoorum	Mahomed Rajah Vs ca "	148 12 9	" " "	148 12 9	" " "	148 12 9	4 9 5	" " "	153 6 2
Amedanelloor	Lutchonenaranya	361 9 11	342 7 3	19 2 8	" " "	19 2 8	1 15 "	" " "	21 1 8
Nuttum	Rayoopate Moodely Vs ca "	325 11 7	" " "	325 11 7	" " "	325 11 7	6 6 8	" " "	332 2 3
Atteput	Arosnachella Moodely	320 1 "	" " "	320 1 "	" " "	320 1 "	9 9 1	" " "	329 10 1
Cadanelloor	Dº	245 3 7	" " "	245 3 7	" " "	245 3 7	7 5 4	" " "	252 8 11
Pooche Atteput	Bashea Iyengar	243 1 "	60 " "	183 1 "	" " "	183 1 "	6 13 "	" " "	189 14 "
Attevankum Pos ca Tenankum	Ramachendra Naick Vs ca "	994 7 2	433 4 1	561 3 1	" " "	561 3 1	15 4 2	" " "	576 7 3
Moongalpat	Sree Ayamooctesworaswamy	48 10 2	" " "	48 10 2	" " "	48 10 2	1 7 "	" " "	50 1 2
Seroogadul	Govindacharry Vs ca "	492 11 7	104 5 "	85 6 7	" " "	85 6 7	2 8 "	" " "	87 14 7
Mailcondeyar	Narrasimma Samayajee	687 4 7	600 " "	87 4 7	" " "	87 4 7	17 2 11	" " "	104 7 6
Bundy Cavanoor	Appaniengar Vs ca "	186 1 "	176 10 "	9 7 "	" " "	9 7 "	5 9 3	" " "	15 " 3
Caleyanoor	Appajee Iyengar	237 10 1	" " "	237 10 1	" " "	237 10 1	7 1 8	" " "	244 11 9
Yarayanoor	Syed Hoosain Vs ca "	388 11 7	139 " "	249 11 7	" " "	249 11 7	6 3 3	" " "	255 14 10
Somendapat	Peroomala Ummal	59 13 5	30 " "	29 13 5	" " "	29 13 5	1 12 5	" " "	31 9 10
Sevapoorum	Vencataswamy Naick Vs ca "	72 5 7	63 " "	9 5 7	" " "	9 5 7	" " 7	" " "	9 6 2
Paraltoor	Kistniengar Vs ca "	389 13 5	227 11 1	162 2 4	" " "	162 2 4	4 8 4	" " "	166 10 8
Poolegoor	Dº	550 2 2	" " 3	550 1 11	" " "	550 1 11	16 5 "	" " "	566 6 11
Amadoor	Dº	58 4 "	19 6 8	38 13 4	" " "	38 13 4	1 4 6	" " "	40 1 10
Veeraragavapooram	Dº	175 1 6	116 10 8	58 6 10	" " "	58 6 10	1 11 4	" " "	60 2 2
		5,931 13 7	2,529 13 6	3,402 " 1	" " "	3,402 " 1	119 11 4	" " "	3,521 11 5

11315 — Fort St. George 25th August 1851.

B. No. 1694.

Proceedings thereon, — The Board of Revenue

(36·37)

authorize the Collector of Chingle-put to issue a Notification to the several Shrotriemdars in his — District in arrear for Fasly 1260 — as specified in the Statement which accompanies the foregoing letter — to the effect that their Shrotriems will be resumed if the Balances — are not discharged within one Months after the Publication of such notice.

2. The Collector will be pleased to report the result in order that such further measures may be taken — towards any of the defaulters as may appear advisable. —

3. The Board approve of the proceedings of the Collector as reported at the end of para 2 of the above letter.

Read.

JGB

11316 — Fort St. George 25th August 1851

Read the following letter

No. 54

To. W. H. Bayley Esqr.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

(38)

Sir,

B. No. 1969
From the Actg Collr of Tanjore — — — —

With reference to Mr Bishop's letter of the 7th April 1851 on the subject of the proposal to recopy the Tanjore Survey accounts of 1214-16-36 and 37 and the Board's Extract 28th April 1851 requiring to be informed whether the Village Officers could not make the transcript of their own Survey Records. I have the honor to state that as the Village Curnams have already more than sufficient work this could not be performed except to the neglect of their ordinary and indispensably requisite business. I propose however to commence the labour with a portion of the new Curnums, whose establishment has lately been sanctioned. After some experience is obtained of the amount of transcribing that can thus be performed, I shall be able to report whether it will be possible to finish the required copies without additional cost of Establishment.

B. Bd Extt 28th July 1851.

I beg to enclose for sanction the estimate (600 Rupees) for Cadjans &ca requisite for the preparation of the Pymash copies and solicit a speedy sanction in order that the work may be at once commenced.

(Signed) J. W. Goodwyn
Actg Collector

Tanjore, — — — —
12th August 1851.

Estimate

Estimate of the probable expence to be incurred in recopying the Survey Accounts of Taslies 1214-16-36 & 37 in the Tanjore Province.-

	Rupees
For 13560 bundles of Palmyra leaves at 25 Bundles per Rupee each Bundle Containing 50 leaves	530
For 1200 threads for making Soorways Ropes at one Anna each	70
Total Estimate Rupees	600

Tanjore, 12th August 1851.

(Signed) J. W. Goodwyn
Acg Collector

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B. No. 1665
Proceedings thereon.-
(38.39)

The acting Collector is requested to state whether the Survey accounts in question cannot be copied on paper, and what the probable cost would be. If it does not greatly exceed the Estimate now submitted by him for Cadjans, he will submit an Estimate of that for the paper that would be required instead.-

Read the following

Statement.-

Salt

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A after Bc No 1993.

Fort St George 25th August 1851.

40 Dr Salt Account Current in the District of Tinnevelly No 169 from 1st April to 11th July 1851 of Fusly 1260. Cr

1850					1851		
July	11th	To Balance of quantity remaining in Store at the end of last Fusly		308428 8	July	11th	By Sales for Inland Consumption
1851		To Quantity Manufactured and received in Store.					To the end of last Quarter — 36184 20
July	11th	To the end of last Quarter — 89400					In this Quarter — 23887 11 — 60071 34
		In this Quarter — 240152 16 —		329552 16			By Home Consumption
		To Quantity Gained by Measurement in the Salt of 10 Garce Heaps.					To the end of last Quarter — 204902 16
		To the end of last Quarter — 5549 28					In this Quarter — 85998 18 — 290900 34
		In this Quarter — 2940 36 —		8490 24			Total Sale — 350972 28
							By wastage occasioned in Fusly 1259 written off under the sanction of Government dated 25th April 1851 conveyed in a letter from the Board of Revenue dated 8th May 1851 — 993 24
							Total including Sales — 351966 12
							Balance in Store — 294123 12
							By wastage occasioned in Fusly 1260.
							To the end of last Quarter — 132 24
							In this Quarter — 249 — 381 24
		Total Indian Maunds		64671 8			Total Indian Maunds — 64671 8

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Fort St George

25th August 1851

Dr Money Account Current for Salt from 1st April to 11th July 1851 of Fasly 1260. Cr

1851		Cds a p	Cds a p
July 11th	To Sales for Inland Consumption-		
	To the end of last Quarter	36,184 8 -	
	In this Quarter	23,887 5 7	60,071 13 7
	To Home Consumption		
	To the end of last Quarter	204,902 6 6	
	In this Quarter	85,998 7 3	2,90,900 13 9
	Total at 1 Rupee per Maund		350,972 11 4
	To Fines &c		
	To the end of last Quarter	7 12 7	
	In this Quarter	44 4 3	52 - 10
	Total Company's Rupees		351,024 12 2

Tinnevelly.
11th July 1851

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1851		Cds a p	Cds a p
July 11th	By Servants Wages-		
	To the end of last Quarter	6833 9 10	
	In this Quarter	3438 3 3	10,271 13 1
	By Sadewared including Extra Charges-		
	To the end of last Quarter	424 10 2	
	In this Quarter	234 6 3	659 - 5
	By Rafs-rooms		
	To the end of last Quarter	1164 6 -	
	In this Quarter	388 2 -	1552 8 -
	By Salt Manufacturers Share		
	To the end of last Quarter	7450 - -	
	In this Quarter	20,012 11 3	27462 11 3
	Total		39,946 - 9
	Net Revenue		311078 11 5
	Total Company's Rupees		351,024 12 2

(Signed) C. J. Bird
Collector

Ordered

11321 Fort St George 25th August 1851

Order thereon

(40·41)

Ordered to be recorded.-

Read again letter from the Collector of Tinnevelly dated 17th April and entered in Consultation 5th June 1851.-

Read also the following letter

(42)

No 163

To W.H. Bayley Esqr

Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George

Sir

B: No 1892

From the Collector of Tinnevelly ... } Para 1. With reference to Extract from Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 5th June 1851, I have the honor in reply to the question put in the first para to state that the Trustees have signified their consent to a permanent commutation on a 5 years average of the Cavoo Enams and of their free will signed the accounts containing such an arrangement.-

Submitting further information called for in Extract Proceedings Board of Rev: dated 5th June 1851 regarding the Division of the Lands of three Villages between Govt and the Devas-tanems.-

2 In explanation of the unequal shares assigned respectively to Government and the Devastanum in the Division of Poonjah Perumboke in the Village of Cangreeyattal, I beg to say that the partition of the lands in question was thus determined in order that the separate shares might be situated distinctly from one another and each compactly in itself a line was therefore taken and all to the North of it attributed

attributed to Government and all to the South to the Devastanum.-

3. The grounds described as indivisible consist of the sites of Pagodas Mattams. Wells Dwelling houses besides Flower Gardens and the common where Cattle are assembled when going to and returning from the fields and are free to all the people of the several Villages.-

4 The discrepancy pointed out in Para 3 of the Board's Proceedings under reply arises not not from Tank and Carnam Merahs being credited to the Government share but from the item of Deshacavil which is exclusively the right of Government having been separated in the 5 years average submitted in para 5 of my letter dated 30th March 1850 and added to the Government side. In the Accounts now submitted the Deshacavil fees are included in the Bariz belonging to each proposed share. but a remark added that the Devastanum share will be subject to the payment of such fees on the yearly extent of cultivation.-

5 The remark contained in para 4 of the Board's Proceedings under notice happens

happens not to be relevant to the partitions proposed in my letter of 17th April last in as much as Tank and Carnam Marahs and Triprany dues are all levied on Nanjah alone and in the case of these 3 Villages one is entirely Poonjah and the whole of the Nunjah lands of the other two are proposed to be annexed to the Government shares.

6 The difference commented upon in the concluding para of the Boards Proceedings was caused by the account formerly forwarded having been erroneously prepared. The tax on certain lands of inferior class was computed at the rate of assessment on lands of higher class. The Abstract last submitted was made after examination and comparison with the Pymash Cloongoo accounts and is correct.

Tinnevelly, Tencausey 2nd August 1851. } (Signed) C. J. Bird Collector

BR No 1658 Proceedings thereon.

42.43

The Board seeing no objection to the division of Government and Devastanam interests as proposed in the accounts of the 3 Villages transmitted with the former of the letters above recorded, the Collector will proceed with the remaining eight Villages on the same principle.

Read

Read the following letter

No 174

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George

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BR No 2013.

From the Collector of Tinnevelly - - - } Para 1.

Vadymittah 1
Manachy 2
Cadamboor 3

Sir

I have the honor to report that I have this day attached the Estates noted in the Margin on account of arrears of Fishcush due up to this date and to submit a detailed Statement exhibiting the balance together with the Sibbendy Establishment necessary for their Management for which I request the sanction of the Board.

The Proprietor of Cadamboor 2. having lately died and the Estate being supposed likely to escheat to Government in consequence of failure of rightful heirs I have thought it better not to propose a separate Ameen to manage it but to place the Tahsildar of the Talook in which it is situated in charge giving only a Sumpethy to keep the accounts separately from those of the Talook lest an heir should appear and Establish a right and two Peons and a small allowance for Sadervarcds I shall shortly report separately on the subject of this Capse in Cadamboor.

Tinnevelly, Tencausey, 15th August 1851 } (Signed) C. J. Bird Collector

Statement

11325 to St George

25th August 1851

Statement of Tinnevelly

up to 15th August 1851 on account of Fusly 1260.—

Name of Polipa	Collection	Balance	Name of the Villages attached on account of the Balance	Amount of Beriz thereof	Proposed Establishment	Monthly allowance
	1	7	8	9	10	11	12
	a p	Rs a p	Rs a p		Rs a p		Rs a p
	- -	4 - -	1050 - -			1 Ameen ——	14 - -
	- -	- - -	1050 - -	The whole Mittah was Jafted — —	7,672 11 11	1 Sumpethy ——	6 - -
Vadymittah	- -	- - -	490 - -			1 Shroff ——	3 8 -
	8 -	- - -	654 8 -			3 Peons @ 3 Rs each	10 8 -
	8 -	- - -	3,244 8 -			Saderwared	1 - -
	10 4	- - -	103 10 4				35 - -
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	8 -	- - -	1641 8 -	4 Mallamaneachy	1,40 4 10	1 Shroff ——	3 8 -
Manaicke	- -	- - -	78 - -	5 Chokanadapooram	548 8 1	2 Peons @ 3 Rs each ——	6 - -
				6 Soondararajapooram	308 6 5		
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	- -	- - -	350 - -				
	- -	- - -	1050 - -			1 Sumpethy ——	5 - -
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(Signed) C. J. Bird
Collector

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Bd. No. 1693

Proceedings thereon.—

(44.45)

The Board of Revenue sanction the employment of the Establishments exhibited in the Statement which accompanies the foregoing letter at an aggregate Monthly charge of Rupees 69-8-. for the Management of the Estates noted in the Margin attached for arrears of Revenue—

Vadymittah
Manicachee
Cadumboor

Read

H.B.

11327 Fort St. George 25th August 1851

Read the following letters—

No. 74

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 2d December last—

2. Previous to carrying out the instructions therein Contained with reference to the preparation of the Statements Nos. 2 and 3 of the Land Revenue Settlement of this District, I would solicit the attention of the Board to the nature of the land temporarily converted into wet Cultivation— It is usually a common dry grain field, or Garden, near a jungle — stream, or some small Tank or reservoir— In seasons of fertility, when the rain is abundant, it is unfit for Poonyah or Garden Cultivation from the Constant moisture of the Soil and the Ryot — rather than keep it fallow, and pay for nothing, appropriates it to wet cultivation the

(46)

Bd. No. 1841

From the Collr. of Coimbatore—

Affords the information called for in the Boards Proceedings of the 2d December 1850 as to the cause of the extraordinary number of Jouk Puttahs in the Errode Talook for Fusly 1258—

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the supply of water is uncertain, and the Crop which can be obtained, is deficient— the following year, it is often impossible to carry on the same description of agriculture, and in consequence, the Ryot reverts to his usual Punjah Crop, under this explanation, the Board will perceive that the difference between this and the wet lands properly classed as such, is great, and does not admit of doubt. In these instances, properly speaking, no additional rent should have been demanded, as the experiment is entirely at the risk of the Ryot but the practice of the District is otherwise, and has accordingly been Continued—

3. Adverting to para 4 of the Proceedings under acknowledgment it appears to be the wish of the Board not to observe any distinction in the accounts between the lands so appropriated to Nunjah Cultivation, rather of necessity than as a profitable Crop, and those permanently converted into wet Culture, but it occurs to me that the adoption of this Course will create Confusion— The usual Nunjah lands

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* Punjah & Garden

lands as well as those which recently undergo Conversions of a permanent character, are distributed in statements Nos. 2. and 3 under the various heads of full rent, "Cowle" "Nunjah turn Poonjah" &c. and independent of this distribution, they are also classed again under different heads according to their productive power and the sources of Irrigation upon which they depend for a supply of water Viz. "one Crop" "two Crop," "under tanks" "Channels" &c. By observing the mode of adjustment now proposed by the Board, these necessary particulars would disappear; and it would be impracticable to ascertain by a reference to the two Statements Nos. 2 and 3, what quantity of New Nunjah land was under tanks and what under Channel, how much pays one Crop rent, & how much the two Crop, this inconvenience may perhaps be remedied by adding more columns description of these details but such an addition will swell the

the already bulky Statement No: 2 to a still larger size; another difficulty also presents itself at present the measurements of the two descriptions of land / Viz^t. Dry and wet / are different the one is distinguished by the local term Bullah Consisting of 16464 square feet and the other by Cawnie equivalent to 57,600 square feet and if the new Kunjah lands are exhibited in the account in the way pointed out by the Board / which must be done in Cawnies / it would be difficult to show the sum total of the extent with any degree of precision in Columns 119. and 159 of the present statement at the same time the headings in the Augaent account, and in the increase and decrease Statements No: 5, and 6 will also require to be altered to show the new and old Kunjah lands all of which I fear, may lead to confusion and perhaps mistakes for these reasons, perhaps the Board will on a reconsideration permit me to submit the Statements No: 2 and 3 in the way in which they have

have been in Fusly 1259, under this form, I believe, the Board will derive as much information as is really available.

4. In para 7 of the Proceedings above quoted the Board require explanation as to the increased number of Joint Puttahs in the Errode Talook and in elucidation of the cause thereof, I would observe, that the practice of holding Joint Puttahs is very familiar to the agricultural classes, especially the "Vellalers" for two field reasons, 1st. by associating the names of their sons and other relatives, generally employed in the Cultivation of the same land, with their own in the Puttah, the latter are relieved from the responsibility of paying an impost which otherwise would be levied from them under the denomination of "House tax" and 2ndly in cases of wet lands particularly, many Ryots, from inability, or other cause, add a partner, and hold Puttahs jointly, the Joint puttah

also

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also facilitates the division of family property to the different members, as much practised by the Natives, these as far as I can learn, are the main Causes for the increased number of Joint Puttahs, in Errode, and I believe a like number exists in Kongayem and some other Talooks also much care has been taken in the preparation of the Rent roll and I should think that it is as correct as other accounts—

5. The Collection of Fees from Ryots for the pray of the Neeranie Subsendy in the Errode and Sattimungalum Talooks, will in future be regulated so as to leave no surplus, as suggested by the Board, but the collection of this demand in money would be far preferable to levying it in kind, and I propose taking this step in future where the Ryots be found willing to accede to the arrangement the money payment being calculated with reference to the average selling price of grain for a

Vide Major Cotton's report on the Coimbatore portion of Arcot dated 1st December 1850.

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a given number of years. I subjoin a statement exhibiting the quantity of grain hitherto Collected, its average price the Establishment now kept up, and the additional Subsendy required for the more efficient management of Channels and the destribution of water—

Talooks	Quantity hitherto Collected			Establishment now kept up			Establishment proposed to be kept up			Surplus to be discontinued in future		
	No. of Kalagayms	Average rate per Kalagayam	Amount	No. of Individuals	No. of Kalagayms paid	Amount of Cash	No. of Individuals	No. of Kalagayms paid	Amount of Cash			
			Rs. a. p.			Rs. a. p.			Rs. a. p.			
Sattimungalum	1112	1 4	1389 13 1	67	858	72 1302	-	-	87 13 1			
Errode	1012	1 10	1644 4 9	88	1011½	88 1638	-	-	6 4 9			
Total	2124	-	3034 1 10	155	1869½	160 2940	-	-	94 1 10			

Coimbatore District Office,
Coonoor, ———
22d. July 1851 ———

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector

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B. R. 1853

Proceedings communicating to the Coll.r of Com.batore further instructions relative to the manner in which Statements Nos 2 & 3 of the Land Revenue Settlement are to be prepared and directing him to represent the practice of exempting parties who are justly liable to the "House Tax" also authorizing that Nuzzuranny fees be taken in money in lieu of grain.—

(46.47)

thereon.— The Board have taken into consideration the remarks of the Collector on the form of certain Accounts as directed in Proceedings 2d December 1850. They still wish that all the dry lands temporarily Converted into wet, on which Teerwah Jastee is Collected may be incorporated and shown in the proper place under the general head of Poonjah, instead of a portion only as at present under that head and a portion under Nunjah. The way in which this is to be done was explained in Extract from the Proceedings of the Board dated 2d December 1850 and additional columns beyond what are therein laid down, are not required, if the Form of Statement No. 2 is Retained, but that Form the Board have directed should be abolished, and a new Form was forwarded to the Collector with their Proceedings on the Settlement for Fusly 1258 / 1848/49 In the particulars of Dry land Cultivated as not tempararily will be embodied in Col.s

(Dated 3d June 1850.

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Col.s 377 to 472.—

2. A corresponding Correction of account is called for in statement No. 3 The item under reference is included Mr. Thomas says, in Col.s 14 to 23 of that Statement.— Hereafter Poonjah Cultivated as Nunjah should be entered in No. 3 under Poonjah as Poonjah Tarum Nunjah and Bagayet Cultivated as Nunjah, under Bagayet as Bagayet Tarum Nunjah. This was pointed out in the Proceedings of the Board dated 2d December 1850.—

Coll.r 7th Oct.r 1850 p4 cons 2d Dec.r

3. Regarding the Conversion of Bullahs into Cannies the Board do not appreciate the force of the objection raised by the Collector, it is to be observed that the extent will be shown in Bullahs and the Teerwah Jastee Calculated in the same manner as the Dry and Garden Cultivation is charged under the head of Nunjah (Col. 363) Statements 1 5 & 6 may be altered to correspond with the entries in Nos 2 and 3.—

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joint Puttah of the names of relati
engaged with the ryot in Cultivati
in order to avoid the imposit of Hou
Tax" the Collector will use his e
=deavours to prevent this practice, an
=ing parties who are justly liable to t
Tax—

3.

The Board see no obj
=tion to the Nerany fees being take
money in lieu of grain, wherever
such an arrangement may be agr
upon—

No. 82

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George

48

B. No. 1946.
From the Coll. of Coimbatore

Sir,

In reply to your lette
of the 24th Ultimo, I have the hono
state for the information of the Boa
that two packages of the Botanic
specimens referred to were duly fo
=warded to Government, addresse
to you with the Re

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made to the Presidency in March—
last— and I conclude they are still in
the Office of Government I would is
therefore beg to suggest that an appli.
=cation be made to the Secretary for the
same—

Coimbatore
7th August 1851

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector

Order thereon— Ordered to be sent again
(Vide to Govt 28th Augt 1851) in Circulation—

48.49

Read the following letter.

No. 96

To, W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

50

B. No. 1958
From the Collector of Malabar

Sir,

No. Board	23d	Dec.	1850
Do.	19th	February	1851.
Do.	17th	March	1851.
Do.	8th	May	1851.
Do.	26th	Do.	Do.
Do.	26th	June	1851.

Adverting to the corres.
=pondence noted in the Margin I
have the honor to transmit an Esti.
=mate for 28 new Salt Parahs
required for the use of the several
Gollahs in this District at the
opening of the fair Season, partly to supply
the place of a number of unserviceable
Parahs, and partly to provide for the
inconvenience at present felt by an
insufficiency

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insufficiency of Parrahs impeding the re-
ceipt and issue of Salt and requesting you
will be good enough to obtain the re-
quired sanction for their Construction as
early as convenient. I propose making
the new Parrahs after the one received from
Bombay which is slightly different
from those in present use both in
dimensions and capacity

Calicut, 7th August 1851 } (Signed) H. V. Conolly
Collector

(50.51)

Order thereon.
Vide Remarks to Govt
28th August 1851.

Ordered to lie over

B. of R. 1959.
From the Collector Malabar. Read letter Transmit-
(52) ting two accounts Particulars of Bat-
ta paid to the Huzzoor servants and two
revised statements of charges incurred
(52.53) without Estimate for Fusly 1259—
B. of R. 1604.
Order thereon.

Ordered that the
two revised Statements received
with the foregoing letter be substi-
tuted for those received at the
Board's Office on the 25th July
1851 and that the latter be returned
to the Collector—

J.G.B.

11339. Fort St. George 25th August 1851.

Read the following Statements—

B. of R. 2021.
(54) Statement exhibiting the Quantity of Salt in Store
available for Exportation to Calcutta on private trade at
each of the several places of export in the District
of Madras

Places at which Salt is Shipped.	Quantity of Salt available for Exportation in the years 1851.	Quantity already Exported.	Quantity remaining to be Exported.	Quantity actually in Store and ready to be Exported.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6.
	Maunds.	Maunds.	Maunds.	Maunds.	
Ennore—	192,000	6,000	186,000	6,895 16/20	

Madras, 1st August 1851 } (Signed) J. A. Hudleston.
Collector

(54.55)

Order thereon. Ordered to be sent for
publication in the Fort St. George Gazette—

Statement

11340

B/d No. 2025.

Fort St. George

25th August 1851.

(56)

Statement shewing separately the Collections on account of the several Items included in the Statement of Demand Collection and Balance under the several heads of Exctra Revenue from 12th July 1850 to 11th July 1857. compared with the average collections of the same period during the preceding Fusslies.

	Fusslies.	Salt.	Abkarry.	Cochrane's Canal.	Sundry small Farms and Licenses.	Stamp Paper and Cadjans.	Grand Total.
		Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P
From 12th July to 11th July	1257	2,73,628 " "	5,31,660 11 10	33,169 7 11	11,712 14 11	9,556 2 6	8,59,727 5 2
	1258	3,98,808 3 2	5,72,744 6 3	31,473 11 6	11,262 4 3	8,015 9 6	10,22,304 2 8
	1259	4,13,691 14 5	5,71,938 11 7	3,635 1 3	11,230 14 10	8,722 6 6	10,37,219 " 7
Average		10,86,128 1 7	16,76,343 13 8	96,278 4 8	34,206 2 "	26,294 2 6	29,19,250 8 5
		3,62,042 11 2	5,58,781 4 7	32,092 12 3	11,402 " 8	8,764 11 6	9,73,083 8 2
Actual Collections from 12th July 1850 to 11th July 1857	1260	5,15,368 8 "	5,35,008 4 6	32,515 11 8	11,171 6 5	9,643 3 6	11,03,707 2 1

Madras 18th August 1857.—

56.57

Order thereon.—

E: E: 7th / Signed / J. A. Hudleston

Collector.

Ordered to be recorded.—

To

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No. 79.

To,

W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of one Copy of "Brown's Ephemeries" for the use of this Office, which accompanied your Circular letter under date the 11th instant.

Madras, 22d August 1857.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
(Signed) J. A. Huddleston.
Collector.

58 Bd No. 2023. From the Collector of Madras.

Ordered to be recorded.-

58-59 Order thereon.-

59 No. 2010. From the Agent to the Governor at Kurnool.

Read detailed List of the Revenue and Magisterial Establishments as they stood on the 30th April 1857.-

59-60 Order thereon.-

Ordered to be recorded.-

60 No. 2014. From the Collector of Chingleput.

Read the undermentioned Statement

61 No. 2015. From the Collector of Chingleput.

Statement comparative between the actual Gross Collections of Fusles 1259 and 1260.-

Statement comparative between the actual Gross Charges of Fusles 1259 and 1260.-

Ordered

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62-64 Order on the 2 abovementioned Statements.

Ordered to lie over.-

Read the undermentioned

65 No. 1943. Statements.-

From the Collector of Vizagapatam.

Statement of Contingent Charges incurred for the quarter ending 30th June last.-

66 No. 1809.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry.

Statement of Contingent Charges incurred for the quarter ending 30th June last.-

67 No. 1962.

From the Agent to the Governor at Kurnool.

Statement of Contingent Charges incurred for the quarter ending 30th June last.

68 No. 1939.

From the Collector of Salem.

Statement of Contingent Charges incurred for the quarter ending 30th June last.-

69 No. 1932.

From the Collector of South Arcot.

Statement of Contingent Charges incurred for the quarter ending 30th June last.-

70 No. 1973.

From the Collector of Madura.

Statement of Contingent Charges incurred for the quarter ending 30th June last.-

71 No. 1931.

From the Collector of Coimbatore.

Statement of Contingent Charges incurred for the quarter ending 30th June last.-

72 No. 1883.

From the Collector of Malabar.

Statement of Contingent Charges

Charges incurred for the quarter ending 30th June last.-

65. 73

Order on the 8 abovementioned Statements.- Resolved that the necessary orders be passed.-

74

Read the undermentioned Statements.-

No. 2016. From the Collector of Tinnevelly.- Comparative Statement shewing the quantity of Salt sold for home and inland consumption for the quarter ending 31st July last.-

75

No. 2022. From the Collector of Madras.- Comparative Statement shewing the quantity of Salt sold for Home and inland consumption for the quarter ending 31st July last.-

74. 76

Order on the 2 abovementioned Statements.- Ordered to lie over.-

No. 2024. From the Sub Collector in Charge of Nellore.- Read Register of Endorsements passed by him on Petitions referred by the Board for the month of July last.-

77

77. 78

Order thereon.- Ordered to be lodged in the Office.

79

Mz. No. 971. From the Collector of Tanjore.- Received the undermentioned Miscellaneous letters and Statements.-

80

Mz. No. 974. From the Collector of Madras.- Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance for the month of June last.-

Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last.-

From

81

Mz. No. 972. From the Collector of Tanjore.- Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale Prices of Grain and Salt for the month of June last.-

82

Mz. No. 973. From the Collector of Tanjore.- Register of the state of the River Cauvery at the Anicut for the month of June last.-

83

Mz. No. 966. From the Collector of Canara.- Stating that no Persons were charged with offences or confined under Regulation IX of 1822 for the month of June last.-

84

Mz. No. 964. From the Collector of Coimbatore.- Statement of smuggled Tobacco recommended for confiscation for the month of July last.-

82. 85

Order thereon.- Ordered that the confiscation and sale of the smuggled Tobacco enumerated in the abovementioned Statement be authorized.-

86

Mz. No. 968. From the Collector of Ganjam.- Forwarding Indent for Salt Rowanahs for Fusly 1261.

87

Mz. No. 967. From the Collector of South Arcot.- Indent for Printed forms of Bills of Exchange and letters of Advice.-

86. 88

Order on the 2 abovementioned Indents.- Ordered to be supplied accordingly.-

89

Mz. No. 969. From the Sub Treasure.- Indent on the Commissary General for Carts required for the use of the General Treasury.-

From

11345.

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90
Mm. Sr. 970.

From the Sub Treasurer.— Indent on the Commissary General for Carpenters required for the use of the General Treasury.—

89-91

Order on the 2 abovementioned Indents.— Ordered that the original Indents be passed and returned.—

Compd. & Filed

" Goldingham

" J. Blane

11346

Fort St. George — August 1851.

Diary.

27th August. Sent the following letter.

No. 364.

1

Bd. No. 1678.
Letter Chief Secy. to Government.

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In conformity with the orders of Government, conveyed in Contract from Minutes of Consultation of the 18th October 1836. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit the Broken set of their Proceedings for the Month of July 1851 for transmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
27th August 1851

Received the following Contract.

No. 422.

2

Bd. No. 2053.
From the Commissioner Northern Circars
Dated 18th Augt.

27th. Do.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Commissioner for the Northern Circars dated Masulipatam 22nd August 1851.

Read the following letter from the Collector of Rajahmundry submitting an advertisement for the sale of the Vellampollem Estate.

/Here enter No. 63/

Ordered that copies of the advertisement in English and Telugu be affixed in the offices of the Board of Revenue and of the Commissioner.

To allow a period of 30 days for its publication in the office of the Board, the Commissioner resolves to alter the day of sale from the 24th. to Monday the 29th Proximo and to request that the Collector will be good enough to cause a corresponding alteration to be made in the advertisement published in the District.

/True Extract/
/Signed/ Walter Elliot.
Commissioner

Advertisement.

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Fort St George — August 1851

No 1.

Advertisement.

Notice is hereby given that unless the arrears of Revenue including interest charges sequestration and advances for cultivation and repairs which are outstanding against the undermentioned Zemindary in the District of Rajahmundry up to the 31st July 1851 shall have been liquidated on or before Monday the 29th day of September 1851 the sale of the land of that Estate will be commenced by auction in the Collectors Cutcherry at Rajahmundry on that day, and will be continued until the whole of the land shall be sold. The amount of charges sequestration and advances for cultivation and repairs due upto the day of sale will be made Known at the time of sale.

No	Names of the Zemindars	Names of the Estates	Number of Villages	Permanent Assessment	Balance Principal	Interest	Charges sequestration	Total
				Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p
	Angara Kristna Bramajee and Chalecanny ancient Joint Zemindars	Valumpolem Estate	8	12632 3 "	7897 3 "	315 9 8	" " "	8212 12 8

2. The Kists of permanent Summas falling due on the date of sale together with interest &c. are to be paid by the late Proprietor of the Estate and those subsequent to the date of sale together with interest &c. are to be discharged by the purchasers.

3. Persons desirous of becoming purchasers may depute authorized agents or Vakeels for that purpose, and all purchases made by such authorized agents or Vakeels shall be held to be valid in the same manner as if the purchases had been made by the Principals.

4. But it is required that such authorized Vakeels shall state at the time of purchase the names of their constituents on behalf of whom such purchases may be made.

5 The intention of the condition being to prevent fraudulent collusion notice is further given — that in the event of any purchases being made under a fictitious name the deposit money made on account of such purchases will be liable to be forfeited to Government and the Estate resold.

6 A Summud-i-milkut Istumrar or Deed of permanent rights has been lodged at the Cutcherry of the Collector and at the Office of the Commissioner in the Northern Circars

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Circars at Masulipatam describing the obligations to be incurred and the rights to be ~ obtained by purchasers of land under this advertisement all persons are therefore referred to that instrument for particular information.

7. The purchasers of the Estate will not be put in possession till the sale has been sanctioned by the Commissioner in the Northern Circars at Masulipatam, but in the meantime 15 per cent of the purchase money will be required to be deposited at the time of sale and security given for the payment of the remainder on the receipt of the Commissioner's sanction or within one Month from the day of sale. In default thereof the whole or part of the Estate will be resold at the risk of the first purchaser.

8. In case of the sale not being sanctioned by the Commissioner the ~ deposit money will be returned and the person depositing it relieved from ~ responsibility with regard to the Estate or Estates.

9. Payments of the purchase Money will be received in Company's Rupees Star Pagodas, and Madras Pagodas at the Company's rate of exchange also in ~ Madras Bank notes and Bank Post Bills according to the Commissioner ~ 15th November 1845.

10. For further particulars enquire at the office of the Commissioner in the Northern Circars at Masulipatam between 11 and 4 Oclock and at the Collector's Cutcherry at Rajahmundry between 10 and 5 Oclock except on Sundays.

11. If the abovementioned arrears &c are not paid by the day of sale the Estates will be sold for the recovery thereof with the ~ legal interest.

Rajahmundry District.

Rajahmundry, 18th August 1851

/Signed/ T. Prendergast
Collector

/A true copy/
/Signed/ Walter Elliot
Commissioner.

Ordered

B.R. No 1676

27th August.

October thereon.

(2-3)

Ordered that the advertisement which accompanies the foregoing Proceedings be published on the Board's office as requested by the Commissioner.

27th Do. Received the following letter.

(4)

B.R. No 2050.

From Messrs Dale and Boyson, Solicitors Madras

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Court of Wards
Fort St George.

Sir,

With reference to your letter to our address of the 22nd May last, we do ourselves the honor of annexing for your information copy Extract from the Proceedings of the Sudr adawlut under date the 18th August 1851.

Madras
27th August 1851 } /Signed/ Dale & Boyson

No 1.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Sudr Adalut under date the 18th August 1851.

Read motion presented on the 4th October 1849 by J. Anchterlony Esqre and S. Ramachendriah Vakeels on behalf of Rance Ungamotta Nauchear Pauper appellant in appeal No 7 of 1849.

/Here enter motion No 72 of 1849/

Read also motion presented on the 29th April 1850 by J Anchterlony Esqre and S. Ramachendriah Vakeels on behalf

behalf of the same party.

(Here enter Motion No 32 of 1850)

In the former motion the appellant prays that the documents specified in the appeal may be filed of the record.

In the latter motion

2. it is prayed that the Deed of Gift produced in appeal suit No 53 of 1847 Sudr Court file may also be received.

3. The Vakeel for the appeal and the Advocate General as Council for the Respondent having been heard orally the Court proceeds to pass orders on the said Motions.

1. Argee of the Police ameen of Nevagungah dated 17th June 1829 addressed to the Collector.

2. Ta Keed from the Collector in reply to the above dated 18th June 1829.

3. Argee of Purvatavurdance Nauchiar to Principal Collector 1st August 1830.

4 Do of Do to Revenue Board 20th October 1830.

5. Ta Keed from the Collector to Purvatavurdance Nauchiar dated 4th December 1830.

4 The documents entered in the margin were tendered to the lower Court by

Motions - 426, 428, 446, 447 } 1847

on which orders were passed to the effect that they would receive consideration at

6 Takeed from the Collector to Purvatavurdanee of Nanchivar dated 6th December 1830.

7 Letter to the Board of Revenue dated 10th December 1829.

8 Do. Do. 4th January 1830.

9 Copy of the Sasanum in the Register of the Zillah Court dated 14th April 1809.

10 Copy of the Istimirar account of the Zemindary furnished to the Collector with Deft's father's Urzee dated 15th January 1817.

11 Takeed of the Collector dated 3rd August 1820.

12. Copy of an Urzee from the Zemindar to the Principal Collector applying for certain documents dated 6th June 1832.

13. Copy of the List of documents referred to in the above.

Original at the final hearing of the Case, but no allusion to them can be traced in the subsequent proceedings of the Civil Judge or in the final Judgment, and the Court of Sudr Udalut consequently resolve to allow these documents to be produced.

5 The Court of Sudr Udalut deem it necessary that the authenticity of the Defendants Exhibit No VIth the Urzee to the Collector dated 7th October 1806 should be fully tested, and they therefore will receive the Deeds noted in the margin, but decline to authorize the production of the record of the inquiry

14 Original letter dated 6th June 1832 from the Zemindar to the Nanapaty and Takeed enclosing the above argee and List.

15 Original letter dated 7th July 1832 from the Zemindar to the Nanapaties Goorroo-vappa Naick and Anderamia Naick.

16. Original Takeed dated 10th November 1832 from the Zemindar to the Nanapaties Goorroovappa Naick and Anderamia Naick ordering payment of Rupees 300 to Ebraim Ali for copy of Document &c.

17 Accounts of the said Nanapaties relating to the above.

18 Original letter dated 15th December 1830 from the Shunmugum Roysum moottoo inquiry by the magistrate into the charge of Forgery in No. 1 of 1848.

6 The remaining documents tendered by the appellant and noted in the margin will complete the pleadings and correspondence which have been already admitted on the record and as being calculated more fully to elucidate the facts of the case will be received.

7 It is therefore ordered that the documents specified above be produced by the appellant within six weeks from this date with the application prescribed by Section XVI Regulation XIII of 1816

Ordered that

Extract

Mootoo Ramien to the madura — Stanapaty Gooroovappa naick.

19 Deposition of Kadur Saib in O.S. No 4 of 1832 of the Provincial court Southern Division.

20 Motion of the Defendants in O.S. No 3 of 1833 dated 10th March 1834.

21 Authenticated copy of the decision of the Magistrate in case No 7 of 1848.

22-23. Plaints in suits No 320 and 350 of the file of the late Zillah court of Ramnad.

24 Raganamah decreed dated 12th October 1826 in O.S. No 10 of 1824 Southern Provincial court.

25 Rejoinder dated 22d October 1823 filed in O.S. No 4 of 1823 Southern Provincial court.

26 Motion of Plaintiff in O.S. No 4 of 1832 dated 15th September 1834.

27. Arzee of Purvatavurdanee Nanchiar to Sub Collector dated 15th January 1830

28-29. } 30-31 } Correspondence between the Government Board of Revenue and Principal Collector of Madura dated 19th & 25th January 19th July and 29th November 1830.

(True Copy)
(Signed) Dale & Boyton

Extract from these Proceedings be granted to the Petitioners respective Vakeels on their application.

Ordered

B. No 1679. 27th August.

Order thereon.

4-5

Ordered that the above letter and its accompaniment be forwarded to the Collector of Madura for his information.

Received the following letter.

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Court of Wards.

The humble representation of Godam Mootooga — Saib Government Vakeel of the Court of Sudr Udalut.

Whilst the Shevagunga Zemindary continued under the management of the Court of Wards for the benefit of the minor Zemindar, the deceased Ungamuttoo Nauchear Pauper appellant in appeal No 7 of 1829 of the file of the Sudr court, presented a Motion to the Court of Sudr Udalut starting some objections against the management of the Estate by the Court of Wards and requesting sequestration of the Estate by the Court.

Agreeably to the orders sent by you to me along with the copies of letters forwarded by the Collector of

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B. No 2055.

From Govt Vakeel Sudr Udalut

Enclosing Draft of a counter Petition in the case of the Shevagunga Zemindary and requesting to Know whether it is to be presented by him singly on behalf of the Court of Wards or jointly with the Lawyer and Barristers.

No 15 dated 15th March 1850.

21st June 1850
24th } 30th } April 1850.
18th May —"—

before presentation to the Sudr Court, and that the Collector required to be written to me his opinion that the Counter-Petition should be presented in behalf of the Court of Wards and that I should inform the same to you and act according to your instructions.

I have therefore sent herein — enclosed the said Corrected draft of Counter Petition, and request to be furnished with your instructions whether a Counter Petition should be presented by me singly on behalf of the Court of Wards as per the said Draft or it should be presented by me jointly with the Lawyer and Barristers.

I am in duty bound Ever Pray:-

/Signed/ G and G Pittman

/Signed/ Goolam Moortoogalu

The Government Vakeel is referred to Messrs Dale and Boyson for any instructions he may require in connection with the suits now pending in the Court of Sudder Udalut, relative to Sheveganga Zemindary.

No Draft Counter Petition accompanied the letter.

At

Madras
27th August 1851.
Bc No 1677.
Proceedings thereon.
6-7

of Madura on the subject. I with reference to these letters, prepared a draft of Counter Petition to be presented on behalf of the Court of Wards, and forwarded it to you. when you were pleased to write to me to say that it was unnecessary to present that Counter petition before any party is admitted as heir to the deceased Ungamottoo Nauchiar. Afterwards, the Court of Sudr Udalut having passed an order admitting, as the heirs of the deceased, the parties who appeared as such Agreeably to your instructions sent to the Collector, through the Guardian, the draft of the Counter Petition I had prepared, because some Parts of that Petition are required to be altered with reference to the present state of things to be ascertained in the Madura Collector's office.

20th July 1850
5th August 1850

Accordingly the Collector corrected the draft, and sent it to me through the Guardian under his initials.

7th August 1851.

In the letter of the Guardian received by me along with the corrected draft, the Guardian says that the draft must be shown to Mr. Dale before

1st May 1851.

17th Octr 1850
10th June 1851

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At a Meeting Present.

Thursday 28th August 1851 } J. Goldingham Esqre Second Member.
and
T. L. Blane Esqre Third Member

Walter Elliot Esqre Senior Member
Absent on duty as commissioner Northern Circars.

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

Read again Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 7th and entered in Consultation 13th February 1851.

Read also again letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, dated 7th and entered in Consultation 25th August 1851.

Ordered that the following letter be submitted.

No. 369.

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

With reference to Extract from Minutes of Consultation dated 7th February 1851. Marine Department No. 38

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Bd No 1706.
To the Chief Secy to Government
Reporting the despatch to the Marine Board for transmission to England of 2 Gunny covered Parcels containing
In Cons 13th Feby 1851

containing Botanical Specimens received from the Collector of Coimbatore and stating that the requisition from the Honorable Court for Specimens of Timber &c from this Presidency has now been fully complied with.

No. 38. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to state that two Gunny covered Parcels containing the Botanical Specimens from Coimbatore, were received at this office from the Sea Custom House on the 20th August 1851.

2 The two parcels have been packed in a Wooden Case addressed to the Honorable the Court of Directors, with the words "Botanical Specimens" written on the tope. The Case has in accordance with the instructions of Government been forwarded to the Marine Board for despatch to England by a sailing Vessel, the name of which they have been requested to report.

28th Augt 1851

3 The requisition of the Honorable Court for Specimens of Timber &c from this Presidency has now been fully complied with.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St George, 28th August, 1851. } /Signed/ W. H. Bayley Secretary

Ordered also that the following letter be sent in consequence.

To

8-9

Bd No 1088.

To the Secretary to the Marine Board }

In Cons 13th Feby 1851

To The Secretary to the Marine Board.

Sir,

With reference to para 2 of Contract from Minutes of Consultation dated 7th February 1851 Marine Department No 38. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward herewith a Wooden case containing Botanical Specimens from Coimbatore addressed to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

2 The Board request that you will cause this case to be despatched to England by a sailing Vessel the name of which you will be so good as to report to this office for the information of Government.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St George, 28th August, 1851. } /Signed/ W. H. Bayley Secretary.

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Bd No 1725.

Proceedings thereon.

C.C. — M of C. 29 — 1 —

Read again Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 25th July and entered in Consultation 7th August 1851.

Ordered that these papers be communicated to the Collector of Coimbatore, who will make arrangements for

for the purchase of the portion of the Public Gardens at Ootacamund belonging to Mrs Ryan, agreeably to the Sanction of Government.

M.C.C. — M of C. 15@17 — 2 —

2. These paras have been noticed in the Board's Letter to Government of 11th August 1851, and require no further remark. It is resolved however to furnish copy of para 17 of the Court's despatch for the information of the Collector of Coimbatore.

23 — 3

3. These paras will be Communicated to the Collector of Tinnevelly.

11

Bd No 1981.

From the Secy to Government } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 15th August 1851.

Forwarding a Circular from the Sudder Adalut Court for directing the practice of transferring Cummuships and other hereditary Village Offices in Zemindaries by Sale or otherwise.

Read the following Extract.

Revenue Department

No 830.

Read the following letter

Madras 25th July 1851.

No 81

To. J. Pycroft Esqre Secretary to Government in the Judicial Department.

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Judges of the Court of Sudr Adalut to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government under date the 29th April 1851, requesting that the Government may be advised "of the measures to be adopted "for checking the practice of transferring "Curnumships in Zemindaries either by private "bargain or by public sale under process of Court" "and that instructions may be issued to the "Judicial authorities directing their attention to "Section II Regulation VII of 1831 as applicable "to the sale, mortgage or gift of the other here- "-ditary revenue and Police offices in Zemin "-daries as well as unsettled Districts."

2. The Judges with reference to these instructions direct me to submit the enclosed draft of a Circular order which they propose to issue on the subject.

Sudr Udalut
Register's Office
26th July, 1851.

/Signed/ J. S. Beauchamp
Register.

1

The Court of Sudr Udalut having had under consideration a correspondence between the Collector of Madura and the Board of Revenue from which it

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it appears that the sale of the office of Curnum and of other hereditary Village offices by private bargain and in satisfaction of decrees of Court is of frequent occurrence in the Zemindaries of Madura and other permanently assessed Districts, deem it necessary to point out by a Circular order that all transfers of offices of the above description and the alienation of the emoluments attached to them are illegal.

2 By section II Regulation XXV of 1802 and sections VI and VII Regulation XXIX of 1802 the appointment of Curnums and the filling of vacancies in that office, whether caused by the death of the incumbent, or his dismissal, are vested in the Zemindar. The same Regulations declare the office to be hereditary and make it imperative on the Zemindar in all cases to select the heirs of the preceding Curnum, provided any member of his family be capable of discharging the duties of the office. The Law has thus constituted the Curnum the nominee of the Zemindar and given him nothing beyond a life interest in the office, which consequently, he

he cannot "confer upon another, without
"assuming the authority of the Proprietor
"of the Estate, or the Ruling power, and
"without doing an injury to his posterity",
as ruled by the Court of Sudr Udalut in their
Judgment in Appeal suit No 1 of 1819.

3 That the emoluments of
the office of Curnum are inseparable
from it, that they cannot be treated
as private property, and are not liable
to partition, are points settled by the
Court of Sudr Udalut in their decrees in
special appeal suits Nos 85 and 111 of 1844.

4 As regards other
hereditary Village offices section VI
Regulation VI of 1831, which applies
to all such offices as well in settled
as in unsettled districts, declares
that the emoluments attached to those
offices are unalienable from them,
and are not liable to process of Court.
The transfer also of such hereditary
offices by the holders, unless effected
in accordance with the provisions of
Hindoo Law and sanctioned by the
Revenue

Revenue authorities, must be under
Section IV of the same Regulation
deemed null and void.

Ordered that Extract
from these Proceedings be forwarded to
the several Civil Judges for their
information and guidance.

/Signed/ G.T. Beauchamp
Register.

1. The Right Honorable
the Governor in Council considers the
proposed Circular order for check-
-ing the practice of transferring
Curnumships and other hereditary
Village Officers in Zemindaries by sale
or otherwise "to be well suited to the
proposed end and directs that the
same be issued for the guidance of the
local Officers.

2. Ordered that the forego-
-ing letter and above Resolution be
communicated to the Board of Revenue
with reference to Extract Minutes of
Consultation 29th April 1851 No 409.

To The President & Members
of the Board of Revenue.

/A true Extract/
/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secy to Govt

Resolution

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Bo No 1727.

Circular. To all Collectors except Madras and Sea Customs Copy to Commissioner Northern Circars.

11.12

Resolution thereon. Resolved that a copy of the circular order of the Sudder Adalut received with the foregoing Minutes of Consultation be forwarded to the Collectors in the Provinces for their information.

Read the following resolution No 845.

Bo No 2009.

From the Secretary to Government.

13

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 19th August, 1851.

/ From Board 24th July /

Under the explanation afforded by the Collector of Salem in his Tabular report of the 4th July last, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council grants authority for the yeomiah of Rs. /19-11-5/ Nineteen, Annas eleven and five pie, per Annum enjoyed by the late Mahomed Ibrahim, for service in the mosque at the old Pettah of Casbah Tristnagherry, being continued from the 9th January 1851, the date of lapse, in the name of his nephew Abdul Muzeed.

By Order
/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary to Govt.

13.14

Bo No 1696.

Order thereon. Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Salem, with reference to his Tabular Report dated 4th July 1851.

Extract

11366

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Bo No 2036.

From the Sec.y to Government.

15

No 846.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, dated 19th August, 1851.

/ From Board 28th July /

The Shrotrium referred to in the Report of the Collector of Trichinopoly is said to have been conferred for charity many centuries ago, but is not supported by any grant - Of the share 2 1/8 held in it by the late Vencatachella Iyen alias Vengoovien, he appears to have been in the actual enjoyment of only 1/2 and to have disposed of the remainder 1 5/8 by gift and sale to his son-in-law, for a portion of which, Viz.t 1/2 no deed is stated to be forthcoming. Taking all these circumstances into consideration, the Government will not object to the share enjoyed by the deceased C: 17-G: 88 - 4 1/2 Acres being continued to his Widow, but only for her life - and the remainder C: 41-42-3 to his son-in-law, subject to report for orders on his death, as proposed by the Board of Revenue.

By order
/ Signed / T. Pycroft.
Sec.y to Government.

15.16

Bo No 1709.

Order thereon. Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Trichinopoly, with reference to his Tabular Report, dated 10th January 1851.

Read

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Read the following Extracts

No. 851.

B. No. 2017.
From the Secy. to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, in the Revenue Department, under date the 20th August, 1851.

17

Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

/ Here enter 17th July 1851. No. 302 /

On a full review of the former correspondence quoted by the Board of Revenue relative to the claims of Goolam Hoossain Khan, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council concurs in opinion with them, that the Acting Collector should not interfere further in the arrangements made by Roostoom Ally Khan for the support of that individual, and desires that instructions may be issued accordingly.

/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

To The Board of Revenue.

B. No. 1704.
Order thereon

17.18

Ordered to be communicated to the Acting Collector of North Arcot with reference to his letter dated 30th June 1851.

19

B. No. 2028.
From the Secretary to Government

No. 856.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, in the Revenue Department, under date the 21st August, 1851.

Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.

/ Here enter 7th August 1851. No. 343 /

Under the explanation afforded

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afforded in the foregoing Proceedings, and in reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation 4th February 1848, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the sums disbursed by the Collector of Salem in adjustment of the claims advanced to the Giddagaval Collections by the former Proprietors of the Senkerry droog Mootah and of the Subdivisions of Cottaverdumputty and Curmapoorum, amounting to Rupees (888 — 11 — 11) eight hundred and eighty eight, annas eleven and Pice eleven being inclusive of Rupees 370 — 3 due on the latter estate after it reverted to Government and which sum is stated to have been both entered in the disbursements and credited to Government in the accounts.

19.20

/ A true Extract /
/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government.

To The President & Members of the Board of Revenue.

B. No. 1703.
Order thereon.—
Intd. 7th July 51.

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Salem, with reference to his letter dated 10th July 1851.

No. 271.

B. No. 2026.
From the Chief Secy. to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, in the Public Works Department, under dated the 21st August, 1851.

Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

21

/ Here enter 28th July 1851. No. 328 /

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council cannot entertain the application of the Collector of Malabar submitted thro' the Board of Revenue for warm clothing for the Bungalow peons on the Neilgherries, such having hitherto not been usual or deemed necessary.—

21.22

/ True Extract /
/ Signed / H. D. Montgomery
Chief Secretary.

To The President & Members of the Board of Revenue.

B. No. 1712.
Order thereon.—

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Malabar, with reference to his letter dated 17th July 1851.—

Intd. 28th July 1851.

Read the following Statement.—

Salt

11369

Bn. No. A after No. 2050.

For J. St. Georg

(23) Dr. Salt Account Current in the District of Ganjam

28th August 1851

from 1st April to 11th July 1851 of Fusly 1260. Cr.

1850.
July 11th To Balance of Quantity remaining in Store at the end of last Fusly ——— 189463 2 8

To Quantity manufactured and received into Store.—

To the end of last Quarter —— 90892 20 "
In this Quarter 255951 8 "
——— 346843 28 "

To Quantity gained by measurement in the Salt of 20 Garce Heaps.—

To the end of last Quarter —— 877 30 12.
In this Quarter —— 10 15 "
——— 888 5 12.

To Quantity of confiscated Salt to the end of last Quarter —— 20 35 "

——— 537216 10 4

Total Indian Maunds 537216 10 4

1850.
July 12th By Sales for Inland Consumption.

To the end of last Quarter:
For other Districts 70139 15 "
Do. Native States 107240 2 8
——— 177379 17 8

In this Quarter:
For other Districts 34555 25 "
Do. Native States 51639 35 "
——— 86195 20 "
——— 263574 37 8.

By Home Consumption.—

To the end of last Quarter —— 19521 37 8
In this Quarter —— 4823 15 "
——— 24345 12 8
——— 287920 10 "

By Wastage.—

To the end of last Quarter —— 3240 28 12.
In this Quarter —— 3933 27 "
——— 7174 15 12.
——— 295091 25 12.

By Balance in Store —— 242121 24 8

Total Indian Maunds —— 537216 10 4

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Dr. Money Account Current for Salt from 1st April to 11th July 1851 of Fusly 1260. Cr.

1850 July 12th	To Sales of Inland Consumption.			
	To the end of last Quarter: For other Districts 70,139-6-"			
	Do. Native States 107,240-1-"	177,379-7-"		
	In this Quarter: For other Districts 34,555-10-"			
	Do. Native States 50,379-14-"	84,935-8-"		
			2,62,314-15	
	To Home Consumption			
	To the end of last Quarter	19,521-15-"		
	In this Quarter	4,823-6-"		
			24,345-5-"	
			2,86,660-4-"	
	To Fines &c.a			
	To the end of last Quarter	49-6-2		
	In this Quarter	19-4-"	68-10-2	
	To Recoveries of Advances made for Salt Manufacture in this Quarter		350	
	N.B. Total Company's Rupees		2,87,078-14-2	
	Rowanahs remaining on the 12th July 1850	1139-"-"		
	Do. received to the end of last Quarter	3000-"-"		
			4139-"-"	
	Deduct.			
	Do. issued to the end of last Quarter	1208-"-"		
	Do. Do. in this Quarter	591-"-"	1799-"-"	
	Balance		2,340-"-"	

1850 July 12th	By Servants Wages.		
	To the end of last Quarter	2,648-11-8	
	In this Quarter	1,609-12-3	4,258-7-11
	By Sauderward including Extra charges.		
	To the end of last Quarter	902-"-4	
	In this Quarter	497-9-4	1,399-9-8
	By Salt Manufacturer's' share.		
	To the end of last Quarter	4207-8-1	
	In this Quarter	8,648-5-8	12,855-13-9
	By Repairs.		
	To the end of last Quarter	34-"-"	
	In this Quarter	74-"-"	108-"-"
	By advances for Salt Manufacture to the end of last Quarter		350-"-"
	Total		18874-7-4
	By Net Revenue		268204-6-10
	Total Company's Rupees		2,87,078-14-2

Ganjam, 11th July, 1851.

E. E. Jr.

/ Signed / A. P. Onslow
Collector

Ordered

11371. Fort St. George 28th August 1851.

Order thereon:-
(23·24) Ordered to be recorded.-

Read the following letter.-

No. 120.

To, W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

(25)

Bo. No. 2051.-

From the Collector of Ganjam Dated 30th July 1851. } Sir,

I beg that in the enclosure of my letter noted in the Margin, the word small pox may be substituted for the word cowpox after the words "the disease known by the name."-

Ganjam District, Collector's Cutcherry, Chutterpore, 19th August, 1851. } Signed A. P. Onslow Collector.

Order thereon.-
(25·26) Ordered to be recorded- the correction has been duly made.-

DG.

Read

11372. Fort St. George 28th August 1851.

Read the following letter.

No. 67.

To, W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.

(27)

Bo. No. 1985.

From the Collector of Bellary ..... } Sir,

Referring to 16th para of the Minutes of Consultation dated 29th April 1851 prefixed to the Board's Proceedings of the 19th May last I have the honor to forward for the disposal of the Board of Revenue a report upon the Lapse of Yeomiahs for the 2d Quarter ending 30th June 1851.-

Bellary, ... Collector's Office, 13th August 1851. } Signed C. Pelly Collector.

Report

1133 — St. George

Report upon ... May 18[illegible]

28th August 1851.

and Extract from the Proceedings dated 19th May 1851 for the

Case / Village	Name of the Landholder and the Division in which situated to the Extent and Assessment of his deceased	Share enjoyed by deceased and that held by the other Members	Family left by the deceased and name and age of the parties.	Their circumstances and the means of subsistence possessed by the Family
	1 — 2 — 8.	9	10.	11
Yeomiah Cusbatee and Ahmud Mohamed Saheb and Sons to ... brother ... Syed Ahmed ... original ... tee died ... 8th June		Share enjoyed by the deceased at Rupees 4-13-9 per Month ——— 58-5-.. Share enjoyed at present by other share holders .. 116-11-.. 175-.-.. By Syed Ahmed alias Commrdaraj Rupees 58-5-.. at the rate of Rupees 4-13-9 per Mensem and by Syed Cassim Rupees 58-6-.. at the rate of Rs. 4-13-10 per Month.—	5. Relatives of the deceased 3 Sons. 1 Oocha Modeen, aged 13 years. 1 Hassetheraj aged 10 years 1 Roosaincee aged 7 years 3/1. Daughter Bander beebee aged 2 years. 1 Wife of the deceased named Pachabeebee. aged 40 years. 5/16. Relatives of the deceased brothers— 21. Total number of relatives in the deceased family 6 Members of the family of Syed Ahmed alias Commurtharaj— 15. Relatives of Syed Cassim 42.	Beside the Yeomiah these three families enjoy the Mokurrupha Bariz of Sadapet amounting yearly to Rupees 610-13-4 which was granted as Jageer for the deceased's share of which amounting to Rupees 227.— separate report will be made—

Bellary Collector's Office, 31st July 1851.—

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Case	Taluk & Village	Name of the late holder and the Division in which situated to the Inam tee and date of his decease	Share enjoyed by deceased and that held by the other Members	Family left by the deceased and Name and age of the parties.	Their circumstances and the means of subsistence possessed by the Family
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2d Quarter ending 30th June 1851.

Recommendation and grounds thereof	Recommendation of the Board of Revenue and the grounds on which it is founded
12	13
It is not known when and under what Government this Yeomiah was granted. But it would appear from the Puwanah (mentioned in Column 4) to have existed from a time previous to the year 1746 Mr. Gahagan the Sub Collector to Colonel Munro on the 31st July 1806 granted a Monthly Allowance of Rupees 14-9-4 in lieu of the Sayer allowance discontinued. Sanction was obtained for this sum on 7th August 1813 in favor of the deceased (See the List of Pensions submitted to the Board of Revenue by the Collector of Bellary for Fusly 1221 & 1222 dated 23d March 1813 page 5 last and 2nd letter from Secretary Board of Revenue to Collector dated 7th August 1813) as this Yeomiah was Sanctioned in the name of the deceased Syed Ammd (Col. 8) it has been under Amanut since the 7th of June 1849 the date of his decease. The other Sharers are Syed Ammd alias Commrd araz and Syed Cousins who are relatives (Col. 9) This Yeomiah had been Sanctioned in the name of Syed Ammd who had 3 Shares granted to Syed Ammd & Syed Cousins the share entered in Column 7. The entire Yeomiah may be continued to his Syed Ammd's eldest son Shadeen (Column 10) or divided in such manner as the Board may direct. A Table of the Family is annexed. The Puwanahs and Kaid referred to in Columns 4 and 5 are herewith forwarded.	

(Signed) C. Pelly
Collector

Hazarut

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(Signed) C. Pelly
Collector

Translation

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No. 2.

Translation of a Persian Summud given unto Syed Ahamed by Sadullakhan Nawab of Adwany on the 24th day in the Month Rujjub in the Hizree 1165.

Seal of Sadullakhan

The word "Suad" /right/ is here written for signature.—

It is hereby written to the Amils, of the present and future times, of the Sayer in the Pettah of Baba Nugar of the Talook Imeteyaz Ghud /alias Adwany/ to say that the custom leviable on Grain &c. brought into the Bazar of Syed Pettah being held for Subsistence by Syed Ahamed he who understands God, under the ancient Summud of this very state it is now accordingly continued to the said individual, as per Zemun or Muntlies passed and entered on the back of this Summud; therefore the enjoyment of the said duty will not be interrupted or hindered on any account or plea whatsoever but

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but it is to be allowed to him so that he may apply the realization thereof for his needful purposes continually praying for the well being of this Dowlut know this to be the strict Takeed given on the 24th day of the Month Rujjub of Hizree 1165.

The word Bijuz
/meaning—right/ is here
written for signature
Zemun.

Contents of the Petition presented by Syed Ahamed of the race Syed, Viz. "The Sayer duty payable by the Banians and others residing in Syed Pett of the Talook of Imteyaz Ghud /Adwany/ is held by him under ancient Summuds, and according to that of this very state, but now as the Sayer Mootsuddies of Baba, Nugger Pettah are hindering him from the enjoyment thereof he prays and waits for a Summud in the name of the present and future amildars that no hinderance be made in future.—

What is orders on this head.

"Write Summud"

The preparer of the Summud proceeds drawing up contents of the foregoing orders, Viz.,

The Sayer duty on Grain &c. brought into the Bazar of Syed Pettah is to be continued to

Syed

Syed Ahammd he who understands God, for his maintenance as per former usage. This Sunnud is prepared by Yusuf Mahomed. Note there are seven signatures of Dufterdars and three seals affixed to the said Zemindy.

/ Signed / C. Pelly
Collector

No. 3.

Translation of a Maharatta Tackeed issued by Fredyahagan Esqre Sub Collector to Jerumo la Row Tahsildar of Adwany dated 24th October in the Fusly year 1216 A.D. 1805/6

Shaik Ally and others of Syed Pettah have represented that the Sayer duty on Grain loads, which amounted to 60 Pagodas per year, was granted to them and that the Collection of duty on Grain being now abolished, they experience poverty it is therefore ordered that payment of the said sum be still continued as Jary, and orders are issued to the Treasury to disburse that amount by Calculation made at so much per mensem you will accordingly call for the amount and give it into the hands of those above named. Know this 24th October fusly 1216 A.D. 1805/6

/ Signed / Fred Gahagan
Sub Collector

/ Signed / C. Pelly
Collector

B. No. 1724.

Remarks thereon. (27.28)

The entire yeomiah of Rupees 175 — — per annum having last been registered in the name of Syed Amed the deceased, his alienation of 2/3ds of that amount to his relatives Syed Amud alias Comurdaraz and Syed Casim, may perhaps be viewed as improper, but on referring to Mr. Chaplin's Register of charitable allowances &c dated 20th September 1814 entry No. 48, it is observed in the Column of remarks that Two others participate in the Yeomiah. These two shareholders therefore seem entitled to some consideration having, it is presumed, been in enjoyment of their shares ever since or for upwards of 36 years.—

The Board accordingly recommend that sanction be granted for the registry in the names of Syed Ahmmd alias Commrdaraz, &c and Syed Casim, of equal shares, each of Rupees 58 5 — 6 per annum for their lives respectively and that the share of the deceased Viz. Rs. 58 5 — — be granted to his widow Pachabeebee for Life, who is left with 3 young Sons and a daughter aged 2 years. The terms of the grant it will be observed, are personal and not hereditary, but the sudden resumption of a means

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of support to which the Family have been accustomed to look for so many years, would be severely felt.—

Read the following letter.—

No. 82.

To, W. H. Bayley Esqr.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

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B.R. 1934.

From the Collr. of Cuddapah ..... } Sir, Para 1

I have the honor to reply to the Board's proceedings of 3d of April last on the subject of petition No. 1582 of 1850.

2. The late Acting Collector submitted a statement to the Board, upon the merits of petitioner's claim, but it appears to be a subject with the settlement of which the Collector has no concern, and which it is unnecessary further to trouble the Board with.

3. Petitioner's claim has been already granted in a Court of justice, whose decree accompanies the petition, and all that appears necessary is for the district authorities to prevent any interference with the possession thus legally obtained, leaving the opposite party to obtain in the usual course, if he should be dissatisfied.—

I.H.B.

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4. It is on record that Mr. Cochrane purposed to appeal to the Sudr Court of adawlut against the decree now referred to, on the ground that under Regulation VII of 1817, the Courts had no jurisdiction in the matter, but the appeal was not made, and I am of opinion that Section XIV of the regulation expressly opens the Courts to all questions of the kind.—

Cuddapah,
Collector's Office,
7th August, 1851.
Bd. 8c. 1714

Signed/ H. Forbes
Collector

Proceedings thereon

29.30

If the grants in money and land in question are not in endowment of a Public building or Institution coming under Regulation VII of 1817 the Board doubt the competency of the Civil Courts decision in this case.— Both the grants would appear from the Petition itself as well as from Mr. Murray's endorsement to be strictly of a charitable description, the Enam being held in endowment of a "Mookbarah" or Tomb of "Meer Asharally Sahib" a private individual, and the Cyromiah in

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payment

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payment of expenses for lights, "proase," and "reading the Koran:" and altho' a Musjeed is adverted to yet it is not clearly stated how the grants apply to it.

2.

Extract Minutes of Consultation 6th instant 19th May 1851.

All grants in support of Durgahs or Tombs have been declared by Government not to be permanent and if the endowments in question are of this class the Collector will perceive the necessity for his interference especially as the Petitioner complains that he had been deprived of possession of certain shares that he held in them.

3

Should it however be found on further enquiry that the "service" adverted to in Mr. Murray's Endorsement has reference to a Musjeed or Mosque in which the Mahomedan population are interested, Mr. Forbes will instruct Petitioner to move the Court in execution of their decree.—

Ordered that the following Endorsement be passed on Petition 8th 1862 of 1850.

"Petitioner is referred to the Collector to whom orders have been sent for the disposal of his case."—

Read the following Statement

Statement

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Sd. 8th 1864

Statement Shewing the Amount of arrears due to the undermentioned Pelgar Inamdars in the District of Coimbatore

Name of Inamdar to whom payable	Date of Amount of Decree	Amount Decreed for which Amount of arrears are also claimed	Paid Total	Balance Due
Ramasawmy Pandaram	16th Feby 1850	Rs. 1,049 6	3 8	1,049 2 8
Kaliappa Pandaram	16th Feby 1850	1,049 6		1,049 6

Statement of the Cause of Postponement of Payment

Bmy = Bombay Mint
Bang = Bangalore
P = present
Rcvd = received

Under Sec. 1 Act XXVII of 1841 the Collector of Pulicat reported on the 10th January 1850 that the Inamdar Pandaram Kaliappa during the Fasly 1258 had received from the Treasury of Tirupachur Rs. 1,049 6 on account of his Inam Allowance for that year, leaving a balance due to him of Rs. 1,049 6 on the 15th February 1850 when the Inamdar died. Under Sec. 2 Act XXVII of 1841 the Collector of Pulicat reported that the Inamdar had received from the Treasury of Tirupachur Rs. 1,049 6 on account of his Inam Allowance for Fasly 1259 leaving a balance due to him of Rs. 1,049 6 on the 15th February 1850 when he

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Bd. No. 1723
Remarks thereon.

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Under the circumstances represented by the Collector the Board of Revenue recommend that sanction be granted for the payment of the arrears due to Yerrumma Naikaroanloo the elder Widow of the late Poligar of Sompully from 10th June 1849 to 31st July 1851, being 2 years 1 Month and 21 days, amounting to Rupees (700—5—0) Seven hundred and eight, annas five and nine eight, and for the continuance to her from the latter date, of the annual allowance of Rupees (330—12—0) Three hundred and thirty and annas twelve

The

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The claimants age would appear to be 40. See clumn 10 of the Tabular report of lapse, dated 14th Submitted to Government 31st ult. on January 1850.

Read the following letter.
No. 03.

To W. H. Bayley Esquire
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

(33)

Bd. No. 1977.
From the Collector of Cuddapah — 1.

Sir,

I had yesterday the honor to receive petition No. 1306 of 1851. bearing an endorsement to me "forthwith to forward to the Board the proceedings held in petitioners case.—

2. These proceedings I now enclose, and regret that as the practice in Cuddapah has not hitherto been to write a decision in english, I am unable to submit that portion of the record.— this omission attracted my attention, soon after I joined the Province and I immediately brought it's impropriety to the notice of the Subordinate and Head assistant Collectors.—

Petitioners

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3.

Petitioner's case was decid-
-ed by the late acting Collector, on
the 22d of February, and his appeal
petition bears date the 12th of June
or beyond the time allowed by law
for its presentation.-

Cuddapah.-
Collector's Office.-
12th August, 1851.

Signed J. H. Forbes
Collector

Bd. No. 1695
Proceedings thereon.

(33·34)

The Board approve of
the sentences passed by the Acting
Collector in Petitioner's case as set forth
in Sections 3 and 4 Return of persons
dismissed for February 1851, and ex-
-plained at length in Sections 5 and 6
of the Return of persons tried under
Regulation IX. of 1822 for that Month.

2.

The omission to record an English
decision was every irregular, and has been
properly noticed by the Collector. No decision
even in the native language has been forward-
-ed, otherwise than that contained in the
Tahseel to the Tahsildar.-

Ordered that the following Endorse-
-ment be passed on Petition No. 606 of 1851.

"The Board approve of the
Sentence passed by the Acting Collector
in Petitioner's case."

D.P.

Read

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Read the following letter.-

No. 118.

To W. A. Bayley Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.-

(35)

Bd. No. 1779.
From the Collr.
of Chingleput

Sir,

Agreeably to the instructions
contained in Para 4 Extract from the Pro-
-ceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 28th
April last, requiring me to report on the sug-
-gestion of Government conveyed in Para 3
Minutes of Consultation under date 5th
Idem, in regard to remittances from this Dis-
-trict being made direct to the General Treasury
from all Talooks, as at present from
those only bordering on the Presidency, the
dispensing with the Hoozoor Treasury at
Conjeveram, and the nomination of a Deputy
Treasurer, and a small Department at the
General Treasury on account of this District,
I have the honor to submit the following
observations on the several points which
the subject seems to embrace.-

Affords the information called for in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 5th April on the subject of dispensing with the Hoozoor Treasury at Conjeveram and the nomination of a Deputy Treasurer and a small Department at the General Treasury on account of the District of Chingleput.-

	Rs	as	ps
Cashkeeper	70	"	"
Head Goomastah	35	"	"
2d Do	24	8	"
3d Do	17	8	"
Head Shroff	35	"	"
2d Do	24	8	"
2 Gollahs at 10-8 each	21	"	"
	227	8	"

2. The Pay of the Treasury
Department as at present maintained
at Conjeveram amounts to Rupees
as ps
227 - 8 - " per mensem as marginally
particularized, a vacancy having
lately

lately occurred in the Office of Cashkeeper, the emoluments of the situation of the present Incumbent has been reduced from Rupees 100 to Rupees 70 agreeably to the orders contained in a letter from the late Acting Secretary to the Board of Revenue dated 28th September 1837- A Subadar Major's guard of invalid or pensioned Troops, force as per Margin, is stationed at the Treasury, but no Batta is drawn by them.-

†Subadar	42-"-"
Havildar	14-"-"
2 Naigs each 12 Rupees	24-"-"
30 Sepoys at 7 Rupees each	210-"-"
	290-"-"

3.

Remittances are at present made to the General Treasury direct during the months in which the Revenue Collections are in full operation; Viz.t, from January to August from six Talooks bordering on the Presidency; and from the remaining 4 Talooks to the Treasury at Conjeveram throughout the year- The distance from the Cusbah station of the 6 former Talooks to the General Treasury varies from 6 to 40 Miles, while in respect to any of the latter the distance does not fall short of 55 Miles.

4.

The Collections of the Official year 1849/50 and other details are exhibited in the accompanying Statement†, in which also is shewn the amount annually disbursed in

†Vide Enclosure A

in each Talook out of the Collections made, or deducted from it's Remittances, and debited in the Treasury accounts by a transfer adjustment.-

5.

Adverting to the arrangement proposed by Government as above noticed, I beg to subjoin a List shewing in detail the nature of the several disbursements required to be made both from the Hoozoor and Talook Treasuries, and to submit such suggestions as offer themselves on the subject under discussion.-

Particulars of the Disbursements-	Rs a P
Salary Sibbundy &ca	204,128-12-9
Salt Manufacturers' share	30,169-"-1
Maramut	67,331-10-1
Judicial charges	91,281-13-10
Military Books	104,421-12-9
Pensions &ca	22,674-8-6
Civil Engineers' Department	20,810-11-5
Superintendent of Roads	49,421-12-"-
Pagoda &ca	37,260-8-3
Miscellaneous charges	59,828-9-3
Total	687,329-2-11

It

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It will be observed that out of the sum of Rupees 687,329—2—11 annually disbursed, Rupees 429,561—11—a 9p is the amount of charges in the Talooks paid by deduction from their Remittances. These charges include the salaries of the Talook Establishment.

7.

It will be necessary to provide for these Talook disbursements, and under the arrangement proposed, this can be effected as heretofore during 8 Months in the year by orders being issued on the several Talook Treasuries, the amount so drawn being deducted from the Ayen Collections, and debited in the Treasury Accounts, by an adjustment account (Moozra Irsal. Namah Pattie) but when collections in the Talooks shall have ceased, if these payments are, as I presume, to be effected in the Talooks, and not remitted from the General Treasury (supposing the proposed arrangement to be carried out) the demand can only be met by sufficient sums being kept available in the Talook Treasuries for payments prospectively till the collections for the ensuing year shall have commenced according to the Kistbundy. The necessity which the introduction of this practice would involve

involve of keeping large sums of money in deposit in the Talooks would render this plan unfeasible under the objections that exist to the measure, while on the other hand the transport in the first instance to the General Treasury, and retransport thence to the several Talooks of large sums of money would necessarily involve a considerable expense. The risk attendant on the conveyance of Treasure; and the delay that would be experienced in the payment of the Talook Establishments are points also not to be lost sight of.

8.

The above remarks also apply to charges hitherto paid at the Conjeveram Treasury. Notwithstanding that monthly disbursements are made to a large amount in the Talooks, it will be perceived that no less than Rupees 257,767—7—2 are annually disbursed from the Conjeveram Treasury.

9.

The expenses that would be incurred in making the remittances above detailed when the absence of Funds in the Talooks renders it unfeasible to draw on their Treasuries in the manner explained, and in the conveyance to the General Treasury

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of the Revenue Collections from the more distant Talooks which hitherto have been remitted to the Conjeveram Treasury, and from the remaining Talooks in Months in which no remittances are at present so made, would, I am inclined to think, far counterbalance any saving that might be effected in the proposed reduction of the Treasury Department,- a reduction however which the duties which devolve on this Department will not, I am of opinion, admit of being carried out except to a very limited extent without inconvenience to the transaction of business by discontinuing or curtailing proportionately the preparation of such few accounts and Statements as might on due consideration be dispensed with. I beg to submit a Memo shewing the duties that at present devolve on this Department.+

+Vide Enclosure B

10.

It is to be observed that these accounts are prepared in communication with the Accountant Department, and that for facility in the transaction of the duties of these Offices, it appears necessary that they should not be separated to different localities.-

11.

Under all the circumstances above detailed, I am not inclined to think that any advantages would result from the introduction of the proposed arrangement.-

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12.

It may not be out of place to advert to the practice that prevails in this District of making the disbursements in the several Talooks above shewn in payment of their charges by deduction from their remittances as one at variance to the Rules framed by Mr. Ross, and circulated with a letter from your Office dated 19th February 1816 which letter however does not distinctly direct that these Rules should be enforced. I am not however aware that any objection exists to the present system of keeping accounts in reference to disbursements required to be made, as the arrangement, which certainly affords many advantages, does not involve the necessity of money being kept in deposit, while any abuses of the nature referred to, which these rules were intended to guard against, can readily be checked by supervision. If the system is however considered objectionable, a point on which I beg to solicit the sentiments of the Board, it would afford additional grounds for not transferring the Treasury at Conjeveram to the Presidency.-

Chingleput District,
Collr's Circuit Cutcherry,
Cuttenaulk, 26th July, 1851.

(Signed) J. H. Cochrane
Collector.

List.

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A List of accounts prepared in the Treasury Depart-ment of the District of Chinglaput.

Daily.

1. Accounts of Revenue and Deposits in Maharatta and English.

Monthly

2 Abstract accounts to the above.
3 Do journal prepared from the above
4. Account particulars to the above to be sent to the Civil Auditor
5 Abstract accounts of Deposits.
6 Receipts and charges to the above.
7 Monthly and every ten days cash reports to the Accountant General.
8 Particulars of Coins and items to the above.
9 Receipts to the different Tahsildars, Zemindars, and Shroffs &c. for the money paid in the General and District Treasuries.
10 Demand Collection and Balance Statements of Revenue to the Board
11 List of balance accounts.
12 Do Abstract
13 Post Office account current.
14 Civil fund Statement
15 Register of Notes.

16 List of Kistbundy and balance due by the Zemindars.
17 Acquittance Roll of the servants.
18 Account particulars showing the disbursements in the Talooks.
19 An Abstract Book of the Takeeds addressed to the Treasurers.
20 A Book in which the Urzees addressed to the Collector is entered.
21 Do of letters to the Tahsildars.
22 Monthly Estimate accounts of Collections.
23 Advance account.
24 Military account Current
25 Military Sepoys Muster Roll account.
26 Half yearly Statements.
27 Accounts of Land Revenue (Quarterly).
28 Do of Maramut charges.
29 Do of Fuft Sibbundy charges of the Zemindaries.
30 Do Advance charges
31 Do Revenue Pension yeomiah Dawustanum &c. charges.
32 Do Life Pension Statement.
33 Native Pension Statement
34 Revenue Do
35 Yeomiah Do
36 Extra Revenue Statement
37 Dawustanum Statement
38 Saudeerwared Do

39 Magistrate Prisoner's batta Statement.
40 Magistrate Extra charges Statement.
41 Do Village Extra Do
42 Particulars for April Moyen Zabetah or List of Servants wages.
43 Tuccavy Statement
44 Accountant General's abstract account.
45 Civil Auditor's Abstract account.
46 General Book enter.
47 Receipts and charges for Deposits.
48 Extra revenue and Sevay Jamah Statement.
49 A Number account.
50 B Do Do
51 C. Do Do

Printed Statement.

52 22 Number Statement.
53 Decrease and Increase of Collections
54 Particulars for Salary &c. charges.
55 Tent allowances &c. charges.
56 Account Particulars of Soozoor and Zyghut Sa derward charges.
57 Statement of Particulars showing Mootasaddies batta.
58 Cart hire Statement.
59 Statement of Zyanadies of Streeharecottah.

60 Statement of remittance Cart hire
61 Do of Zuft Sibbundies of different Zemindaries.
62 Do of Tuccavy
63 Do of Purchase money of Zemindaries
64 Do of Danustanums
65 Do of Yeomiah
66 Do of Revenue Pensions.
67 Do of Prisoners' Batta.
68 Do of Magistrate extra charges.
69 Do of House rent.
70 Do of Life and Native fund pensions.
71 Do of Public Bungalow Sepoys batta &c.
72 Do of Interest charged on Zemindaries for arrears.
73 Regular Estimate of Collection and charges.
74 Prospective Estimate of Do Do
75 Comparative Statement between the regular and Prospective Estimates.

Chingleput District. ... } Signed J. H. Cochrane
Collectors Circuit Cutcherry, } Collector
Cuttivauk, 26th July, 1859.

For

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For Official year 1849/50 Fusly 1259.

Talooks.	Gross Collections.	Remitted to the General Treasury.	Remitted to the Hoozoor Treasury. Ready Money.	Moozarah or sums deducted for disbursements in the Talooks.	Total of Col.s 4 and 5.
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘
Near Madras. Sydapet	219,497 12 5	95,440 8 2	249 15 11	123,807 4 4	124,057 4 3
Poonamalee	67,590 10 10	34,726 7 2	1,700 3 3	31,164 " 5	32,864 8 8
Sriperoor	84,924 15 4	54,420 6 "	7,552 6 11	22,952 2 5	30,504 9 4
Maneemungalum	88,250 12 3	55,228 9 1	5,754 6 1	27,267 13 1	33,022 3 2
Pedda pollium	123,354 12 11	97,983 7 2	2,162 11 8	23,208 10 11	25,371 5 9
Nayer	159,122 15 8	111,959 11 3	38 9 9	47,124 10 8	47,163 4 5
Total	742,741 15 5	449,759 " 10	17,458 5 7	275,524 9 "	292,982 14 7
Distant from Madras. Carangooly	238,570 15 10	" " "	178,165 3 9	60,405 12 1	238,570 15 10
Cotramalore	113,372 1 8	" " "	96,476 6 "	16,895 11 8	113,372 1 8
Conjeveram	145,444 4 1	" " "	111,414 15 5	34,029 4 8	145,444 4 1
Chingleput	124,164 14 6	" " "	81,458 8 2	42,706 6 4	124,164 14 6
Total	621,552 4 1	" " "	467,515 1 4	154,037 2 9	621,552 4 1
Grand Total	1364,294 3 6	449,759 " 10	484,973 6 11	429,561 11 9	914,535 2 8
Collections into the Hoozoor Treasury					
Balance on the 11th January 1849.	128,376 4 11	" " "	" " "	" " "	128,376 4 11
Collections from 12th July 1849 to 11th July 1850	20,721 7 6	" " "	" " "	" " "	20,721 7 6
Total	149,097 12 5	" " "	" " "	" " "	149,097 12 5
Grand Total	1513,391 15 11	449,759 " 10	484,973 6 11	429,561 11 9	1063,632 15 1
Remittances to the General Treasury from Hoozoor	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	2,60,000 " "
Total charges of Fusly 1259.	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	687,329 2 11
					947,329 2 11
			Balance on the 11th July 1850		116,303 12 2

Chingleput District, Collector's Cutcherry, Cuttevauk. 26th July 1851. E.E. & J.r. (Signed) J. N. Cochrane
Collector

Ordered

Ordered that the foregoing letter be submitted with the following address.

(35.36)

No. 375.

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

In sanctioning the transfer of the Goomadipoondy Division of the Sutvaid Talook in North Arcot to the Chingleput District in Extract Minutes of Consultation 5th April 1851 para 3 the Government understanding it to have been the practice to remit the Collections of the Talooks in the Chingleput District adjoining the Presidency direct to the General Treasury at Madras took occasion to suggest that the revenue realized in the other Talooks might be similarly remitted, and the Treasury at Conjeveram dispensed with; a Deputy Treasurer with, perhaps a small establishment being kept on account of the Chingleput District at the General Treasury; The Board were therefore called upon to report upon the proposed arrangement, and to state the number and pay of the Treasury establishment at present maintained at Conjeveram, the Military force stationed there; the average annual Batta drawn by them, and the proportion of the revenue of the Chingleput District

B^d No. 1730.
To the Chief Sec^y to Gov^t
Submitting a letter from the Collector of Chingleput reporting on the proposal for the abolition of the Conjeveram Treasury and stating that the Board have already expressed their views on the subject of the Talook disbursements and that on the whole they are of opinion that the Conjeveram Treasury might be continued.
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remitted to Madras and to Conjeveram respectively.

2. In reference to these orders I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit, for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying letter dated 26th July 1851 from the Collector of Chingleput upon the subject; from which it appears that the monthly pay of the Treasury servants noted in the margin amounts to Rupees 227 8 " and that of the Military Guard of Invalids to Rupees 290 " " as also marginally shewn, the latter drawing no Batta. The Remittances made direct to the General Treasury at Madras at present take place during the months, from January to August, in which the Collections are in full operation, and are confined to Six Talooks, the Cusbah Stations of which vary from 6 to 40 miles distance from the Presidency; while the Collections made at the remaining Four Talooks the Cusbahs of which are 40 miles and upwards from the Presidency are remitted to the Conjeveram Treasury throughout the year.

	P. A. P.
Cash Keeper	70 " "
Head Goomastah	35 " "
2d Do	24 8 "
3d Do	17 8 "
Head Shroff	35 " "
2d Do	24 8 "
2 Gollahs	21 " "
	227 8 "
Subidar	42 " "
Havildar	14 " "
2 Naigues @ 12/	24 " "
30 Sepoys @ 7/	210 " "
	290 " "

from the Talooks of
Sydapet
Poonamalee
Triporoor
Manimungalum
Peddapollium
Nayer

Carangooly
Cotramaloor
Conjeveram
Chingleput.

3. The proportion of the Revenue of the Chingleput

Chinglepet District remitted to Madras and to Canjeveram respectively is shewn in Enc. **B** of the Collector's letter as follows.

1849-50.

	Rs
Gross collections	1513392
Remitted to General Treasury	449759
Do to Hoozoor Treasury at Canjeveram	484973
Retained in the Talooks for local disbursements	429562
Balance in the Hoozoor Treasury on 11th July 1849	128376
Collection of arrears	20722
Total	1513392

4. In paras 5 and 6 of his letter the Collector specifies the nature of the annual disbursements from the Treasuries both Hoozoor and Talook the proportion of the disbursements at the Hoozoor amounting to Rupees 257767-12 and those at the Talooks Rupees. 429561-4.

5. The Collector is of opinion that if the proposed arrangement is carried out, it will be necessary to provide for the Talook disbursements throughout the year during eight months from the Ayen collections as they come in and for the remaining 4 Months either by retaining in

in the Talooks a sufficient sum for the disbursements of that period, or in the event of the entire collections, less the disbursements during 8 Months being remitted to the General Treasury at Madras, by sending to the General Treasury from time to time for such sums as may be required. The Collector observes that this would involve the necessity of keeping large sums of money in all the Talooks - that the transport of the collections to the Madras Treasury and the retransport of sums to meet disbursements would lead to considerable expence, and the conveyance of the treasure be attended with much risk, such expences and risk far counterbalancing any saving in the proposed reduction. He states also that this reduction could only be carried out to a limited extent apparently because the Accounts to be drawn up by the Accountants branch, in unison with the Treasury Goomastahs, are of such a nature that there would be difficulty in their preparation if these Departments act independently of each other. The Collector has furnished a Statement **A**, being a List of the accounts prepared in the Treasury Department - The Board observe that many of these belong rather

do

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to the accountant than to the Treasury Department, and they consider the List unnecessarily swelled. The disbursements at the Collectors Treasury are also adduced against a reduction of the Treasury Establishment.

6. In the last Para of Mr. Cochrane's letter he adverts to the prevailing practice in his District of making disbursements from the Talook Treasuries out of the Collections and states that the Board's letter of the 19th February 1816, circulating rules in which the system was objected to, did not distinctly direct that the Rules which require that no portion of the Collections shall be retained in the Talook for current disbursements should be enforced. He adds, that he is not aware of any objection existing to the present system.

7. The Board have expressed their views on the subject of Talook disbursements in their Proceedings of 17th October 1844 and in their communication to Government of 3d April 1850. The opinion of Government is also given in their order of 5th May 1837 No. 422 Judicial Department. Unless it appears to Government that these instructions should be modified, Mr. Cochrane will have to alter the present system. at the same time there appear to be some items of disbursements as Salaries and Maramut disbursements (para 4 of Collector's letter) which perhaps it might not be advisable to discontinue without the concurrence of the Accountant General.

Enc in Fl. Govt. 17th May 1837 No. 463 in Govt. 29th May 1837.

8. On the whole the Board are inclined to think that the Conjeveram Treasury might be

continued.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
28th August, 1851.

DG.

(Signed) H. A. Bayley
Secretary.

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Read the following letter.-

No. 110.

To,
W. A. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

37

Bd. No. 2062.
From the Collector of Salem.

Sir,

Adverting to the instructions contained in your Board's Proceedings dated 12th June last on the subject of prohibiting by Legislative Enactment, the practice of inoculating for small pox- I have the honor to submit the opinion that the measure is advisable- So far however as concerns my own immediate charge- I believe the prohibition will be inoperative, as there is no reason to believe that inoculation is practised within the limits of the Salem District.-

Salem District,
25th August, 1851.

(Signed) H. D. Phillips-
Collector.

Ordered to lie over.-

Order thereon-

37.38

Read the following Statement-

Statement

11404.

Bd. No. 1898.

39.

Statement shewing the amount of arrears of Pension due to the undermentioned Dehat Enamdar in the District of South Arcot submitted for sanction of Government

Fort St. George
No. 58.

28th August 1851.

Number of Certificate	Name.	Amount due per annum	Date of Government authority.	Nature of the Grant.	Period for which arrear is due.	Total amount of arrears.	Explanation of the cause of suspension of payment.	Remarks of the Board of Revenue	Orders of Government.
1	2	3 Rs. a. p.	4	5	6.	7 Rs. A. P.	8	9	10
	Syed Abdul Cawder	260 5 5	10th October 1848.	For maintenance during life.	From 12th July 1847 to 11th July 1851.	1041 5 8	On the resumption of the Enam Village of Coilampoondy Government awarded, under date the 10th October 1848, a money pension of Rupees 260-5-5 per annum to each of the 3 persons entered in this Statement during their natural lives. In consequence however of enquiries being held upon a Petition presented to the Board (No. 1302 of 1848) representing that all the Enamdars excepting Syed Abdool Cawder were dead the payment of the pensions here been hitherto suspended. Syed Abdool Cawder the head of the family now urgently solicits that he may receive his share of the allowance, and as there is no dispute regarding his identity and right the Collector requests authority for paying the arrears due to him and continuing the stipend hereafter. The Collector does not request authority for paying the pensions of the other 2 individuals as their existence is doubtful. Syed Ally is not now for the coming and is represented to have left the Country 2 years since in consequence of a family quarrel. Fatimah beebee is stated to be alive, but she has failed to appear personally in accordance with the Circular Order of the 1st July 1850. Under these circumstances and considering the advanced age of these parties it appears proper to continue the suspension of their allowance until they attend in person and satisfactorily prove their identity.		
	Syed Ally	260 5 5	Do.	Do.		" " "			
	Fatimah Beebee	260 5 5	Do.	Do.		" " "			
	Rupees	781 " 3.							

South Arcot, Collectors Cutcherry, Cuddalore, 6th August, 1851.

(Signed) E. Maltby.
Collector.

Under

Bd. No. 1722.

Remarks thereon.

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Under the circumstances represented by the Collector the Board recommend that sanction be granted for disbursing the arrears due to Syed Abdul Cawder of the allowance granted in lieu of his share of the Dehat Enam of Oilampoondy from 12th July 1847 to 11th July 1851. amounting to Rupees (1041-5-8.) One thousand and forty one, annas five and spice eight, and for the continuance to him from the latter date of the annual allowance of Rupees (260-5-5.) Two hundred and sixty, annas five and spice five.

2. The period of four years fixed as the limit for the admission of claims to the continuance of allowances having expired as respects the shares of Syed Ally and Fantmah Beebee the Board recommended that their allowances be considered as having lapsed to Government.

Extract Minutes of Cons: 19th Septr. 1848. Vide G. O. Page 473.

Read

Read again letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly date 4th and entered in Consultations 11th August 1857.

Ordered that the following Memorandum be sent in consequence.

Official Memorandum.

41

Bd. No. 1690.

To the Superintendent of Stamps.

1. The Collector of Trichinopoly in his report on the Extra sources of Revenue for Fusly 1260 alludes to "the nomination of the District Moonsiffs as Venders of Stamp Papers" as having "in a great measure arrested the Sales," the Secretary to the Board of Revenue has been directed to enquire from the Superintendent of Stamps what is the nature of the system referred to that obtains at Trichinopoly, how long it has been in operation, and under whose authority it was carried into execution.

The Superintendent of Stamps will

2. be so good, if he is able to supply the information to do so at an early date.

(Signed) W. H. Bayley. Secretary.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George 28th August 1857.

Read the following Return.

Annual

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Bd. No. 2012.

No. 95.

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Annual Return of Grants of waste lands for the Travellers in the Province of Madura and Dindigul for ca

28th August 1851.

Support of Chuttrums built by Individuals for accommodation of ...
Fusly 1260 A. D. 1850-51.

Names of Talooks.	Names of Villages where choultry is situated.	By whom built.	Quantity of land granted for its support. In Nunjah.	In Poonjah.	Value of land granted for its support.	Date of authority for grants.	Remarks.
			A.	C.	Gountahs	A. R. a P.	
Madacolum	Ayen Passpagoody 4 Miles South of Madura Fort Road No. 16 from Madura to Ramnad Via Thirroochooli.	Ramasamiah former Head Sheristadar of Madura					
	Thamoor on Road No. 15 from Ramnad thro Madura to Dindigul 9 Miles North of Madura called also Duffadar's Choultry Thiroovanelloor Choultry from the hamlet in which it is situated	Ibrahimally	17	3/16	60	9th July 1829	A terraced substantial building Conjee water is furnished to Indians from private funds - The Manium is under sequestration from Fusly 1254 to supply funds for construction of a tiled Verandah in front of it -
	Custbah Madura on the South Bank of the Vighay river on Road No. 14.	Toolja Ram Row	3	57	60	Do.	A terraced building where water is supplied to Travellers useful only for Cart and Bullockmen -
Meyloor	Chittem Putty on Road No. 4 from Trichinopoly thro Madura to Palamcottah 9 Miles north east of Madura	Gavoo Cham Appoo Row.	6 – 3 1/2 Its Value 9-9-3.	36	60	30th Dec. 1844	A handsome and very useful terraced building and food is furnished to Brahmins from the private funds of the owner -
			13 – 13 1/2 Its Value 5-3-5.	6	6	8th July 1836 / 21st Dec. 1846	A terraced substantial building Food is furnished from private Funds - Foundation for a Cookroom wall has been excavated during the year under report -
Taudicomboo	Vailem Putty hamlet of Yamooklapooram on Road No. 13 from Tondy by Chittem to Dindigul and Caroor 10 Miles south east of Dindigul	Ram Coan.		49	40	8th July 1836	Terraced. Being in very bad order Rupees 19-10 the proceeds accumulated up to Fusly 1259 of the Manium sequestrated in Fusly 1254 have been given to the Huckdar for its repair and the Tahsildar has communicated to the Sub Collector the Huckdar's request to entrust to him the proceeds of Fusly 1260 also for the same purpose -
	Chittumputty on the said road No. 13 and between Dindigul and Caroor being 20 Miles north of Dindigul.	Arnachellum Pillay of Pullapatti a maichoor.		63	9	49 15 8	28th July 1837	Terraced, Water and rice supplied to Travellers -

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Names of Talooks	Names of Villages where Choultry is situated	By whom built	Quantity of lands granted for its support. In Poonjah	Value of land granted for its support. In Poonjah	Date of authority for Grants	Remarks
			Cs. as	Rs. as P.		
Thenkurray	Alagapoory hamlet of Davadana Putty on Road No. 18 from Madura to Paracolem and about 7 Miles north by east from that Cutcherry	Thirouvattoor Annojee Row.	8¼ " "	49 15 "	28th July 1837	A good terraced building Verandah and Cookroom reported last year as in disrepair being since found to be falling have been pulled down, the old materials secured, and an order sent to the Tahsildar to submit an Estimate of repair and to state the extent of funds in deposit available for it.
	Audy Putty Road No. 23	Mr. J. Blackburne.	" 77 4	60 " "	31st August 1847.	It is Government property and is a substantial terraced building - Water is supplied to Travellers.
Nellacotay	Putchmalaycotay on Road No. 17 from Madura via Cummiady to Pulney about 8 Miles south east of Cummiady and about 7 south west of Dindigul	Rama Pillay.	" 44 12	40 " "	30th May 1834	Terraced building. Water supplied to Travellers - It has become leaky and has been inspected by the Civil Engineer.
	Pulkanooth at the Junction of Road No. 17 from Madura via Cummiady to Pulney with No. 2 from Trichinopoly via Dindigul and Pulney to Paulghaut and 14 Miles north west of Dindigul.	Ouendee Ammal wife of the Ayeroody Zemindar Deputy Thenkatadry Vencat Row and other subscribers.	" 52 1	60 " "	29th June 1832	An Excellent substantial terraced building Water is supplied to Travellers.
	Cullamadenna hamlet of Moothe Goundens Putty in the Nellacotay Talook on Road No. 23.	Government.	" 134 8	60 " "	31st August 1847.	A Substantial terraced building but it has become leaky in some places. Water supplied to Travellers.
Iyempully	Chuttara Putty on Road No. 2 from Trichinopoly to Paulghaut after junction of Road No. 17 from Madura via Pulney to Paulghaut - It is 24 Miles west and by North of Dindigul and 22 Miles east and by South of Veyloor via Pulney	Moottasawmy Naick Moottadar.	" 62 6½	60 " "	14th June 1841.	Terraced useful to Travellers construction of a Well and a building for the accommodation of Soodras having been undertaken by the Pluck-dar himself the Maneim sequestrated in May 1850, to provide funds for that purpose has been restored to him and the well is being sunk.

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Names of Talooks	Names of Villages where choultry is situated	By whom built.	Quantity of land granted for its support: In Punjah.	In Poonjah	Value of land granted for its support	Date of authority for Grants.	Remarks.
			A.	G.	R. A. P.		
Iyempully (Contd.)	Valoor hamlet of Poospathoor on above Road No. 2 after Junction of above Road No. 17. It is 11 Miles east and by South of Oodoomalaicontay	Ayeoodyze=mindar Comma=pacondapa Naik.	125	9/4	60 " "	23d. November 1839.	A substantial terraced building and very useful water supplied to Travellers.
	Coothenpoondy on Road No. 1 from Trichinopoly via Dindigul to Dharapooram and Palghat. It is 12 Miles east and by south of Dharapooram and 34 Miles north half west from Dindigul	Coollama Naik of Nankaren Putty.	141	6 3/4	60 " "	28th. February 1848.	A terraced substantial building and very useful. Waters supplied to Travellers.
Ramgherry.	Maravanoor on Road No. 1 and 2 from Trichinopoly by Dindigul to Dharapooram or from Trichinopoly by Pulney to Paulghaut. It is 20 Miles north west of Trichinopoly and 16 Miles north east of Vyrempputty	Nulla Naikum Dancing Girl.	10 1/2 Its value 4-4-11.	11 4 8	10 3/4 Its value	60 " "	19th. May 1838.	Substantial terraced building Water supplied to Travellers very useful. The terrace requires covering with flat tiles and tiled Verandahs are desirable on the four sides of it. Mamein has been sequestrated to provide funds for repair.
	Vyrum Putty Do. Do. It is 16 Miles south west of Marooanulloor and 25 Miles north east of Dindigul	Sabashkhan formerly Soobadar of Trichinopoly.		87	2 1/2	59 15 10	6th. May 1830.	Terraced. In good order.
	Coilputty on Road No. 4 from Trichinopoly through Madura to Palamcotah is 30 Miles south west of Trichinopoly Fort; and 12 Miles north east of Thoverencoorchy the next stage with private chuttrums	Subscription	13 3/4 Its value 20-13-1.	30	15 3/4 Its value	16 " "	30th. June 1835.	Substantial terraced and useful. Water supplied to Travellers consists of 2 squares and tiled Cookroom. The terrace and Verandah are leaky. The Cookroom is in great disrepair. An advance has therefore been made from the surplus chuttrum funds for Materials.
Thiroonmungalum	Oosilemputty hamlet of Poothoor in Thiroonmungalem on Road No. 23	Mr. J. Blackburne.		68	13/4	60 " "	31st. August 1847.	These are Government property and are substantial terraced Buildings. Water supplied to Travellers.
	Shada Putty in Thiroonmungalem Road No. 23	Ditto		56	9	60 " "	Do. Do.	
	Total		10 — 2 1/4 Its value 3-9-2-11.	1103	8 3/4 Its value	1079-14-6.		
				310-13-2	769-4-4			

Madura, 11th. July, 1857. E. E. Jr.

/Signed/ R. D. Parker.
Collector.

Ordered

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Fort St. George 28th August 1851.

Order thereon
(12.13)

Ordered to be recorded—
Read the following letter—

(44)

No. 88.

To,
W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

23d No. 1851.

From the Collectors of Madura
Report on the Vadagaray Pollieum in the Dindigul Division—

Sir,

Para 1.

To Board 11th February 1847—
From Do. 25th May Do.—

With reference to Mr. White's letter of the 25th May 1847, and the subsequent correspondence noted in the Margin I have the honor to submit accounts relative to the Vadagaray Pollieum in the Dindigul Division in order that it may be decided whether this Estate shall be restored to the Proprietor with reference to the Despatch of the Honorable Court of Directors under date the 12th November 1845—

2— In Fusly 1213 a Peshcush of Rupees 8958—12—8 was fessed on this Zemindary on afsets amounting to 12,798-8-3. the proportion being 70 per Cent—

3— It was included in the Ayen in Fusly 1229 for a balance of Rupees 6864—2—9—

4— The accounts till Fusly 1228 inclusive are not trustworthy I have therefore abstained from forwarding them—

5— From Statement No. 1 it will be observed that its early Settlement which in Fusly 1229 had fallen below the Peshcush has since progressively increased till in Fusly 1259 it amounted to Rupees 14458—8—8. which is 1660—0—0 above the Settlement of the Fysel year: I have no reason to believe that the average of future years will fall off from this— On the contrary I should expect a progressive improvement for the Estate is most favorably situated at the foot and on the slopes of the Pulney Hills enjoying the benefit of the fine streams flowing therefrom and adjoining or rather partially including the populous Town of Pereacolum which is the cutcherry of the Talook—

6— Under such circumstances evidently no reduction of Peshcush can be required—

7— Including Interest equal to the original Balance the Balance now outstanding against the Estate is Rs. 1661—1—7. as shewn in C No. Statement

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Statement No. 4. This is due entirely for Sibbendy and other charges the Peshcush both balance and current having been recovered—

8. The Settlement for Fusly 1259 is shewn in detail at the foot of Statement No. 2—

9. The Board and Government are so completely aware of the circumstances of this Zemindary from the correspondence which has already passed, that I abstain from adding more than that I concur with Mr. Blackburne in the inexpediency of surrendering it to the Proprietor if after the expectations which have been held out to him it can properly be retained by Government I entertain no doubt but that the Ryots will be more considerately treated by the Government than the Zemindar and I fear that Commanding, as the Estate does many Head waters the irrigation of the Government lands below may suffer from the transfer. The Zemindar himself is a shrewd man, of middle age, fully capable of attending to his own affairs and now carrying on extensive cultivation under the Government.

10 No Istemrary Sunnud has ever been given for this Zemindary which has therefore been borne on the Lists as unsettled—

Madura, 30th July 1851.

(Signed) R. D. Parker
Collector

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Mr. Peter

Mr. Vincent

18th August 1831.

Madura and Dindigul from Fusly 1229 to 1235

	Nunjah Nunjamail	Poonjah	Total		Total Nunjah and Poonjah	
	Land	Assessment	Land	Assessment	Land	Assessment
	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Cawnies a	℔ a ℔	Cawn.s a.	℔ a ℔	Cawn.s a.	℔ a ℔
			1066 3	8579 14 10	2289 3¼	12308 1 ~
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	797 ½	5135 ~ 2	2279 4¾	7781 5 8
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	768 ¾	5250 2 9	2880 ~	9230 7 8
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	877 9¼	5819 6 8	2756 5½	9223 2 1
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	1082 14	8048 6 9	3472 8	12460 11 10
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	980 8½	7514 1 4	2633 5¼	10656 4 8
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	817 1	6756 8 8	2845 14	10414 15 3
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	941 6½	7066 2 3	3803 9¾	12397 5 11
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	874 12	10004 7 6	3638 13½	14915 3 7
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	716 13	8149 6 3	2476 4½	11417 7 4
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	597 15½	6595 4 6	1903 8½	8996 9 2
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	625 15	7204 9 3	2473 9¾	10501 3 2
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	763 5	9096 13 7	2490 9¼	12163 8 10
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	1029 13¾	11768 11 9	2347 11¾	15193 9 8
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	936 8½	10818 8 5	2848 ~	15131 7 9
	~ ~ ~	~ ~	11809 13¾	109227 9 10	38849 8½	160483 6 7
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Deduct Remission given in the time of Jummabundy					Ready money							
On Sawee	On Coule &c.	Total	Remaining	Trees &c.	Tank &c.	Collection	Total settlement including Ready money Collection	Total	Remarks.
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	
" " "	" " "	" " "	12308 4 "	" " "	" " "	490 4 3	12798 8 3		Peishcush Rupees 8958 19 8
" " "	" " "	" " "	7781 5 8	353 " 5	" " "	353 " 5	8134 6 1		
" " "	" " "	" " "	9230 7 8	267 11 1	" " "	267 11 1	9498 2 9		
" " "	" " "	" " "	9223 2 1	375 14 10	" " "	375 14 10	9599 " 11		
" " "	703 15 5	703 15 5	11756 12 5	333 6 3	" " "	333 6 "	12090 2 8		
4294 12 1	104 1 7	4398 13 8	6257 7 "	360 9 2	" " "	360 9 2	6618 " 2		
" " "	56 3 7	56 3 7	10358 11 8	354 3 5	" " "	354 3 5	10712 15 1		
" " "	105 13 3	105 13 3	12291 8 8	378 13 11	" " "	378 13 11	12670 6 7		
" " "	3485 15 1	3485 15 1	11429 4 6	358 5 2	" " "	358 5 2	11787 9 8		
" " "	2868 8 8	2868 8 8	8548 14 8	435 14 6	" " "	435 14 6	8984 13 2		
198 4 11	2355 2 6	2553 7 5	6443 1 9	405 3 "	" " "	405 3 "	6848 4 9		
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16 15 6	3395 8 9	3412 8 3	8751 " 7	370 2 8	25 2 "	395 4 8	9146 5 3		
351 14 3	5285 15 10	5637 14 1	9555 11 7	413 2 9	23 10 "	436 12 9	9992 8 4		
2806 5 5	4855 9 6	7661 14 11	7469 8 10	286 8 8	22 14 "	309 6 8	7778 15 6		
7668 4 2	25977 14 7	33646 2 9	126837 3 10	5094 11 3	104 8 "	5199 3 3	132036 7 1		
" " "	" " "	2403 4 9	9059 12 10	" " "	" " "	371 6 "	9431 2 10		

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Note. In explanation of the variation of Remissions, it is to be stated, that Poonjah land has always been cultivated on easy rates fixed by the Zemindar but that the difference between them and Mr. Hurdis's Survey Rates have sometimes been shewn as a remission and sometimes not: up to Fusly 1255 inclusive, the reduced Rates were shewn as the Demands and nothing entered in

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	...½	10,026	7	8
	...½	10,468	6	2
	...½	9,336	3	2
	...¾	9,665	12	11
		10525	12	3
	...½	10,852	"	"
	...½	10,029	12	4
		10,139	1	1
	...½	8763	6	1
	...½	8539	13	11
		9920	"	9
		11069	1	9
		127881	3	9
		9837	"	4

Authority

Mr. Blackstone

August 1851.

Cunjah. Lajamail Poonjah. Land	Assessment	Total Land	Assessment	Total Cunjah and Poonjah. Lands	Assessment
13	14	15	16	17	18
Cawj. a	Rs. a ℔	Cawj. a	Rs. a ℔	Cawj. a	Rs. a ℔
		730 15¾	8749 12 1	2991 8¾	13 3¾ 13 5
" " " "		883 3	10229 10 2	3716 2½	16291 13 2
" " " "		914 10½	10688 6 7	3542 11¼	16374 4 9
" " " "		823 3½	9524 10 3	2925 1	14530 6 5
" " " "		839 10	9947 1 9	2733 10½	14132 2 -
" " " "		921 15	10791 8 3	3084 5	15374 6 2
" " " "		962 2¾	11116 9 9	3118 5	15841 8 7
" " " "		895 2¾	10180 13 6	3331¼	14611 6 5
" " " "		909 3¼	10303 14 4	3430 10¾	14988 13 2
" " " "		784 ½	8913 4 7	3194 7	13532 10 1
" " " "		764 9½	8703 22 2	2911 12	13170 " 1
" " " "		903 15¼	10127 3 "	2876 2¾	14272 8 5
" " " "		1050 14¾	11611 7 5	3035 5½	15454 6 8
126 4¾	304 3 4				
126 4¾	304 3 4	11386 10½	130917 7 10	40891 5¼	191949 3 4
9 11½	23 6 5	8745 14¼	100770 9 3	31457¾	147655 2

Fort St. George

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Deduct Remission given in the time of Summabundy.

Remainings.

Ready Money

An Savee	An Cowle &c.	Total.	Trees &c.	Tank &c.	Collection Total	Total settlement including Ready money Collections.	Remarks.
19	20	21	22.	23	24	25	26
Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p
" " "	3,927 2 6	3,927 2 6	9,447 10 11	291 13 6	23 10 "	315 7 6	9,763 2 5
" " "	4,049 15 7	4,049 15 7	12,241 13 7	286 12 "	35 4 "	322 " "	12,563 13 7
" " "	4,194 12 9	4,194 12 9	12,179 8 "	331 8 9	59 4 "	390 12 9	12,570 4 9
2,079 13 "	3,808 7 7	5,888 4 7	8,642 1 10	317 7 10	19 12 2	337 4 "	8,979 5 10
" " "	1,033 " 1	1,033 " 1	10099 1 11	338 15 2	54 6 9	393 5 11	10,492 7 10
" " "	4,172 7 5	4,172 7 5	11,201 14 9	374 7 3	59 2 7	433 9 10	11,635 8 7
" " "	4,257 " 10	4,257 " 10	11,584 7 9	356 6 4	62 5 6	418 11 10	12,003 3 7
" " "	3,313 12 2	3,313 12 2	11,297 10 3	381 3 1	59 3 2	440 6 3	11,738 " 6
" " "	3,374 4 10	3,374 4 10	11,614 8 4	401 " 6	56 11 2	457 11 8	12,072 4 "
" " "	2,952 7 3	2,952 7 3	10580 2 10	414 12 9	46 3 2	460 15 11	11,041 2 9
" " "	2,873 11 9	2,873 11 9	10,296 4 4	401 7 3	44 8 2	445 15 5	10,742 3 9
" " "	3,971 " 9	3,971 " 9	10,301 7 8	394 15 11	40 11 2	435 11 1	10,737 2 9
" " "	4,309 4 2	4,309 4 2	11,145 2 6	458 5 7	56 " 2	516 5 9	11,661 8 3
2,079 13 "	49,237 7 8	51,317 4 8	140,631 14 8	4,749 3 11	69 2 "	5,368 5 11	14,600 4 7
" " "	" " "	39,177 7 9	10,817 13 5	" " "	" "	412 15 3	11,230 12 8

in this account under the Head of Remissions. From 1236 to 1249 Inclusive Mr. Hurdis Hooloos Rates for Poonjah were exhibited as the Demand and the difference between them and the Zemindar easy Rates shewn as Remission under the Head of Hooloos Mauf and Cowle. From Fusly 1250 the old system has been reverted to.—

In the same manner the Remission under the Head of Hooloos Mauf was not distinctly shewn prior to Fusly 1236. Since then it has continued to be shewn to the present time as regards Punjah and Poonjah Garden, and as regards Poonjah till Fusly 1250, since when the net Sase only as stated above has been entered as the Demand.—

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Deduct Remission given in the time of Summabundy.

Remaining.

Ready Money

An Saree	On Coorle &c.	Total.		Trees &c.	Tank &c.	Collection Total	Total settlement including Ready money Collections.	Remarks.
19	20	21	22.	23	24	25	26	
Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	
" " "	3,927 2 6	3,927 2 6	9,447 10 11	291 13 6	23 10 "	315 7 6	9,763 2 5	in this account under the Head of Remissions. From 1236 to 1249 Inclusive Mr. Hurdis Hooloos Rates for Poonjah were exhibited as the Demand and the difference between them and the Zemindar easy Rates shewn as Remission under the Head of Hooloos Manf and Coorle. From Fusly 1250 the old system has been reverted to. —
" " "	4,049 15 7	4,049 15 7	12,241 13 7	286 12 "	35 4 "	322 " "	12,563 13 7	
" " "	4,194 12 9	4,194 12 9	12,179 8 "	331 8 9	59 4 "	390 12 9	12,570 4 9	
2,079 13 "	3,808 7 7	5,888 4 7	8,642 1 10	317 7 10	19 12 2	337 4 "	8,979 5 10	
" " "	1,033 " 1	4,033 " 1	10,099 1 11	338 15 2	54 6 9	393 5 11	10,492 7 10	
" " "	4,172 7 5	4,172 7 5	11,201 14 9	374 7 3	59 2 7	433 9 10	11,635 8 7	
" " "	4,257 " 10	4,257 " 10	11,584 7 9	356 6 4	62 5 6	418 11 10	12,003 3 7	
" " "	3313 12 2	3,313 12 2	11,297 10 3	381 3 1	59 3 2	440 6 3	11,738 " 6	
" " "	3,374 4 10	3,374 4 10	11,614 8 4	401 " 6	56 11 2	457 11 8	12,072 4 "	
" " "	2,952 7 3	2,952 7 3	10,580 2 10	414 12 9	46 3 2	460 15 11	11,041 2 9	
" " "	2,873 11 9	2,873 11 9	10,296 4 4	401 7 3	44 8 2	445 15 5	10,742 3 9	
" " "	3,971 " 9	3,971 " 9	10,301 7 8	394 15 11	40 11 2	435 11 1	10,737 2 9	
" " "	4,309 4 2	4,309 4 2	11,145 2 6	458 5 7	58 " 2	516 5 9	11,661 8 3	
2,079 13 "	49,237 7 8	51,317 4 8	140,631 14 8	4,749 3 11	69 2 "	5,368 5 11	14,600 4 7	
" " "	" " "	39,177 9 10	817 13 5	" " "	" "	412 15 3	11,230 12 8	

III. 16

Fort St. George

28th August 1851.

Land

Revenue

Authority.

Fusslies.

Paddy fields.

Nunjah-

Nunjah mail Poonjah.

Total

Total Nunjah and Poonjah

	Land		Assessment.		Land		Assessment.		Land		Assessment.	
1	2	11		12	13		14		15		16	
		Cawy.	cs.	Rs.	as	p	Cawy.	cs.	Rs.	as	Cawy.	cs.	Rs.	as	p
	Fusly 1256	960.	8¼	10398	6	8	978	3½	10673.	3	3	3362	12½	14930.	6	6
	1257	1035	15½	11104.	3	1	1055	9½	11408	9	.	3210.	12½	15305	10	3
	1258	1195.	11	12867	3	8	1214	14	13187	6	9	3607.	7	17536	13	7
	1259	1173	23¼	12523	14	.	1193	11¼	12861	3	10	3860.	5	17740.	4	11
	Total of 4 Years Rent.	5476	13	1,47,774	15	2	15829	¾	1,79,047	14	8	54932	10¼	2,57,462	6	7
	Average per year.	910	6¼	10280	14	1	931	2	10532	3	8	3231	5¼	15144	13	7
	Total from Fusly 1250 to 1259.	4501.	12½	105354	15	4	9753	4¼	107970	3	10	32820	11¼	1,51,543	.	1
	Average per year.	950	2¾	10535	7	11	976	5¼	10797	.	5	3282	1½	15154	4	10
Poonjah	Garden															
	Poonjah															
	Total															
Nunjah	Vanpyre															
	Paddy															
	Nunjah mail Poonjah															
	Total Nunjah & Poonjah.															
Deduct	Shavee Remission															
	Sundry Do.															
	Total															
	Balance															
Ready money collections	Tree Tax															
	Tank Fish.															
	Grand Total.															

Comparison between Fusslies 1256 & 1259.

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Deduct Remission given in the time of Summahbundy -

For H.R. George

28th August 1851

An Aacree.	an Cowle 8ths	Total.	Remaining	Trees 8ths	Tank 8ths	Collection.	Total settlement including Ready money Collections.	Remarks.
19	20	21	22	23	24	Total.	25	26
Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p
" "	3,351 6	3,351 6	11,579 1 6	405 1 2	59 4 2	461 5 4	12,043 6 10	
" "	3,518 7 9	3,518 7 9	11,787 2 6	741 11 4	66 3 2	807 14 6	12,595 1 "	
" "	4,539 8 9	4,539 8 9	12,997 4 10	728 12 7	68 10 2	797 6 9	13,794 11 7	
" "	4,041 2 1	4,041 2 1	13,699 2 10	678 11 8	80 10 2	759 6 10	14,458 8 8	
2,079 13	6,687 15 3	6,767 12 3	19,094 10 4	1,303 8 8	893 13 8	8,197 6 4	1,98,892 " 8	
" "	" "	3,927 8 3	11,217 5 4	" "	" "	482 3 2	11,699 8 6	
" "	38,245 " 6	38,245 " 6	1,15,297 15 7	5,006 1 10	580 " 8	5586 2 6	120,884 2 1	
" "	" "	3,621 8 1	11,529 12 9	" "	" "	558 9 10	12,088 6 7	

Madura, ----

30th July 1851.

Errors. Excepted. - Vth.

(Signed) R. D. Parker.
Collector

Population.

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Deduct Remission given in the time of Summahbundy -

For St. George

28th August 1851

an Saree.	an Cowle Yfea Tot.	Total.	Remaining	Ready money Trees Yfea	Ready money Tank Yfea	Collection. Total.	Total Settlement including Ready money Collections.	Remarks.
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	
" " "	3,351 6 "	3,351 6 "	11,579 1 6	405 1 2	59 4 2	461 5 4	12,043 6 10	
" " "	3,518 7 9	3,518 7 9	11,787 2 6	741 11 4	66 3 2	807 14 6	12,595 1 "	
" " "	4,539 8 9	4,539 8 9	12,997 4 10	728 12 7	68 10 2	797 6 9	13,794 11 7	
" " "	4,041 2 1	4,041 2 1	13,699 2 10	678 11 8	80 10 2	759 6 10	14,458 8 8	
2,079 13 "	64,687 15 3	66,764 12 3	19,094 10 4	7,303 8 8	893 13 8	8,197 6 4	1,98,892 " 8	
" " "	" " "	3,927 8 3	11,217 5 4	" " "	" " "	482 3 2	11,699 8 6	
" " "	36,245 " 6	36,245 " 6	1,15,297 15 7	5,006 1 10	580 " 8	5586 2 6	120,884 2 1	
" " "	" " "	3,624 8 1	11,529 12 9	" " "	" " "	558 9 10	12,088 6 7	

Madura, ----- 30th July 1851.

Errors. Excepted. - Yfs.

(Signed) R. D. Parker.
Collector

Population.

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For Ft. St. George 28th August 1851.

No 2. Population &c. of Vadagaray Pollium -

Fusly.	Houses	Population. Male.	Female.	Total.	Ryots Plough.	Resident	Non Resident	Total.
1212	"	"	"	"	438	446	72	518
1213	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1226	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1227	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1228	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
1229	1089	1751	1774	3525	374	362	310	672
1230	1089	1740	1753	3493	386	333	290	623
1231	1076	1687	1711	3398	375	308	273	581
1232	1076	1386	1505	2891	418	293	281	574
1233	1065	1660	1728	3388	417	297	250	547
1234	1067	1680	1746	3426	394	297	210	507
1235	1117	1934	2006	3940	413½	338	341	679
1236	1075	1793	1989	3782	428	318	330	648
1237	1052	1706	1920	3626	347½	301	274	575
1238	1050	1657	1947	3604	260	336	239	575
1239	1056	1671	1967	3638	324½	316	332	648
1240	1058	1674	1999	3673	323½	326	323	649
1241	1049	1671	2001	3672	298½	345	289	634
1242	1041	1674	1978	3652	353½	390	573	963
1243	1192	1877	2219	4096	243	479	747	1226
1244	1310	2161	2413	4574	431	513	952	1465
1245	1310	2186	2413	4599	412½	457	854	1311
1246	1215	1866	1881	3747	394	451	601	1052
1247	1101	2020	2120	4140	381½	419	599	1018
1248	1003	1942	2194	4136	365	463	614	1077
1249	990	1971	2070	4041	372	467	562	1029
1250	993	2040	2117	4157	348½	533	717	1250
1251	999	2028	2007	4035	405½	537	843	1380
1252	1003	2023	2004	4027	401	606	832	1438
1253	965	1912	1994	3906	394	500	710	1210
1254	1025	1899	1982	3881	412½	461	746	1207
1255	1043	1931	1977	3908	428½	518	616	1134
1256	1043	1915	1908	3823	442	536	810	1346
1257	1045	1917	1895	3812	446½	534	739	1273
1258	1054	1925	1894	3819	466½	549	847	1396
1259	1067	1955	1894	3849	624½	565	1005	1570

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Bonjah -

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No 3. Poonjah rate per Goontah in the Vadakurray Zemindary.

Villages	Classification of land	Hoodoo rate.	Present rate at which Collection is made.	Remarks.
		C Fanam a Shut. Long.	C F. a Shut. Long.	
Vadakurray	1	10 " "	6 " "	C Fs. 6. 3. and 1 are levied on particular crops on the Hills.
	2	8 " "	5 " "	The rate of 5 Fs obtains on the Ploughed lands in the low Country.
	3	7 " "	3 " "	+ The rate of 2 Fs is levied for lands on the skirts of Hills
	4	6 " "	+2 " "	tilled with a small kind of Munvetty.
	5	5 " "	1 " "	
	6	4 7/2	" " "	
	7	4 " "	" " "	
	8	2 3 1/2 1	" " "	
Poodoocotay	1	10 " "	5 " "	This rate is on the ploughed land in low Country.
	2	8 " "	2 " "	Do on the land on skirts of Hills cultivated with a kind of Munvetty.
	3	6 " "	" " "	
	4	5 " "	" " "	
	5	4 " "	" " "	
	6	3 6 1 1/2	" " "	
	7	1 11 1/2 3/4	" " "	
Edapooly	1	5 " "	3 " "	On the ploughed land in low.
	2	4 " "	2 " "	On land on skirts of Hills cultivated with a small kind of Munvetty.
	3	2 8 1	" " "	
	4	1 4 1/2	" " "	
Pillainaucombay	1	10 " "	2 12 "	On dry grain cultivated contiguous to the Village.
	2	8 " "	2 " "	Do Do Do at the foot of the hills.
	3	6 " "	1 4 "	On Pulse &c contiguous to the Village.
	4	5 " "	1 " "	On Do Do at the foot of the hills.
	5	4 " "	" " "	
	6	3 " "	" " "	
	7	1 5 3/4 1/2	" " "	

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Collector.

Memorandum.

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No. 4. Memorandum of the Vadagharray Zemindary
From Fusly 1226 to 1259.

Amount of Settlement		330928 7 9
Deduct 10 per Cent		33092 13 5
Balance		297835 10 4
Add Sevoy Summah		671. 4 9
Charges		298506 14 1
Sibbendy &c.a	14723 11 8	
Maramut	8948 13 7	
	23672 9 3	
Peishcush Arrears when the Estate was first assumed	6864 2 9	
Subsequently due	277722 13 10	
	284587 4 7	
	308259 9 10	
Surplus Demands		
On account of Sibbendy	9752 14 9	
" " of Interest	6864 2 9	
	16617 1 6	

Madura 30th July 1851. E. E. Ys. (Signed) R. D. Parker.
Collector.

E.B.

Fort St. George 28th. August 1851.

No. 378.

B. d. No. 1737.

Proceedings thereon. Submitting a report from the Collector of Madura relative to the Vadagarray Pollium in the Dindigul Division and stating that as this Estate is one of the Six Pollium upon which a reduction of Peishcush was proposed, its future disposal would appear to depend as in the cases of Valia Puttay and Condaramady on the orders of the Honorable Court.

Para 6.

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Fr. Pet. 25 June 1851. Fr. Pet. 25 June 1851. Fr. Pet. 25 June 1851.

This report is in reply to the Board's letter of the 25th. May 1847; requesting the Collectors opinion upon his predecessors proposal for the reduction of Peishcush in Six Polliums among which Vadagarray was included and a decrease of 12% on the original Peishcush recommended.

2 The Estate was resumed in Fusly 1229 for a Balance of Rupees 6,864, has been gradually and progressively recovering itself under the management of the Government Officers until the Settlement of Fusly 1259 shews an increase on the Fysal Jumma of Fusly 1213 of 1660 Rupees.

F. 1213	12798	
1259	14458	
	1660	

3. The particulars of Settlement from the date of resumption up to Fusly 1259, as detailed in Enclosure 1. coupled with the advantageous position of the Estate fully bear out the Collectors conclusion that no reduction of Peishcush is required.

4. The Balance including Interest, against the Estate is 16617 Rs. which entirely accrues on Sibbendy

you

yes. charges. the Peishcush having been duly satisfied:-

5. The future disposal of the Pollium would appear as in the cases of Valiaputty and Comarawady lately reported, to depend on the orders of the Honble Court.

To Govt 28th Oct. 1850:
Fr. Dr. 6th Dec. in Cons.
2d January 1851.
To Govt 23d June 1851
From Dr. 8th July in Cons
24th Dr. " "

To

No. 97.

W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

(46)

Bd. No. 2041.

From the Collector of Madura. Sir.

With reference to the Boards Proceedings of the 10th ultimo I have the honor to state that I do not anticipate being able to make any reduction of the Establishment of the single Frontier Chowky of this District. The amount of duty remitted being very small, and the Frontier to be guarded very extensive, the labour of Collection will be little if at all diminished.

(46A7)
Madura
26th August 1851.

I have &c
Signed R. D. Parker
Collector

Order thereon.

Ordered to lie over.

Read

Read the following letter:-

No. 176.

To

W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

(48)

Bd. No. 2033

From the Collr of Tinnevelly. Sir.

Stating in reply to Board's Circular that it is not customary in his District under any circumstances to strike off the Treasury accounts any sum as "Paid" & to hold it in deposit under the name "Mooballala" or any other Denomination

Para 1. With reference to paras 1-2 & 3 of your Circular dated 9th June last, I have the honor to state that it is not customary in this District under any circumstances to strike off the Treasury accounts any sum as "Paid" and to hold it in Deposit under the name of "Mooballala" or any other denomination all the Monies remaining in the Treasury to whatever head of account they belong being counted at the Months by examination of Cash by myself or one of my Assistants.

2. Monies entered in the Treasury accounts as paid on account of the Items noted in the Margin are till they are actually despatched to

Pay of Servants
Salt Compensation
Salt Manufacturers Share and Late Native pension Fund &c.

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to the Talooks &ca credited in the Accounts to the head of Deposit but never kept separately from the rest.

3- In reply to para 4 of the above Circular, I beg to state that though no money is set apart as belonging to the head of Deposits, still a Statement is kept for the sake of convenience and reference shewing the different items in the Margin as belonging to that Head Sums received under the 3 first of these items never appear under any other Head but those under the 7 last are in the first instance credited to the Head of

1 Peeramah on lands in dispute between this District & the Tra=vancore Circar.
2 Shettrum Renenue
3 Tripamy Dr.
4 Palaputtady Yeomgah Annually deducted from the Mutuphah Bariz
5 Juft Enams
6- Deposits made by Renters in lieu of Securities-
7- Fines levied under Regulation IX of 1822 Vide Boards Circular Order Page 373-

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8 Assessment on concealed Cultivation brought to light Dr. Circular order Page 523-
9 Magisterial Fines
10 Surplus Collections in favor of Minor Estates under Circar Manage=ment and such like items-

of Deposit and eventu=ally either carried to Ayen under the Head of Extra Renenue or paid away to the par=ties enti=tled to receive them- This mode of keeping the Accounts of the above named and such like items is very con=venient and facilitates the prepara=tion and adjustment of the numerous Accounts furnished to the Offices of Account and Audit and therefore should not I think be departed from.

4- In reply to para 5 of the above Circular I beg to state that in the Talook Treasuries only 2 Kinds of Accounts are kept one for Money (called Ayen) to be Monthly remitted to the Huzzoor Treasury and the other for money (called Amanut) received therefrom on account of pay of Ser=vants, Advances for Marahmut Ex=

Fee

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The Agency money is remittable to the Huzzoor Treasury is always kept as separate from the Amanut Money which came from the Huzzoor Treasury. This arrangement also appears to me to be a good one and deserving of being continued.

5. With regard to Accountant Generals Bills I beg to state that those that are not payable at sight are invariably accepted by the Collector himself whether he is at the Huzzoor station or on Circuit provided they correspond with the letters of Advice concerning them and the sight is reckoned from the date of presentation for acceptance. Bills drawn at sight are paid on presentation to the Cash Keeper to whom orders for the discharge of these sight bills are always sent immediately on the receipt of letters of advice.

6. The portion of the Treasury left in the charge of the Cash Keeper fluctuates with the probable payments to be made during the Month.

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Month. The periodical examination of the Cash is generally held immediately after the Months Kists have been received from all the Talooks and an Estimate is then made of the Amount likely to be required for discharging Accountant Generals and Paymasters drafts. Pay of Establishments. Advances per Varahmat Yearly and the surplus if any locked up by the Collector or his Assistant in boxes of which the Collector keeps the Keys. Sometimes when no land revenue Kists are due it becomes necessary at such times to give out money from the Collectors Charge to that of the Cash Keeper. Occasionally when heavy Bills have been drawn on the Treasury it is necessary to give out Money at other times than at the regular Monthly Examination but the practice is to leave with the Cash Keeper as nearly as can be Estimated the sum which will meet the demands on the District Treasury till the next periodical Examination and this

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this will vary from less than 1/2 to above a lac of Rupees.

Tinnevelly —
Tencaudey —
18th August 1851.

Signed C. J. Bird
Collector.

Order thereon (48-49)

Ordered to lie over.

Read the following letter.

No. 73.

To

W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Sir. Board of Revenue

(50)

Bd. No. 1818.

From the Collr. of Coimbatore } 1.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated the 14th October last communicating the orders of Government relative to the Shuttrum arrangements in this District.

Reporting the arrangements made about the Shuttrums, with reference to the Board's Proceedings of the 14th October 1850

2. In para 7. the Government observe that the amount of Enam lands to be resumed will be Rupees 15,834-10-9. This is correct with reference to my previous reports, but since them some slight further resumption became necessary.

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a sum of 22-4-8 was nominally allowed for a ruinous Shuttrum at Coimbatore, but the same being misappropriated to the use of a Pagoda, also nearly in ruins, and thus perverted from its legitimate purpose, unknown to and unsanctioned by any authority, I considered it right to discontinue it.

3. An endowment of Rs. 108 was made for a Choultry to be constructed at Pairoor. On further consideration of the locality, it appeared that such an accommodation here was not requisite, and the Enam was therefore resumed. These items added to the sum referred to amounts in the aggregate to Rs. 15,964-15-5.

Resumption Sanctioned			
Rupees	15,834	10	9
Pairoor Enam	108	—	—
Coimbatore Do.	22	4	8
	15,964	15	5

4

Value of Enam			
Mudkerry	174	13	4
Iyasawmy Ghaut	42	10	6
Streemby ash	176	2	10
Pircambeliour	108	—	—
Soolour	108	—	8
	609	10	8

The Proprietors of the Shuttrums specified in the margin not having kept up the requisite establishment, and some of

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of the Buildings being in a Condition hardly habitable, though warned on the subject, I deemed it advisable to pause before making over the Enam, which is now under temporary resumption, being Rupees 609-10-8- the proceeds thereof will as usual, go to the credit of "Deposits"

5- Of the money allowance of Rs. 4,630- sanctioned by Government Rupees 41- a Months for 6 Shettrums will remain undisbursed for the present, the buildings being in bad order, and no Shettrum at "Tek Dimbum" having yet been constructed - this, however, is a temporary saving, and will eventually be appropriated.

Tirupore	Rupees	7	4
Kanakiri	"	9	"
Marchinaikenpalliem	"	7	"
Jalamalay	"	9	"
Tek Dimbum	"	9	"
		41	"

6 The whole of the Shettrums Funds amounted, on the 31st December 1850, to Rupees 59,305-11-5 which was disposed of under instructions from the Board of Revenue in the Department of Public Works.

The present balance is 59442-5-11 of which 59305-11-5 are disposed of thus, for the present as stated balance remaining unappropriated is Rupees 136-9-11.

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7- In accordance with para. 4 of the Extract of Minutes of Consultation 26th September 1850, I allotted 6 Months within which the necessary repairs were to be commenced by the alleged owners - in many cases this is still neglected and such Enams will be resumed accordingly, and the needful repairs be made by Government.

Coimbatore Consort 22d July 1851 - B. of R. 1711 - Proceedings Requesting the Collector of Coimbatore to furnish further information respecting certain Endowments & Shettrums in his District.

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/ Signed E. B. Thomas. Collector

F. D. P. W. 11 incs. 25th July 1850. Rs. 4438-12-11, 130-4-8, 4308-8-3

Proceedings thereon - The resumption of the endowment of the Dana Benecottah Shettrum and the reductions in the endowments of the other buildings proposed in the Board's Proceedings to Government of 1st August 1850 brought down the amount of the endowments of the Thirty Shettrums built by private individuals and in their enjoyment detailed in the list enclosed in the Collector's letter of the 30th March 1850 to the D. P. W. to Rupees 4,438-12-11 per Annum and the effect of the proposed resumption of

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of those of the Two Shuttrums at Coimbatore and Parivoor recommended in para 3 of Mr. Thomas's present letter would reduce the above to Rupees 4,308-8-3 annually.

2. In para 8 of his letter of 23d July 1850 it was stated that no land had been alienated for the Shuttrum at Trikumbliver, and the Board do not therefore perceive how Mr. Thomas remark in para 4 of his present communication can apply to that Shuttrum - and resolve to call upon him for further information on this point.

In Cons 5th Augt 1850

3. In para 4 of Extract Minutes of Consultation 26th Septr 1850 directing that the Emams of private Shuttrums in Coimbatore should be continued only upon the distinct understanding that the buildings should be immediately put in habitable order and appropriated solely for the accommodation of Travellers, the Collector was called upon to institute a careful enquiry

In Cons 12th Octr 1850.

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"enquiry in each case where repairs are "needed and to allot a period within which "they are to be executed," and the Board, in reference to paras 4 & 7 of Mr. Thomas's present communication request they will state the probable period of his completing this enquiry.

4. The allowances referred to in para 5 of Mr. Thomas's letter being connected with Money grants for the Circar Shuttrums which have been placed under the charge of the D. P. W. should be referred for the consideration of that Department to whom all references connected with Circar Shuttrums should hereafter be addressed.

Para 6 Ex Jr. of Cons 26th Septr 1850.

Read the following letters.

No. 61.

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir

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B. of R. 2026.

From the Collr of Canara

1. I have the honor to acknowledge and reply to an Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated the 12th June 1851 on the subject of

Submitting observations in regard to the proposed Enactment for the prevention of inoculation, together with copies

copies of letters from his Subordinates on the same subject.

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of a proposed enactment for the prevention of inoculation.

2. From the information which I have been able to collect by questions circulated to the Tahsildars, and that drawn from the annexed reports of the two Sub Collectors and the Head Assistant as well as from facts which came to my knowledge many years ago, I am led to believe that inoculation is a practice unknown to the natives of this district except as introduced by the Government vaccinators.

3. That it was formerly practised by them, and by ignorant villagers and with very disastrous consequences came to my knowledge in the year 1820. I found that it was done principally in order to satisfy the ignorant prejudices of the natives who discredited the efficacy of a prophylactic which had no little apparent effect as the vaccine pustule they required something more distinctly efficacious and this the vaccinators found it easy to give by means of small pox inoculation. In some instances it was done out of mere idleness the small pox matter being most easily obtained.

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4. The result was very lamentable. The people came at a time when the ravages of small pox had spread a panic, adults ready to take the disease in its most serious form were inoculated and spread the contagion, and I remember that one Village was cleared of its inhabitants, and the dead bodies were left to be devoured by dogs and wild animals.

5. I found that the best informed natives of my Cutcherry were ignorant of any difference between vaccination and inoculation, and the poorer classes were doubtless equally ignorant.

6. I endeavoured by means of proclamations to warn people of their danger, and of the proper remedy and prohibited parties from practicing unless they were declared qualified by the Zillah Surgeon, and this, as a Magistrate, I conceived that I had the power of doing and I imposed a fine on a party who disobeyed my orders but I find that my power

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to take these measures was disallowed by the Foujdary Adawlut. From all I can learn however the measures then taken produced the effect which I desired and the reports I have now received with one exception, state that the practice no longer exists.

7- I find that the practice of vaccination has of late years greatly extended, and its further extension is prevented rather by the apathy of the people than by any prejudices of caste.

8- One of the German Missionaries settled in this district was lately good enough to furnish me with answers to some questions which the preparation of the Census led me to put to him regarding the habits of those casted with which he was in the most immediate intercourse. They comprize the most numerous casted in the district. In answer to the question "Do they entertain any prejudices against vaccination or is it in general use among them," the answer as applicable to all the castes is the same "They

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"They will not take the matter from Devadras, but they take it from those whom they are allowed to touch, but on the whole they are negligent with regard to vaccination except when the small pox is prevalent."

9- As regards this district there are no impediments in the way of an enactment prohibiting inoculation and the facts I have detailed above lead me to consider it to be very desirable that such an enactment should be passed.

10- I am inclined however to consider that with the view of preventing its being converted into an engine of oppression, the act should rather empower local Magistrates to declare it penal than declare it to be so at all times. It might empower Magistrates to issue proclamations, and render it compulsory to do so, on application from a certain number of medical officers or a certain number of householders.

Collectors Cutcherry
Mangalore
19th August 1851

Signed F. N. Maltby
Collector

To.

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To

F. R. Maltby Esqre

Collector of

Cuddalore.

Sir,

I have had the honor to receive your letter of the 15th July transmitting an Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date 12th June, but I have not received a copy of the report of the Committee therein referred to.

2. At the request of the Zillah Surgeon at Vizagapatam, I had recently caused enquiries to be made, as to whether inoculation was practised in that part of the Province, and it was stated that the practice did not exist. I am also satisfied from my own personal enquiries that no obstacles of any moment are to be experienced to the spread of vaccination in this part of the District, through the prejudices of the people, but on the contrary, that they comprehend its advantages.

3. Judging from this information, but which only applies to the Balaghaut, I would decidedly be in

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favor of a rule prohibiting inoculation, but the existing system of vaccination is open to great improvement.

4. For example in Canara Balaghaut there are two Vaccinators, there ought to be one for each Talook, with a Superintendent, whose duty would be to travel about the Talooks, to see that these men fulfilled their duty properly, and who again, should make monthly reports to the Zillah Surgeon. I cannot consider the present system of check to be much depended upon.

Sub Collector's Cutcherry
Since 28th July 1851.

I have &c.
Signed J. Silver
Sub Collector.

To

F. R. Maltby Esqre

Collector of

Canara.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th Instant forwarding copy of a Circular from the Board of Revenue under date the 12th Instant.

From

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From the information I can obtain on the subject in question, it does not appear to me that inoculation is much, if at all practised now, though it was some years ago, and there were well known parties in this neighbourhood who made a living by operating this way, several of them were punished, and the practice apparently put a stop to, and I cannot learn that others than Government Servants now operate for the prevention of small pox.

Having had an opportunity of questioning one of the oldest and most respectable inhabitants of the Poolvoor division on this matter, there seems reason to suspect from what he told me, that the vaccinators themselves sometimes inoculate, or have done so. The instances he mentioned occurred some time ago, and could only be accounted for by supposing that small pox broke out immediately on the vaccinators departure, and among those

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upon, which is hardly likely to have been the case in two instances, had the people been vaccinated. The Villagers evidently considered that the desease was the consequence of the operation, and seem afterwards to have been afraid to be vaccinated, remembering the effect (as they supposed) of the previous operation on others.

It perhaps seems unaccountable that the Government Vaccinators should pursue such a course, but there certainly has been a feeling among the people that vaccination was uncertain as a prevention of small pox, and that the effects were not sufficiently evident in the patient, and they therefore preferred inoculation considering it only a more effective operation not being aware of the difference of the deseases induced. Hence the vaccinators may sometimes be applied to, for inoculation, or sharing the prejudices of the people, some of them may practise it of their own accord.

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As however there is no reason to suppose the practice general and it may be doubted whether it exists at all but under the circumstances I have named there would be little difficulty, I think in putting a stop to innoculation without the necessity of a particular legislature enactment to meet the case.

It would perhaps be advisable that vaccinators should in all cases act only with the knowledge and through the influence of the Potail of each Village. That that Officer should report whether small pox exists in his villages when visited by the vaccinators and lose no time in making known instances in which the disease may seem induced by the operation. From what I learned of the cases I have alluded to, which terminated fatally, no report was made by my informant because the operator was a Government Servant supposed to be executing the orders of his superiors.

Additional Sub Coll.rs Office
Mangalore, 28th July 1851.

Signed W. Fisher
Lt. Addl. Asst Coll.r

To.

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To

F. K. Malthby Esqre
Collector of
Canara.

Sir

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 15th Instant requesting my opinion on the proposition for a legislative enactment prohibiting innoculation in India.

2. Innoculation with small pox matter being altogether unknown in these Talooks no legislative appears necessary with respect to them, but as the existence of the practice in some parts of India calls for the interference of the Legislature it would be as well to make the measure that may be passed one of general applicability. Two years imprisonment, considering the fatal tendency of this practice, does not appear to me to be too severe a punishment.

3. The following extract from a

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a letter from this office to the Zillah Surgeon of Honore will exhibit the state of the case in this part of the District

The Tahsildars of Honore and Ankolah state-

"That during the year 1850 small "pox was very little prevalent-

"That no cases were brought to "their notice in which disease had es "proved fatal."

"That the Natives have no "aversion to vaccination, whilst they "have much confidence in its protective "power."

That they can speak with certainty to the fact, that inoculation with small pox matter is no never practised-

Head. Assts. Coll.rs Cutcherry Honore 21st July 1851

/ Signed C. F. Shamier

/ True Copies / Signed F. H. Maltby Collector

Ag. Hd. Asst. Collector

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Order thereon-

Ordered to lie over

J/L

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No. 63.

To

W. A. Bayley Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue:-

Fort St. George.-

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B. No. 2040

Sir,

From the Collr. of Canara - } 1

Explaining with reference to Board's Circular of the 9th June last the nature of the Deposits remaining in his Treasury, and forwarding an account to show the manner in which transactions are carried on in the Talook Treasuries.-

1st

Talook Treasuries

+ No. 1 with copy of the Original

I have the honor to reply to your letter of the 9th June.-

2. I find it most convenient to explain the practice prevailing in this District first in the Talook Treasuries and 2d in the Huzoor Treasury.-

3. I have the honor to submit a + translation of a Monthly abstract of receipts and disbursements of the Month of April in the Talook of Mangalore as a specimen of the manner in which the Talook accounts are kept.-

4 It will be seen from this that every sum in the Tahsildars hands appears in this account and every balance on whatever account forms a portion of the money

money examined by the inspecting officer whenever the Talook treasury is examined.

5. When the Monthly Paraward has been passed by the Collector or when an order has been given for an outlay on any public work the sum is entered by the Tahsildar as a receipt under head No 2 Any sums remaining unpaid will thus swell the general balance and ought to be in the Treasury whenever it is examined.

6. The only exceptions to this rule are unclaimed property of which a separate list is kept in the Police Department; money deposited for banks and money received but not shroffed which is deposited in a separate box till it is examined and entered as a receipt this only happens when large remittances are received simultaneously and the delay is seldom of more than one or two days duration.—

7. The Abstract account No. 10 shows the nature of every balance remaining in the Tahsildar's

8. It will be observed that from the balance it is customary for the Tahsildars to make advances for the public service and that on this account there constantly a small sum of money outstanding which

the Treasury is examined—the sum exhibited in the accounts will be deficient in this amount but this is shown in a separate account and forms as much a subject of detail in the Monthly abstracts as any other part of the accounts. Thus in the accounts now submitted the balance is Rupees 5253-6-11 of which the sum of Rupees 827-7-9 has been used for current expenditure and the sum of Rupees 4425-14-3 will be found in cash in the Treasury and this will agree with the Tahsildars Kathkurrada or journal of that day.—

9. It will thus be seen that the receipts in the Tahsildar's Cutcherry are divided into Jamma and Karrach baab; the disbursements into remittances to the Treasury and local payments; but all form but one account submitted monthly to the Huzoor and the balance is liable to inspection at any moment.—

10. I have had occasion to mention in writing lately to the Board that I have directed that when any such inspection is made, a copy of the accounts submitted by the Tahsildar showing the balance certified by the inspecting officer is to be forwarded to the Sheristadar's Cutcherry for inspection.—

11. The following table exhibits the balances in each Talook on the 30th April 1851:—

Advances

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Talooks	Advances				Cash				Total balance			
	Tahseldars Cutcherry	Sheikdars Cutcherry	Total	Tahseldars Cutcherry	Sheikdars Cutcherry	Total	Tahseldars Cutcherry	Sheikdars Cutcherry	Total			
	Rs a ⊘	Rs a ⊘	Rs a ⊘	Rs a ⊘	Rs a ⊘	Rs a ⊘	Rs a ⊘	Rs a ⊘	Rs a ⊘			
Mangalore	827 7 9	" " "	827 7 9	4425 14 3	5,253 6 "		" " "	" " "	5,253 6 "			
Bekul	1052 11 7	77 10 3	1130 5 10	4438 7 "	641 9 7	5,080 " 7	5,491 2 7	719 3 10	6,210 6 5			
Buntwal	855 5 9	373 " 3	1228 6 "	8493 4 1	4578 7 10	13,073 12 5	9,350 10 4	4,951 8 1	14,302 2 5			
Codipy	300 1 9	" " "	300 1 9	7103 7 8	" " "	7,103 7 8	7403 9 5	" " "	7403 9 5			
Barcoor	1717 10 9	" " "	1717 10 9	6735 1 2	" " "	6735 1 2	8452 11 11	" " "	8452 11 11			
Cundapore	1413 5 8	108 6 4	1521 12 "	4090 7 5	427 2 "	4,517 9 5	5,503 13 1	535 8 4	6039 5 5			
Honore	2235 5 3	67 12 7	2303 1 10	2569 3 2	725 6 11	3,294 10 1	4,804 8 5	793 3 6	5,597 11 11			
Ankola	2154 1 6	37 5 6	2,191 7 "	1846 14 6	2,191 1 4	4,037 15 10	4,001 " "	2,228 6 10	6,229 6 10			
Soopah	1088 6 2	" " "	1088 6 2	1325 10 3	385 4 9	1,710 15 "	2,414 " 5	385 4 9	2,799 5 2			
Sonda	1249 10 "	30 1 6	1279 11 6	9737 4 1	410 10 2	10,147 14 3	10,986 14 1	440 11 8	11,427 9 9			
Bilghi	354 10 1	" " "	354 10 1	954 15 3	" " "	954 15 3	1,309 9 4	" " "	1,309 9 4			
Total	13248 12 3	694 4 5	13943 " 8	57722 9 "	9,359 10 7	61,082 3 11	64,971 5 7	10,053 15 "	75,025 4 7			

12. It is necessary to observe that this appears to exhibit a large balance because at the end of the Month a sufficient sum is retained to meet the Military and Civil expenses of the Month.—

13. At the close of the Fasly year the accounts are audited and all outstanding balances not payable are recalled to the Huzoor Treasury.—

2d Huzoor Treasury

14. The sum necessary for public works and the salaries of the Talook Public Servants being as shown disbursed in the Talooks by special order from the Collector they do not affect the Treasury accounts until the Monthly Final or remittance is received.— They are then shown in the Final putty and corresponding credits and debits are entered in the Treasury accounts.— By this arrangement no money on either of these accounts remains in the hands of the Treasurer.—

15. In the Huzoor Treasury every item of receipt and expenditure is entered in a Journal which is kept in English and signed every day by the Collector or in his absence by the Officer left in charge.— The balance exhibits the whole of the money

money in the Treasurer's hands at that time /with exceptions to be noted below/ and the balance so shown is the amount submitted to examination when the Treasury is examined.—

16. This sum is inclusive of deposits received from the Courts which are entered in this account so that the sum is included in the periodical examination while in the accounts of the Zillah which go to Madras it is deducted and only entered under a Nota Bene.—

17. The account sent to Madras also exhibits a considerable sum entered as deposits.— These form a part of the same total which is periodically examined and all the transactions connected with them appear in the daily book but they consist of sums unadjusted and which cannot at present be placed to the credit of Government under any head of Revenue. they are items in fact on which final orders have yet to be passed.—

+ No. 2

18. The amount in the account + now submitted is Rupees 23,158-1-11 and this is shown in some detail in the report made to the Accountant General No. 2.—

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19. It will thus be seen that the whole of the balance appears on the daily account in the Treasury and is submitted to periodical examination.—

20. The only sums detached from the general account and which remain in the hands of the Treasurer are as follows.—

1st The pay of the Huzoor Establishment of servants including those of the Sub Collectors and Head Assistant.— As soon as the Monthly Banaward is signed this is drawn by the Treasurer but it is seldom that any considerable balances remained in his hands for more than a few days.—

2d A sum of Rupees 200 for sundry contingent charges is left in the Treasurers hands.—

3d The undrawn pay of European Officers.—

4th The balance of a Charitable institution or Poor Fund for the benefit of the Amendevi Islanders instituted by Mr Williams Robinson of the C. S. being at present Rupees 413-1

5th The property of a Minor whose affairs

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affairs are managed by the Collector Viz.

Receipts for Promissory notes deposited in the General Treasury to the amount of Rupees 11300 and balance of Cash to the amount of Rupees .. 388-3-8.

6th Deposits made by Public Contractors till the signing of their contracts.—

7th Fragments of base coins.—

8th A deposit of unclaimed property reported upon in my letter of this date.—

21 The balance on all these accounts except the last is at the present date Rupees 6,246-10-10.—

22. These as I have said above are the only sums not included in the general balance of Cash but of these a separate list is given in at the examination of the Treasury and they are submitted to the officer's inspection.—

23. The balances should be monthly audited in the Sheristedar's Office and disposed of as far as this is possible, references being made when necessary to the Collector for instructions and I have directed that at the close of every official year an English list

list of the whole be submitted to me so that it may be reduced to the least possible amount.-

24. The system pursued appears to me to be good and the only alteration which I think necessary (and this I have ordered) is that the pay of the Huzoor Establishment be conducted in the same way as in the Talooks; that on the Baramahd being signed the money be debited to "Agency" and credited to "Deposit" in the Treasury Book and on its disbursement the payments will then appear in the daily book and the balances form a part of the general Treasury balance instead of forming a separate fund.-

25. The accounts appear to me well adapted to the prevention of the private use of any of the public money.-

26. Among the present deposits are some which have hitherto been permitted to remain as such and which can scarcely be otherwise disposed of as occasional disbursements from them are necessary and although no actual sanction for this purpose has I believe ever been given so much inconvenience would result from their

being entered in the general accounts that I trust that the present practice may be continued.- these are

Vide Encl. No. 1 under the head of Abstract No. 10 Item No. 9 under Sevoy Summa No. 3.-

1st. A small fund formed from the sale of the fruit and clippings of the public avenues of Mangalore.- from this any small necessary outlays are made for the improvement of the public roads near Mangalore such as the purchase of materials for repairs of drains, the erection of mile stones, the purchase of ground for new roads &c.a.- The balances in hand at present is :-

	Rs a P.
Balance on the 30th April 1857	531-11-3
Receipts in May	16-5-10
	548-1-1
Expended in Do.	15-0-0
Balance	533-1-1

Rupees 533-1-1 and I am applying it on the same principle as I find has been pursued in Madura and approved by the Government.

for recovering land from the river side as the site of a new line of shops which will be sold and the proceeds applied to extending this improvement.-

Vide Enclosure No. 2 Item No. 5.

2d. The rent of two Bungalows belonging to Government at Honore and Bellecherry.- This is applied to the repair of those houses the present balance is Rupees 61-12-10.-

	Rs. a P.
	61-12-10

Do. Item No. 18.

3d. A small balance accruing on the sale of printed Custom house forms.- These forms have been printed for the convenience of the Merchants and with the view of uniformity in the entries.- The

rate

rate of sale leaves a small profit which has accumulated to Rupees 381-1-11 which I propose to add to the fund for improving the town and quay.

	Rs. - a - p
Balance on the 30th April 1851	438-1-11
Receipts from May to July	95-8-11
	533-9-11
Dr. printing & c charges from May to July	152-8-11
Balance	381-1-11

Item No. 4.

4th Some attached to "Kutcolam" or remission for the repair of a dam. It has been necessary to take the repair under the management of the Collector and a small balance of Rupees 34-5-6 is now in hand. As further repairs may at any time be necessary this remains in deposit to meet the expense

Item No. 7.

5th To these must be added the proceeds of the sale of timber from the Government jungles amounting to Rupees 861-5-11 which is now in deposit. It is very desirable that this sum should remain at the disposal of the Collector and be applicable by him to the current expenses of the conservancy such as the clearing portions of the jungles to prevent fire sowing and pruning branding or marking timber and I hope that this will be permitted should it be thought necessary to assign any limit to this permission it might be ruled that the Collector may disburse one half the proceeds of the sales of timber in necessary conservancy expenses provided that they do not exceed the sum of Rupees 2,000 per annum The teak timber now collected is sold at 10 Rupees per candy as yet only a small

small quantity has been sold but the usefulness of the conservancy may be gradually extended and the jungles be made to yield a supply of useful common timber which will defray the expenses of the conservancy and greatly benefit the country. But this will be impossible unless the profits of the sales are made available in the first instance.

27. The remaining deposits require no particular remark. They will be disposed of in due course.

28 The above statement will show that the whole of the public money is shewn in the accounts of the district and that it is liable to periodical examination.

29. The practice with reference to Accountant General's bills is as follows.

30. As soon as the advices are received whether from Bombay or Madras, they are entered in the Advice Book. When the bills are presented reference is made to the Advice Book and the bill is accepted an entry of the date being at-

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at the same time made in the advice book. An order is then given to the Treasurer directing payment at the expiration of the specified number of days.—

31. When the Collector is absent the bills are accepted and the order for payment issued to the Treasurer by the officer left in charge of the treasury. On leaving the station the Collector issues an order to the Treasurer directing him to make the payments on the order of the officer specified and to report each payment to the Collector. In this way the delay is avoided which would seriously injure trade when the Collector is 5 days post distant.—

32. Occasionally it happens that bills are presented before the advices are received. In such cases (which arise from the Bills coming by sea) I have been in the habit of noting the day of presentation in pencil and on receipt of the advice I give the party the benefit. I do so to encourage

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encourage the Merchants to make use of the advantages of Steam Navigation and rapidity of Communication.—

33 When the balance in the hands of the Treasurer not immediately required exceeds half a lac of Rupees, it is transferred to a chest under the key and seal of the Collector or of one of his Assistants.—

Mangalore, 19th August, 1851.— } /Signed/ F. N. Maltby.— Collector.

Abstract.—

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Abstract of Receipts and Disbursements of the Mangalore Talook for April 1851.—

No. 1.

Total Receipts 22240 14 6

12693-13-10 Land Revenue Fusly 1260.—

11	"	"	Surat Rupees	11 10	" " Gady Rupees 10
718	"	"	New Bombay Dr.	718 2 12 6	Half annas 89
11127	"	"	Company's Rupees	11127 4 7 9	Quarter Ditto 287
562	"	"	Half Ditto	1124 " 9 9	Pies 117
189	"	"	Quarter Ditto	756 " 1 7	Old Pice 5
16	8	"	Double Ditto 132	42-14-3	amount received in other Talooks on account of this—
9	8	"	Madras Ditto 9½		

12693-13-10

320-7-11. Moturpha Revenue

5 5 3 Fusly 1258.—

4	"	"	Company's Rupees	4
1	"	"	Half Ditto	2
"	4	"	Quarter Ditto	1
"	1	"	Quarter annas	4
"	"	3	Pies	3

5 5 3

7 3 " Fusly 1259—

6	"	"	C. Rupees	6
"	12	"	Quarter Rupees	3
"	2	"	Double Annas	1
"	2	"	Half annas	4
"	1	9	Quarter Ditto	7
"	1	3	Pies	15

7 3 "

307-15-8 Fusly 1260—

21	8	"	New Bombay Rupees	21½
207	"	"	C. Rs. of 1835 & 40	207
33	"	"	Half Ditto	66
41	12	"	Quarter Ditto	167
2	8	"	Double annas	20
1	"	"	Gady Rupee	1
"	6	"	Half annas	12
"	12	"	Quarter annas	48
"	"	1	Pie	1
"	1	7	Receipts in other Talook adjusted here.—	

307 15 8

320 7 11

13014-5-9 Carried Over—

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13,014 5 9 Brought over——

7,714 " 9 Total Receipts of Extra Sources of Revenue Fusly 1260——
Under Annexed

3599 6 " Tobacco Revenue (Here enter the details of Coins)
4,046-14-9 Salt Ditto (Ditto)
69 12 " Stamp Ditto (Ditto)

7714 " 9

1,512 8 " Amount of Rents
1,420 " " Abkarry (Ditto)
92 8 " Ferry (Ditto)
1,512 8 "

22,240 14 6 Total Receipts of No. 1 (Ditto)

No. 2.

Receipts on account of Charges debited on account of charges sanctioned by the Collector in the Irsal Putty or by Monthly Remittance Lists and retained in the Talook Treasury for disbursement Viz.th 6,516-8-2.

2,293 " 3 On account of Sundry items—
24 " " Reward for killing wild beasts as per order of Subordinate Officers——
2 8 " Native fund Pension for March
" 8 " Cart hire for bringing Stones for the bridge in the Mochie street out of the Sanctioned amount for the town—as Per Joint Magistrates order No. 46.——
2.8 4 3 Share on confiscated Tobacco seized in August as per Huzoor order No. 439.——
35 " " Light House as Per Ditto No. 507.
627 8 9 Dispensary Ditto No. 208.
190 8 " Marine yard Road Ditto No. 209.
739 2 3 Goorpoor Road Ditto No. 242.
300 " " Areool Bridge Ditto No. 114.
107 " " New Talook Cutcherry Ditto No. 393.
150 " " Civil Court House Ditto No. 322

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		909	" Sundry Charges as per Lists for February and M. order No. 429 Viz.t
		21 11 9	Revenue Sanderwarid
		10 2 "	Police — Ditto
		6 12 "	Batta to Prisoners
		" 8 4	Remittance charges
		9 12 4	Tobacco Hire &c.a
		36 8 1	Salt Ditto Ditto
		" 6 "	Bangky Tappal Hire
		1 6 "	Overland Mail Cody
		" 8 6	Extra Sanderwarid Revenue
		" 6 "	Ditto Police
		" 4 "	Revenue Dufter Hire
		" 4 "	Police — dufter
		2 " "	Batta to Vaccinated Persons
		909 "	
2295	"	3	

4221	7	11	Pay of public Servants &c.a for March
		544 " "	Revenue Sibbendy
		316 " "	Police Ditto
		36 " "	Monegars
		210 15 2	Shanbogues
		113 1 10	Oograniers
		314 2 5	Malabar Devastanums
		164 11 3	Mosque Allowances
		145 8 "	Salt Sibbendy
		112 " "	Tobacco Provincial Depot Servants
		28 " "	Ditto Tannah Sibbendy
		38 " "	Remittance Sibbendy
		69 7 10	Tappal Sibbendy
		8 " "	Bungalow Sweepers
		7 " "	Road Sweepers
		1687 1 2	Chilara Devastanums
		358 10 8	Jungum Mutt allowances
		20 5 4	Pay of other Talook Servants
		45 8 3	Salt Extra Sibbendy
		4221 7 11	
6516	8	2	Total Receipts No. 2. (Here enter the details of Coins)

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Sevoy Summa or Extra Revenue No. 3

319	5	2	As per Irsal Putty
			229 8 " Land Revenue collected in this on account of other Talooks.—
			173 " " Bekal Talook
			56 8 " Buntwal Ditto
			229 8 " (Here enter the detail of Coins)
			11 " " Recovery of Advances for Cultivation (Do.)
			8 9 6 Tappal Collections (Do.)
			" 8 " Tahsildars (Do.)
			8 1 6 Rishcars (Do.)
			8 9 6
			4 " " Police fines from Police Ameen (Do.)
			" 11 6 Additional fee on Stamped Europ Paper (Do.)
			5 6 8 Fractional Receipts.
			5 6 6 Salt Department
			" " 1 Land Ditto
			" " 1 Moturpha for 1259.
			5 6 8 (Do.)
10	2	4	Sale proceeds of the property of Digavim Srinvass Row of Cuddapah Zillah included in the Irsal Putty under Magistrate's order (Do.)
19	6	9	Sale proceeds of the Materials of the old weighing Shed at the Provincial Tobacco Depot as per Huzoor order No. 394 (Do.)
"	8	3	Surplus of the sale proceeds of property sold for arrears of rent due by one Coombar Dooma to his land lord Cambalbett Somaya ordered to be remitted to the Treasury after 3 Months Do.
"	"	2	Russar on the distribution of Servants Pay (Do.)
319	5	2	

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14 72 Summah to Karch Shiluk

7 15 " Amount of Batta to Peons for collecting arrears of Land Revenue Dues

7 11 " Land Revenue

2 10 " from Ramapa of Magurturf in Codial
Magany payable to Ayana

" 3 " in Ootal Magany Ditto to Venkteshya

4 14 " in Panamboor Magany

4 2 In Luxannayas turf payable to Bilpaya

" 12 " In Kristnayas Dº Dº to Moydeen

4 14 "

7 11 "

" 4 " On account of Paoor Ferry payable to Leshaguarry

7 15 " (Here enter the details of Coins)

5 " " Police Fine levied by Police Ameen from Canal Hamodeh as per Joint Magistrates order Nº 40 (ditto)

" 3 " Sale proceeds of Paddy found on the search of Antas house in consequence of Kadri Logny Timas complaint - The paddy was sold by order of Joint Magistrates order Nº 59 and the proceeds received through the Police Ameen, to be kept in deposit for 6 Months - (ditto)

" 125 Refund of Pay overdrawn for a Peon - (ditto)

" 89 Excess collected on account of Moturpha repayable to the Payees -

" 6 5 for 1258 Fasly

" 2 4 " 1259 "

" 8 9 (Here enter the details of Coins)

14 72 14 72

333 12 4 Total Sivoy Summa Nº 3 ditto

29091 3 " Grand Total Nº 4 of Receipts from Nº 1 to 3 -

29179 " 11 Total Receipts as per Huta Karada account -

(Here enter the details of Coins)

87 13 11 Difference composed of the recoveries of advances -

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Vizt.

19	9	6 On account of Sundrywaried charges—
7	3	8 Batta to Prisoners
"	7	6 Remittance Charges
4	6	" Tobacco Hire
2	"	" Batta to Vaccinated persons
5	6	4 Tobacco packing charges
1	12	" Tappal Coolies
36	8	1 Salt Hire
5	"	" Base Coins
5	8	10 Repairs of Salt Depot Compound
87	13	11 (Here enter the details of Coins)

Abstract of Coins.

	Coins	Receipts No. 1 No. of Coins	Receipts No. 1 value	Receipts No. 2 No. of Coins	Receipts No. 2 value	Sivoy Summah No. 3 No. of Coins	Sivoy Summah No. 3 value	Total No. 4 No. of Coins	Total No. 4 value
1	Surat Rupees	22½	22 8 "	"	" " "	2	2 " "	24½	24 8 "
2	New Bombay Rupees	1,222¾	1,222 12 "	"	" " "	32½	32 8 "	1,255¼	1,255 4 "
3	C. Rupees of 1835 and 40	18,186	18,186 " "	3,781	3,781 " "	267	267 " "	22,234	22,234 " "
4	Half ditto	2,994	1,462 " "	2,951	1,475 8 "	26	13 " "	5,901	2,950 8 "
5	Quarter ditto	3,843	960 12 "	3,848	962 " "	13	3 4 "	7,704	1,926 " "
6	Double annas	1,484	185 8 "	1,490	186 4 "	27	3 6 "	3,001	375 2 "
7	Madras Rupees	24 10/16	24 10 "	"	" " " "	1	1 " "	25 10/16	25 10 "
8	Gady Rupees	23 10/16	23 10 "	"	" " " "	2	2 " "	25 10/16	25 10 "
9	Furrukabad Rupees	5	5 " "	"	" " " "	"	" " "	5	5 " "
10	Half annas	1021	31 14 6	1031	32 3 6	34	1 1 "	2086	65 3 "
11	Quarter ditto	4156	64 14 9	4194	65 8 6	200	3 2 "	8549	133 9 3
12	Pice	1585	8 3 10	2690	14 " 2	1048	5 4 4	5320	27 11 4
13	Old Pice	5	" 1 7	"	" " "	"	" " "	5	" 1 7
14	Collections in other Talooks on account of this	"	42 15 10	"	" " "	"	" " "	"	42 15 10
	Total	"	22,240 14 6	"	6,516 8 2	"	333 12 4	"	29,091 3 "

1146 3

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No 5

		Rs	A.	P.
	Balance of last Month	4667	6	1
3,888.6.2.2	Actual Balance as per Hatakarad account			
3,303	" " C. Rupees of 1835 and 40	3,303		
130 8	" Half Ditto	261		
349	" " Quarter Ditto	1,396		
90 12	" Double annas	726		
2 " 6	Half annas	65		
1 2	" Quarter Ditto	456		
1 1 8	Dies	232		
3,886 2 2				
781 2 11	Amount of advances on Sundry accounts or Beg-baki			
4,667 6 1				
29,091 2	" Add Receipts of the present month			
33,758 9 1				

Disbursements:—

Rs A P

Total 28,503 3 1

No 6 Remittance to Huzoor Treasury.—

Rs 23,410 9 1

4,646 " " Total as per Irsal Patty ending 15th April Vzj^o

	Amt debited under orders of the Collector & remitted
In Cash	
303 2 "	4,342 14 "

18,764 9 1 Total as per Irsal Patty ending 30th April Vzj^o

23,410 9 1 ——— 16,590 14 11 2,173 10 2

16,894 . 11 6,516 8 2 (Vide Credits No 2 under Receipts.)

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No 5

	Balance of last Month	Rs A P 4667 6 1
3,886 2 2	Actual Balance as per Hatakarad account	
3,303 " "	C. Rupees of 1835 and 40	3,303
130 8 "	Half Ditto	261
349 " "	Quarter Ditto	1,396
90 12 "	Double annas	726
2 " 6	Half annas	65
7 2 "	Quarter Ditto	456
1 1 8	Dies	332
3,886 2 2		
781 3 11	Amount of advances on Sundry Accounts or Beej-baki	
4,667 6 1		
29,091 2 "	Add Receipts of the present month	
33,758 9 1		

Disbursements :—

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16,894 " 11 6,516 8 2 (Vide Credits No 2 under Receipts)

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Particulars of the above —

22,240.14.6 Ordinary Revenue or Ayn Jumma

12,693 13:10 Current Land Revenue

320.7.11 Maturpha

7,714 " 9 Summary Receipts. —

Fusly 1258	Fusly 1259	Fusly 1260
— 5- 5- 3	7-3- "	307-15-8

3,599 6 . Tobacco
4046.14.9 Salt
67 12 . Stamps
7,714 " 9
Rents

1,512 8 " Abkarry 1420-- " Ferry 92-8- "

22,240 14 6

1,169.10.7 Extra Revenue or Sewoy Jumma &c.a

229-8 " Amount of Land Revenue collected on account of other Talooks
23 " " Recovery of Land Tuccavy
11 " " from Rayets
12 " " Balance unexpended —
23 " "

D.C.

8-9-6 Tappal Collections. —
4-- " Police fines. —
"-11-6 Fees on Stamped Europe Paper. —
5-6-8 Kufsur in Pies. —
40-2-4 Sale proceeds of the property of a deceased Cuddapah Srinivas Row —
19-6-9 Ditto of Weighing shed Materials from Sur Setty. —
"-8-3 Surplus of sale proceeds of property sold for Arrears of revenue. —
"-"-2 Fractional Receipts on the distribution of pay. —
838-5-5 From Kurch Silak or from Sums Charged and retained V.ca
Viz.
97-"-" Produce of Bungar Kodoor Land in dispute. —
30-"-"— 1256
22-"-"— 1257
22-8-"— 1258
22-8-"— 1259
97-"-"

2-2-" Fines on Salt smuggling 1259. —
14-8-" Value of Amcendivi Coir taken for Monsoon Repairs of Buildings. —
724-9-11 Pay of Working Party on the Goorpoor Road V.ca. —
"-"-2 Tappal Sibbendy. — 1259. —

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" " 5 Oograny Sibbendy . 1259.
" " 2 Mahtabar Devastanums.
" " 9 Chilara Ditto.—
838.55

1,169-10-7

2,34 10-9-1 Total of Remittances.—

(Here enter particulars of Coins)
Vide Pay and Sundereward Vo.
Rupees 3,517-4-8.—

559-10-2 Taloor Revenue Establishment.—
411-5-7 Tahsildar's Division (Here enter the individual Payment.)
148-4-7 Peshcar's — Ditto ——— (Ditto)

559-10-2

Arrears
" -9-7

Current
559--7 (Ditto)

310-6-11 Police Establishment.—

70-8-" Tahsildar's Department.—
65-" " Police Ameen's Establishment.—
61-14-11 Peshcar's Ditto.—
96-"-" Cutwal's Ditto.—
17-"-" Goorpoor Sannah.—

310 6-11 ——— (Ditto)

33-"-" Irsal Sibbendy ——— (Ditto)
112-"-" Provincial Depôts Servants for March ——— (Ditto)
145-"-" Salt Sibbendy ——— Ditto ——— (Ditto)

137-" " Sent for Distribution to the Darogah
8-8-" Paid in Taloor Cutcherry ... } (Ditto)

145-8-"

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24 " " Sannajat Tobacco Sibbendy for March.-
19 " " Cusbah Mangalore.-
5 " " Moolky.-
24 " " (Here enter the details of Coins)
70 7 10 Tappal Sibbendy for March (Ditto)
7 " " Sweepers on the Town roads — Ditto — (Ditto)
6 " " Ditto in the public Bangalows (Ditto)
172-5-2 Village Sibbendy.-
36-" -" Manegars for March (Ditto)
90-3-7 Shanbogues (Ditto)
46-1-7 Oogranies (Ditto)
172-5-2
1,491-4-9 Tusdee/E to Pagodas &ca.-

289-14-3 Mahtabar Pagodas (Ditto)

765 " " Chilara — Ditto (Ditto)
143-6-6 Mosques (Ditto)
293 " " Mutts (Ditto)
1,491-4-9.

482-8-" Sarry Bramadaya Enams (Ditto)
45-8-3 Salt Extra Sibbendy for March sent to Darogah (Ditto)
20-5-4 Pay of other Talook/E Servants (Ditto)
37-4-3 Sanderwared.-

		In Cash.	In Articles
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
37-14-5	Balance value of Articles as per last Months account.	5-6-6.	32-7-11
102-3-5	Value of Articles &ca of this Month	31-13-9	70-5-8
140-1-10	Total (details of articles omitted)	37-4 3.	102-13-7-
		140-1-10	
55-14-4	Deduct value of Articles &ca to be adjusted hereafter	" - " - "	55-14-4
84-3-6	Balances Sanderwared charge	37-4-3.	46-15-3
46-15-3	Deduct to be adjusted on receipt of orders.	Revenue	Police
37-4-3	Net Cash disbursement this Month.	26-15 3.	26-15-3.

3,517-4-8 Total No 7.

(Here enter the details of Coins)

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No. 8 Sundry other Charges.

Rupees 1,577- 5- 4:-

410 10 u Batta to Peons.-

1 8 u Mejar Meagany to Amoo for March.-

3- 2- u On Account of ferry rent to seshoogery.-

4 10 u

(Here enter the details of Coins.)

62-1-7 Sundry charges as per Patty for February and Huzoor order No. 429.-

9-6-8 Batta to Prisoners.-

3-9-8 Written back to advances

2-11-u Sent to Police Ameen

3-2-u — Ditto — Peishcar

9-6-8

(Here enter the details of Coins)

	Balance of February.	February.
	3-9-8	u-u-u
	u-10-u	2-1-u
	2-8-4	u-9-8
	6-12-u	2-10-8

u 9-2 Remittance charges.-

u 7 6 Written back to advances

u-1-8 Sent to Darogah

u 9-2 (Here enter the details of Coins).

	u-7-6	u-u-u
	u-u-10	u-u-10
	u-8-4	u-u-10

1-u-10 Police Extra Charges.-

u-6-u Written back to advances

u-2-10 Police Ameen

u-8-u Peishcar

1-u-10 (Here enter Coins.-

	u-6-u	u-u-u
	u-u-u	u-2-10
	u-u-u	u-8-u
	u-6-u	u-10-u

u-4-u Police Dufter hire Peishcar's office

u-4-u Revenue Ditto — Ditto

u-8-6 Revenue Extra Charges Darogahs Ditto

4-6-u Tobacco Hire — Credited to advances

5-6-4 Packing charges in Tobacco Department Ditto

2-u-u Batta to Vaccinated persons — Ditto

u-6-u Bangly Coolies — Ditto

1-6-u Over Land Mail Ditto — Ditto

36-8-1 Salt Hire

Coins omitted.

	u-4-u	u-u-u
	u-4 u	u-u-u
	u-8-6	u u u
	4-6-u	u u u
	5-6-4	u u u
	2-u u	u u u
	u-6-u	u u u
	1-6-u	u u u
	36-8-1	u-u-u

62-1-7

627-8-9 Expenses on the building of the Civil dispensary order No. 208.-

400-u-u Given in charge of Monigar Vittapah for Sundry Charges.-

57-5-9 To Manu Beary for chunam.-

170-3-u To Cadre Beary for Tiles.-

627-8-7- (Here enter Coins.)

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Rt A.P.

			No.
150	-	-	Repairs of Mangalore Civil Court House Huzoor order 322 given in charge of Monegar Vittapah.- (Here enter Coins)
3	8	4	Goorpoor Road charges out of the Sanctioned Amount Ditto 242.-
	22	-	Jail Hungamy Sibbendy.-
	13	3	4 Allangar Bridge work expenses for Cutting 2000 Stones sent to Monegar Vittapah, deducting 12 Rupees previously paid.-
	-	9	- Value of 75 Cadjans for the Smiths forge at Goorpoor sent to Cuddapa Shanbogue by Duffadar as per Mr. Hudleston's order No. 16.-
	-	12	- Hire of 2 Ameedevi Inlanders for burning Chunam for Bridge at 2 Annas each given in charge of Monegar Sainoodin as per Do. No. 219.-
3	8	4	(Here enter Coins)
24	-	-	Reward for Killing wild Beasts, as per orders from Officer in charge at the Taloor.-
	12	-	To Kavala Moonsoor Kanta for Killing a Chitta order No. 532.
	12	-	To Ameen Jail Ditto Ditto No. 545
107	-	-	For the work of the Taloor Cutcherry as per Hoozoor order No. 392.-
	100	-	To Tile Contractor Kadri Beary upon the security of Mam Beary.-
	4	-	To Duffadar Wody for Sundry Expenses.-
	3	-	To Ioze shetty for pulling down the old Building on Contract.-
107	-	-	(Coins)
35	-	-	Light House building as per Huzoor Order No. 507.-
	25	-	In charge of Monegar Vittap.-
	10	-	To Domingo Vanderoz for plastering the top wooden work of the Light House with paint.-
35	-	-	(Coins.)
300	-	-	Paid to Overseer Mr. Graham for the work of Feringapett Bridge as per orders No. 114 and 418 (Coins)
190	8	-	Marine yard Road charges as per Ditto No. 209 and 342, being value of trees and ground taken for the Road. (Coins)
2	1	4	Monsoon repairs of Kilsoor Gade portion of the Goorpoor Road as per Hoozoor order No. sent to Monegar Vittapa (Coins)
2	8	-	Native fund pensions as per Standing order.-
	1	-	- Katija widow of Abdool Kawder Pean for March.-
	1	8	- Hoosenbi Ditto of Shaik Madar —— Ditto.-
2	8	-	(Coins)

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u - 8 - u Cart hire for bringing stones for the repairs of the bridge on the Moochee Street. Sent to the Town Cutwal as per Joint Magistrates order No. 46.-

1 - u - u Police fine repaid as per Huzoor order No. 18.-

33-15-4 Hamall's hire.-

16-14-u For the Magistrate.-

17-1-4 For Major Napier.-

33-15-4 (Coins)

1,577-5-4 Total Expenses No. 8 (Hereenter Coins)

No. 9 Total Disbursements.-

as. P.

Rupees 28,505 - 3 - 1.-

Total as per Daily

Hatacarada Account - 28,639-4-10 (Coins)

Difference ——— 134-1-9

Composed of the following items of advances.-

12-2-6 Sanderwarid.

u - 6-3 Irsal Hire.

2-3-u Tobacco Ditto

30-12-u Monsoon Repairs.-

u - 7-u Extra Sundry charges.

35-u-u Salt Hire.-

5-u-u Base Coins.-

2-15-u Extra charges.-

u - 8-u Charges for arranging Records.-

8-8-u Pay of Servants.-

1-4-u Duftar Hire.-

10-u-u For Killing dogs.-

25-u-u Ferringapett Bungalow.-

134-1-9 (Coins)

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Abstract of Coins.-

		Charges No. 6		Charges No. 7		Charges No. 8.		Total.	
		No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value.—
			Rs. As		Rs. As		Rs. As		Rs. As
1	Surat Rupees	24½	24 8 "	"	" " "	"	" "	24½	24 8 "
2	New Bombay Do.	1255¼	1,255 4 "	"	" " "	"	" "	1255¼	1255 4 "
3	C. Rupees of 1835 and 40	19,295	19,295 " "	2354	2,354 " "	1278	1,278 " "	22927	22,927 " "
4	Half Ditto	2951	1,475 8 "	1023	511 8 "	24	12 " "	3998	1,999 " "
5	Quarter Ditto	3848	962 " "	2282	570 8 "	383	95 12 "	6513	1628 4 "
6	Double Annas	1490	1864 "	552	69 " "	804	100 8 "	2846	355 12 "
7	Madras Rupees	25 10/16	25 10 "	"	" " "	"	" "	25 10/16	25 10 "
8	Gady Rupees	25 10/16	25 10 "	"	" " "	"	" "	25 10/16	25 10 "
9	Farrakabad Rupees	5	5 " "	"	" " "	"	" "	5	5 " "
10	Half Annas	1031	32 3 6	116	3 10 "	906	28 5 "	2053	64 2 6
11	Quarter Ditto	4256	668 "	99	1 8 9	3760	58 12 "	8115	126 12 9
12	Pice	2690	14 " 2	1367	7 1 11	772	4 " 4	4829	25 2 5
13	Old Pice	5	" 1 7	"	" " "	"	" "	5	" 1 7
14	Dacabal or Amount received on account of this in other Talooks	"	42 15 10	"	" " "	"	" "	"	42 15 10
		"	23,410 9 1	"	33 17 4 8	"	15 7 7 5 4	"	28,505 7 3 1

D.G.

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Continuation

No. 10. Abstract of Receipts and

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of No. 1.

Disbursements.

Number	Items.	Balance of last Month brought forward.	Receipts of the present Month.	Disbursements. Total.	Remittance to Treasury.	Local Charges.	Total.	Balance remaining.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P
	Ayu Receipts No. 1.							
1	Land Revenue — Current	" " "	12693 13 10	12693 13 10	" " "	" " "	12693 13 10	" " "
2	Motursha 1258	" " "	5 5 3	5 5 3	" " "	" " "	5 5 3	" " "
3	1259	" " "	7 3 "	7 3 "	" " "	" " "	7 3 "	" " "
4	1260	" " "	307 15 8	307 15 8	" " "	" " "	307 15 8	" " "
5	Tobacco	" " "	3599 6 "	3599 6 "	" " "	" " "	3599 6 "	" " "
6	Salt	" " "	4046 14 9	4046 14 9	" " "	" " "	4046 14 9	" " "
7	Stamps	" " "	67 12 "	67 12 "	" " "	" " "	67 12 "	" " "
8	Abkarry	" " "	1420 " "	1420 " "	" " "	" " "	1420 " "	" " "
9	Ferry	" " "	92 8 "	92 8 "	" " "	" " "	92 8 "	" " "
	Total	" " "	22240 14 6	22240 14 6	" " "	" " "	22240 14 6	" " "
	No. 2 Talook Treasury Receipts.							
1	Pay of Mahl Sibbendy.							
	Fasly 1259	" 9 7						
	" 1260	96 7 5	544 "					
		97 1 "	544 "					
		640 7 5	" " "	539 " 7	539 " 7	81 6 10		
		641 1 "	" " "	539 10 2	539 10 2	81 6 10		

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Number	Items.	Balance of last Month brought forward	Receipts of the present Months.	Disbursements: Total.	Disbursements: Remittances to Treasury.	Disbursements: Local Charges.	Total.	Balance remaining.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P
2	Pay of Police Sibbendy							
	Fasly 1259	" 8 5	" " "	" 8 5	" " "	" " "	" " "	" 8 5
	" 1260	6 10 6	316 12 5	323 6 11	" " "	310 6 11	310 6 11	13 " "
		7 2 11	316 12 5	323 15 4	" " "	310 6 11	310 6 11	13 8 5
3	Village Sibbendy							
	Monegars 1260	18 " "	36 " "	54 " "	" " "	36 " "	36 " "	18 " "
	Ooganies 1259	2 " 5	" " "	2 " 5	" " 5	" " "	" " 5	2 " "
	1260	156 5 3	113 1 10	269 7 1	" " "	46 1 7	46 1 7	223 5 6
		158 5 8	113 1 10	271 6 6	" " 5	46 1 7	46 2 "	225 5 6
	Potails 1257	1 15 5	" " "	1 15 5	" " "	" " "	" " "	1 15 5
	1258	" 4 5	" " "	" 4 5	" " "	" " "	" " "	" 4 5
	1260	759 1 10	" " "	759 1 10	" " "	" " "	" " "	759 1 10
		761 5 8	" " "	761 5 8	" " "	" " "	" " "	761 5 8
	Shanbogues 1260	334 4 4	210 15 2	545 3 6	" " "	90 3 7	90 3 7	454 15 11
	Total Village Sibbendy	1271 13 8	360 1 "	1632 " 8	" " 5	172 5 2	172 5 7	1459 11 1

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Numbers.	Items.	Balance of last Month brought forward.		Receipts of the present month.		Disbursements. Total		Remittances to Treasury		Local Charges.		Total		Balance remaining.	
1	2	3		4		5		6		7		8		9	
		Rs	A P	Rs	A P	Rs	A P	Rs	A P	Rs	A P	Rs	A P	Rs	A P
4	Tusdeeks														
	Mahlabar Pagodas 1259	"	" 2	"	"	"	"	"	" 2	"	"	"	" 2	"	"
	1260	208	3 11	317	2 5	"	"	"	" 2	"	"	"	"	233	8 1
		208	4 1	317	2 5	5'25	6 4	"	"	289	14 3	289	14 3	233	8 1
						5'25	6 6	"	" 2	289	14 3	289	14 5	233	8 1
	Chilara Ditto 1259	3	8 10	"	"	3	8 10	"	" 9	"	"	"	" 9	3	8 1
	1260	534	3 2	1687	1 2	2221	4 4			765	"	765	"	1456	4 4
		537	12 "	1687	1 2	2224	13 2	"	" 9	765	" "	765	" 9	1459	12 5
	Mosques 1258	15	8 1	"	"	15	8 1	"	"	"	"	"	"	15	8 1
	1259	14	6 11	"	"	14	6 11	"	"	"	"	"	"	14	6 11
	1260	66	10 "	164	11 3	231	3 3	"	"	143	6 6	143	6 6	87	14 9
		96	9 "	164	11 3	261	4 3	"	"	143	6 6	143	6 6	117	13 9
	Jungum Inams 1260	33	10 8	358	10 8	392	5 4	"	"	293	" "	293	" "	99	5 4
	Total Tusdeek	876	3 9	2527	9 6	3403	13 3	"	" 11	1491	4 9	1491	5 8	1912	7 7
5	Tobacco Prov.l Despâ's Servants 1260	"	" "	112	" "	112	" "	"	" "	112	" "	112	" "	"	" "
6	Ditto Jamaah — Do. — 1260	"	" "	28	" "	28	" "	"	" "	24	" "	24	" "	4	" "
7	Salt Sibbendy 1260	"	" "	145	8 "	145	8 "	"	" "	145	8 "	145	" "	"	" "
8	Jaspial Ditto 1259	"	1 5	"	" "	"	1 5	"	" 2	"	" "	"	" 2	"	1 3
	1260	1	" "	69	7 10	70	7 10	"	" "	70	7 10	70	8 "	"	13 "
		1	1 5	69	7 10	70	9 3	"	" 2	70	7 10	70	8 "	"	13 "

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Number.	Items.	Balance of last Month brought forward.	Receipts of the present Month.	Total	Remittance to Treasury.	Local Charges.	Total	Balance remaining.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P
9	Bungalow Sweepers	1 4 " "	8 " "			6 " "	6 " "	6 " "
10	Sibbendy of other Talooks 1260	" " "	20 5 4	12 " "		6 " "		
11	Road Sweepers 1260	" " "	20 5 4	20 5 4		20 5 4	20 5 4	" " "
12	Fisal Sibbendy 1260	" " "	7 " "	7 " "		7 " "	7 " "	" " "
13	Price of land taken for Incarar Road 1254	" " "	38 " "	38 " "		33 " "	33 " "	5 " "
14	Do for Goorpoor Do	2 3 "	" " "	2 3 "		" " "	" " "	2 3 "
15	Native fund subscriptions refund Fusly 1258	22 12 "	" " "	22 12 "		" " "	" " "	22 12 "
	1259	9 3 10	" " "	9 3 10		" " "	" " "	9 3 10
	1260	60 10 9	" " "	60 10 9		" " "	" " "	60 10 9
		25 15 5	" " "	25 15 5		" " "	" " "	25 15 5
		95 14 "	" " "	95 14 "		" " "	" " "	95 14 "
16	Tuccavy to Rayets 1260	12 " "	" " "	12 " "	12 " "	" " "	12 " "	" " "
17	Monsoon Repairs Charges 1260	14 8 "	" " "	14 8 "	14 8 "	" " "	14 8 "	" " "
18	Pay of Goorpoor Road extra Coolies 1260	3 11 8	" " "	3 11 8	" " "	" " "	" " "	3 11 8
19	Goorpoor Road Charges 1260	22 12 "	739 2 3	761 14 3	724 9 11	36 8 4	761 2 3	" 12 "
20	Share of confiscated Tobacco 1260	3 6 10	28 4 3	31 11 1	" " "	" " "	" " "	3 11 1
21	Pay of Extra Sibbendy 1260	" " "	45 8 3	45 8 3	" " "	45 8 3	45 8 3	" " "
22	Dispensary Charges 1260	" " "	627 8 9	627 8 9	" " "	627 8 9	627 8 9	" " "
23	Marine yard Road Do 1260	" " "	190 8 "	190 8 "	" " "	190 8 "	190 8 "	" " "
24	Native fund pensions 1260	" " "	2 8 "	2 8 "	" " "	2 8 "	2 8 "	" " "

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28th August 1851.—

Form No.	Items.	Balance of last month brought forward.	Receipts of the present month.	Disbursement. Total	Remittance to Treasury.	Local Charges.	Total	Balance remaining.—
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P
25	Reward for killing wild beasts 1260	" " "	24 " "	24 " "	" "	24 " "	24 " "	" " "
26	On account of Gentlemen 1260	33 15 4	" " "	33 15 4	" "	33 15 4	33 15 4	" " "
27	Revenue Sundrywards 1260	5 3 6	21 11 4	26 15 3	" "	26 15 3	26 15 3	" " "
28	Police Do. 1260	" 3 "	10 2 "	10 5 "	" "	10 5 "	10 5 "	" " "
29	Batta to Prisoners 1260	2 10 8	6 12 "	9 6 8	" "	9 6 8	9 6 8	" " "
30	Remittance Charges 1260	" " 10	" 8 "	" 9 2	" "	" 9 2	" 9 2	" " "
31	Tobacco Hire Do. 1260	" " "	4 6 "	4 6 "	" "	4 6 "	4 6 "	" " "
32	Tobacco packing Charges 1260	" " "	5 6 4	5 6 4	" "	5 6 4	5 6 4	" " "
33	Salt Hire 1260	" " "	36 8 1	36 8 1	" "	36 8 1	36 8 1	" " "
34	Batta to Vaccinated persons 1260	" " "	2 " "	2 " "	" "	2 " "	2 " "	" " "
35	Hire of Coolies for Overland mail 1260	" " "	1 6 "	1 6 "	" "	1 6 "	1 6 "	" " "
36	Do. Do. for Bangly 1260	" " "	" 6 "	" 6 "	" "	" 6 "	" 6 "	" " "
37	Revenue Extra Charges 1260	" " "	" 8 6	" 8 6	" "	" 8 6	" 8 6	" " "
38	Police Extra Charges 1260	" " 9	1 " 10	1 " 10	" "	1 " 10	1 " 10	" " "
39	Revenue Duffer Hire 1260	" 10 10	" 4 "	" 4 "	" "	" 4 "	" 4 "	" " "
40	Police Do. 1260	" " "	" 4 7	" 4 "	" "	" 4 7	" 4 "	" " "
41	Repair of Kelsoor Gade Road 1260	" " 7	2 1 4	2 1 4	" "	2 1 4	2 1 4	" " "
42	Cart hire for the Jaun Road 1260	2 1 4	" 8 "	" 8 "	" "	" 8 "	" 8 "	" " "
43	Light House building 1260	" " "	35 " "	35 " "	" "	35 " "	35 " "	" " "
44	Ferryupett Bridge 1260	" " "	300 " "	300 " "	" "	300 " "	300 " "	" " "
45	Talook Cutcherry Building 1260	" " "	107 " "	107 " "	" "	107 " "	107 " "	" " "
46	Civil Court House Do. 1260	" " "	150 " "	150 " "	" "	150 " "	150 " "	" " "
	Total	2479 10 4	635 7 "	8996 14 11	7351 3 5	4606 8 "	5357 11 5	3639 3 6

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28th August 1851.

Items.	Balance of last month brought forward.	Receipts of the present month.	Total.	Disbursement. Remittances to Treasury.	Disbursement. Local charges.	Total.	Balance remaining.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		Rs A P	Rs A P	Rupees a p	Rupees a p	Rupees a p	Rupees a p	Rs a p
No 3 Sivoy Jumma.								
1 Jary Brammadaya — 1258		8 6 5	" " "	8 6 5	" " "	" " "	" " "	8 6 5
1259		9 1 7	" " "	9 1 7	" " "	" " "	" " "	9 1 7
1260		1313 14 "	" " "	" " "	482 8 "	482 8 "	831 6 "	
		1331 6 "	" " "	" " "	482 8 "	482 8 "	848 14 "	
2 Sale proceeds of property attached for arrears of Revenue and rent.								
3 Ditto of Grass from grounds in dispute		" 9 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" 9 "	
4 Fines from Salt smugglers 1259		3 8 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	3 8 "	
5 Police fines 1260		2 2 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	2 2 "	
6 Produce of Coolaon Bed land		91 12 "	9 " "	2 2 "	" " "	2 2 "	" " "	95 12 "
Fusly 1256		30 " "	" " "	100 12 "	4 " "	1 " "	5 " "	
1257		22 " "	" " "	30 " "	30 " "	" " "	30 " "	" " "
1258		22 8 "	" " "	22 " "	22 " "	" " "	22 " "	" " "
1259		22 8 "	" " "	22 8 "	22 8 "	" " "	22 8 "	" " "
		97 " "	" " "	22 8 "	22 8 "	" " "	22 8 "	" " "
7 Sale proceeds of Rice 1259		18 15 "	" " "	97 " "	97 " "	" " "	97 " "	" " "
8 Batta of Peons for recovery of Arrears 1258		" 9 "	" " "	18 15 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	18 15 "
1259		9 13 4	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" 9 "	
1260		16 2 "	7 15 "	" 9 "	" " "	" " "	" 9 "	
		26 8 4	7 15 "	9 13 4	" " "	" " "	9 13 4	
				" " "	4 10 "	4 10 "	19 7 "	
				21 1 "	" " "	4 10 "	29 13 4	
				34 7 4	" " "	4 10 "		

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28th August 1851.

Items.	Balance of last month brought forward	Receipts of the present month	Total	Disbursement: Remittances to Treasury	Disbursement: Local Charges	Total	Balance remaining
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rupees a p	Rupees a p	Rupees a p	Rupees a p	Rupees a p	Rupees a p	Rupees a p	Rupees a p
9. Sale of Avenue Fruits &c.								
1256	59 10 8	" " "	59 10 8	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	59 10 8
1257	73 8 4	" " "	73 8 4	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	73 8 4
1258	164 5 8	" " "	164 5 8	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	164 5 8
1259	34 2 7	" " "	34 2 7	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	34 2 7
1260	200 " "	" " "	200 " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	200 " "
	531 11 3	" " "	531 11 3	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	531 11 3
10. Sale proceeds of stones of a Nullah in the town Road 1259	8 8 8	" " "	8 8 8	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	8 8 8
11. Centage deposit of Ferry Renter for 1259	70 " "	" " "	70 " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	70 " "
12 Excess of Land Revenue Collections 1260		3 9 11	3 9 11	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	3 9 11
13 Sale of unclaimed property	3 12 "	8 9	2 10 4	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	2 10 4
14. Land Revenue Collections of other Talooks	2 10 4	" " "	2 10 4	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	2 10 4
15 Sappal Collections	" " "	229 8 "	229 8 "	" " "	229 8 "	229 8 "	" " "	" " "
16. Rufsur on Copper Coins	" " "	8 9 6	8 9 6	" " "	8 9 6	8 9 6	" " "	" " "
17 Land Revenue Peccary to Ryots	" " "	5 6 8	5 6 8	" " "	5 6 8	5 6 8	" " "	" " "
18. Stamp Commission	" " "	11 " "	11 " "	" " "	11 " "	11 " "	" " "	" " "
19. Sale proceeds of a buddapah Ryot Seinevas Row (deceased	" " "	" 11 6	" 11 6	" " "	" 11 6	" 11 6	" " "	" " "
20. Sale of old Materials of Tobacco Provincial Depôt	" " "	40 2 4	40 2 4	" " "	40 2 4	40 2 4	" " "	" " "
21. Balance of sale proceeds of distrained property repayable to the Defaulter	" " "	19 6 9	19 6 9	" " "	19 6 9	19 6 9	" " "	" " "
22. Fractional Receipts	" " "	" " 3	" " 3	" " "	" " 3	" " 3	" " "	" " "
23. Sale proceeds of Paddy	" " "	" " 2	" " 2	" " "	" " 2	" " 2	" " "	" " "
	" " "	" " 3	" " 3	" " "	" " 3	" " 3	" " "	" " "
Total Receipts Nos 3.	2,187 " 9	332 16 11	2,520 11 8	488 7 2	488 2 "	976 9 2	1,614 2 6	
Grand Total Nos 1 2 and 3.	4,657 6 1	29,091 3 "	33,758 9 1	23,410 9 1	5,094 10 "	28,505 3 1	5253 6 "	

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No. 11 Abstract of Coinage

28th August 1851.

Number.	Coins.	Balance of last Month.			Receipts of the present Month. As per accounts No. 1 2 and 3.			In recovery of advances.			Total	Total including Balance No. 5.			Disbursements. As per accounts No. 6. 7. 8.			Advances.			Total.			Balance.		
		No.	Rs.	a p	No.	Rs.	a p	No.	Rs.	a p	No.	Rs.	a p	No.	Rs.	a p	No.	Rs.	a p	No.	Rs.	a p	No.	Rs.	a p
1.	Surat Rupees	"	"	"	24½	24	8	"	"	"	24½	24	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	24½	24	8	"	"	"
2	New Bombay Do	"	"	"	1255¼	1255	4	"	"	"	1255¼	1255	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	1255¼	1255	4	"	"	"
3	Co. Rupees of 1835 and 40	3,305	3,305	"	22,234	22,234	"	77	77	"	22311	25616	25616	"	22927	22927	"	121	121	"	23048	23048	"	2568	2568	
4.	Half Do	261.	130	8	5,901.	2,950	8	10	5	"	5911	6172	3086	"	3998	1999	"	"	"	"	3998	1999	"	2174	1084	"
5	Quarter Do	1396	349	"	7,704	1,926	"	18	4	8	7722	9118	2279	8	6513	1628	4	43	10	12	6566	1639	"	2562	640	8
6.	Double Annas	726	90	12	3,001	375	2	"	"	"	3001	3727	465	14	2846	355	12	"	"	"	2846	355	12	881	110	2
7.	Madras Rupees	"	"	"	25	25	10	"	"	"	25	25	10	"	25	25	10	"	"	"	25	25	10	"	"	"
8	Gady Rupees	"	"	"	25	25	10	"	"	"	25	25	10	"	25	25	10	"	"	"	25	25	10	"	"	"
9	Farrakabad Rupees	"	"	"	5	5	"	"	"	"	5	5	"	"	5	5	"	"	"	"	5	5	"	"	"	"
10.	Half Annas	65	2	"	2086	65	3	"	"	"	2086	2151	67	3	2053	64	2	16	"	8	2069	64	10	85	2	9
11	Quarter Do	456	42	"	8549	1339	3	85	1	5	8634	9090	142	"	8115	126	12	9	67	1	8182	124	13	908	14	3
12	Pice	332	11	8	5320	274	4	8	"	"	5328	5660	29	7	4829	25	2	5	156	"	4985	25	15	675	3	8
13	Old Pice	"	"	"	5	"	17	"	"	"	5	17	5	"	17	5	"	17	"	"	5	"	17	"	"	"
14.	Dacla-bab or Receipts on account of other Talooks	"	"	"	"	4215	10	"	"	"	4215	10	4215	10	"	4215	10	"	"	"	4215	10	"	"	"	"
		"	3886	2	29091	3	"	87	13	11																
	Advances No. 12	"	781	3	11	"	"	"	"	4	1341	9	"														
	Total	"	4667	6	1.	"	29091	3	"	2215	8	"	33980	8	9.	"	28505	3	1.	"	2215	8	"	28720	2	9	"	5253	6	"
		1179	"	11	"	33065	3	1	"	28505	3	1	"	1341	9	"	28394	10	"	4425	14	3								
		1341	9	"	915	5	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8713	11	"	8713	11	"	827	7	9								
		2313	2	8	"	33980	8	9.	"	28505	3	1.	"	2215	8	"	28720	2	9	"	5253	6	"							

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Fort St. George 28th August 1851.

No. 12. Advance Account.

Number	Items	Balance of last month	Add Advances of this month	Total	Amount written back on the receipt of orders	Balance remaining unadjusted
		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p
1	Saudermared	45 11 3	12 2 6	57 13 9	19 9 6	38 4 3
2	Batta to Prisoners	18 11 2	" " "	18 11 2	7 3 8	11 7 6
3	Remittance Charges	1 " 8	" 6 3	1 6 11	" 7 6	" 15 5
4	Saudermarid of Sub. Cut-cherries	24 " "	" " "	24 " "	" " "	24 " "
5	Tobacco Hire	35 15 2	2 3 "	38 2 2	4 6 "	33 12 2
6	Vaccine Butta	3 " "	" " "	3 " "	2 " "	1 " "
7	Tobacco Hire	26 13 4	" " "	26 13 4	5 6 4	21 7 "
8	Tappal Extra Coolies	7 3 "	" " "	7 3 "	1 12 "	5 7 "
9	Monsoon Repairs	333 " "	30 12 "	363 12 "	" " "	363 12 "
10	Extra Charges incurred under Estimate	9 11 8	" 7 "	10 2 8	" " "	10 2 8
11	Salt Hire	106 12 9	35 " "	141 12 9	" "	10 2 8
12	Base Coins, Vizt., amount sent to Huzzoor to make up Base Coins if necessary	" " "	5 " "	5 " "	5 " "	" " "
13	Repairs of Town Roads	" 11 "	" " "	" 11 "	" " "	" 11 "
14	Building Cookroom at Goorpoor	5 9 "	" " "	5 9 "	" " "	5 9 "
15	Extra Charges	" 8 "	2 15 "	3 7 "	" " "	3 7 "
16	Butta to Prisoners to other Villahs	5 11 1	" " "	5 11 1	" " "	5 11 1
17	Repairs of Salt depot grounds	10 " "	" " "	10 " "	5 8 10	4 7 2
18	Jungar Boat Repairs	12 1 10	" " "	12 1 10	" " "	12 1 10
19	Advance to Servants sent for the supply of Tobacco	127 12 "	" " "	127 12 "	" " "	127 12 "
20	For arranging Records	4 " "	" 8 "	4 8 "	" " "	4 8 "
21	To Servants of other Talooks	" " "	8 8 "	8 8 "	" " "	8 8 "
22	Duftar Hire	" " "	1 4 "	1 4 "	" " "	1 4 "
23	For killing dogs	" " "	10 " "	10 " "	" " "	10 " "
24	Peringapett Bridge	" " "	25 " "	25 " "	" " "	25 " "
		781 3 11	134 1 9	915 5 8	87 13 11	827 7 9

30th April 1851.

(Signed) F. N. Maltby, Collector

Detailed

For Ft. St. George 28th August 1851.

No. 2. Detailed Statement of the Deposits of the Revenue Department in the Zillah of Canara on the 30th April 1851.

Numbers.	Items.	Amount		Remarks.
		Rs.	a. p.	
1	Balance of the pay of Revenue Talook Establishment	6,313	9 4	These amounts are adjusted on the receipts of Corresponding debits from the Talooks.
2.	Amount received in the Hoozoor Treasury for drafts on the Talook Treasuries	2657	" "	
3.	Collections made in one Talook on account of another	407	4 10	
4	Balance of the produce of lands under litigation &ca	3449	1 4	
5.	Balance of the rent of the Public Bungalows at Honore and Bellekerry	62	12 10	
6.	Kubooliat allowance stopped	34	5 6	
7.	Collections on Timber felled from the Public Jungles	861	5 11	
8.	Sales proceeds of old Materials of public buildings &ca	238	10 9	ordered to be carried to account in the current month.
9.	Balance of the amount contributed by Mr Blane for the construction of a Bridge at Munigalore	478	10 8	
10.	Sapipal Collections	506	11 4	Since adjusted greater portion since adjusted.
11.	Fines and forfeitures	905	6 2	
12.	Undisbursed amount out of the Charges for the Construction of Roads &ca	624	8 "	ordered to be carried to account in the current month.
	Carried over	16532	6 8	

For Ft. St. George 28th August 1851.

Numbers.	Items	Amount		Remarks.
		Rs.	a. p.	
	Brought over	16533.	6 8	
13.	Sale proceeds of a Ship unclaimable	50.	" "	
14.	Do. of a Do. belonging to the wreck of Byrangore	47	" "	
15.	Do. of the property of an old wreck in the Amendevie Islands	523.	" 5	
16.	Amount of unadjusted Sayer Revenue	219.	13 9	ordered to be carried to account in the current Month.
17.	Sale proceeds of a Private bungalow at Cassergode	22.	" "	Ordered to be paid to the owner.
18.	Do. of printed Sea Custom forms	438	1 "	
19.	Do. of stranded property without claimants	89	12 6	Ordered to be carried to account.
20	Do. of Public Buildings on the abandoned lines of roads	28	9 "	Do.
21.	Do. of certain Sapipal huts on the abandoned routes	13	2 "	Do.
22.	Amount of Pay Masters Draft &ca	308	8 3	Partly adjusted.
23.	Balance of Sundry Charges &ca remaining unadjusted	381.	6 7.	
24.	Sundry receipts held in Deposit pending Serial orders	185	6 4	
	Total	18839	2 6	

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Item Nos.

Items.	Amount	Remarks.
	Rs a P	
25. Surplus of the proceeds of lands and property sold for arrears of Revenue and rent	118 12 11	A greater portion ordered to be carried to Account in consequence of the refusal of Parties to receive the same
26 Amount of the undisbursed Devastanam Pusdeeks	3,726 11 6	
27. Profit of lands attached from persons concerned in the insurrection of 1837	85 9 11	
28 Amount of the late native Fund subscription charged but not paid	2 2 2	
29. Duty on Timber felled for the Rajah of Sattarah	385 10 11	Held in deposit pending reply to a reference made on the subject to the Board under date the 25th March 1844.
Total Rupees	23158 1 11	

Mangalore &c.
19th August 1851. } (Signed) F. N. Maltby.
Collector

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Order thereon.

Ordered to lie over.

Read.

J.C.B.

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Read the following letter.—

No. 78.

To W. H. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George

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Bze No. 1713.

From the Collector of Malabar—

Sir,

With reference to para 4 of an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government dated 31st July last, received with the Board's Proceedings of the 12th August following on the subject of assimilating the prices of salt in the British and Cochin Territories, I have the honor to transmit copy of a Communication from the Resident of Travancore and Cochin dated 30th Ultimo.—

Calicut, } (Signed) H. V. Conolly
17th July, 1851. } Collector

No. 1.

To, H. V. Conolly Esqre Collector of Malabar—

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 1569 of 3d September 1850. and of others as per Margin which I last notime in referring for the report of the Dewan of Cochin, although

No. 2159 of 1850.
" 504 of 1851.

although I could hardly expect that the sentiments which he had already so fully expressed on a similar refer=ence in the Month of May 1850, and in which I had felt it necessary to concur should now be altered.—

I have the honor to transmit

No. 412 of 17th September 1850. a Copy of the Dewans' reply and feel it necessary as before to give it my support.

2. The Cochin Sirkar had for a long series of years been suffering under the most severe financial pres=sure. The population were burthened with various oppressive taxes together with their grinding Monopolies of Tobacco and Salt and with various other exactions. But during the last ten years, and since the accession of the present Dewan to office, the Circar have gra=dually extricated themselves from all their previous difficulties and have been pursuing an uninterrupted course of amelioration in the abolition of unjust taxes and endeavours to place those staple Articles of Consumption within the reach of poorer Ryots by large reductions in

in the sale prices. all these reductions have not only met with the repeated

M. of C. No. 7. 1st January 1846 406. 4th September 1847. approval of Government and the Honorable the Court of Directors, but were actually in some instances suggested by the Madras Government, and it would be a palpable departure from this liberal policy were the Circar to increase the selling price of their salt merely to meet the wishes of Mr. Robinson. The present retail price of salt is the same that has ob=tained for the last 30 years. It will be the object of the Sirkar to reduce the price of salt, not to augment it; Mr. Robinson has made a great mis=take as to the price of salt at Chittoor. It is only 31/2 Dangalies per Rupee not 52/2 as supposed by Mr. Robinson.—

But why not reduce your

3. price of salt to the Cochin Sirkar price. your Revenue would assuredly benefit by it as that of Cochin has done by the reduced price of Tobacco.—

I only regret that I have not as yet been able to extend similar Reductions

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reductions in the prices of Tobacco and Salt into Travancore although it has been done partially but the want of a sufficient surplus Revenue for some years past has delayed the experiment-

4 you import your salt I believe on still more favorable terms than the Cochin Circar- The Cochin Circar pay for it at the rate of about one Rupee for 103 edungalies and retail it at 56- you should be able to retail it on more favorable terms, but Mr. Robinson states that the price at Ponany is only 30 Edungalies per Rupee, and that the supply is not even equal to the demand-

Resident's Office.
on Circuit, Cape--
Comorine, ------
30th June, 1851.----

/Signed/ W. Cullen.-
Resident.-

No. 412.

To,
Major General W. Cullen
British Resident of
Travancore and
Cochin-

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No.

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No. 1486. of the 10th forwarding Copy of one No. 1569 of the 3d Instant, from the Collector of Malabar on the subject of assimilating the selling prices of salt in the British and Cochin territories-

The opinion of the Cochin Circar on this subject has already been expressed in the 5th Para of my letter No. 191 of the 12th May 1849. and to save you the trouble of reference I beg to subjoin a copy of the same.-

Whilst the Honorable the Court of Directors and the Madras Government are repeatedly urging on this Circar the importance of pursuing as liberal a policy as possible towards its subjects by the removal of taxes that press heavily on them, it is utterly out of the question to think of adding to their burthens by assimilating the price of salt in Cochin to that which obtains in the Company's Country as hinted at by Messrs. Conolly and Robinson.-

Huzzoor Cutcherry,--
Ernacollom in Cochin,--
17th September, 1850.--

/Signed/ Shangra Warrier.-
Dewan.

(A true Copy)
/Signed/ W. Cullen.-
Resident

(True Copies)
/Signed/ H. V. Conolly Collector

The

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No. 1718.

Proceedings thereon.—

(66.57)

The Board are of opinion that they have not sufficient information before them in the fore=going Communication to enable them to address Government in reply to Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 31st July 1850.—

In Cons. 12th Aug. 1850.

2. The Collector has con=fined himself to forwarding a Copy of a letter from the Resident of Travancore but has not acquaint=ed the Board what the nature of his own proposal was.—

3 From an incidental allusion in General Cullen's letter having reference to the increase of the Cochin price of salt "merely to meet the wishes of Mr. Robinson" the Board are left to conclude that Mr.

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Mr. Conolly had proposed that the Cochin rates should be raised to the level of those prevail=ing in Malabar.—

This however does not appear to have been the intention of Government as their orders were that applica=tion should be made to the Cochin Circar to fix a price evidently with the view of preventing the system of under bidding that had before taken place.—

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5. Is the Board understand these orders the Cochin Circar should have been called upon

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upon to name some rate of sale which should be adhered to by both Governments and not be subject to alteration except by mutual agreement, and as the Collector does not appear to have followed this Course, he will be pleased to re-urge the subject on the Consideration of the Cochin authorities and when he again submits the question to the Board he will be so good as to forward copies of the correspondence, and to favor them with a distinct opinion on its merits.

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No. 91.

To,
W. Th. Bayley Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St George.

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Bd No. 1927.
From the Collector of Malabar.

Sir,

The Civil Auditor having as will be seen by the accompanying Extract No. 32 from the Re-audit of my accounts for Fusly 1256 objected to admit the Sum of Rupees 5,489-10-6 charged in my accounts for Fuslies 1255 and 1256. on account of the Forest Establishment, I beg to enclose for the information of the Board, Copies of the two Accounts Particular appertaining to the said charges, from which it will be observed that the only difference between the Salaries sanctioned by Government on the 1st February 1845 and those paid, is in the Amount disbursed to some of the Coolies or "Labourers" who according to circumstances, were employed at the rate of Rupees 3, in place of Rupees 3½ per

Fusly 1255 Rs. 2702-6-
" 1256 " 2787-10-
Rupees 5,489-10-6

Rd. 18-6-47.

Vide Bd Pro: dated 19th Feby 1845.

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per Mensem, the sum allowed. A reference to my letter to the Board under date the 14th October 1844 para 6. will further shew, that the sum of Rupees 3 1/2 each for 50 Labourers, was the estimated average expenditure on that account.

2. With the above explanation I request the Board will be good enough to authorize the Civil Auditor to pass not only the present charge, but all future charges of a similar nature provided they do not exceed the Amount Sanctioned.

Calicut, 5th August 1851. (Signed) H.V. Conolly Collector.

Accounts.

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No. 1. Account Particulars of Servants Employed on Account of the Sea Forests in Malabar in Fusly 1255. A.D. 1845/46.

Establishment.

1	Native Sub conservator his Pay from Fusly 1845 to June 1846.	@	50	Pr Mensem	600
1	Natives Assistant. Ditto from ditto to 14th March 1846 and from 7th to 30th June 1846.	@	10	Pr Do.	92 8 3.
2	Overseers from July 1845 to June.	@	8	Pr Do.	192
1	Ditto Do. from ditto to ditto.	@	5	Pr Do.	60
1	Duffedar from ditto to 2d Septr. & from 5th Octr. 1845 to June 1846.	@	5	Pr Do.	54 11
7	Peons from ditto to. June 1846.	@	5	Pr Do.	420
30	Coolies from Ditto to Ditto	@	3	Pr Do.	1080
1	Ditto from 15th July 1845 to June 1846.	@	3	Pr Do.	34 10 3
3	Peons from July 1845 to June 1846.	@	4	Pr Do.	144 — 2677 13 6

Subsistence to the Adiars from July 1845 to February 1846 from 1st to 30th May 1846 and for June 1846 being 303 Days. @ 1 32/64 Pr Day — 243

Company's Rupees — 2702 13 6

Calicut, 11th July 1846. E.E. Pr (Signed) H.V. Conolly Collector

True Copy (Signed) H.V. Conolly Collector

account.

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No. 2. Account Particulars of Servants Employed on account of the Teak Forests in Malabar for Fasly 1256. A. D. 1846/47.

Establishment.

1	Native Sub Conservator from July 1846 to June 1847	@	50	Pr Annum	600
1	ditto Assistant ditto ditto	@	10	Pr Do	120
2	Overseers from ditto ditto	@	8	Pr Do	192
1	ditto from ditto to ditto	@	5	Pr Do	60
7	Peons from ditto to ditto	@	5	Pr Do	420
1	Duffadar for July and from 20th September 1846 to June 1847. Deducting refunds	@	5	Pr Do	49 13 4
3	Peons from July 1846 to June	@	4	Pr Do	144
30	Coolies from Ditto to September 1846	@	3	Pr Do	270
1	ditto for July and August and from 10th to 30th Sept. 1846	@	3	Pr Do	8 17
7	ditto from October 1846 to June 1847	@	3	per Do	189
17	ditto from ditto to ditto	@	3 8	per Do	535 8
1	ditto from 15th to 31st Ditto from 8th to 30th November and from 16th December 1846 to June 1847	@	3	Pr Ditto	23 11
1	ditto from 15th October to 30th November from 16th December to 18th February and from 10th March to 30th June 1847	@	3	Pr Ditto	22 4
1	ditto from 19th October to February from 10th March to 10th April 1847 and from 26th April to 30th June 1847	@	3	Pr Do	22 14 2
1	Cooly from 22 Octobr to 10th April and from 27th to June 1847.	@	3	Pr Ditto	23 5 11
1	ditto from 25th October to 31st January	@	3	} Pr Ditto	27 2 10
	ditto from February to June 1847	@	3 8		
1	ditto from 19th October to 19th February from 9th March to April and from 31st May to June 1847	@	3 8	Pr Ditto	24 10
1	ditto from 25th October to February and from 10th March to June 1847.	@	3 8	Pr Ditto	27 12 5
	Subsistense to the adiars from July 1846 to 30th May and for June 1847 being 364 days.	@	1 2	76 3/4 per Day	27 15 11
					2759 10 1
				Company's Rupees	2787 10

Calicut, 11th July 1847. E. E. Pr. (Signed) H. V. Conolly Collector.

True Copy.
(Signed) H. V. Conolly.
Collector.

Extract

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No. 3. Extract from the Reaudit of the accounts of the Collector of Malabar from 12th July 1846 to 11th July 1847. on account of expenses of Fusly 1256.

No.	Charges objected to.	Remarks of the Civil Auditor.
32	Pay of the acting Sub Conservator and Native Establishment &c. attached to the Government Forest in Fusly 1256. ------ 313515	

(True Extract)
(Signed) H. V. Conolly.
Collector.

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Ordered that the foregoing letter be submitted with the following address.

No. 370.

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Bd. No. 1715.
To the Chief Secy. to Government.

To
The Chief Secretary to
Government.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying letter dated 5th August 1851, from the Collector of Malabar, enclosing Extract from the re-audit of the Civil Auditor on his Accounts from Fusly 1255 and 1256 for sums charged on account of Forests establishments, together with the accounts Particular, from which it will be seen that the only ground of objection is that the rate of actual payment of certain coolies or Laborers was 3 Rupees instead of 3½ Rs. the sanctioned rate.

From Govt. of India 4th January 1845. Communicated in Resolution of Govt. 1st Feby. 1845 in Cons. 10th Feby. 1845.

The Collector explains that the sum of Rupees 3½ was submitted by him as the "estimated average expenditure," and requests that the Civil Auditor may be directed to admit the amount retrenched forming a total of Rupees 54 89-10-6 and to pass all future charges

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similar nature provided they do not exceed the amount sanctioned.—

The Board recommend that the Civil Auditor may be authorized accordingly.—

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
28th. August 1851.

[Signed] W. H. Bayley
Secretary.—

Read the following Letter.—

No. 100.—

To
W. H. Bayley Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of an Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 25th. November last, requesting a report for the information of Government on the present condition of the Records, English and Native in my own Cutcherry, as well as those of my Subordinates.—

2. In reply I beg to state that the system adopted in the arrangements of the Records is the same as was reported under

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B. No. 2070.

From the Collr. of Malabar....

Reporting on the state of the Records, English and Native in his own Cutcherry and those of his Subordinates.—

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under date the 4th. February 1837.—

3. The Records both English and Native for the last 35 years, are in pretty good order, and admit of easy reference so far as it relates to any document the date of which is known, but the great inconvenience entailed by the want of an Index continues to be felt more than ever, and I see no hope of attaining what is so very necessary without extra aid.

4. The Records of my Subordinate Cutcherries are reported by my Sub Collectors and Head Assistants to be generally in pretty fair order.—

5. With regard to the old Records, that is, those exceeding from the years 1815/16 to as far back as 1792/93, I beg to observe, that they are not in such thorough good order as I could wish, as reported in my letter dated 23d. February 1842, but those in the English Department have been partially recopied and restitched, with the small sums of money which were allowed in Fuslies $\frac{1253}{1842/43}$ and $\frac{1257}{1842/43}$ and $\frac{1253}{1843/44}$ and $\frac{1257}{1847/48}$ and the work of copying the ancient Summabundy accounts of the District which was sanctioned by Government on the 4th. August 1848,

Has

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has progressed very satisfactorily, and will be reported upon shortly.

Calicut 27th August 1851. } (Signed) H. V. Conolly. Collector.

Order thereon.

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Ordered to lie over.

Read again Miscellaneous Statements of Demand Collection and Balance from the Collectors of Madras, dated 18th and entered in Consultation 25th August 1851.

To

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The Collector of Madras.

Sir,

B. No 1705 To the Coll.r of Madras

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to return the Memorandums showing the fluctuations of Revenue which accompanied your Demand Collection and Balance Statements to 11th July 1851 and to request that you will be so good as to furnish Statements in accordance with the forms circulated on the 21st November 1850.

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The Board proceed to take into consideration the Statements noted below and

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63 No 1923. From the Collector of Bellary. Supplemental Estimate of Tuccavy proposed to be disbursed for Fusly 1261.

64 No 1695. From the Collector of South Arcot. Statement of the actual disbursements on account of Sadeerwarad for Fuslies 1257 & 1259 and of the Estimated disbursements for Fusly 1260.

65 No 1777. From the Collector of Madura. Statement of sums proposed to be disbursed for Fusly 1261.

66 No 1930. From the Collector of Coimbatore. Statement of sums proposed to be disbursed on account of advances for Tobacco Vrs for Fusly 1261.

67 No 1956. From the Collector Malabar. Estimate of Extra Charges proposed to be incurred for Fusly 1261.

63-68 Order on the 5 abovementioned Statements. Ordered that the necessary remarks of the Board be inserted in the proper Columns of the abovementioned Statements and submitted for the

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the sanction of Government.—

Read the undermentioned Statements.—

69 No. 2039.

From the Collector of Coimbatore— Comparative Statement of Collections of Fasties 1259 and 1260.—

70 No. 2040.

From the Collector of Coimbatore. Comparative Statement of Collections and Charges for Fasties 1259 and 1260.—

69-71 Order on the 2 abovementioned Statements— Ordered to be recorded.—

72 No. 2050.

From the Collector of Canara— Read Abstract Statement of persons charged Ydo under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Half year ending 30th June last.—

72-73 Order thereon— Ordered to lie over until the receipt of the Returns from other Districts, when an abstract of the whole will be prepared and submitted for the orders of Government.—

74. No. 2048.

From the Collector of Canara— Read Comparative Statement showing the quantity of Salt sold for

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for Home and Inland consumption for the Quarter ending 31st July last.—

74-75 Order thereon Ordered to lie over.—

Read the undermentioned Registers.—

76 No. 2059.

From the Collector of Cuddapah— Register of Endorsements passed by him on Petitions referred by the Board for the month of May last.—

77 No. 2049.

From the Collector of Canara— Register of Endorsements passed by him on Petitions referred by the Board for the month of June last.—

76-78 Order on the 2 abovementioned Registers. Ordered to be lodged in the Office.

Received the undermentioned Miscellaneous letters and Statements.—

79 My. No. 986.

From the Collector of Cuddapah— Abstract of Demand and Balance from 1st to 11th July last.—

80 My. No. 978.

From the Collector of Coimbatore. Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last.—

81 My. No. 985.

From the Collector of Canara— Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last.— Abstract

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82 My. No. 976. From the Collector of Nellore. Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance from 11th to 31st July last.

83 My. No. 957. From the Collector of Cuddapah. Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance from 12th to 31st July last.

84 My. No. 981. From the Collector of Ganjam. Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale Prices of Grain and Salt for the Month of June last.

85 My. No. 977. From the Collector of Nellore. Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale Prices of Grain and Salt for the Month of July last.

86 My. No. 988. From the Collector of Cuddapah. Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale Prices of Grain and Salt for the Month of July last.

87 My. No. 982. From the Collectors of Vizagapatam. Acknowledging the receipt of 50 letters of advice on the Accountant General.

88 My. No. 975. From the Sub Collector in Charge of Nellore. Statement shewing the Quantity of Salt in Store and ready for exportation on account of the Chillagoy Indent for 1850/51 up to 15th August 1851.

89 My. No. 984. From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Return of Persons charged with Offences under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of July last.

90 My. No. 983. From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Return of Village Officers suspended and dismissed under Regulation VI of 1831 for the Month of July last.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient
humble Servant
H. Dawes

Empd. J. G. Boyle

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" Nyndinham

" [signature]

Empd. C. J. Boyle