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Diary

30th July 53.— Sent the following letter.

No. 348.

To,

The Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

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 April 1853.—

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George,
30th July 1853.....

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary

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(1)

Bo. No. 1608
To the Chief Secretary to Government

At

Fort St. George 1st August 1853.

Monday 1st August 1853.

At a Meeting Present

I. Goldingham Esqre Second Member

and

I. 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 the following Extract.

(2)

B. of R. 1829. From the Secy. to Government communicating an Extract from a General Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors dated 16th March 1853 No. 1 respecting certain lapsed Enams &c.

Extract from a General Letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors 16th March 1853. No. 1.-

2 Disposal of claims advanced to certain lapsed Enams in the Kurnool District from the 3d Quarter of 1847. to the 1st Quarter of 1849.-

Extract from the Minutes of consultation in the Revenue Department under date the 11th July 1853 No. 801.

Para. 1- Paras 3-4 and 6 will be communicated to the Board of Revenue.-

Para. 3. In disposing of these Enams, the views expressed in your letter dated 21st November (No. 84) 1848 and which received our concurrence in our Despatch dated 12th February (No. 2) 1851.

paras.

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paras 38 & 39 appear to have been observed.-

4 We entirely approve your having directed "that "in those cases "in which resumption "has been authorized, it is "intended that the "parties should "not be entirely deprived of possession "but that the land "should be assessed "to the revenue and "left to them to hold "it or not on "those terms."-

4 & 7. Restoration to Conary Row of certain lands in the Village of Paramanchy which had been erroneously resumed and the proceeds that have been collected during the

6 As it appears from the Letter from the Board of Revenue and its enclosures dated 22d

the period the lands were under resumption, returned — Arrangements made in respect to other Small Enams reported.-

22d January 1849, that the objections taken to the summd under which a Conary Row claimed the lands in question were not based on valid grounds, we approve your proceedings in the matter.-

23424. The permission of Government for the institution of a Suit by Syed Caussim Bussain for the recovery of a share in the Shotriums of Chapalamudgoo not considered necessary. The Village of Baggoolatepully in the same district restored to Madow Row the direct heir of the Original grantee.-

9. It appears that the Village of Boggoolatepully with two other Villages was granted to Rama Row, the late Accountant to the Resident at the Durbar of Row Scindia by the Governor of Madras

3. A copy of these Paras will be furnished to the Board of Revenue for their information.-

Madras dated 29th November 1808, and the original Grantee in 1819, conferred this portion of the grant on his younger brother, to whose son it was subsequently transmitted. This alienation of the property to the prejudice of the interests of direct heirs to it appears to have been effected without the sanction or even the knowledge of Government.

10. On the demise of the late holder his widow, sons and younger brother disputed among themselves as to the

the possession of the Village, while a claim to it was also urged by Madow Rowsoo, and direct heir to, the original grantee - The Collector, Mr. I. W. Cochrane and the Board of Revenue recommended that the property should be continued to the collateral branch of the family on account of the length of time that it had been held by that Branch - But as under the terms of the grant the Village was not alienable, you ordered its immediate restoration to Madow Row.-

11. This case of a property obtained in direct contravention of the terms of the original grant and without the knowledge of Government, is not one in which 30 years possession can be put forward as a plea for continuing the possession of the property to those who had held it for that period, which would be perpetuating an illegal act only brought to your knowledge by family disputes. The income of the estate being Rupees 466 the collateral branch of

of the family have already received Rupees 13980 to which they had no title - We therefore approve of your decision.-

Memorial from Hanoomuntah Chavy a Maniendar of Bellary praying to be put in possession of the Bhurtwuttee Enams held by the late Cliffegherry in that District declined.-	16	No remark.-	6. Hanoomuntachavy will be informed thro' the Board of Revenue that the Honorable Court have made no remark on his Memorial of the 19th August 1851.-
Further proceedings regarding the Shotriem Village of Vipery - Court had directed that on the death of the present holder Mahomed Khan the Village should be resumed since it seemed that his father Ally who held the Village before him was merely the adopted son of the Original holder, and that therefore Mahomed Khan had no legal claims, but might be continued in possession as a matter of indulgence.- × Despatch 12th Feby. No 2 - 1851. paras 12 & 15.	17 18.	From the proceedings submitted with your letter under reply, it appears that Ally Khan was not only the adopted son, but also the elder brother of the Original grantee Burrah Khan - Under these circumstances you suggest a modification of our orders restricting the continuance of the Shotriem to the life of the present incumbent.-	8. A copy of these paragraphs will be furnished to the Board of Revenue for their information and guidance - On the demise of the present incumbent Mahomed Khan, the lapse will be reported when the course to be pursued in respect to the Vipery

The

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19— The instructions which we conveyed to you on this case were founded on the supposition that Aly Khan was not related to the original grantee, but as this supposition proves to be incorrect, we leave it to you to adopt such measures on the death of Mahomed Khan as may be equitable and just.—

To The President and Members of the Board of Revenue.—

(True Extract)
(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

2-3 B. No. 1629.

Resolution thereon.—

Resolved that Extracts from the above Papers be communicated to the undermentioned Officers.—

to the Collectors of Bellary, Cuddapah & North arcot & Agent to the Governor @ Kurnool.—

H. C. S. C. M.—C.

3 and — 4 — 0 — To the Agent at Kurnool

6 — 0 — To the Collector of Bellary

9 @ 11 — 0 — To the Collector of Cuddapah

18 and 19 — 8 — To the Collector South Arcot

16 — 6 — To the Collector of Bellary with a request that he will attend to the orders of Government.

W. Read

9178. Fort St. George 1st August 1853.

Read the following Resolution.

No. 805.

B. No. 1923.
From the Secretary to Government.
4

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 27th July 1853.—

(From Board 27th June 1853)

Resolved that the Acting Collector of North Arcot be authorized to disburse subject to audit, the arrears of Yeomiah due to Paudsha Meerjah from 12th January 1851 to 11th April 1853 amounting to Rupees (159. 4— 10) One hundred and fifty nine, annas four and Pice ten, and to continue to him his allowance from the date of last payment.—

(By Order)
(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

B. No. 1620.
4-5
Order thereon.—

Ordered to be communicated to the acting Collector of North Arcot with reference to his Yeomiah Statement dated 7th June 1853.—

B. No. 1920.
From the Secretary to Government.
6

No. 812.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 14th July 1853.

From B. 27th June 1853.—

Under the circumstances represented the

Fort St. George 1st August 1853.

the Right Honorable the Governor in Council approves the instructions proposed to be issued by the Board to the Agent at Kurnool for exempting the Mutuspha Ryots of the Mahomedan Caste from the payment of House tax according to the practice in force previous to Fusly 1259.

/Signed/ J. Pycroft
Secretary to Government.

B°. N°. 1616
Order thereon
(6-7)

Ordered to be communicated for the information and guidance of the Agent to the Governor at Kurnool with reference to his letter dated 27th May 1853.-

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B°. N°. 1921.
From the Secretary to Government
(8)

N°. 811.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 14th July 1853.-

/From Board 30th June 1853/.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the disbursement of Rupees /102—8—/ One hundred and two and annas eight as compensation to the Burghers on the Neilgherries whose lands have been taken up for the new road from the Jail Katallah Barracks towards Ootacammund

/Signed/ J. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

Order

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B°. N°. 1617
Order thereon.-
(8-9)

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Coimbatore with reference to his letter dated 14th June 1853.-

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B°. N°. 1922
From the Secretary to Government
(10)

N°. 830.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 16th July 1853.-

/From Board 27th June 1853/.

Resolved that the Collector of South Arcot be authorized to disburse, subject to audit, the arrears of Yeomiah due to Sashacharry from 12th April 1852 to 11th April 1853 amounting to Rupees 176—15—11/ One hundred and Seventy Six, annas fifteen and Pice eleven and to continue to him his allowance from the date of last payment.-

/By Order/
/Signed/ J. Pycroft
Secretary to Government.

B°. N°. 1621.
Order thereon.-
(10-11)

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of South Arcot with reference to his Yeomiah Statement dated 4th June 1853.-

Extract

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B. No. 1924.
From the Secretary to Government
12

No. 826.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 16th July 1853.

From Board 27th June 1853.

Agreeably to the recommendation of the Board of Revenue the Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the continuance of the Pension enjoyed by the late Keral Wurmah the 2d Rajah in the name of Koomur Wurmah the 3d Rajah from the date of the former's demise, and grants authority for the Registry of the other allowances in the names of the parties entitled to the same according to the rule of succession observed in the family as specified in the Collector's Statement.-

/By Order/
/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government.

B. No. 1622.
Order thereon
12-13

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Canara with reference to his Enam Statement dated 26th May 1853.-

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Read the following Memorandum.-

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Public Department.

B. No. 1933.
From the Chief Sect. to Government
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Memorandum.-

The Chief Secretary requests with reference to the letter from the Sub Secretary to the Board of Revenue dated 30th Ultimo No. 294 that a rough sketch may be submitted of the whole ground proposed to be purchased beyond the present boundary North of the Black Town Wall, showing the portions now offered for sale.-

Government Office
22d July 1853.
/Signed/ H. C. Montgomery.
Chief Secretary.

B. No. 1635
Order thereon.-
14-15

Ordered to be communicated to the acting Collector of Madras with a request that he will with reference to his letter of 11th June 1853 furnish the sketch called for by the Chief Secretary to Government.-

In Cons 30th June 1853.

Read the following Extracts.-

B. No. 1990.
From the Secretary to Government
16

No. 863.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department under date the 26th July 1853.-

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

/Here enter 11th July 1853 No. 308/

Agreeably to the recommendation of the

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the Board of Revenue the Right Honora
the Governor in Council sanctions the first
of the rules for the protection of the revenue
derived from the Chayrot farm in Tinne
suggested by the Collector in para 7 of his
letter to the Board dated 19th March last. He
has some doubt as to the expediency of the se
cond rule which he apprehends might operate
to check cultivation, and would suggest for
the consideration of the Board whether Cowl
might not be given, but with the proviso
that if the land were left untilled and chayro
taken an additional assessment would be
charged.

To The President & Members
of the
Board of Revenue.

/ A true Extract /
/ Signed / J. Pycroft.
Secretary to Government.

Bd. No. 1632.
Order thereon.
16-17

Ordered to be communicated with the Board's Proceedings, to the Collector of Tinne velly for his information and guidance.

2. The Collector will report on the suggestion of Government in respect to the second of the Rules proposed by him.

H.

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No. 50. Read the following letter.—

To
B. Cunliffe Esqre.
Sub Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Bd. No. 1702.

From H. A. Brett Esqre
Acting Collector of North Arcot

Sir,

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With reference to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 10th October 1850 Circulating Para 3 of Extract Minutes of Consultation dated the 2d Idem directing that in all cases in which service Enams are found to have become uncultivable from Causes beyond the Control of the holders, the Collector should make immediate application to Government through the Board of Revenue for the grant of other lands in exchange, I have the honor to State that special Reports of such lands have been called for and received from the Talooks and to forward for the sanction of Government a Statement prepared upon these reports of the lands proposed to be granted in lieu of such Village service Enams as have from different causes been rendered unfit for cultivation.—

2. The extent of land exhibited as unfit for cultivation is 298 Cawnies 1½ As with an Assessment of Rupees 1,320-12a-7p. in lieu of which it is proposed to give 271 Cawnies bearing an assessment of Rupees 1,294-8a-1p. In the extent of land proposed to be assigned is included 65 Cawnies of cultivated land but either the Enamdars themselves are the Puttahdars of this land or the several holders have consented to give it up.—

North Arcot,
Collector's Cutcherry,
Chittoor, 29th June, 1853.

/ Signed / H. A. Brett.
Acting Collector.
Statement.

9	Cattamanjee	Do.	Condulroyah Pillay and Jagagunda Pillay.	Covered with sand from the damage caused to the Channel in Fusly 1236.	Do.	"	11/4	2	4 1/2	Do.	2 Years waste	"	8	2	4		
"	Gaulapully hamlet to Cutta-munjee	Do.	Do.	Do.	This land was appro-priated for building Houses since 40 years	Poonjah	2	1	1 8/2	Poonjah	3 or 4 years waste	2	4/4	1	8/2		
9	Venganapully	Do.	Do.	Do.	This land was Covered by water in the Tank since 10 years.	Do.	4	5/4	2	11/2	Do.	Cultivated 2 & 6 years waste.	"	8/4	"	5/2		
													4	4	2	6/4		
							15	14	26	8			16	9/2	26	6/2		
107	Condalsin-deipully	Iron Smiths Do.	Mooneyapah	This land was washed away and rendred un-cultivable by the over flow of water from the Tank in Fusly 1243.	Nunjah	"	10 3/4	4	14/2	Nunjah	waste	"	9/2	4	14/2		
17	Cherlapully	Toltys	Do.	Vengadoo & others.	Cut up by Jungle Stream 40 Years ago.	Poonjah	2	"	1	4	Poonjah	Do.	1	3	1	3		
							2	10 3/11	6	2/2			1	12	6	1/2		

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51	Vangoor	Monigars Maniem	Streenevasa Rayavengar and others	Cut up by Calingalah water of Ponnapen Tangul Tank 30 years ago —	Poonjah	10	2½	7	3¾	Poonjah	Sayagall Bunger	8	11½	7	2¼
				Cut up by a spring Channel 30 — Dº	Nunjah	2	13¾	8	4	Nunjah	Dº	3	3¾	8	23¼
		Curnam Dº	Soondara pillay. —	Covered with sand by the flow of water from a high ground since 30 Dº —	Poonjah	6	12¼	4	9¼	Poonjah	Cultivated	4	15¼	4	5½
		Taliars Dº	Kristnamah Naidoo and Narasimma Naidoo —	This land is covered by water since a long time. —	Dº	3	10¾	2	12	Dº	Dº	"	6½	"	6½
											Immemorial waste	2	3¼	2	3¼
53	Talingay	Monigars Dº	Soobbier —	Cut up by Hill Stream and Stony for 20 years —	Dº	3	5¾	2	1½	Dº	Cultivated	2	13¼	1	13½
		Curnums Dº	Soondra pillay	— Dº — Dº —	Dº	1	8	"	15	Dº	Dº	1	3¼	"	14¼
Cover yards	68	Nungamunga lam —	Dº	Synadapil lay	Covered with water since 30 years —	Nunjah	1	2	3	1½	Nunjah	Immemorial waste —	"	10¾	2	15¾
	48	Chittaloor	Iron Smiths	Paroma Lah charry	Earth of the depth of 1 yard dug for repairing the Tank in 1847. therefore the land is unfit for cultivation.	Dº	"	5¼	"	12	Dº	Cultivated	"	5¼	"	9¼
	67	Anjapady	Monigars	Seroovengadu Moodly	This land was cut up by the over flow in the Channel dug for the supply of Chambrambaak Tank since Fusly 1240. —	Dº	1	3¾	"	12¼	Dº	Sayagall	1	3¾	"	12¼
			Curnums Dº	Annapil lay	Cut up by the above Channel and another spring Channel. —	Dº	2	9	1	14¾	Dº	Dº	2	11	1	14¾
					Covered with water in Durmanady Tank since Fusly 1220.	Nunjah	1	2¼	2	8	Dº	Dº	1	2¼	2	8
		Carpenters	Mootucharry	— Dº — Dº —	Dº	"	8¼	1	2	Dº	Dº	"	10	1	2
		Totys Dº	Valan and others —	— Dº — Dº —	Poonjah	"	12½	"	9¼	Poonjah	Dº	"	12½	"	9¼
				— Dº — Dº —	Nunjah	"	10½	1	7	Nunjah	waste	"	13½	1	7

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III	Gatekeeper	Nicholas	Gatehouse	= Field Land became unfit	Pound	—	1	9½	1	3					
	Messuage		= duly	for Cultivation from											
				Causing Pasture											
				since Lady 1240											
IV	Tattenhoe	Common Pasture	= Field Land became unfit			£2	1	11¾	1	4¾	£2	Salmon	1	11	1	4½
	Messuage		= Lady	due Entry by the Cultivate											
				matter of Common Land											
				since Lady 1240											
	Common Pasture	Gatekeeper	Field Land became unfit			Pound	3	15¾	1	8	Pound	Bottomless	3	15¾	1	8
	Messuage		Lodge	matter of Cultivation											
				Common Land											
				since Lady 1250											
	Common	Gatekeeper	Taken up by the Common			Almond	—	9¼	1	11	Almond	Elm	—	11½	1	10¾
	Messuage		Lodge	Channel Gatekeeper											
				Tenant Common											
				Land Common Land											
				Lady 1250.											
	Tithe	Gatekeeper	Common	—	Gatekeeper	—	—	9½	1	12½	Gatekeeper	—	—	12½	1	12½
157	Cuddington	Common	Gatehouse	Granted away by the Court		Pound	—	3	1	2	Pound	Gatekeeper	—	6¾	1	2
	Messuage	Pool	Lodge	Channel Gatekeeping the												
				Common Land Gatekeeper												
				to Court.												

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Cavery Fauls / Cont.d

						Cs	as	Ps	as			Cs	as	Ps	as
		Notagars Inancem	Potty	Washed away by the river Channel supplying the Cawerypauk Tank since 10 years.	Nunjah	"	1	"	6	Nunjah	Podoogall Bunjer	"	2 3/4	"	6
152	Seroomul = Chairy	Curnums Do.	Arnagherry Pillay and Tondaroyah Pillay.	Cut up by the flow of water from a high ground since Fusly 1226.	Poonjah	1	1 3/4	"	13 1/2	Poonjah	Bunjer	1	1 3/4	"	13 1/2
		Taliars Do.	Rangapah Naidoo	washed away by the river Channel supplying the Cavery pauk Tank since Fusly 1250.	Do	"	14 1/2	"	12 3/4	Do.	Sayagall	"	14 1/2	"	12 3/4
31	Chinna = Samoo = drum	Curnums Do.	Soobroyah Pillay and Tondaroya Pillay.	Covered with the water of the Poondy Tank since Fusly 1215.	Nunjah	1	5 1/4	4	3 1/2	Nunjah	Bunjer Porumboke recently assessed	1 "	1/2 10	2 1	6 1/4 13 3/4
	Tolys' Do.	Tooloocca = natan and others		Cut up by the Calinga = lak water of the Tank since Fusly 1250.	Do.	"	6 1/2	"	11 1/2	Do.	Sayyall	"	11 1/2	1	8 1/2
				Covered with the water of the Poondy Tank since Fusly 1215.	Do.	1	3	2	12		Porumboke recently assessed	"	11 1/4	1	15
						1	9 1/2	3	7 1/2			1	5 3/4	3	7 1/2
						56	"	61	13			51	2 3/4	60	5 3/4
51	Poyeepa = cum	Taliars Do.	Tooloocca = nootan and Coollum	Covered with the water of the Heisa Tank since Fusly 1246.	Do.	1	9 3/4	2	11 6/16	Do.	10 years waste	1	8 3/4	2	9 1/4
40	Ellatoor	Do.	Do.	Vagootandy and Chinna Condum	Covered with the water of the Tank since the resumption of the Country by the British Government.	Nunjah	1	"	1	11	Nunjah	12	Do.	Do.	1	"	1	11
41	Keeka = latoor	Do.	Tooloocca = natan and Condum	Do.	Do.	Do.	"	3 3/4	"	14	Do.	Immemorial waste	"	12 1/2	"	14
96	Narna = munga = lum	Do.	Pareya Calee and others	Partly cut up by water and the rest washed away since 30 years.	Poonjah	1	3/4	"	12 1/4	Poonjah	10 years waste	1	3/4	"	12 1/4
27	Maca latoor.	Curnums Do.	Samba = siva Pillay and others	Washed away completely in Fusly 1257.	Nunjah	"	11	1	8	Nunjah	4	Do.	"	11	1	8

Sholinghur.

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Sholinghur Cont.d

						Cs	as	Ps	as			Cs	as	Ps	as
	Panchang=am Manicm	Runga=ter and others	but washed away Complete=ly in Fasly 1257.	Nunjah	"	3	"	8½	Nunjah	15 years waste	"	3	"	8½	
	Taliars Do.	Accum and others	By digging earth from a por=tion of land for repairing the Tank bank & rest was covered with the Madoogoo water in Fusly 1258.	Do.	"	9½	1	10	Do.	4 and 10 Do.	"	9½	1	10	
95	Ristna =poorum	Moniyars Do.	Chengal =rogareddy and others	Cut up by Calingalah water of Sholinghur Tank since Fusly 1252.	Poonjah	3	3¾	2	7¼	Poonjah	Immemorial waste	3	3¾	2	7¼
	Cannum	Parasoora =ma Pillay	Partly washed away by the River and the rest Cut up by Do. in Do.	Do.	2	1¾	1	¾	Do.	Do.	2	1¾	1	¾	
22	Anyalum	Toty's Do.	Walum and Condum	A part was cut up by the Calingalah water of Cods =cul Tank and the remaining land is barren.	Nunjah	"	11½	2	6½	Nunjah	Do.	"	11½	2	6½	
						11	6¼	15	9 10/16			11	14½	15	7½
110	Volagoor	Do.	Do. Mostum and others	Cut up by the surplus water of the Tank in Fusly 1257.	Nunjah	"	8½	1	5¼	Poonjah	waste for 10 years	2	10½	1	5¼
52	Punnama =dungee	Carpenters Do.	Coollachary and Kistna =charry	Cut up by a Jungle Streams since Fusly 1243.	Poonjah	2	11¼	3	6¾	Do.	3 years waste	2	11¼	3	6¼
Tirvallum		Iron Smiths Do.	Condepen	There are Palmira Trees on this land since the assumption of the Country by the British Government.	Do.	1	13½	2	4¾	Do.	6 Do.	1	9¾	2	3¼
31	Keeloor	Taliars Do.	Mooneyan and others	Cut up by an innundation in the Paular river in Fusly 1260.	Do.	"	8½	"	12¾	Do.	waste	"	8½	"	12¾
50	Chengee	Toty's Do.	Colgaur Mooneyan	Cut up by a Jungle Streams since Fusly 1230.	Do.	1	4½	1	9¾	Do.	Do.	1	4½	1	9¾
78	Davarasee Coopum	Do.	Do. Chinna =veeran	Do. Since Fusly 1258.	Do.	1	5½	1	13	Do.	Do.	1	4¼	1	4¼

The Palmira Trees are Assessed at Rs. 3-0- per Annum under Pattah & Towa.

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						Cs	as	Ps	as				Cs	as	Ps	as
97 Nungamanga-lum	Taliars Maniem	Mootun and Condun	Cut up by the Calingalah water of the Tank since Fusly 1242.	Nunjah	1	1/4	1	14/2	Nunjah	30 years waste	"	5/2	1	14/2		
4 Caranam-butt —	Vadavarty Do.	Cauhee Jastree	washed away by the Paular River since Fusly 1244	Poonjah	1	"	1	"	Poonjah	20 Do.	Do.	1	1	"	15 3/4	
5 Brumha-pooram	Carpenters Do.	Moonee Sawmy	Constant Dampness caused by the Calingalah water of Nagalary Tank.	Do.	1	3/4	"	13 3/4	Do.	waste for 20 years	"	10 3/2	"	13/2		
	Taly's Do.	Ponnen and Curre-garean	Covered with sand from the Paular river &c.	Nunjah	"	3/4	2	"	Nunjah	Do.	"	3/4	1	15		
			Covered by the water in the Tank	Poonjah	4	9/2	4	14/4	Poonjah	Podoogall	3	14/2	4	14/4		
	Taliars Do.	Lanean and others	Covered with sand and washed away by a Jungle Stream	Do.	2	4/4	1	6	Do.	waste for 10 years.	2	3/4	1	6		
			Cut up by the water of the Tank	Nunjah	2	"	4	12/2	Nunjah	Do.	20 Do.	"	9/4	4	12/2	

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	Punjangees	Kistnier	Being at the bottom of the Hill and barren	Poonjah	1	11/4	1	5	Poonjah	Do.	Do.	1	3/4	1	5	
	Alloonagarum	Puddavet-tan	Barren and Stony. —	Do.	4	2 1/4	5	2 3/4	Do.	Do. for 2 or 4 Do.		4	1/4	5	13/4	
			Barren	Nunjah	1	1/4	4	1/4	Nunjah	waste for 30 years	"	7 3/4	4	1/4		
12	Curregerry Cuttys Do.	Cumboo Mooneyan	Cut up by the Calingalah water in Fusly 1258.	Do.	"	13/4	"	14/4	Do.	Do.	8 Do.	"	13/4	"	14/4	
	Monigars Do.	Babooniah	Barren Stony and Covered with sand.	Poonjah	3	10	2	10 3/4	Poonjah	Do.	15 or 20 Do.	4	1/4	2	14 3/4	
			Jungle &c. since 40 years	Do.	"	7/4	"	4								
					4	1/4	2	14 3/4								
		Kistna Gondah	Barren & Stony and under the Hill.	Do.	2	11	1	8/4	Do.	Do.	20 Do.	2	11	1	8/4	
	Nolagars Do.	Agamoorty	Barren and Stony —	Do.	3	13/4	2	11	Do.	waste		3	13/4	2	11	
			Do. —	Do. —	Nunjah	"	5/2	1	1/2	Nunjah	Do.		"	6/4	1	1/2

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	Curnum Cannea Manuem pillay		Barren & Stony	Poonjah		4	8¼	3	2	Poonjah	waste for 20 years	9	3¾	5	12¼
			Do. Do. and at the Bottom of the Hill.	Do.		4	11½	2	10¼						
						9	3¾	5	12¼						
			Barren	Nunjah	"	10	1	14		Nunjah	Do. 25 Do.	"	10	1	14
46	Cawneeapa=nim	Totys Do.	Paroman and others	Cut up by Jungle Stream and covered with Sand	Poonjah	5	2¾	5	3	Poonjah	5 and 10 years waste.	5	3	5	3
53	Cursan=unga=lum	Punchangys Do.	Gooroo=samiah	Covered with water from time to time.	Poonjah	1	"	1	4	Poonjah	Padoogall Bunjer.	"	12½	"	15½
98	Muheman=dalum	Taliars Do.	Mooneyan and others	Covered with water since 40 years.	Do.	"	15½	"	11½	Do.	waste for 20 years	"	14	"	11¼
69	Kachoor=tangul	Totys Do.	Seevun	Do. 30 years	Nunjah	"	8	"	10	Nunjah	Cultivated	"	8	"	10

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		Taliars Do.	Mooneyan	Do. ———	Do. ———	Do.	"	8	"	10	Do.	waste	"	8	"	10
23	Vunjoor	Totys Do.	Conum.	Barren and Stoney for 40 years	Poonjah	2	7¾	2	7¾	Poonjah	Do. cultivated	2	3¼	2	3¼
												"	1½	"	1½
				Barren and washed away Do.	Nunjah	"	2	"	4	Nunjah	waste	"	2	"	4
		Taliars Do.	Moodoo Naick	Do. ———	Do.	Do.	"	8	1	"	Do.	Do.	"	8	1	4
24	Talarim butt	Totys Do.	Conum	Do. ———	Do.	Do.	"	2	"	6½	Do.	Do. 8 years	"	2	"	6½
20	Jaffarapet	Taliars Do.	Mootun	Barren	Poonjah	"	5	"	5	Poonjah	Do. 10	Do.	"	5	"	4½
22	Saynoor	Do.	Do.	Moonee=gan and others ———	Do. ———	Nunjah	1	13½	2	6¾	Nunjah	Do.	"	11½	2	6½

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							Cs	as	Ps	as				Cs	as	Ps	as
		Carpenters Manicm	Ragalinga Chetty	Barren		Nunjah	"	6½	1	6¾	Nunjah	waste for 10 years	"	6½	1	6
		Iron Smiths Do	Lawmea-Chetty	Do		Do	"	7	1	7¾	Do	Do	"	7	1	7¾
85	Pottoor	Monigars Do	Mooneah Goudah and Cunneapah Goudah	Covered with water		Do	"	4½	1	8¾	Do	waste	"	4¼	1	8
		Carnams Do	Chengalroy Pillay	Do	Do	Poonjah	"	2½	"	1¼	Poonjah	Do	"	2½	"	1¼
				Do	Do	Nunjah	"	3¾	1	4¾	Nunjah	Do	"	3¾	1	5
48	Aroomba-cum-Tiruallum (Contd)	Village God Lefs Manicm	Aundy Chellum-barum	By repairing and digging the supplying channel in the yeare 1854 for the Cursamungalum Tank		Poonjah	"	4	"	3½	Poonjah	Immemorial waste	"	4	"	3½
		Carpenters Do	Venealasoo	Do	Do	Do	"	2¼	"	2	Do	Do	"	2¼	"	2
119	Laulapettah	Do and Iron Smiths Do	Chendra-chetty and Mooneea-chetty	Cut up by a Jungle stream & Co since 20 years		Do	"	13½	1	1	Do	waste for 12 years	"	13½	1	3¼
							64	4	77	13½			60	1¼	76	8¼
42	Singlepandy	Monigars	Venealachul-la Goudah and Colum-day Goudah	Appropriated to the spring Channel head of Goodanugga-rum since Fasly 1248		Do	"	7¾	2		Do	waste for 9 years	"	2½	"	2
		Toty's Do	Mooneah and Moottun	Covered with the water of Goodanuggarum Tank since	Do	Nunjah	"	7	1	3½	Nunjah	Do 18	Do	"	8¾	1	3¼
37	Aunaga-melloor	Monigars Do	Sectaramier and others	Washed away by Paular river in Fasly 1260		Poonjah	5	10½	4	15¼	Poonjah	Do 8	Do	3	3¾	4	5¼
135	Vasanam-pully	Cumboo-cutties Do	Mooneyan	Do by Jungle stream 20 years ago		Nunjah	"	5	2	10¾	Nunjah	Do 1	Do	"	5	2	10¾

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17 Vaagadamatur Tellara Ramen Headed by Jingle Mirem Pongal 12 10½ Pongal Goats for 8 12 10½
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112	Ramana Gurunad	Mudaliar	Govt. use of the water from the tank	Coconut	1	19½	Coconuts	Leaves	19½
	dodda	Maruman	situate in Adoni Taluk & near Gooty						
			came in 1918						
120	Govindaraja Chetty	Rayanna	Govt use of a single stream	Mango	2	8½	Mango	Gum	6½
		Rayadoo							
			came in 1854						
190	Govindaraja	Venkatarayadoo	Govt.	Coconut	11	83¼	Coconut	Gum	2 11½ 83¼
			came in 1852						
192	Ramanna	Venkatarayadoo	Govt.	Govt.	1	5½	10½	Leaves	1 5½ 10½
		Chetty							
50	Ramanna	Venkatadoo	Govt.	Tank	1910	1	6	Leaves	1 6
		Mangalingu		one of the					
				Govt.					
95	Ramanna	Govinda Mangalingu	This land was taken in	Govt.	2	1	Govt.		1
				for the Tank					

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135 Ratnambadi Toothmoh Veeraiyan Govt use of the Pulan River Govt. 1 " 11 Govt. Leaves for 7 1 " 11
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Oct. 1st Camped near Tullahoma. Tenn. Tents & wall tents — Off: — 1 4 2 3 Comm'd Officers 1 4 2 3
Rec'd Tents & Ord. Stores

Oct. 2nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Decherd at 11 A.M. Crossed Elk River at Elk Bridge at 2 P.M. Camped 3 miles beyond Elk River. Distance 12 miles.

Oct. 3rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Winchester at 11 A.M. Camped 2 miles beyond Winchester. Distance 12 miles.

Oct. 4th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Salem at 1 P.M. Camped 4 miles beyond Salem. Distance 15 miles.

Oct. 5th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Athens at 12 M. Camped 5 miles beyond Athens. Distance 18 miles.

Oct. 6th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Cleveland at 1 P.M. Camped 6 miles beyond Cleveland. Distance 20 miles.

Oct. 7th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Dalton at 12 M. Camped 7 miles beyond Dalton. Distance 22 miles.

Oct. 8th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Ringgold at 1 P.M. Camped 8 miles beyond Ringgold. Distance 24 miles.

Oct. 9th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 9 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 26 miles.

Oct. 10th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 10 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 28 miles.

Oct. 11th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 11 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 30 miles.

Oct. 12th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 12 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 32 miles.

Oct. 13th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 13 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 34 miles.

Oct. 14th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 14 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 36 miles.

Oct. 15th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 15 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 38 miles.

Oct. 16th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 16 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 40 miles.

Oct. 17th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 17 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 42 miles.

Oct. 18th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 18 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 44 miles.

Oct. 19th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 19 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 46 miles.

Oct. 20th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 20 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 48 miles.

Oct. 21st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 21 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 50 miles.

Oct. 22nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 22 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 52 miles.

Oct. 23rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 23 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 54 miles.

Oct. 24th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 24 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 56 miles.

Oct. 25th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 25 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 58 miles.

Oct. 26th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 26 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 60 miles.

Oct. 27th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 27 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 62 miles.

Oct. 28th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 28 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 64 miles.

Oct. 29th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 29 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 66 miles.

Oct. 30th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 30 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 68 miles.

Oct. 31st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 31 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 70 miles.

Nov. 1st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 32 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 72 miles.

Nov. 2nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 33 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 74 miles.

Nov. 3rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 34 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 76 miles.

Nov. 4th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 35 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 78 miles.

Nov. 5th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 36 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 80 miles.

Nov. 6th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 37 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 82 miles.

Nov. 7th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 38 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 84 miles.

Nov. 8th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 39 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 86 miles.

Nov. 9th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 40 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 88 miles.

Nov. 10th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 41 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 90 miles.

Nov. 11th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 42 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 92 miles.

Nov. 12th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 43 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 94 miles.

Nov. 13th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 44 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 96 miles.

Nov. 14th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 45 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 98 miles.

Nov. 15th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 46 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 100 miles.

Nov. 16th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 47 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 102 miles.

Nov. 17th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 48 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 104 miles.

Nov. 18th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 49 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 106 miles.

Nov. 19th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 50 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 108 miles.

Nov. 20th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 51 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 110 miles.

Nov. 21st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 52 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 112 miles.

Nov. 22nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 53 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 114 miles.

Nov. 23rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 54 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 116 miles.

Nov. 24th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 55 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 118 miles.

Nov. 25th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 56 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 120 miles.

Nov. 26th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 57 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 122 miles.

Nov. 27th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 58 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 124 miles.

Nov. 28th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 59 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 126 miles.

Nov. 29th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 60 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 128 miles.

Nov. 30th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 61 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 130 miles.

Dec. 1st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 62 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 132 miles.

Dec. 2nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 63 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 134 miles.

Dec. 3rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 64 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 136 miles.

Dec. 4th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 65 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 138 miles.

Dec. 5th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 66 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 140 miles.

Dec. 6th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 67 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 142 miles.

Dec. 7th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 68 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 144 miles.

Dec. 8th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 69 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 146 miles.

Dec. 9th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 70 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 148 miles.

Dec. 10th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 71 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 150 miles.

Dec. 11th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 72 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 152 miles.

Dec. 12th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 73 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 154 miles.

Dec. 13th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 74 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 156 miles.

Dec. 14th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 75 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 158 miles.

Dec. 15th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 76 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 160 miles.

Dec. 16th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 77 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 162 miles.

Dec. 17th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 78 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 164 miles.

Dec. 18th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 79 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 166 miles.

Dec. 19th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 80 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 168 miles.

Dec. 20th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 81 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 170 miles.

Dec. 21st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 82 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 172 miles.

Dec. 22nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 83 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 174 miles.

Dec. 23rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 84 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 176 miles.

Dec. 24th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 85 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 178 miles.

Dec. 25th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 86 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 180 miles.

Dec. 26th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 87 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 182 miles.

Dec. 27th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 88 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 184 miles.

Dec. 28th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 89 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 186 miles.

Dec. 29th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 90 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 188 miles.

Dec. 30th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 91 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 190 miles.

Dec. 31st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 92 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 192 miles.

Jan. 1st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 93 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 194 miles.

Jan. 2nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 94 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 196 miles.

Jan. 3rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 95 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 198 miles.

Jan. 4th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 96 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 200 miles.

Jan. 5th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 97 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 202 miles.

Jan. 6th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 98 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 204 miles.

Jan. 7th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 99 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 206 miles.

Jan. 8th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 100 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 208 miles.

Jan. 9th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 101 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 210 miles.

Jan. 10th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 102 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 212 miles.

Jan. 11th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 103 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 214 miles.

Jan. 12th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 104 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 216 miles.

Jan. 13th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 105 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 218 miles.

Jan. 14th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 106 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 220 miles.

Jan. 15th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 107 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 222 miles.

Jan. 16th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 108 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 224 miles.

Jan. 17th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 109 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 226 miles.

Jan. 18th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 110 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 228 miles.

Jan. 19th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 111 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 230 miles.

Jan. 20th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 112 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 232 miles.

Jan. 21st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 113 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 234 miles.

Jan. 22nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 114 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 236 miles.

Jan. 23rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 115 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 238 miles.

Jan. 24th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 116 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 240 miles.

Jan. 25th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 117 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 242 miles.

Jan. 26th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 118 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 244 miles.

Jan. 27th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 119 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 246 miles.

Jan. 28th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 120 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 248 miles.

Jan. 29th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 121 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 250 miles.

Jan. 30th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 122 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 252 miles.

Jan. 31st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 123 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 254 miles.

Feb. 1st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 124 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 256 miles.

Feb. 2nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 125 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 258 miles.

Feb. 3rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 126 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 260 miles.

Feb. 4th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 127 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 262 miles.

Feb. 5th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 128 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 264 miles.

Feb. 6th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 129 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 266 miles.

Feb. 7th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 130 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 268 miles.

Feb. 8th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 131 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 270 miles.

Feb. 9th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 132 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 272 miles.

Feb. 10th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 133 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 274 miles.

Feb. 11th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 134 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 276 miles.

Feb. 12th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 135 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 278 miles.

Feb. 13th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 136 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 280 miles.

Feb. 14th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 137 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 282 miles.

Feb. 15th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 138 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 284 miles.

Feb. 16th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 139 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 286 miles.

Feb. 17th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 140 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 288 miles.

Feb. 18th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 141 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 290 miles.

Feb. 19th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 142 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 292 miles.

Feb. 20th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 143 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 294 miles.

Feb. 21st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 144 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 296 miles.

Feb. 22nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 145 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 298 miles.

Feb. 23rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 146 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 300 miles.

Feb. 24th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 147 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 302 miles.

Feb. 25th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 148 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 304 miles.

Feb. 26th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 149 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 306 miles.

Feb. 27th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 150 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 308 miles.

Feb. 28th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 151 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 310 miles.

Mar. 1st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 152 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 312 miles.

Mar. 2nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 153 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 314 miles.

Mar. 3rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 154 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 316 miles.

Mar. 4th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 155 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 318 miles.

Mar. 5th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 156 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 320 miles.

Mar. 6th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 157 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 322 miles.

Mar. 7th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 158 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 324 miles.

Mar. 8th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 159 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 326 miles.

Mar. 9th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 160 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 328 miles.

Mar. 10th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 161 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 330 miles.

Mar. 11th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 162 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 332 miles.

Mar. 12th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 163 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 334 miles.

Mar. 13th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 164 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 336 miles.

Mar. 14th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 165 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 338 miles.

Mar. 15th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 166 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 340 miles.

Mar. 16th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 167 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 342 miles.

Mar. 17th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 168 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 344 miles.

Mar. 18th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 169 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 346 miles.

Mar. 19th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 170 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 348 miles.

Mar. 20th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 171 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 350 miles.

Mar. 21st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 172 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 352 miles.

Mar. 22nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 173 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 354 miles.

Mar. 23rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 174 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 356 miles.

Mar. 24th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 175 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 358 miles.

Mar. 25th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 176 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 360 miles.

Mar. 26th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 177 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 362 miles.

Mar. 27th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 178 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 364 miles.

Mar. 28th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 179 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 366 miles.

Mar. 29th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 180 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 368 miles.

Mar. 30th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 181 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 370 miles.

Mar. 31st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 182 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 372 miles.

Apr. 1st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 183 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 374 miles.

Apr. 2nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 184 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 376 miles.

Apr. 3rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 185 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 378 miles.

Apr. 4th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 186 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 380 miles.

Apr. 5th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 187 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 382 miles.

Apr. 6th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 188 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 384 miles.

Apr. 7th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 189 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 386 miles.

Apr. 8th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 190 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 388 miles.

Apr. 9th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 191 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 390 miles.

Apr. 10th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 192 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 392 miles.

Apr. 11th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 193 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 394 miles.

Apr. 12th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 194 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 396 miles.

Apr. 13th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 195 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 398 miles.

Apr. 14th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 196 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 400 miles.

Apr. 15th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 197 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 402 miles.

Apr. 16th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 198 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 404 miles.

Apr. 17th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 199 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 406 miles.

Apr. 18th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 200 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 408 miles.

Apr. 19th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 201 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 410 miles.

Apr. 20th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 202 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 412 miles.

Apr. 21st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 203 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 414 miles.

Apr. 22nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 204 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 416 miles.

Apr. 23rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 205 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 418 miles.

Apr. 24th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 206 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 420 miles.

Apr. 25th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 207 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 422 miles.

Apr. 26th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 208 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 424 miles.

Apr. 27th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 209 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 426 miles.

Apr. 28th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 210 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 428 miles.

Apr. 29th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 211 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 430 miles.

Apr. 30th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 212 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 432 miles.

May 1st Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 213 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 434 miles.

May 2nd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 214 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 436 miles.

May 3rd Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 215 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 438 miles.

May 4th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 216 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 440 miles.

May 5th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Tunnel Hill at 12 M. Camped 217 miles beyond Tunnel Hill. Distance 442 miles.

May 6th Marched at 8 A.M. Road very muddy. Passed through Varnell's Station at 1 P.M. Camped 218 miles beyond Varnell's Station. Distance 444 miles.

May 7th

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119	Poyegay	Talairs maanem	Coollen & others	This land is being gradually washed away by Paulaar river from Fasly 1249 being close to the river	Poonjah	1	3½	1	4	Poonjah	Waste for 11 years	1	3½	1	11
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246	Nellee D°	Curnum D°	Mooneya Pillay	Baren and Stony	Poonjah	1	½	1	8¼	Poonjah	cultivated	1	"	1	8
				covered by the water of the Tank	Nunjah	2	9	3	5¼	Nunjah	D°	1	8½	3	4 6/16
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26	Sayatha vunnum	Curnums D°	Ramiah Pillay	Covered with the water of the Tank	Poonjah	2	7½	2	5½	Poonjah	D°	6	10	6	5¾
				Washed away by the Baboonady river and a supplying Channel	D°	4	2½	4	1/16						
						6	10	6	5¾						
				Covered with Sand and water from the Bahoonady River	Nunjah	"	9¾	2	3½	Nunjah	D°	"	9¾	"	3½
26	Sayatha vunnum	Notagars D°	Sarvanah Moodely	Washed away by inundation in Bahoonady river and a supplying Channel since Fasly 1254	Poonjah	2	4	2	2 2/16	Poonjah	D°	2	4	2	2 2/16
				Covered with Sand by inundation in the Bahoonady river in Fasly 1243.	Nunjah	"	8½	1	14 6/16	Nunjah	D°	"	8½	1	14 6/16
						16	7	19	13¾			26	5¾	19	12 2/16

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55	Auvance	Notugars maniem	Cootiachary	Covered with the water of Vilvaroyanellore Tank since Fasly 1234	Nunjah	"	4	1	3½	Nunjah	Waste for 3 years	"	4	"	13¼
44	Padayem bootoor	Monegars D°	Venkata Kistnah reddy and others	Covered with water in the Tank from many years	Poonjah	4	8	4	7	Poonjah	D°	4	8	4	7

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180	Veeranum Chetty	Nolagars Mannium	Venkatachel lum	Washed away by a Jungle Stream from Fusly 1255	Poonjah	2	4	2	6¾	Poonjah	Cultivated	2	4	1	11¼				
32	Munda colatoor	Monigars D°	Sabsien and others	Taken up for a supplying Channel and covered with water since Fusly 1253	D°	"	15	1	"	D°	Immemorial waste	"	11½	1	"				
43	Allumcara mugalum	Curnums D°	Venkataroyah Pillay	Cut up by a Jungle Stream supplying the Raulthum Tank	D°	"	9	"	6	D°	Waste for 3 years	2	4	1	6½				
				Barren and Stony	D°	1	11	1	1½										
						7	4	1	7½										
44	Mader mugalum	Monigars	Chengulroy Naick & others	Washed away by the rains and Covered with Bushes since Fusly 1245	D°	"	15	1	1	D°	Immemorial	"	15	1	1				
		Curnums D°	Sobaroyah Pillay and others	Washed away by the rains and covered with Bushes since Fusly 1242	D°	1	¼	1	2½	D°	D° D°	1	¼	1	2½				
		Nolagars D°	Munnan gutty	Washed away gradually by the water	Nunjah	"	2	"	10	Nunjah Pagagall Bunjer		"	2	"	8				
				Washed away by D° and Covered with water	Poonjah	1	"	1	8	Punjah	Immemorial waste	1	"	1	8				
42	Raulthum	Curnums D°	Venkata royah Pillay	Washed away by Jungle Stream Since Fusly 1245	D°	1	8	3	2½	D°	Poramboke recently assessed	4	8	2	10¾				
		Nolagars	D°	Covered with the water of the Sembemungalum Tank	Nunjah	"	11	2	4½	Nunjah	D° D°	"	11	1	10½				
						18	7¼	7	0 5½			18	3¾	17	14¾				
55	Valagem Caucum	Monigars D°	Shaslier Salvier	Covered with the water in the Tank from time to time	Poonjah	2	1	1	15¾	Nunjah	Cultivated	"	11½	1	15¾				
					Nunjah	"	15¼	5	15¼	D°	waste	"	15¼	5	15¼				
						3	¼	7	15			1	10¾	7	15				
		Curnums D°	Condapillay and Venkata chellum Pillay	Cut up by water in the Tank Since the grant of the Inam	Nunjah	"	3	"	8¼	Nunjah	Cultivated	"	3	"	8¼				
169	Malooroda talaar	Tookarys D°	Vagataun	Covered with the water of the Vellachary Tank since 15 years	D°	"	7¾	2	13 10/16	D°	waste	"	7¾	2	2				

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64	Vellachary	Curnums Manuem dah Pillay	Valagolun	Covered with the water in the Tank for 15 years	Poonjah	3	6	2	13/14	Poonjah	Cultivated	2	8/14	2	13/14		
62	Nulloor	D°	Manavala Pillay and Narain Pillay	Covered with the water in the Tank from time to time	D°	2	11	2	10	Nunjah	Cultivated	2	4	6	5 6/16		
					Nunjah	1	8	3	11 6/16								
						4	3	6	5 6/16								
96	Cavery paukum	D°	D° & D°	Covered with the water in the Tank every year	Poonjah	2	3	2	13/14	Poonjah	Bunjer for 20 years	1	10 3/14	2	13/14		
116	Audyanoor	Monigara Sashadry D° Iyengar		D° ——— D° ——— D° ———	Nunjah	1	4	1	1/2	Nunjah	waste	1	1/2	1	1/4		
		Curnums D°	Shasha Pillay	D° ——— D° ———	Nunjah	1	3	9	3/4	D°	Cultivated	1	14	3	9 3/4		
25	Vadanan-goor	D°	Davanayaca Pillay and Vencatadamy Pillay	D° ——— D° ——— D° ———	D°	1	7	8	1/2	D°	D°	1	7	8	1/2		
123	Meesanelloor	D°	Teroovengada Pillay and Ramasawmy Pillay	D° ——— D° ———	Poonjah	3	8	1	14 3/4	Poonjah	Cultivated waste for 10 years	1	13/4	1	15/4		
												1	6	1	15/2		
97	Codeyalum	D°	Ramiah Pillay and Veersawmy Pillay	D° Since Fusly 1236	Nunjah	1	1	2	1/2	Nunjah	Porumboke recently assessed	1	1	2	1/2		
99	Tacroo	Tookerys D°	Ragoopathe Naick and others	D° every year ———	D°	1	10/2	3	15 3/4	D°	Cultivated	1	6/4	1	15/2		
											waste	1	1	3	1/4		
100	Goodaloor	Curnums	Ragava Pillay	D° with the water in the Codeyalum Tank since 20 years ———	D°	1	6/2	1	10/4	D°	Cultivated	1	6/2	1	10/4		
122	Tellar	Tookerys D°	Naraniah Naick and Tandavan	Covered with the water in the Tank every year	Poonjah	2	8	2	6/2	Poonjah	waste	2	8	2	6/2		

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125	Vanacambady	Notagara Manium	Arnoogum	Covered with the water in the Tillary Tank	Nunjah	1	7 3/4		Nunjah	Cultivated	1	7 3/4				
87	Vellum	Curnums D°	Mooloo = swamy Pillay	Covered with water every year	Poonjah	1	8 1/4	1 3	Poonjah	D°		13 3/4	1 3			
		Tookeryi D°	Ungarum and others	D° Since Fusly 1236	D°	1	13 1/4	1 13 4/16	D°	Waste	1	13 1/4	1 13 4/16			
77	Maloopady	Curnums D°	Streene evasa Pillay	D° every year	D°		9	6 1/4	D°	D°		9	6 1/4			
		Notagara	Soobum	Covered with Sand since Fusly 1237	Nunjah		4	10	Nunjah	D°		2 1/2	10			
209	Kulsady	Curnums D°	Streene evasa Pillay	Covered with water every year	Poonjah		9	6 1/4	Poonjah	D°		9	6 1/4			
		Notagara D°	Soobum	Covered with Sand since Fusly 1237	Nunjah		4	10 3/4	Nunjah	D°		2 3/4	10 3/4			
94	Seevarum	Curnums	Terovenga da pillay	A part taken up for the Tangul newly enlarged and the rest Covered with the water in the Tank since Fusly 1251.	Poonjah	3	5 1/2	3 10 2/16	Poonjah	Cultivated		12 1/2	3 10 2/16			
		Tookeryi	Veerasawmy Naick	D° D°	Nunjah		1/2	1 2 3/4	Nunjah	D°		3/2	1 2 3/4			
72	Valamulloor	D°	Moonyum	Covered with the water in the Covelloor Tank every year	D°		8	1 13 3/4	D°	Immemorial		8	1 13 3/4			
72	Covelloor	Monigara D°	Anna = nastry and others	Covered with the water in the Tank every year	D°	2	1/4	7 11 4/16	D°	Cultivated	1	5 1/4	5 10/16			
										Waste		11	2 10 1/4			

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69	Annoo	the Curnum of	Coopiah Pillay	Covered with the water in the Tank every year	Nunjah	7	3/4	1	14 3/4	Nunjah	Immemorial	7	3/4	1	14 3/4
	To the	D.o Parry	payen	Cut up by water from the Calingalah of the Tank	D.o	5		1	3 3/4	D.o	D.o	5		1	5 3/4
18	Sataputty	Mongari D.o and	Ramasamier Ranier	Covered with the water in the Banaputt Tank	D.o	14 1/4		2	15/2	D.o	waste Cultivated	6 3/4 6		1	9 3/4 6 3/4
	Kolagars	Mootoosa		Covered with the water in the Tank since Fusly 1238	Poonjah	11 3/4		1	3 3/4	Poonjah	Waste for 10 years	11 3/4		1	3 3/4
15	Banaputtoo	Tookeys	Mooneyan	Included in the bank of the Tank partly and the rest made unfit by digging turfs thereform	Nunjah	8		1	19	Nunjah	Bunjer	1/2		1	12
						43	6/2	74	16/10			30	14	73	5/2

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61	Cullatoor	Curnum of D.o	Soobiah and others	Cut up by inundation in the river since Fusly 1249	Nunjah	2	7/2	3	16/16	Nunjah	Immemorial	2	7/2	3	16/16
114	Colunday	D.o	Soobroyah	Covered with the water in the Nagalapooram Tank since Fusly 1250	D.o	1	10/4	2	10 2/16	D.o	D.o	1	10/4	2	10 2/16
						4	1 3/4	5	11/2			4	1 3/4	5	11/2
17	Settychinta coopum	Curnum of D.o	Seetaramiah	Cut up by the water from the Calingalah of the Pipalah Tank in 1850	Nunjah	1 3/4		2 3/4		Nunjah	Cultivated	2/4		2 3/4	
54	Moodee madoogoo	D.o	Ramakist niah	Cut up by a Jungle stream & is too close to the Travellers Bungalow to be Cultivated	Poonjah	5	9	3	4	Poonjah	D.o waste	2 4/2	10 3/4 -	3	1/4 3 3/4
40	Audenapully	D.o	Sashachel liah	Cut up by the flow of water from a high ground from time to time	D.o	1	3		7	D.o	Waste for 7 years	1	3		7
48	Nernepully	D.o	D.o	D.o Since 1845	D.o	2		2	2	D.o	D.o for 8 D.o	1	6/2	2	2

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Ordered that the foregoing letter be submitted with the following address.—

No. 353.

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 from the Acting Collector of North Arcot forwarding a Statement of the lands proposed to be granted in lieu of Village Service Enams which from various causes have been rendered unfit for Cultivation.—

2 The extent and value of the land thus exhibited as unserviceable amounts to 298—1½ Cawnies assessed at Rupees 1320—12—7, in lieu of which, it is proposed to grant 271 Cawnies bearing an assessment of Rupees 1294—8—1 The Acting Collector states that the latter includes 65 Cawnies of Cultivated land, but that either the Enamdars themselves are its Puttahdars, or the several holders have consented to give it up.

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Bd. No. 1628

To the Chief Secy. to Government

Submitting with the Board's communication a letter from the Actg Collr. of North Arcot forwarding a statement of the lands proposed to be granted in lieu of Village Service Enams which from various causes have been rendered unfit for Cultivation.

dated 20th June 1853

20th June 1853. R. B. Jr. (Signed) H. A. Brett

Acting Collr.

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Memorandum of Lands rendered unfit for Cultivation by Simple Means since 1818.

In Chittoor Taluk granted

			Cawnies	as	Rupees
5	1¾	4¾	Cawnies	as	Rupees 3012-2
13	15½	10 10¾			
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Acting Collr.

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I have the honor to be Sir Your most obedient Servant (Signed) H. A. Brett Acting Collr.

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Acting Collr.

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in lieu of the uncultivable Service Enams of the North Arcot District agreeably to the Statement forwarded by the Acting Collector—

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
1st August 1853.....

(Signed) W. H. Bayley
Secretary.

Read the following letters.

No. 58

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

B. No. 1988.

From the Pt. Coll. of
North Arcot.

Sir

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Adverting to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated the 7th Instant, authorizing the sale on the 8th Proximo of certain Villages in the Carvetnaghur Zemindary on account of the decree in Suit No. 34 of 1848 on the file of the Civil Court, I have the honor to request with reference to paras 7 and 15 of my letter dated 15th March last. No. 18 that the Board of Revenue will favor me previous to the date of sale with their instructions

3

The causes that have led to the abandonment of the original Enams are detailed in the Statement herewith Submitted although some of them are such as hardly to give the holders of the lands a claim for compensation still as the object is to provide an adequate Remuneration for services rendered to the State or the Village Community, the Board do not consider that circumstance a sufficient Reason for rejecting the application

4.

The exception perhaps is No. 4 of the Triveellum Talook where the Land was given in Enam to a Vedanurty or Expounder of the Vedas The Board do not think the Government called on to grant another Enam on account of the land formerly given having been washed away by a flood—

5.

Under these circumstances and with reference to Extract Minutes Consultation dated 2d October 1850, the Board beg to recommend that sanction may be granted for the appropriation of fresh lands in

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instructions, as to whether the Villages may be sold each separately, or together in one lot, or divided into 2 lots as proposed in para 7, and whether I have any discretion allowed me for purchasing them on account of the Government

North Arcot
Collector's Cutcherry
Palmanair,
27th July 1853
Bt. No. 1634

/Signed/ H. A. Brett
Acting Collector

Proceedings thereon.

(20-21)

The Board are of opinion that it will be better to divide the Villages in two lots.

2. If they are so situated as to form a Compact portion; favourably situatied for revenue management, the Board will leave it to the Acting Collector's discretion to purchase on account of Government.—

No. 57

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

Sir

With reference to the

(22)

B. No. 1994
From the Actg Collr
of North Arcot

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated the 28th October last, Communicating an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Public Department dated the 1st June 1852. No. 505, and requesting me to report upon the expediency of having the Regulations acts referred to in a Memorial presented to Government by the uncovenanted Servants, extended to this Presidency

I have the honor to observe that the question in regard to this District, is confined to the appointment of Deputy Collectors and Deputy Magistrates—

2 I am of opinion that the present grades of Subordinate Native Servants in the Revenue and Police Departments are sufficient for all such duties, that there is no want of any intermediate Class between the Tahsildars or the Heads of Police, and their present European heads, and that any defects in the working of the present System may be best Corrected by enlarging the number of Servants in some of the grades, and by raising the general scale of remuneration.

North Arcot
Collr Cutcherry Palmanair
27th July 1853

/Signed/ H. A. Brett
Actg Collector

Ordered thereon

(22-23)

Ordered to lie over

Read

Read the following letter
No. 58.

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

(24)

Bd. No. 1936.
From the Collector of South Arcot.

Sir,

I have the honor to state that it has been necessary to suspend Madava Row Tahsildar of the Chairpet Taluk, pending an enquiry into charges against him for misconduct and neglect of duty. When the investigation is complete such report as the circumstances may require, will be made to the Board.

South Arcot,
Collr. Cutcherry,
Cuddalore,
21st July 1853.
Bd. No. 1623.

/ Signed / E. Maltby
Collector

Proceedings thereon
(24-25)

The Board will await the receipt of the further report promised in the foregoing letter.

Read the following letter
No. 65

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

(26)

Bd. No. 1895.
From the Actg. Collr. of Tanjore.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform

you that as the List for June 1853 can not be fixed until after the completion of the Summabundy accounts for the past fasly, the preparation of which will be delayed by the adjustment directed in the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board dated 23d February 1852, the transmission of the Statement of Demand Collection, and Balance for that Month will be delayed for a few days beyond the time prescribed in the the Board's Circular letter of 30th May last. Every exertion will however be made to expedite the transmission of the account.

Tanjore
Vadaramniem
16th July 1853.

/ Signed / Ho. Forbes
Acting Collector

Order thereon
(26-27)

Ordered to be recorded

Read the following letter
No. 37 of 1853.

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

(28)

Bd. No. 815.
From the Collr. of Madura.
Reporting on Government Petition No. 90 of 1851 preferring a claim for an

Sir,

With reference to the Endorsement thereon I have the honor to

on the part of Durmakurta of Peramalay. Devastanum to the Village of Paundagoody in possession of Government.

Herewith returned

to report on Government Petition No. of preferring a claim on the part of Durmakurta of Perainmalay Devastanum to the Village of Paundagoody in possession of Government

2 This Village is one of the 99 villages noticed in Statement No. 2 submitted to the Board on the 11th October 1816 and it is therein noticed in Para 20 of my Report dated 11th April 1819 "One" of the 23 Villages belonging to the Perinamalay Devastanum but no disbursement has been made from its income inconsequence of that Institution being largely Endowed in the Shevagunga Zemindary. It may therefore be retained for the benefit of Government.—

3. The Board in reply states that they could not pass any orders upon the subject of these 99 Villages until they should have ascertained the pleasure of Government upon the General Question of the restoration of landed Endowments of this description

4. Pandangoody is a Hamlet of the Shrotriem Village of Covilpuddy in the Nuttam Division of the Manargoire Talook. It has been in the hands of

of Government ever since the Cession of the Country and no disbursements have ever been made from its income towards the Perainmallay Devastanum.

5. There is no Sunnud forthcoming, but Petitioner asserts that it was given to the abovementioned Institution by a former Zemindar of Nuttum, and his Statement derives support from the accounts of Fusly 1211, which specify the Hamlet in question as belonging to the Perainmalay Devastanum—

6. The Petitioners Statement that it was not Rusted till 1212 by Mr. Hurdis is however contradicted by the accounts, for there are on Record accounts of its settlement in Fusly 1210. It must therefore have been in the hands of the Zemindar of Nuttum and assumed by the Government with the rest of the Zemindary in 1799 under the circumstances stated in my report to the Board of the 17th August 1848. Consequently it was sequestered before the Enactment of Regulation ~~XXXI~~ of 1802, and the condition contained in

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in Section II of that Regulation Viz: that the lands "may not have been rated and assessed for the public Revenue "since the period of those dates" would therefore seem unfulfilled, unless the Board consider that the specification of its being the property of the Devastanum in the subsequent Account of Fasly 1213 which is on Record is a sufficient acknowledgment of the fact.—

7. In that case it will have to be considered further whether the facts of there being no Sunnud and no grant asserted save that of a Zemindary bar the Petitioners claim, should these objections be negatived the right to Government is still as strong to retain this Village as it is to resume any other Devastanum Emoluments which are shewn to be in excess of the amount required for their support such a right has been recently asserted and acted upon/ and it is an indubitable fact that no part of the Income of the Village has ever been disbursed for the purpose of this Devastanum since it/ the Village/ came into the hands of the British Government

Madura
2d March 1853

/Signed/ R. D. Parker
Collector

(28-29)
Order thereon.
T.R.

Ordered to lie over

Fort St. George 1st August 1853—

Read the following letter—

No. 50.

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

(30)

Bd. No. 1878
From the Collector of Coimbatore—

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 30th ultimo, I have the honor to forward an application in the prescribed form as therein directed, for the proposed increase of salary to Lieutenant Michael.

Coimbatore,
Collector's Office,
Pulachy,
11th July, 1853—

/Signed/ C. B. Thomas
Collector—

Proposition

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Lieutenant Michael Superintendent of ... Forests in the District ... on for increase of Salary to ...

Charges.						Revenue.				
Ordinary.	Extra Ordinary.	Total.		Net.		Ordinary.	Extra Ordinary.			
		Revenue.	Charges.	Surplus.	Def...					
"	"	"	"	"	"	149	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	150	"	"	"	"
"	"	23163 - 3	"	"	"	151	"	"	"	"
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... of Charge.

Proposition.										Casual or Extra Ordinary.	Grounds of proposition.	...n Home ...ent of ...end, Date.	Office to which the proposition Number refers.	Nat...
Permanent.				Temporary.										
Present scale.	Proposed scale.	Increase per Month.		Decrease per Month.		Increase per Month.		Decrease per Month.						
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150 - -	250 - -	100 - -									The proposed ... of salary is neces... in consideration ... arduous and d... duties of Lieute... Michael in the ... and of the Profits d... to Government ... services. (Signed) E. B.	Aramalla Superin... tendent's Office under the Control of the Collector of Coimbatore.	Lieut... nant Micha... Superi... tende... of Arana... Fore...

Coimbatore, 11th July 18...

August 1853.

...ests in the Districts of Coimbatore

...ual ... tra ...linary.	Grounds of proposition.	Local Govern: ments recom: mend: ation.	Orders of Government of India. Home Department. Remarks.	Financial Depart: ment. Remarks.	Orders.
	The proposed increase of salary is necessary in consideration of the arduous and difficult duties of Lieutenant Michael in the Forests and of the Profits derived to Government by his Services.. (Signed) E. B. Thomas Collector.				Ordered

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

N. 352

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

(30-31)

Bd. N. 1819.

To the Chief Secretary to Government—

Submitting with the Board's recommendation correspondence with the Collector of Coimbatore respecting an increase of salary to Lieutenant Michael Superintendent of Ammiallly Forests.

From Coimbatore 1st in Cons: 30th June 1853
Proceedings 30th June—
From 11th July in Cons: 1st August 1853.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the correspondence noted in the margin, respecting an increase of salary to Lieutenant Michael, Superintendent of Ammiallly Forests.

2. The allowance enjoyed by this Officer at present as Superintendent of Forests, is Rupees 150 per mensem, which is represented to be quite inadequate to meet his Extra expenses in Servants, Supplies, Carriage &c. The Collector of Coimbatore bears testimony to the very efficient manner in which Lieut. Michael discharges his responsible and arduous duties, and attributes the success of the experiment of the Ammiallly Forests to his Zeal and indefatigable

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indefatigable exertions.

3. Under these circumstances the Board beg to recommend that sanction be obtained for the proposed increase of Rupees 100 per mensem, to Lieutenant Michael's Salary for which purpose a Tabular Statement in the prescribed form is herewith submitted.

4. With reference to the above recommendation, I am instructed to bring to the notice of Government, that Mr. Poulten Conservator of Forests, under the Collector of Canara, recently received an increase of Rupees 200 to his salary of Rupees 300 paid by the Bombay Government. The aggregate amount, the Board believe, at present drawn by Lieutenant Michael does not exceed Rupees 375 per mensem, Viz. Rupees 225 as a Lieut. and Rupees 150 as Superintendent of the Forests.

From Govt. 7th in Cons: 21st March 1853.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 1st August, 1853—

(Signed) W. H. Bayley Secretary.

Read the following letter

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Bd. N. 1915

From the Collector of Coimbatore.

N. 52

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

Sir,

I beg to recommend for the Board's

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Board's consideration, a letter from the Reverend Mr Griffiths applying (vide 1st para) for 27 Cawnies of Land near his Cottage (Mr Griffiths' sketch and description is appended.-

Coimbatore,
Collector's Office,
Palachy,
13th July, 1853.

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector.

No 1

To, the Collector of
Coimbatore.

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will do me the favor to submit to the Board of Revenue an application on my behalf of a Grant by public auction of a portion of the waste Land which adjoins my small property called Neaves Cottage. I would beg leave to confine my application to the quantity I formerly applied for or thereabouts referring to the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue cited in the Margin, I observe that my formerly expressed desire to hold a larger tract (54 Cawnies) has not been viewed with favor by Government, nor has it been supported by your recommendation.

Extract
Dated 9th June 1851
and 10th April 1851.
No 168 Minutes of
Consultation 23rd May
1851.
The Collector objects to the quantity as too great (54 Cawnies) for one individual.

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2 The Board state they see no reason why Mr Griffiths should not acquire it under the Rules.
3 The Government think sufficient weight has not been given to the Collector's objections, and observe that by the Plan, the land would include the great "Northern Road" and intercourse Government permit Mr Griffiths to hold the 1-20-2337 "--" referred to in Para 3 of the Board's Proceedings.- The Government objects to Mr Griffiths holding the land for a farm, he being a public servant.

recommendation.

As I am anxious to avoid causing trouble by creating a necessity for reference to lengthy documents. I will only here briefly state the reasons which induce me to desire an extension of my limits. My present property comprises only 3 cawnies and a few feet and is so extremely circumscribed that it admits of the addition of none of those comforts, and conveniences which become necessary to a family located in the remote situation which my house occupies, and in which, as you are aware, difficulties are experienced in procuring supplies unknown to Europeans whose dwellings are nearer to the Public Bazars. My servants are obliged to be located on the spot, and supplies provided for them, for some time, and I have to pay them higher wages than those whose families can live in the Bazars, which is too far for them to

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to reach after nightfall. I am unable to enclose and plant pasturage land for cattle, and no means are offered me of extending for any sufficient purpose the at present very limited garden cultivation which I have been enabled to carry on, my garden being traversed by no less than 8 or 9 public paths which I have no desire to shut up. I am prohibited gathering firewood from the jungles near my house although the forests near me abound with fallen and decayed trees, and are untraversed by man and out of sight and infested with wild animals. Formerly I had permission to cut wood in this direction under judicious provisos / which I am not aware were ever abused / in the same manner as the inhabitants of the Cantonment are permitted as those living in the opposite quarter. and this was some protection from their attacks But now to obtain one Cart load of wood. I am obliged to send into, and this and five miles beyond the Cantonment, involving a delay of two days, and quadrupling the expence of obtaining that necessary commodity over those who are more favorably situated. Even the

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trees from time to time blown down in my garden have been taken away, and sold by auction by the Circar Peons and the proceeds carried to the account of Government. On one occasion 2 fine young timber trees were felled by the Peons and sold on account of Government.

My wife is in a very infirm state of health, and my medical adviser informs me that removal to an European climate can never be safely ventured upon to benefit her case — that in fact these Hills must be constituted her permanent residence and I must therefore myself be considered a prospective Settler. Under these circumstances I trust I may be pardoned for venturing to press for the favorable consideration by the Board, of the natural anxiety I feel to surround her with such comforts, as, are within my means to command and to render my habitation and property as complete as the aspect of agricultural appliances on these Hills admits.

It was with this view before me that I made use of the word "farm" commented on in Para 4 Minutes Consultation implying that I desired to convert the land I applied for into

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a self supporting farm or glebe, whose pro
should supply all the household wants of my
family and render them independent
foreign aid; half the extent of it being
apportioned for a plantation and
or clearing, which would in a short t
supply me with fuel. I may also rema
that in applying for so much land as
54 Caunies I had another object in vi
that of establishing a right to cut a
road to my property from the Church,
Public Office and Great Bazar, which
while it was of importance to me, shou
confer great advantages to the Public a
who would thus have opened up to them
all the Northern Downs hitherto little
known and utterly impractable for
wheeled carriages. This I have been com
pelled to do at a great expense by
purchase of land from private individu
and by incurring obligations of various de
-criptions - all causing great inconveni
to myself, while as you are aware, the
measure has added greatly to the advan
of communication already enjoyed by the
Public at this Station. I have expend
considerable sums of money from my
own private resources in bringing clear
-ness I discovered and traced with

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Government had supposed that that land applied for would include the great Northern Road and sundry streams.

much tedious labour / thro' my land and the tract adjoining, and in cutting paths, and traces of future carriage roads - not, as I have been slanderously reported, for my own selfish advantage, but with a view to the furtherance of the general measures of improvement which must sooner or later be carried out in Ootacamund and because I felt it but right that while I was unable to prosecute the duties of my calling, I should endeavour to serve the Government, whose bread I was eating, in such way as I could - and, having the intention of clearing, grassing and planting and irrigating the portion I sought to obtain possession of - giving thereby much occupation to the labouring classes of the Settlement, and improving the property of Government. I trust and hope this indulgence will not be denied me -

It may not be irrelevant here to remark that I am aware you have been impressed with the idea that the operations in regard to water channels and roads, alluded to in the preceding para: were entered upon by me without due authority, influenced by which

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you thought it right to arrest them, and
therefore take advantage of this opportu
to represent that not only had I the full
currence in and the approval of the then
Joint Magistrate, and Civil Engineer of
the measures I engaged to carry out, but
were inspected by the latter on all occa
and those Officers were prepared to testify
their support of them by recognizing the good
Northern Road which I had / entirely at my
expence / cut, as a Public one, while they pro
to acknowledge the benefits conferred on
munity by the water channels I had estab
by defraying the cost of the work, as well a
that of the Road, on an Estimate, out of the P
Funds. Government are pleased in the Min
consultation cited above to animadvert on the
apparent discrepancy in the Statements ad
vanced by me, when seeking formerly to ob
a grant for the large Tract. I beg leave to
observe that in my application in Apr
1850 I referred only to my desire to lay out
various lines of road which the Civil En
gineer had not time to attend to but whic
he thought it desirable, should be secured,

of irrigating channels, because I deemed it
unnecessary to trouble Government with more
lengthy representations, that, in my second
application, I alluded to the requirements of
a farm because I was in expectation of my
family being increased by the arrival of my
sister from England whom I wished to settle
on these Hills, either with or near my own
family, and who has the means of keeping
a farm, and also by the immigration of a
Gentleman holding the situation of Astro=
nomer at the Cape of Good Hope, who propose
residing here and teaching pupils.

The land I at first applied for was
the least quantity requisite to carry out these
views, and amounted to 32 Cawnies, which quan
=tity the then Collector told me I might proceed
to improve, but, that pending the survey, he
could not put it up to Auction, he gave me
to understand, however, that there would
doubtless be no objection to my ultimately
acquiring it, under circumstances so very
advantageous to the settlement, and on the
faith of this encouragement I have
expended a large sum in enlarging

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my house for the reception of a large family, and with a view to its isolated position, in addition to the sums expended on the land and neighbourhood. This application for 32 Cannues was also favorably viewed by yourself in the first instance, and it was not until I requested 20 Cannues to be added, that I was unfortunate enough to lose your recommendation; I much regret therefore that I did not more fully explain that these 20 Cannues were to be entirely devoted to plantations rendered necessary by the recent stringent rules regarding fuel, and at this distance from the woods, allotted for that purpose, forms a serious item in my domestic expenses, to which the rest of the community are not subjected.—

Disappointments in the prospect I had in view, induces me now to circumscribe my desired holding, and, unless the Board should feel satisfied with my present explanation, to alter the extent of land now applied for to whatever quantity they may be pleased to grant.

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In conclusion it is scarcely necessary to add as you are well acquainted with the locality, that as my house is without the limits of the Cantonment and in the opposite direction of Coonoor Kotagherry and the New Barracks and lying therefore remote from those parts most in requisition for building and public use, my acquisition of the tract in question / not even the larger one formerly sought / deprives no person nor the Public of any advantages present or prospective, in the form of roads, water channels, wood or pasture - the present grass is unnutritive, and the Downs in the neighbourhood, afford and extent of grazing ground uninterrupted for more than 30 Miles west, and as many eastwards to such herds of cattle, as may resort to that part of the Settlement, or rather, of its environs, and more than adequate to their utmost requirements.—

Ootacamund,
7th June 1853

/Signed/ John Griffiths

/A true Copy/

/Signed/ C.B. Thomas
Collector

The

B° N° 1638

Proceedings (32-33)

Inbans 9th June 1851.

thereon,

The Board of Revenue request that the Collector will be pleased to state what with reference to Contract Minutes of Consultation dated 23d May 1851 N° 288, there exists no objection to the grant of the land applied for by the Revd Mr Griffiths, beyond the fact of its being in excess of the authorized Maximum.— They would also wish to be informed whether the boundary of the land more distinctly shown than is done at present in the sketch which accompanied the foregoing letter.—

Read again letter from the Collector of Malabar dated 14th February, and entered in Consultation 7th March 1853:—

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.—

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B° N° 1631

To the Collector of Malabar

Inbans 7th March 1853.

To The Collector of Malabar.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated 14th February 1853, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will be good enough to submit a Statement in the prescribed form for the alterations in the Salaries of the Sheristadar, Peishcars of Ponany and Cannanore, in order that the Sanction of the Government of India may be obtained for the same.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St George, 1st August 1853.

[Signed] W. H. Bayley Secretary.—

T.R.

Read the following letters

No 7.

To W. H. Bayley Esqre

Secretary to the Board of Revenue

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B° N° 1456.

From Acting Collr of Madras

Reporting further on the Stamping Department of this Office and recommending the introduction of a revised Table of fees from the commencement of the ensuing Fasly.

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Boards Proceedings dated 20th Ultimo conveying the orders of Government dated 20th April upon the Stamping Department in the Office.—

2. In conformity with these orders I submit a revised table of fees, which may be brought into operation, if approved, from the Commencement of the following Fasly.—

3. Besides the fees mentioned in the Table sent with Mr Huddleston's letter dated 14th November 1851 there still continues to be levied the anomalous charge called "Kuttanum," termed in the former Tariffs, "Annual allowance". On every Bakery, when first established 8 Pagodas annually afterwards, 3 Pagodas; on every Bereal annually 2 Pagodas; on each Butcher's shop annually 2 Fanams.— This omission appears to have been through oversight. The accounts do not show this item distinctly, but it amounts to a considerable

considerable sum.—

4 It will be observed that I propose to fix a uniform fee of 1 anna for every time the Seal is affixed whether to Weights or Measures, a daily fee being charged on new articles: and to remit the Kuttanum altogether.—

5 I have to explain that although our Tariff still in force mentions appears of all the various kinds of Weights and Measures noticed by the Board in Para 14, yet no other Standards of adjustment have for a very long been recognised in this Office. than those of the Mercal, Madras Viss and Pagoda Weights with the Cubit, English yard, Gallons and Pounds Avoirdupois. The wishes of the Board have there-fore been anticipated except so far as regards the use of the Pagoda Weight, and I would beg to recommend that for public convenience this may still be continued. I conclude also that it is not meant to discontinue the adjustment of the Madras Cubit, and the English yard, Gallon and Pound Avoirdupois.

6. With respect to the Madras Viss I would again observe that as it is exactly 50 Avoirdupois and the Maund 25 it is in fact the most convenient link that

that we can ever hope to find between the most extensively used Weights of South India and Britain.— I cannot but think that in proposing another standard founded on the basis of the Tola, which in no point coincides with Avoirdupois Weight, the Committee must have overlooked the existence of the peculiar advantage of the old established and widely known Madras Weights. I am informed that English Avoirdupois Weight is well known in the Bazar, and it will be obviously easy to bring it into still further use by employing it in public transactions. To employ the new Bengal Viss for this purpose causes a greater disturbance of existing usage than to introduce English Weights altogether, while it is attended with no other benefit that I am aware of, except that of being tested by Rupees, a test which can be just as easily applied to the Madras Viss.—

7 The unclaimed articles referred to in Para 13 of Extract Minutes Consultation dated 20th April 1853, will be advertized and disposed of as directed.—

8. The Collection and payment to

to the Ramasawmy Pagoda of the Magana[illegible] is stopped.

9 As all Weights and Measures now re=quired to be stamped will if my recommen=dation is acceded to, continue to be so, I do think the Establishment can well be reduced. If it is to be optional with the Shopkeepers to attend for the purpose of getting their Weights and measures Stamped, the Peons may be dispensed with, but this will probably prove a tant amount to the abolition of the Collection and in this case I should suppose that as the duty of the enforcing just Weights and Measures clearly devolves on the Police, the examination and adjustment of them may also be left to that Department. It seems originally to have been assigned to the Collector of Land Customs for the reasons mentioned by Mr. Collector Ellis in Para 23 of his letter dated 28th January 1811. namely that on account of economy as well as regularity levies of all denominations if forming a part of the public Revenue, should be made under one authority. But these reasons will now in a great measure cease to apply. —

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10 I may here mention that I have refer=red to the Assay Master on the subject of the errors which appeared to exist in the Standard Polam Weights of the Office as stated in my letter of the 30th Ultimo. —

Madras, 4th June 1853 } /Signed/ H. Stokes
Acting Collector

Proposed new Tariff for the Stamping Department. —

From the 12th July 1853 the fees collected for Stamping Weights & Measures are to be.

For every article Stamped whether Weight measure or Vessel ..... one Anna. —

On every Do — Do when Stamped for the first time ..... Two Annas —

No charge will hereafter be made on Bakeries, Mercals or Butchers Shops under the name of Kuttanum. —

No Magama fee will hereafter be received on ac=count of the Ramasawmy Pagoda. —

The Standards of adjustment kept in the Stamp=ing Department are —

1 The Madras Weight Set. —

2 The Pagoda Weight Set. —

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3 The Pound, Avoirdupois Set.—
4 The Madras Mercal Set.—
5 The Madras Cubit.—
6 Yard Measure.—
7 English Gallon Set.—

Madras,
4 June 1853. } (Signed) H. Stokes
Acting Collector.—

No. 1625
Proceedings thereon. The Board approve of the pro-
posed Tariff as recommended by the Coll
but parties bringing vessels or weights to be
tested should be informed that a proper
standard will ere long probably be fixed diff
slightly from the present.—

2. The Board do not consider it necessary
to enter upon the subject adverted to in para
6 of the Acting Collectors letter, but they would
observe that the Committee by no means
overlooked the peculiarities of the Madras
Weights but there were circumstances in favor
of a Tola Standard which made it desira
-ble in the opinion of very high authorities
to give it the preference. — The "viss"
is a weight unknown in Bengal.—

3. The Board consider it expedient
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(in reference to para 9 of the Acting Collectors
letter) to continue the Establishment of
Peons for the present.— They may be made
available for the purpose of checking false
weights and measures, and bringing offenders
before the Police.—

4. The Collector is requested to for-
-ward to the Board any information
received from the Assy Master as alluded
in the last para of his letter.— It may be
well to notice that the true Star Pago-da
weight is 52.56 grains, so that the Standard
tested at the Mint is correct, which gave—
2.923 Tolas† — In practice how-
-ever it appears to have
been found that 3,200 of
these — i.e. 1 Maund
did not come in quite
to 25 lbs avoirdupoise

† para 4 of Collector's letter of 30th May 1853.

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The larger weight
was therefore taken
as a Standard,
the Pagoda weighing
54-7- grains which
made the Follow
1/4 ounces Avoirdupois
exactly and the
Maund 25 lbs
exactly.

To

J.R.

No. 114.

(37)

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

Sir,

3d No. 1925.
From the Pr. Coll. of Madras
Reporting that Mr. D'Silva who has been claiming a certain quantity of land at Veyasapady has been directed to assume possession of it and take out a certificate from the Office on his paying the arrears of Revenue due on the land.

To B.	27th Novr. 1845
To D.	10th Decr. D.
To D.	26th Jany. 1846
To D.	2d Feby. D.
From D.	2d March D.

With reference to the correspondence noted in the Margin I have the honor to report for the information of the Board, that I have received an application of which a Copy is forwarded from Mr. D'Silva to be put in possession of the 10 Cawnies of land at Vayasapady standing in the name of Nagamani Moodelly Grant No. 754.-

2. Since the receipt of the Board's Orders in this matter dated 2d March 1846, the land in question has continued to be let out annually on Payacarry tenure to Aroonachella Graniny.-

3. The annual Demand Collection and accumulated balance as entered in the margin under this arrangement shew the inutility of continuing it. Moreover the New Act does not appear to me to provide for the Segregation

Fusles.	Demand.	Collection	Balance.
1256	17 8 2	2 2 "	15 6 2
1257	17 8 2	4 7 2	13 1 "
1258	17 8 2	4 9 9	12 14 5
1259	17 8 2	2 5 6	15 2 8
1260	17 8 2	17 8 2	" " "
1261	17 8 2	17 8 2	" " "
Rupees-	105 1 "	48 8 9	56 8 3

Sequestration of Lands for Arrears of Quit Rent and their Cultivation by tenants holding from Government. I have therefore informed Mr. D'Silva that the land will not for the present fusly be let to any Payacary tenant, and that it will be free to him on his own responsibility to take possession of it, and apply in the regular course prescribed to this department, to have a Certificate of Transfer made out in his name. The usual notices will then be issued, and should his application be opposed, it will be disposed of in the usual manner, and the right to the land will most probably be finally settled. The outstanding arrears for the last six fuslies will be paid up by the successful party. -

There was also a balance on the two last Fuslies which has only been paid two days ago since the matter was taken up. -

4. It seems likely that the high Quit rent formerly operated to deter the owner of the land from incurring any expenditure on it. But the rent has now been reduced to the moderate sum of Pd. Rs. 1.12.- a Cawny and it is understood that some of the land is required for the rail way. -

Madras 21st July 1853.

(Signed) H. Stokes.
Acting Collector.

No. 1.

No. 1.

H. Stokes Esqre.
Acting Collector of Madras.

Sir,

With reference to Mr. Hudleston's letter to me of the 25th August 1846 and adverting to Endorsement made by the Secretary to the Board of Revenue under date the 5th July on my letter to him of the 26th June of the same year, I beg to state that I am precluded from adopting Proceedings in the Civil Court as therein required against T. Sundra Moodelly in consequence of the land at Vasherpaddy claimed by me not being in his possession and an appeal at Law is to be made, the action, as I am informed would be against the Government the land being in your possession as its Officer and which you have no right to retain or to let for the following reasons. -

1. You are aware that Naganany the Grand Father of Sundra in whose name the Governor in Council issued the Grant No. 754 had by an Endorsement on the back of the said Grant made on the 5th October 1811 in the presence of F. W. Ellis Esqre. then Collector of Madras sold.

sold and transferred the said land to Cundapah Graming for consideration acknowledged to have been received in his presence. This Sale on Endorsement was registered in your Transfer Book No. 2314 Volume 3 Fol. 65 in consequence of which the Quit Rent Bills have been lately issued to the present day in the name of Cundapah Graming thereby acknowledging the right of the latter to the said land and consequently of his heirs and Assigns.-

Extract of a Grant No. 754 issued by Lord Clive and his Colleagues to Nagamany and his Assigns Vide Grant No. 1.-

The said President in Council for Himself on behalf of the said Company do promise covenant and agree to and with the said Nagamany Moodelly his Heirs Executors Administrators & Assigns that the said Nagamany Moodelly, his Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns paying the said yearly rent and sums reserved and performing the Covenants herein before contained which on his and their part and behalf are or ought to be paid performed and kept shall & may from time to time and at all times hereafter for and during the term of this Demise peaceably and quietly have hold use, occupy, possess and enjoy the said piece or Parcel of Ground with the Appurtenances without the Let, Suit, Trouble, Ejection or disturbance of the said Company or any person or persons whatever lawfully claiming or to claim by from or under them.-

2d That the tenor of the said Grant and Indenture No. 754 quoted in the Margin issued by the Right Honble the Governor in Council is such that they covenant & acknowledge peaceably & quietly to leave the said Nagamany or his Assigns in the possession of the land in question.

question for a period of 99 years and that the Heirs or Assigns of the said Nagamany is peaceably and quietly to have hold and occupy the said piece of Ground without suit or disturbance or Hinderance on the part of the said Company or any person or persons lawfully claiming by from or under them on any pretence whatsoever. It is therefore just that neither you nor any other Officer of Government should violate the said Covenant and subject the Government to an action of Trespass or Ejectment by me the Assignee of the said Nagamany acting in violation of the Covenant above specified you will likewise find that the Land in question was sequestered for arrears of Rent by your Predecessor subsequent to the transfer made to Cundapah Gramany (ie subsequent to October 1811) consequently the sequestration was made from him the said Cundapah who had possession of the said Land I, therefore beg to submit that the Officers of Government are equitably bound to acknowledge him as the Assignee of Nagamany after the registration made by Mr. Ellis in the name of the said Cundapah and to him or his Heirs or Assigns alone you are bound

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to return the said Land and to no other person, but if your Predecessor Mr. Ellis has erred in this respect by issuing these Quit Rent Bills in the name of Nagoma in violation of the rules of your Office the fact of your Predecessor Mr. Hudleston having lately at my instance corrected this error is an evident proof of his having admitted my right in a legal point of view and this error I regret to say has misled the Revenue Board as this fact was not brought at the time to the notice of the Board.

3. That as an Officer of the said Honorable Company your Predecessor had some time in 1838 or 39 by order of the Revenue Board with the view of conforming to the tenor of Grants of the description under reference called on the Proprietors of the several Lands at Vasherpadoy by an Istiarnamah to produce their respective Sittes and to take possession of their lands as the Government had justly given up the sequestration of the said Lands for arrears of Quit Rent then due thereon when the Land Tax was reduced to half a Pagoda a Cawney

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and tho' Sundra had never produced to you a single Sitte, simply because he had petitioned you in 1842 or thereabout that his Sitte Deeds were lost your predecessor gave him the possession of the land in question but when my application and the Original Deeds were produced by me a year or two after you had ejected him out of the possession of the land and tho' I as the Assignee of Cundapah had produced the Original Grant No. 1. and the Assignment No. 2 now sent for reference my right as Assignee of Cundapah Granny in conformity to the Covenant of the said Grant and in violation of the tenor of the Istiarnamah above referred to has not been acknowledged.

4. That in violation of the tenor of the said Grant No. 754 issued by the Governor in Council and that the said Istiarnamah issued by you, you continued to let the said land on Pycarry tenure as waste land to Arnachellum with the privity of the Board of Revenue thus subjecting Government to a prosecution at Law from me by virtue of the Assignment No. 2 made over to me by Lawmy Naden Grand Son and legal Heir of the said Cundapah Granny in whose name the Quit Rent Bills are issued to

+ Vide your letter to me the 26th March 1846.

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to the present day.

I find by your Predecessor's Commun=
=cation of the 25th. August 1840 that he is=
=thorized to act under orders of the Board of Re=
and that my right should be established before
"proper Tribunal". In reply I beg to state as
what I have distinctly proved that the Co=
entered into by the Governor in Council on
has been violated by it's Officers I conte=
the Right Honorable the Governor in Coun=
the best and proper Civil Tribunal in
matters I submit that they ought to be
made acquainted with the nature of my
case before proceedings could be adopte=
by me. I feel satisfied that the nature
tenor of their covenant have been viol=
which was not brought fully to their
notice had this been done the Governor
Council would at once have seen their
and mine after the Legal opinion that might
be obtained from their Solicitor of a pretend=
claim alleged by Sundra on a Spurious
Document or simply on the score that
the Quit Rent Bills were issued by the
Collector in the name of Naganany he
ought to seek redress at Law against
the Heirs of Cundapah Granny and not

from

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from me nor the Government who is a third
party in the case and when no claim was preferred
for upwards of 20 years as the Transfer made
by Naganany to Cundapah for the consideration
acknowledged to have been received in the
presence of Mr. Collector Ellis (see No. 1) and
registered in your Office is too glaring to be
disputed as well as the Assignment (No. 2) from
Cundapah's Heir in my favor and even if the said
Sundra has a Shadow of right to proceed against
the Heir of Cundapah or his Assigns the Govern=
=ment cannot be sued for delivering possession
of the said land to me the holder of the
Title Deeds and for conforming to the
Tenor of it's notice or Istiarnamah
particulary when he had asserted to
your predecessor that the Original Title
Deeds were lost. The Officers of Government
should therefore act in the matter Judiciously and impartia=
=ally without advocating Sundra to oppose my
right thereby subjecting the Government with a prosecution
for violating it's own covenant.

It is not irrevelant in me to observe that the
the Government had reduced the Land tax in question to
Rupees 17-8-2 for which Amount your Quit Rent Bills
are issued yet I find that on the Paycarry Tenure
now let by your Predecessor to Arna Pullum

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you have not been able to collect one half of the amount on an Average whereby the Government has been considerable loser for a series of years which records of your Office will prove. Be this as it may you will once more lay this my application for the favorable consideration of the Board of Revenue as I have every hope that the Board will now view the matter in it's true light and take into consideration the legal grounds of my right and order you to deliver possession to me of the Land in question by virtue of the tenor of the two Assignments above referred to on my paying you the Amount of the Quit Rent Rs. 17-8-2 for the present year. If the Board should view my case differently I beg that this my application may be laid before the Right Honble the Governor in Council for their favorable consideration and decision as the highest "Civil Tribunal" on Civil matters which will supersede the necessity of forcing me to seek justice by resorting to Law against the Right Honorable the Governor in Council on whose account you now hold possession of the said Land and by letting it to Arnachellum thereby subjecting them to heavy Law Costs in this matter.-

Madras, 10th June, 1853.

(Signed) E. D'Silva.

(True Copy)
(Signed) H. Stokes.
Actg Collector.

B. of R. No. 1636.
Proceedings thereon.-

(37 38)

The Board concur in the opinion expressed by the Acting Collector as regards the inutility of renting the land referred to in the foregoing letter on Payacarey a tenure & approve of the measures referred to in para 3.-

DG.

Fort St. George 1st August 1853.

No. 123.

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

Sir,

(39)

Bd. No. 2019
From the Collr. of Madras
Requesting that the sanction of Government may be obtained for the defence of a suit brought against him and certain Servants of the Quit Rent Department relative to the distraint of property belonging to one Annasawmy Moodelly and stating that Mr. Dale has been instructed to proceed with the case by pleading to the jurisdiction on responsibility of the Collector pending the receipt of the Government Sanction.-

With reference to the Board's Orders conveyed in their Proceedings dated 23d Ultimo, I have the honor to request that the Board will be pleased to obtain the Sanction of Government to defend at the public expense the action brought against myself and certain Servants of the Quit Rent Department in the Small Cause Court by P. Annasawmy Moodelly for Rent, the Cause of action being the distraint of property in the Plaintiffs house under a Warrant for arrears of Quit Rent.-

2.- I shall instruct the Company's Solicitor simply to plead the Court to warrant of Jurisdiction under Section XVII of Act XII of 1851. and should the Court insist on trying the case to allow judgment to go by default.-

3.- Mr. Dale applied to me for information as to the circumstances of the case which has been furnished to him, but I did not till this Morning hear definitely from him that it would be necessary to defend the Case. As the trial is fixed for tomorrow

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I shall on my own responsibility request Mr. Dale to proceed with the case to the extent abovementioned as there may not be time for the Board's instructions to reach me in the interim.

Madras, 1st. August, 1853. } (Signed) W. Stokes
Acting Collector.

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

To, The Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for their information and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying correspondence with the Acting Collector of Madras respecting an action for Tort brought against him in the Supreme Court Small causes side the cause of which was the entrance of a house by the distraining Officer and attachment of certain property for arrears of Quit Rent under a warrant signed by the Acting Collector.

2. The Board have been instructed the Honorable

Bd. No. 1618. To the Chief Secy to Government. 39-40

From Collector Madras 22d inst. Cons 25th July ---- 1853.
To Honorable Company's Solr: Letter 23d July — "
From Do. 23d inst. Cons 25th July — "
To Collector Madras 23d July — "
From Do. 1st inst. Cons 1st Augt — "

Honorable Company's Solicitor to appear on behalf of the Collector and point out to the Court their want of jurisdiction under Section XVII Act XII of 1851. Mr. Dale has been furnished with all the information requisite to enable him to appear for the Collector who has advised him that if the Court should insist on trying the case to allow judgment to go by default.

3. The Board solicit that their Proceedings and those of the Collector may be approved, and that the sanction of Government for defending the case, asked for by the Honorable Company's Solicitor in paras 2 & 3 of his letter, may be accorded.

Revenue Board Office Fort St. George 1st July 1853. } (Signed) W. H. Bayley Secretary.

Bd. No. 1830 From Mr. Kasavoolos Naidoo. 41

Read letter bringing to notice certain circumstances connected with the late Statute defalcation in the Madras Collectorate which have not been fully set forth in his Petition presented to Government.

Ordered to be recorded.

41-42 Order thereon. (Vide Rec. to Govt. 4th Augt 53)

Read the following letter.

Circular 43

Bd. No. 1873

From the Accountant General and Sub Treasurer

Requesting instructions respecting certain Promissory Notes in their deposit.

To, The Secretary to the Court of Wards. Fort St. George.

Sir,

The Government of India having given notice in an advertisement dated the 6th ultimo (a Copy of which accompanies) that all the promissory Notes of the five per

	1825/26.		
No. 13533	1st Rl.	2000	
5943 of 8311	"	1000	
16436	"		
13313 —	"	1400	
12460 —	"	2300	
9024 —	"	500	
17036 of 18216		600	
18442 of 11129		2000	

The Secy to the Court of Wards for the time being on account of

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1829/30.

2928 of 1752 S. R. 2000
1383 — " — 1000
1879 of 938 — 5000
2277 of 2914 — " — 500

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mindary
of Purlah
Remedy in
Ganjam.

per Cent Loan
1825-26, which h
not been alread
advertised for p
ment and are s
outstanding, as
all the Promisso
Notes of the five
Cent Loan of 1829
will be discharg
on the 7th. Septemb
next, we have the
honor to inform yo
that your Promisso
Notes in our depos
specified in the ma
are included in the
number notified for
charge, and to request
you will without dela
furnish us with ins
tions for disposing of
principal amount
the said Promissory
Notes when paid off

1825/26

D°

13888 — " — 100

On account of the
Minor Proprietor
of the Celestial
Rum Pagoda in
Tanjore

7964 of 9965 — 600
8724 — " — 1000
11626 of 11713 — " — 600

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Row & Collumpaty
in Combaconum

D°. on account
of the Minor
Zemindar of
Pullaveram in
Ganjam.

You will perce
by the above mention
Advertisement, that
the Amount of your
Promissory Notes can be
discharge can be ta
ferred to the four
Cent Loan now ope
and if you have no
objection we will
effect the transfe
accordingly on
receiving your in
structions for the
purpose but
should

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should you prefer
the Amount being
reinvested in the pur-
pose of other Government
Paper, you will be
pleased to specify the
particular Loan into
which you may wish
the investment to be
made.

According to the
conditions of your Pro-
missory Notes under
discharge the princi-
pal Amount is paya-
ble at the General
Treasury at Fort William.
It is probable therefore
that no payment of the
Principal Amount of
your Promissory Notes
will be made at this
Presidency. you will
therefore be pleased
in your instructions
to us for disposing
of the Amount
otherwise than
by transfer to
the four per
Cent Loan, to
provide for the
said Notes being
transmitted to
the Government
Agent at Fort
William

1825/26.

10208 — S. R. — 300

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Minor Ko-
-gummar-
-mittie —
Coonby Ra-
-mem of
Malabar.

15403 of 8184 — " — 200

1829/30.

1865 of 691 — " — 200

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-count of
the Minor
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of Badage-
-doh in
Ganjam

2156 — " — 200

William, in order that that functionary may receive payment of the Principal amount for the General Treasury at Fort William, as appropriate the Sa in the manner that may be required by instructions which will at the same time be forwarded to him.

Fort St. George, 16th July, 1853.

(Signed) T. V. Monhouse
Accountant Genera

(Signed) T. D. Birch
Sub Treasure

No. 1.

Fort St. George June 16th 1853.

The following Notification by the Government of India, is re-published for general information

No. 18.

Fort William
Financial Department the 6th June 1853.

Notification

Notice is hereby given that all the 5 per Cent Promissory Notes of this Government of 1829-30 which have not been already advertized for payment and are still outstanding, as also all the 5 per Cent Promissory Notes of 1829-30 will be discharged at the General Treasury on the 7th of September next on which day

day the interest thereon will cease.

Any of the Notes however hereby advertized for payment may be tendered to the Sub Treasurers at Fort William, Fort St. George and Bombay, to the several Resident Collectors and other public Officers authorized to receive subscriptions to Government Loans, and exchanged for acknowledgments of subscription to the 4 per Cent Loan of 1842-43.

These acknowledgments, together with the Promissory Notes for which they may have been issued shall without fee or expense of any kind to the Proprietors, be transmitted to the Deputy Accountant General at Calcutta, who will forthwith cause to be prepared and issued to the parties entitled thereto, Promissory Notes in the 4 per Cent loan of 1842-43.

Prompt settlement of principal and interest at the rate of 5 per Cent per annum to the date of advertized discharge will be made with Proprietors who may tender their Notes for transfer to the 4 per Cent loan of 1842-43, provided however that interest at the rate of 4 per Cent shall be allowed only from the date advertized for the discharge of the 5 per Cent Notes.

The fractional amount necessary to convert any Note into one of even hundreds in Company's Rupees

Rupees at the prescribed rate of 16 Comps for 15 Sicca Rupees, will be either paid to or received from the Proprietor at this of

It is further notified that for accommodation of Proprietors who do not reside in India, and who have not furnished full powers to their Agents to receive the principal amount to be paid the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council has authorized the Deputy Accountant General to allow the conditional transfer of their Notes to the 4 per Cent Loan of 1842-43 [illegible] optional with the Proprietors to compel the transfer or to require payment in Cash, provided however that no notice disallowing a transfer will be received after Six Months from the present da

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Counc

Signed C. Allen
Secretary to the Govt. of India

By order of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council

Signed W. C. Montgomery
Chief Secretary

Ordered that the following letter be

be addressed to the Government Agents.

(44)

Bd. No. 1615.

To the Government Agents

In Covg. 1st Augt. 53.

To, The Government Agents.

Gentlemen,

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George 1st August, 1853.

With reference to my own letter dated 16th July 1853. I am directed by the Court of Wards to request that the Government Promissary Notes therein referred to may be transferred to the four per Cent Loan.

Signed W. B. Bayley
Secretary.

Ordered also that the following letter be addressed

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Bd. No. 1614.

To the Colrs. of Ganjam Tanjore Cimbatore and Malabar

To, The Collector of Ganjam.

Sir,

With reference to the Notification of the Government of India dated 6th June 1853, published in the Fort St. George Gazette of the current year

Ganjam

No. 13533 of 1825	26 Rs.	2000	
5943 of 8311	"	1100	
10436 of	"	10000	
13312 of	"	1400	
12460 of	"	2300	
9022 of	"	500	
17036 of 15236	"	600	
18442 of 11829	"	2000	
2928 of 1452	1829-30	2000	
1383 of	"	1000	
1879 of 938	"	5000	
2247 of 2912	"	500	

On Account of the Zemindar of Purlakimedy.

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No. 11626 of 11713 of 1823/26 Rs. 500 on account of the Minor Zemindar of Cullecoote.

No. 2156 of 1829/30 Rupees 200 on account of the Minor Zemindar of Badagodah.

Tanjore
No. 13888 of 1825/26 for 100 Rs. on account of the Minor Proprietor of Calestellium.

Coimbatore
No. 7964 of 9965 of 1825/26 for Rupees 600 — 600.
8722 of — 1000
on account of the Minor Zemindar of Shamatwar and Cotamputty.

Malabar
No. 10208 of 1825/26 for Rs. 300
15403 of 8/84 } of — 200
1865 of 64 } of 1829/30 — 200
on account of the Minor Mayanmar: nettel Coonhey Raman of Malabar.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 1st August 1853

/ Signed / W. H. Bayley Secretary.

Resolved that the Gal-
lowing letters be despatched.

Fort St. George 1st August 1853.

Resolved that the Gal-
lowing letters be despatched.

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No. 1633.

To the Collector of Cuddapah.

Sir, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will be so good as to expedite the despatch of your Lists of letters remaining unanswered to 30th June 1853.

As the Board have to submit an arrear list to Government quarterly they are exceedingly desirous of receiving those from the Collectors to enable them to check it, this however cannot be done when the Lists are delayed to so late a date as is the case with that of your district this quarter.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 1st August 1853. } / Signed / W. H. Bayley Secretary.

To the Collector of Cuddapah
The same to North Arcot Madura, Coimbatore, Canara, and Agent at Kurnool

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B. No. 1624

To the Agent at Kurnool.

Sir, In my letter of the 6th June 1853, you were desired, by order of the Board, to despatch your Summahbundy Report

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Report for Fusly 1261, without any further delay or explanation immediately the cause of its non-transmission.

2. The Report in question not having yet reached this Office although another Fusly has expired, and no notice has been taken of my letter of 6th June quoted above, the Board have directed me to call upon you again to furnish the Report or some reasonable explanation of its delay.-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
1st August, 1853.

/ Signed / W. H. Bayley
Secretary.

Read the undermentioned Returns.-

B.d No. 1955
From the (48) Head Assistant Collector in Charge of Chingleput. Return of persons charged Convicted and acquitted &c. under Regulation IX of 1822 during the half year ending 30th June last.-

B.d (49) No. 1995
From the Acting Collector of North Arcot. Return of persons charged convicted and acquitted &c. under Regulation IX of 1822 during the half year ending 30th June last.-

(50)
B.d No. 2002
From the Acting Collector of Tanjore. Return of persons charged convicted and acquitted &c. under Regulation IX

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(51)
B.d No. 1980
IX of 1822 during the half year ending 30th June last.-
From the Collector of Coimbatore. Return of persons charged convicted and acquitted &c. under Regulation IX of 1822 during the half year ending 30th June last.-

(48-52)
Order on the Four abovementioned Returns.- 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.-

Read the undermentioned Lists.-

(53)
B.d No. 2017
From the Collector of South Arcot. List of letters addressed to the Board of Revenue and remaining unanswered to 30th June last.-

(54)
B.d No. 2016
From the Collector of South Arcot. List of letters received from the Board of Revenue and remaining unanswered to 30th June last.-

(53-55)
Order on the abovementioned 2 Lists. Ordered to be recorded.-

Read the undermentioned Registers.-

(56)
B.d No. 1998
From the Acting Collector of Cuddapah. Register of endorsements passed by him on Petitions referred by the Board for the Month of April last.-

From

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No. 1989

From the Acting Collector of Tanjore Registers of endorse-
(57) -ments passed by him on Petitions refused
by the Board for the Month of May last.-

(56-58) Order on the 2 Above mentioned Registers. Ordered to be lodged
in the Office.-

(59) Received the undermen-
No. No. 835 -ed Miscellaneous Letters and Statements.

From the Collector of Nellore Returns of fines imposed
and Stoppages made from the pay of Public
(60) Servants for the Quarter ending 30th June
No. No. 840 last.-

From the Acting Collector of Tanjore. Returns of fines im-
-posed and Stoppages made from the pay of Public
(61) Servants for the Quarter ending 30th June
No. No. 841 last.-

From the Acting Collector of Tanjore. Returns of alterations
that have occurred in the list of fines and
(62) Stoppages for the Quarter ending 30th June last.
No. No. 845

From the Acting Collector of Tanjore. Stating that no
(63) Revenue defaulters have been confined or re-
No. No. 836 leased for the Quarter ending 30th June last.

From the Collector of Nellore. Return of Public Servants
suspended and dismissed for the Quarter end-
(64) -ing 30th June last.-
No. No. 842

From the Acty. Collector of Tanjore. Returns of Public Servants
suspended and dismissed for the Quarter ending 30th June last.

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(65) No. No. 830 From the Collector of Ganjam. Abstract of Demand
Collection and Balance for the month of
(66) No. No. 828. June last.-

From the Collector of Vizagapatam. Abstract of Demand
Collection and Balance for the month of
(67) No. No. 829. June last.-

From the Collector of Rajahmundry. Abstract of Demand
Collection and Balance for the month of
(68) No. No. 846 June last.-

From the Collector of Trichinopoly Abstract of Demand
Collection and Balance for the month of
(69) No. No. 838. June last.

From the Acting Collector of Madras. Abstract of Demand
Collection and Balance for the month of
(70) No. No. 832 June last.-

From the Collector of Ganjam. Statement shewing the
average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain
(71) No. No. 833 and Salt for the Month of June last.-

From the Collector of Vizagapatam. Statement shewing the
average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt
(72) No. No. 831 for the Month of June last.-

From the Collector of Rajahmundry. Statement shewing the
average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and
(73) No. No. 839 Salt for the month of June last.-

From the Acting Collector of Madras. Statement shewing
the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and
Salt for the Month of June last.-

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Mr. No. 834
From the Acting Collector of North Arcot.. Return of per
charged with Offences under Regulation IX
of 1822 for the Month of June last.-

75.
Mr. No. 844
From the Acting Collector of Madura. Stating that the Ab
of persons charged with Offences and Confine
under Regulation IX of 1822 were not forwa

76
Mr. No. 843
for the Months of May and June last.-
From the Acting Collector of Tinjore.. Return of Villa
Officers suspended and dismissed under
Regulation VI of 1831 for the Month of

77
Mr. No. 837
June last.
From the Collector of Nellore.. Statement Showing the
Quantity of Salt in Store and ready for Expor
-tation on account of the Chittagong Inde
for 1851/52 at the Ports of his District up to 2

78
Mr. No. 847
July last.
From the Acting Collector of Madras.. Acknowledging
-ceipt of 1000 Salt Rowannahs.-

Comp. D. Hills

" Foldering from

" J. D. Maw
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Diary.

2nd August.- Received the following Extract.-

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A after.
Bs. No. 2021.
From the Secretary to Government.

No. 882.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, in the Revenue Department, under date the 2nd August 1853.-

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

(Here enter 1st August 1853 No. 351.)

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council considers that the party to appear on behalf of the Acting Collector of Madras and his servants in the Quit Rent Depart: -ment in the action brought against them in the Supreme Court small cause side should

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should be the Advocate General and not the Honorable Company's Solicitor.—

2— The Honorable Company's Solicitor will accordingly be directed to instruct the Advocate General to appear on behalf of the Collector in the case and to plead the provisions of Section XVII Act XII 1841 and Section XXV Act IX 1850 as barring the jurisdiction of the Court, which the Government cannot doubt will be held a sufficient answer to the action.—

(A true Extract)

(Signed) J. Pycroft.
Secretary to Government.

To,
The President and Members
of the
Board of Revenue.—

B. No. 1627.

Order thereon.—

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Ordered that a Copy of the above Extract Minutes Consultation be furnished to the Acting Collector of Madras and the Honorable Company's Solicitor respectively, for their information.—

Received

2d August. Received the following letter.—

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

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B. No. 2022.

From the Head Assistant Collector in Charge of Chingleput

Sir

I have the honor to state for the information of the Board, that I have this day delivered over charge of this Collectorate to Mr. J. H. Cochrane together with the Balance of Cash and the amount of the Courts Deposit being Company's Rupees 19,11,54 — A. 2 — P. 8 — remaining in charge of the Hoozoor Stamp Darogah for which I enclose his Duplicate Receipts.—

(Chingleput District,
Collector's Cutcherry,
Conjeeveram,
1st August, 1853.)

(Signed) G. F. Fullerton.
Head Assistant Collector
in Charge.

Received

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Fort St. George — August 1853.

No. 1.

Received from G: F: Fullerton Esqr. Head Assistant Collector in Charge of the Zillah of Chingleput in the undermentioned Coins the sum of Company's Rupees One Lac Ninety one thousand four hundred and fifty four, Annas Two and Pice Eight, being the Balance of Cash up to this date according to the accounts of the Treasury.—

	Species of Coins	Number of Coins	Rate of conversion per pieces of Coins	Amount	Total
			Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P
Silver	Company's Rupees of 1835 and 1840	164980	100 " "	164980 " "	
	Do. Half Do.	2579	50 " "	1289 8 "	
	Do. Quarter Do.	5868	25 " "	1467 " "	
	Do. Double Annas Do.	2781	12 8 "	347 10 "	
	Company's Rupees of the Coinages previous to 1835	1214	100 " "	1214 " "	
	Do. Half Do.	68	50 " "	34 " "	
	Do. Quarter Do.	30	25 " "	7 8 "	
	Do. Double Annas	121	12 8 "	15 2 "	
	Do. Single Do.	90	6 4 "	5 10 "	
	Bombay Rupees	16	100 " "	16 " "	
	Do. Half Do.	3	50 " "	1 8 "	
	Do. Quarter Do.	1	25 " "	" 4 "	
			Total Silver Coins		169378 2 "
Copper	New Half Annas	28778	3 2 " "	899 5 "	
	Do. Quarter Do.	19594	1 9 "	306 2 6	
	Do. Single Pie Pieces	594	" 8 4 "	3 1 6	
	Four Pie Do.	2	2 1 4 "	" " 8	
			Total Copper Coins		1208 — 9 8
		Number of Notes			
	Madras Bank Notes	21	" " " "		660 — " "
			Balance as per Cash account		171246 — 11 8

Amount of Balance of Cash deposited by the Courts at Chingleput.—

Silver	Company's Rupees of 1835 and 1840	20207	100 " "	20207 " "	
Copper	New Half Annas	5	3 2 "	" 2 6	
	Do. Quarter Do.	18	1 9 "	" 4 6	
					20207 7 "
			Total Company's Rupees		191454 2 8

Chingleput District, Collector's Cutcherry, Conjeevaram, 1st August, 1853.

E: E: Ft. / Signed / J. H. Cochrane. Collector. Received

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Fort St. George the August 1853.

No. 2

Received from G. F. Fullerton Esqr. Head Assistant Collector in Charge of the Zillah of Chingleput the undermentioned Stamp Papers and Cadjans, Four thousand two hundred and Eighteen Rolls in Number, to the Value of Company's Rupees Three thousand Nine hundred and Sixty Nine Annas Ten and pice Six, remaining in Charge of Hoozoor Stamp Darogah at Conjeveram on the 1st August 1853

Size & Number.	Description.	Number of Rolls.	Value. Rs.	A.	P.
2	4 Annas County Paper	1449	362	4	0
4	8 Annas Do.	879	439	8	0
"	1 Rupee Do.	416	416	0	0
"	2 Rupees Do.	83	166	0	0
"	4 Rupees Do.	14	56	0	0
"	8 Rupees Do.	19	152	0	0
"	16 Rupees Do.	23	368	0	0
4	32 Rupees Do.	8	256	0	0
"	50 Rupees Do.	2	100	0	0
"	100 Rupees Do.	1	100	0	0
"	150 Rupees Do.	1	150	0	0
"	4 Annas Stamped Europe Paper for Deeds	50	12	8	0
"	8 Annas Do.	84	42	0	0
"	1 Rupee Do.	140	140	0	0
"	2 Rupees Do.	83	166	0	0
"	8 Annas Europe Deare Paper	77	38	8	0
"	1 Rupee Do.	154	154	0	0
"	2 Rupees Do.	100	200	0	0
	Additional fee leviable on the Stamped Europe Paper for Deeds	0	11	2	6
	Total	3583	3329	11	6
1	4 Annas Cadjans	245	61	1	0
4	8 Annas Do.	75	37	8	0
"	1 Rupee Do.	135	135	0	0
"	2 Rupees Do.	165	330	0	0
"	4 Rupees Do.	11	44	0	0
"	8 Rupees Do.	4	32	0	0
	Total	635	639	12	0
	Grand Total	4218	3969	10	6

Chingleput District Collector's Cutcherry
Conjeeveram, 1st August, 1853

E. E. Pt. / Signed / J. H. Cochrane.
Collector.

To.

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2nd August.

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

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B. No. 2023.
From the Collector of Chingleput

Sir,

I have the honor to state for the information of the Board that I have this day resumed charge of the Zillah of Chingleput from Mr. G. F. Fullerton & together with the Balance of Cash and the Courts Deposit amounting to Company's Rupees 19,145-2-8, as well as the Stamp Papers and Cadjans of the value of Company's Rupees 3,969-10-6. remaining in Charge of the Huzoor Stamp Darogah.

Chingleput District,
Collectors Cutcherry,
Conjeeveram,
1st August 1853.

(Signed) J. H. Cochrane.
Collector.

Order

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2nd August.

Order on the 2 foregoing letters.

Ordered to be submitted for the information of Government.

3rd Sent the following letter.

To,
The Garrison Assistant Surgeon.

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B. No. 1630.
To the Garrison Assistant Surgeon

Sir,

The bearer T. Terovengadum is Moodelly, appearing to me to be from old age, and bad eye sight totally incapacitated for further service in a public Office, I have the honor to request that you will examine him, and should you think proper grant such a Certificate as will enable me to obtain for him the Pension to which he is entitled by the Rules.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
3rd August 1853.

(Signed) W. H. Bayley.
Secretary.

At

Fort St. George 4th August 1853.

At a Meeting Present.

Thursday 4th August 1853.

J. Goldingham Esqre Second Member
and
J. L. Blane Esqre Third Member

Walter Elliot Esqre Senior Member absent on

as Commissioner Northern Circars

Minutes of the last Meeting

read and approved.-

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B. No. 1950.
From the Secretary to Government

Read the following Extract

No. 845.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department, under date the 23d July 1853.-

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

(Here enter 4th July 1853 No. 298)

The Right Honorable the Gover in Council is pleased to permit V. Venkatarow Hea Sheristadar of Nellore, to draw the increased rate of allowance Rupees (525) Five hundred and twenty five per Mensem, authorized by the rules to a Sheristadar of 15 years standing from the 1st November 1852 the date on which he completed that term of service.-

To The President and Members of the Board of Revenue.

/ A true Extract /
/ Signed / J. Lycroft.
Secretary to Government.

B. No. 1640. Order thereon.-

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Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Nellore with reference to his letter dated 10th June 1853.-

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No. 841.-

B. No. 1949.
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department, under date the 23d July 1853.-

Requesting further explanation respecting the allowance granted to the Perpanaad family in the District of Malabar.-

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

(Here enter 9th June 1853 No. 248)

Para 1.

From Collector of Malabar to Board of Revenue dated 27th September 1819. with Enclosures.
From Board of Revenue to Government 7th October 1819. No. 426.
To Do. 8th November 1819 No. 592.-

It appears from the correspondence which took place in the year 1819 on the subject of the Malikana to the Perpanaad family that Veera Verma who was the lawful Rajah and Head of the House. and the only Member that escaped forcible circumcision during the reign of Tippoo Sultan, died in 1805. His Malikana or pension is stated to have been Star Pagodas 587-31-56 or Rs. 2057 per Annum. On his death a moiety of this allowance or Rupees 1,028-5-10 was continued by the Collector to his relatives from motives of compassion, those parties having by their compulsory circumcision been by the Hindoo Law rendered incapable of inheriting either his title or pension subsequently in 1819 on the decision of a suit which had been instituted by one of the branches of the Cotiote family who claimed the right to the Rajium and Malikana of Perpanaad. the Government.-

Government on the recommendation of th
Collector of Malabar and the Board of Rev
authorised the full Malikana of Rupees
per Annum being continued to the relati
the deceased Rajah as well as the paymen
the arrears in deposit of the moiety wh
had remained undrawn.-

From Coll. of Malabar 2 Jy August 1823.
From Board of Rev. 22d Sept. No. 392.
To Dc. 3d October No. 593.

From the correspondence whic
to S/ place afterwards in 1823 it appears
there were two branches of the Perpanad
family Viz. the Poothie and Pyanjerry
or House; but the Government cannot dis
that each of them was in the receipt of an annual
allowance of Rupees 2,057-2-4, or a Malikana
of Rupees 4,114-4-8. for the whole family as
stated in the Proceedings the Board of
Revenue above recorded, and more particularly
specified in the Statement C furnished by the
Collector of Malabar, and Submitted with the
Board's letter of the 25th September 1845-No. 591. The
full amount of the Malikana of the Perpanad Dist.
would seem from the previous correspondence to
to have been only Rupees 2057. per Annum or one half
of the present allowance. The Government therefore
desire that the Board will obtain and furnish full
explanation on this point than their Proceedings appear
quoting

quoting in support of the additional grant
the date of any authority which they may
be able to discover on the records of their Office.-

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

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

Bd. No. 1851.
Order thereon.
(9-10)

Ordered to be communicated
with the Board's Proceedings to the Collector
of Malabar, with a request that he will
furnish the information called for by Government.-

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(11)
Bd. No. 1986.
From the Sec. to Government.

Read the following Resolutions

No. 848.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation,
under dated 25th July 1853.-

(From Bd. 7th July)

The Right Honorable the Governor in
Council Authorizes the Acting Collector of Madras.
to advertise and put up for sale by Public Auction,
the spot of ground situated in Mundanally Street,
Peddoo Naick's Pettah at the upset price of Rupees
(146-2-6) One hundred and forty six, annas two and
pice six, the estimated value of the ground and to
knock it down to the highest bidder. the sale
to take place, Thursday the first of September next.-

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government
Ordered.

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Bd. No. 1655.

Order thereon-

(11-12)

Ordered to be communicated to the Acting Collector of Madras with reference to his letter dated 22d June 1853-

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Bd. No. 2000

No. 859.

From the Sec.y to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 26th July 1853.

(From Bd. 11th July)

Resolved that the Acting Collector of North Arcot be authorized to disburse

Rs. a. p.

Two Kists of July 1261 - 16-8-0 -

Three Kists of July 1261 - 24-22-0 -

Rs. 41-4-0 - Amounting to Rupees 41-4- Forty one and annas four, and to continue her allowance to her from the date of last payment.-

Subject to audit the arrears due to Dehut Cnandan Mohodeen Beebee,

By Order

(Signed) T. Pycroft.

Secretary to Government-

Bd. No. 1656.

Order thereon.

(13-14)

Ordered to be communicated to the Acting Collector of North Arcot with reference to his Jeemiah Statement dated 20th June 1853-

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Bd. No. 1652.

Read again letter from the Collector of Masulipatam dated 24th May and entered in Cons. 9th June 1853.

Proceedings thereon.-

The Board are of opinion that the question mooted in para 3 of the foregoing letter should

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should be submitted for the orders of the Commissioner Northern Circars.-

No. 20.

To, W. H. Bayley Esq.re

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue,

Fort St. George.

(16)

Bd. No. 2038.

From the Acting Collector of Guntoor.-

Reporting on the allegations made in the petition presented by certain Ryots and Cultivators of the Chingleput District referred to in the Board's Proceedings of the 28th February 1853.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of an Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 28th February last forwarding an Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of the 27th January 1853 together with an Extract from a Memorial purporting to have been addressed to the Supreme Government by certain Ryots and Cultivators of the Chingleput District.-

2. The Statements made in the 42d Para of the Memorial attributing various cruel and illegal acts to the Revenue Officers of this District in the Collection of the Government dues seem to be a repetition perhaps from the same party having

been

been employed in drawing up both the addresses, of those put forth in a petition presented about 2 years and a half ago to the Madras Government by certain Ryots of this District and with I believe, as little foundation in fact. That any proceedings of the sort have taken place since I have been in charge of the District I can confidently deny and I cannot do better than quote Mr. Stokes's reply to the allegations made in the Petition referred to. He observed "It will be quite time enough to reply to "the string of enormities charged upon "me in this Paragraph when the "Petitioners have specified particulars "and adduced proof. I need scarcely say that "with the exception of distraint the "severities here enumerated are abhor- =rent to my feelings and that where "complaints of illusage have been made "they have been attended to by myself or "one of the Assistants. It is ever "however notorious that the most ex- =aggerated and false charges are constantly

"constantly brought against the Tah- =sildars for enforcing the Collections. "The case mentioned of a Ryot of "Betapady having his whiskers plucked "out I do not recollect ever to have "heard of nor of the tooth of a Ryot of "Singapollem having been pulled out. "The Petitioners I think should be "compelled to point out the parties who "have been thus maltreated and they "should show whether they complained "at the time to the European functionaries. "The case of the Ryot of Goodevada "in Tenally I well remember. It "It was quite clear that the Ryot "had been subjected to personal restraint "and pushed about by the Peons for a "small balance and that he was "afterwards found dead in a well "but there was no proof whatever "either that Maltreatment caused his death or "that it had been of such a kind as to

provoke

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"provoke suicide, the Samuttar and Peon
"who were concerned; were punished and the
"case entered in the Calendar and
"reviewed by the Superior
"Courts."-

3. If any enquiry is now considered necessary the Petitioners, or some one on their behalf must be required to appear and state the particular cases of torture and maltreatment which they are prepared to establish in support of the allegations contained in their Memorial, for it is obviously impracticable to set on foot any investigation on the very vague statement at present.

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present made by them.-

Guntoor Collector's Office
30th July 1853. —

Signed J. A. Purvis.
Acting Collector.

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Order thereon.-
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ordered to lie over.-

Read the following letter.-

No. 19.

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

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Bd No. 2037.

From the Actg Collr of Guntoor -

Sir,

1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Circular of the 25th April last and in reply to submit a Statement which I trust will be found to contain the information required.-

2. The Memorandum called for in the 2d para of your letter under reply is also forwarded.-

Guntoor,
Collector's Office,
30th July 1853.

Signed J. A. Purvis
Acting Collector.

Statement.-

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No. 1. Statement Shewing the Weights in use in each Talook in the Guntoor District with their Stated Weight in Rupees and the actual Weight of certain of them.-

Talook.	Name of Weight.	Stated Weight in Rupees.	Actual Weight upon examination in Rupees.	
			Rupees R. A. P.	
Pruttipaud	Dub	1 3 3	1 3 "	20 Dubs: 1 Seer
	Seer	24 " "	" " "	5 Seer = 1 Viss
	Viss	120 " "	" " "	2 Viss = 1 Yettoo
	Yettoo	240 " "	240 1/8 "	4 Yettoo = 1 Mond
	Mond	960 " "	" " "	20 Monds = 1 Pootty.
	Pootty	19200 " "	" " "	
Maurtoor	Dub	1 " "	" 15 1/2 "	
	Seer	24 " "	" " "	
	Viss	120 " "	" " "	
	Yettoo	240 " "	237 7/8 "	
Mungalagerry	Dub	" " "	1 2 1/2 "	
	Seer	24 " "	" " "	
	Viss	120 " "	" " "	
	Yettoo	240 " "	241 1/2 "	
Banputtah	Dub	" " "	1 3 "	
	Seer	24 " "	" " "	
	Viss	120 " "	121 " "	
Ponnoore	Dub	" " "	1 3 1/2 "	
	Seer	24 " "	" " "	
	Viss	120 " "	" " "	
	Yettoo	240 " "	242 " "	
Repully	Dub	" " "	1 3 "	
	Seer	24 " "	" " "	
	Viss	120 " "	119 1/4 " "	
Tenally	Dub	" " "	1 2 1/2 "	
	Seer	24 " "	" " "	
	Viss	120 " "	" " "	
	Yettoo	240 " "	241 1/8 "	

These dubs are also used in Weighing Bras and Metals Viz. at the rate of 18 a Seer. There are Sub Divisions of a Seer, Viss and Mond Viz.-

Ardhaseer: 1/2 Seer
Pavooseer: 1/4 Seer
Navatank: 1/8 Do.
Aravis: 1/2 Viss
Sava seer: 1/4 Do.
Ardhamond: 1/2 Mond

These Dubs are different from the above each weighing 1 Rupee and 24 = 1 Seer. The others are the same as above.

This Dub Weighs 4 Kurk. Pagodas and 20 dubs:

Do. ____ Do. ____ Do.

Do. ____ Do. ____ Do.

This Dub Weighs. 4 Kurk. Pagodas. There are 2 Kinds of Seers Viz. "Peddapady" and "Chinnapady" the former containing 22 1/2 Dubs and the latter 20 dubs. Weighs 4 Kurk. Pagodas and 20 dubs = 1 Seer and as above.

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Talook.	Name of the Weight	Stated Weight in Rupees.	Actual Weight upon examination in Rupees.	
Guntoor	Dub	" "	1 2½	Weighs 4 Kurs Pagodas and 20 dubs = 1 Seer and as above.-
	Seer	24 "	" "	
	Viss	120 "	" "	
	Yettoo	240 "	239¼ "	
Cooraipaud	Dub	" "	1 2½	This dub Weighs 4 Pagodas and there are also some dubs
	Seer	24 "	" "	in use each Weighing one Rupee - They are called
	Viss	120 "	" "	Alungery dubs or Toolas.-
	Yettoo	240 "	237 3/4 "	
Condaveed	Dub	" "	1 3½	Do Do Do
	Seer	24 "	" "	
	Viss	120 "	" "	
	Yettoo	240 "	240 "	
Nursarowpetta	Dub	" "	1 3	Weighs 4 Kurs Pagodas and 20 dubs = 1 Seer Others as
	Seer	24 "	" "	Puttapaad.-
	Viss	120 "	" "	
	Yettoo	240 "	238 3/4 "	
Innacondah	Dub	" "	1 2¼	Do Do Do
	Seer	24 "	" "	
	Viss	120 "	" "	
	Yettoo	240 "	239 6/16 "	
Dauchapally	Dub	1 "	" 15½	These are Styled Hydrabad dubs each Weighing
	Seer	24 "	" "	1 Rupee.-
	Viss	120 "	" "	
	Yettoo	240 "	239 1/16 "	
Timmerecottah	Dub	1 "	1 "	Do Do Do
	Seer	24 "	" "	
	Viss	120 "	" "	
	Yettoo	240 "	238 14/16 "	
Cheragenjam	Dub	1 "	1 "	Vide remarks for Dauchapally.-
	Seer	24 "	" "	
	Viss	120 "	120 "	

Guntoor, - - - - -
Collector's Office,
30th July, 1853.-

(Signed) A. Purvis.
Acting Collector.-

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No. 2.-

Memorandum.-

In the Talooks of
Pruttipad, Bauputtah, Coorapad,
Condaveed and Chinna Ganjam.

1 3/4	Seers — Make	1	Manekа
80	Mannekas	1	Talaka
8	Talakas	1	Potty

Guntoor,

1 1/2	Seers Make —	1	Puddi
100	Puddis	1	Talaka
8	Talakas	1	Potty

Ponnoor, Maurtoor, and Repully.-

1 7/8	Seers Make	1	Mannekа
80	Mannekas	1	Talaka
8	Talakas	1	Potty

Mungalagherry Nursarowpett,-
Innacondah, Datchapully
and Timmerecottah.-

1 9/10	Seers Make	1	Manekа
100	Mannekas	1	Talaka
8	Talakas	1	Potty

Nuzampatam

1 9/10	Seers Make	1	Talah
93	Talas & 1/2 seer	1	Talaka
8	Talakas	1	Potty

Tenaly

2	Seers Make	1	Manekа
80	Mannekas	1	Talaka
8	Talakas	1	Potty

Guntoor Collector's Office, 30th July 1853. — (Signed) A. Purvis-
Acting Collector-

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Order thereon-

Ordered to lie over.

Read

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Read the following letter.-

No. 84.

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

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Bd. No. 1868.
From the Collector of Nellore.-
Offering certain observations with reference to the new forms of Summabundy accounts for: warded with Board's letter dated 18th Ultimo, and soliciting instructions thereon.-

Sir, With reference to your letter of the 18th Ultimo, forwarding certain new forms of Summabundy Accounts and to the information contained in Para 3 thereof I have the honor to make the following observations.-

1. The 2nd Column of Form No. 1 requires the Ayacut to be given either in Cawnies or Acres but as the greater portion of this District has not been surveyed the Goortoo is in use. I beg therefore to know if there is any objection to its being retained instead of Acres or Cawnies, at least from the Fusly 1262 just closed.-

2. In the Statement A of form No. II there is no column opened for Bullocks besides those used for ploughing, but as the Bullocks form a large portion of the Cattle of this District, and Poollary (tax on Cattle) is assessed upon them, it seems desirable to add another Column showing their number.-

3. In the forme No. VII it appears also.-

4.

also desirable to show the price of Varigaloo one of the staple grains of the Northern parts of the Nellore District and to open another Columm for it.

5. As regards Form No. VII it is stated that "That entries up to Columm 9 should be in accordance with the Survey Accounts and in the rest the revisions of Assessment made subsequent to the Survey should be shewn". Only a small portion of this District is settled according to the Survey, and the rest under a Muctah (assumed extent and rate) 2 more Columns seem therefore to be necessary shewing the Increase and Decrease since found in the land and Assessment as compared with their Specified extent in Fusly 1236, when the Mactah System was introduced; also the addition of the words Including "Cussoory Bunjer" to the Heading of the Columns 20 and 21.

6. In the Form No. IX it is necessary to have 2 additional Columns under the Head of Garden, Viz.t Mooloom, and Zareeb and 1 for the Total, as the Assessment upon these lands is levied according to the nature of the Crops raised on them, and is not fixed as in the Surveyed Districts.-

Nellore, Collector's Office,
13th July 1853. .....

(Signed) F. B. Elton
Collector.-

With

Bd. No. 1645
(20-21)
Proceedings thereon:-

Conveying Board's remarks on certain new Summabundy forms sent for the use of this District.-

With reference to para 2 of the foregoing letter the Board are of opinion that it would be preferable if the agacut, in Column 2 of form No. 1 be shewn in acres instead of †Goortoos- and that it is not necessary to open another Column to Statement No. 1 of form No. 1 as it will be sufficient if the cultivating Bullocks alone are entered in the Statement.-

†1 Goortoos = 3⅓ acres

Para 4 2. The Collector's proposal to add another Column to Statement No. 6 is approved of- and he is informed that

Para 5. as the entire district has not as yet been completely

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completely surveyed and assessed, Statement No. 7 should be made to shew as far as Column 20, the extent of Land in acres only, the Assessment Column being left blank. In Column 21 the full assessment of land exhibited in Column 20 should be entered at the rates at present in force. It does not however appear necessary to enter a comparison between the present extent of land, and the extent for fusly 1230. as the object of the Statement is merely to shew the Ayacut extent. Columns 20 and 21 should include Cultivoory and Shamilat Banjer

Para 6. 3. Instead of incorporating "Jarcab" under the head of "Garden" the Board think that a separate heading should be opened for this item under Garden in Column 1 and distinguished in the same way as that for "Garden."—

Read

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Read the following letters.

No. 30.

To,

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

(22)

Bd. No. 1802.

From the Collector of Bellary.

Requesting, with reference to the Boards' opinion and Government orders on the right of the Merasdar Chumbars of Bellary instructions for his guidance generally as respecting the rights of the Chumbar Merasidars and also respecting other Merasidars in the Town of Bellary and other Towns and generally to what emoluments Regulation VII of 1831 are applicable.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 5th August with its accompaniments noted in the Margin, conveying to me the following order of Government for my information and guidance. "The Right "Honorable the Governor "in Council quite "agrees with the Board "of Revenue in the views contained in "the above letter, relative to the claim pre"ferred by the Chumbars of the Town of Bellary to "the Skins and Carcasses of all animals dying "within the Military Cantonment and requests "that the Board will instruct the Collector of

From Subsecy. to Bd. of Revenue No. 273 dated 5th July 1852. to Chief Secretary to Government.

Extract Minutes Consultation No. 938 dated 30th July 1852.

"of Bellary accordingly. It appears to
"the Government as to the Board to be
"unreasonable and most objectionable to
"apply the original Village institu
=tions to large Towns and Cities, the
"growth and product of a different
"stage of society" and in accordance
with these orders I shall be guided
be deposing of any future claims pre
=ferred by the Chumbars of the Town
of Bellary to the Skins and Carcas=
=es of Animals dying within the
Military Cantonment.—

2. The Order of Govern=
=ment applies only to the cases
of Chumbars in the Bellary Town.
But the Board's letter to Govern=
=ment takes a wider scope and
expresses their views on the general
question of the rights of the Mera
=sidar Chumbars, on which
I feel it incumbent on me to
submit a few observations as the prin=
=ciple I understand the Board would
lay down is one quite at variance with
the practice of this District and if
it

it is to be observed the Collector should
be specially instructed after mature
consideration of the subject.—

3. The Board observe "the
"owner of the dead cattle has the right
"of property on the animal after it's death
"which does not cease unless he
"abandons such right"- This opinion
is entirely opposed to the universal
practice in the Bellary District- It
is a material point at issue and if
the Board lay it down as the rule
to be universally observed there is
nothing further to be said. If the owner
of the living cattle has an absolute right
over it, when dead, no other claim can
be entertained, the owner is at liberty
to dispose of the Skin and Carcass as
he pleases- and on this principle must
every decree of the Collector on claims
brought before him be decided- I repeat
that this is not the Established rule
in Bellary.—

4. Every Village has it's
own separate custom by which the
respective rights of the owner and the
Chumbar and Chuklers &c.a to dead
cattle.

absolute right to their own cattle even among the flesh eating tribes is not in all villages recognized.—

6. The existing custom may very probably have originated as a compensation to the Chambars for removing the carcasses of animals, or perhaps it may have originated as a compensation in part only to be given them for the general Services they perform in the village. But in whatever way the custom originated, time has confirmed it as an absolute right. The Board however have formed a different opinion. "They consider that the "owner has a right to remove his dead cattle if "he chooses, but if he does not that the "necessary Chumbar or Chuckler is bound "by his Office to do so, and has then a "right to the carcass for his trouble." This opinion is entirely opposed to the universally recognized practice. Not only is the Chumber bound by his Office to remove dead cattle, but he claims the right to do so as his special right and his only; and so far from possessing a right to the carcass on the supposition that the owner refuses.

Para 5

refuses to remove the Animal, the owner himself claims in many cases, as I have shown, a share to a part of the carcass, either the whole or part of the Skin.—

7. Disputes have arisen between ryots and the Chambars as to their respective rights in the Animal. The ryots claiming sometimes the whole Skin - or part of the Skin. which claim the Chumbar has resisted. These disputes have been settled by reference to the particular practice and Custom in the village in which it has arisen. But I shall be quite at a loss to determine any question of the kind again on this principle if the Board's present view of the matter is to regulate my decision. I must in that case give a decision, that the owner of the cattle has an absolute right to the dead animal and is free to make such bargain as he pleases for it, with the Chuckler or any other party he pleases. This I have only again to observe is a subversion of the universal and immemorial practice of this District.

District and perhaps of most of India, and would probably lead to serious disputes and affrays if attempted to be carried out.—

8. The Board are inclined to believe that the provisions of Regulation VII of 1831. do not apply to these cases, "because (as they write) it "is doubtful whether Dead cattle can "be classed among the emoluments or Fees "annexed by the state to the offices of Chambar "Chuckler or Pariah." I am inclined to think on the contrary that Dead Cattle do form a part of the emoluments annexed by the State to the said offices; indeed in many cases they form the principal remuneration for this useful, hard worked, but sadly impoverished race of village menials, and I know no reason why these emoluments should not be recognized as emoluments annexed by the state, as well as fees in Grain when land is annexed it is specified and is easily ascertained. but fees in Grain depend entirely upon the custom that has.

See Board's letter to chief Secretary See Para 4. 2nd Dy

has existed from time immemorial and not upon any express order or Grant of the Government. The Chembar &ca Class received a remuneration in land which is defined in the Government Accounts, they receive also a remuneration in Grain fees (Merah) which are sometimes but generally not defined even in the village accounts, and a further remuneration in their right to dead Cattle. And these rights have always been recognized; and any disputes regarding them have been, as they must be, settled by reference to the particular custom of each Village. and the Collectors only authority for deciding on them is the regulation in question. But that, not only fees in grain, but dead cattle also, have been recognized by the state as emoluments annexed to the Offices of Chembars &ca is I think further established by the fact of the Government assessing these Meerasidars with a Jodee or Quit rent which frequently exceeds, and in some cases considerably the whole value of the rent derived from the land; and not unfrequently exceeds

exceeds the value of the land and Grain fees co
together; from what item, then, can this Quitrent
be obtained, but from the profits of the co
emoluments derived from the Carcasses of dead
Animals- The Checklers of Cuddah Bellary
have no Enam- Their marah is entered in the
accounts as $\overset{C.}{16}-\overset{F.}{2}$ and the Jodee they pay is
$\overset{C.}{14}-\overset{F.}{1}-\overset{a}{12}$. I draw the conclusion from this co
fact that the emoluments have become, and are
recognized as emoluments annexed by the co
state- and are disposable in cases of dispute
by the Collector under the provisions of Regulation
VI of 1831.-

See same Para 4

9- The doubt of the Board whether co
dead cattle can be classed among the emoluments
annexed by the state to the Office of Chembar
&c^{a} is also I observe in some measure found-
=ed on the fact that I did not deny the co
assertion made by Lieutenant Harris that co
Government retain the Skins of their dead co
Animals; I beg to refer the Board to my co
remarks on this point in my letter to Brigadier
Dowker (para 9- when I observed that if this
was the case, and the established Custom and
the

the Meerasidars make no Complaint, I was not
called upon to interfere- But should any claim co
arise to dead cattle the property of Government co
I should dispose of such claim on its merits;
the immemorial custom being the only guide for
disposal of such claims- In the Cowle Bazar
50 years have given an exemption of that portion
of Bellary to the interference of the Meerasidars
as admitted by them- No claim therefore co
preferred by the Meerasidary could have been co
sustained- In some Villages it is the practice
of the Heads of Villages and the Meerassidars
to hold possession of the whole animal and so
in Bellary, if it had been found the established
practice (in any case that might have come co
before me) that the Government had the right to
their own dead cattle (a title which it is
very likely would never be disputed, since co
generally the Heads of Villages even have an
undisputed claim to their dead cattle) it is not
probable I should have interfered with that co
established right- as in all these and similar
cases the Collector has nothing to guide him but co
established

established Custom, and on that principle I decided in the Bruce Pettah case- So I think the as= =sertion of Lieutenant Harris, though it may be perfectly correct, cannot at all militate as against my view of the case, but on the con= =trary strengthen it.-

Colonel Munro to Board Revenue dated 13th May 1805 Para IX.

10. The Board allude to Colonel Munro's opinion "that the Custom of the Ceded District was, that ryots could either give or withhold the Marahs of the Village servants and that by this means they exercised an ef= =fectual check over them as the surest means of making them perform their duty-" and the Board agree that if this were the case in respect to the regular fees in grain it could hardly be less so in that description of emoluments which forms the subject under discussion - As respects the fees paid to the Reddies and Curnums who are more directly officers appoint= =ed by Government this opinion of Colonel Munro requires modification - The Ryots may refuse to pay the established fees, but they can be compelled to pay them - The Government enforce

enforce their right to them as the emoluments paid by the Circar to these Officers for doing the Government work, and many instances occur in which the ryots have refused to pay the full amount of Fees established, and invariably have the Circar enter= =fered and decided the question- But as respects the other description of Village servants who receive fees for services given direct to the ryot the practice noticed by Colonel Munro pre= =vails and instances have occurred of ryots complaining of neglect on the part of the Meerasidars in their duty, and of course if they neglect their duty they cannot claim their remune= =ration- But I believe it to be the rule that a Meerasidar who does his duty or is willing to do it can claim his fee as a right.-

11- In reference to the last part of the question from the Boards letter, I would take the liberty of reminding the Board that the duty of <u>removing</u> Dead Cattle is of a decided= =ly <u>public</u> nature; and the service performed by other Barabalotis for fees, is a <u>private</u> duty, and therefore it seems to me that the claim of the

the Shumbar to an absolute right in the animal is greater than of the Carpenter or Smith to the Marah from the ryot; and there seems greater occasion for the interference of the Government authority in the case of the Shumbar than in that of other petty Meerasidars-

12- I have further to notice that this class of people are most tenacious of their rights, and I apprehend any interference with that right as hitherto understood would be attended with evil consequences- The ryots in many places I believe would be glad to have their right to the whole Animal recognized, contrary to past custom- And it would also be necessary perhaps in compensation for this source of emolument to allow remissions of Jodee now paid by the Chucklers &c.a- This I should not lament as an evil, as in many places, these people are Miserably poor.-

13- I should not in this letter omit to notice the very just observation in the last para of the Boards' letter "that the Chuchlers have "duties as well as rights and that when Bellary was

"was a Village the Chucklers if they obtained the "dead cattle were also bound by Custom to furnish "sandals, whips, plough thongs and other leather "work to the inhabitants from the skins which "obligation it is obvious could not be satisfied "in large and populous towns." But the force of this argument is materially weakened by the fact, that the duties referred to are confined almost universally to the agricultural population for whom alone, in consideration of the fees they receive from them, the Chucklers perform their works without further emolument- Not only in Bellary but in other small towns and villages the general rule is that the Chuklers do work for the Cultivators without further hire- but the ryot has to supply the material (Viz.t his share of the Skin) for the leather- and unless the Ryot loses a bullock he must buy his leather and give it to the Chuckler to make the Article he requires- Other persons not being Cultivating ryots pay for work done and Materials- and as the rule holds good at Bellary as elsewhere- the old Custom of the Village is not affected, as the Board would imagine

imagine, by the place having become a town.

14- I have now noticed all the objec= tions I would wish to lay before the Board for their consideration and have to request their special instructions.-

First- Whether I am to consider the emolu= ments derived by Shucklers and Pariahs generally from dead cattle as emoluments annexed by the state to the hereditary village and other Offices in the Revenue and Police Departments. and con= sequently claims thereto as adjudicable under Regulation VI of 1831. as heretofore adjudicated.

Or Secondly- Whether it is to be declared as that their emoluments are not emoluments annexed by the state. And that the owners of the cattle have an absolute right over the dead carcass and can dispose of it as they please. or at least that such claims are removed from the cognizance of the Collector to the Civil Courts.-

and 3dly. Whether the Fees derived by all or any of the village officers are henceforth, as heretofore, to be considered as emoluments annexed by the state as wages for the performance of public services - and claims to them adjudicable by the

Collector

Collector Regulation VI of 1831 or whether any of them, are simply to be considered as wages of labour and claims to them not at all cognizable by the Collector.-

and 4thly As the Board have expressed an opinion that the Regulation in question may not be applicable to large towns and as respects the claim to dead cattle the Government have decided that the Merasdar chumbars have no right to them in Bellary. I would request to be informed whether I can exercise any jurisdiction with respect to claims to emoluments annexed by the State to other village Offices in this town of Bellary. or whether the Board would make any and what limitations respecting such claims at that place.

And 5thly Whether any other town (for instance Adonie) is to be considered, as a town to which the original village institutions are no longer applicable.

15 My opinion is that no change in the existing practices of the District is necessary or that any should be made. Even as regards the town of Bellary I see no necessity for any change. The one half of it (the Bruce Pettah) is as much under the village system, as any other large village in the District. the other half (the Cowle Pettah) is so entirely confined

confined to the Military followers and Camp, for whom it was built, that it, to a certain exctent, has been Kept under a different System. and different rules have been recognized and acted on, and customs has confirmed separate rights. But the Government have decided otherwise as respects the claim of the chuckLers.

16 Two Rupees were levied as the price of the Skins claimed by the Merasidars from the party who illegally took possession of them under my decision, in the case which gave rise to this description and were paid to the Merasidars. The Officer commanding Bellary has reclaimed the money back. I think that the order of Government should have only a prospective operation and that the Merasidars who have so long enjoyed the right should not be made to refund this sum now but I have the honor to request the Board's orders on that point.

Bellary Collector's Office 27th June 1853 } /Signed/ C. Pelly Collector

No 1058.

Proceedings thereon. The Board having fully explained their sentiments in their Proceedings of the 5th July 1852, and these having been approved of by Government in Contract minutes of Consultation, 30th July 1852, they do not consider it

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it necessary to continue any argument with the Collector on the Subject, or to reply categorically to the numerous Questions on which an answer is required. The Subject has already been the occasion of more correspondence than it deserves.

2 The object of the previous correspondence was to set at rest the question as far as it concerned the Town of Bellary where the "custom" had been objected to on good grounds.

3 In the event of disputes arising in the Villages Mr Pelly will deal with each case on its merits, and if the parties can be made by Punchayet or otherwise to consent to the custom of the Village / which it appears varies / there can be no difficulty should a case arise where the interposition of the Collector is ineffectual a reference can be made to the Board.—

4 With reference to para 16 of the Collector's letter the orders of Government on the case referred to them, are such as appear not to leave the refund of the fine optional, and as it is claimed, the Collector will be good enough to order the 2 Rupees to be paid to the Officer Commanding Bellary.—

Read the following Return.

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H A Brett
Acting Collector

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North Arcot
Coll.rs Cutcherry
Chittoor, 2d August 1853

C.C. Fs /Signed/ H A Brett
Acting Collector

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Ordered to be recorded.

Order thereon.

Read the following letters.

To H. A. Brett Esqre
As Collr of North arcot.

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B.N. 2053

Sir,

From the Asst Collr of North arcot ---

I have the honor to request that you will forward to Government this my application for leave for one Month on private affairs under section XI amended of the absentee Rules to visit the Shevaroy Hills.

Chittoor .....
2d August 1853.

/Signed/ R. C. Lewin
Asst Collector

Recommended for sanction accordingly.

North arcot .....
Collrs Cutcherry .....
Chittoor, 2d August 1853.

/Signed/ H. A. Brett
As Collr

Ordered to be submitted through the channel of the Civil Auditor for the favorable consideration of Government.

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To

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

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Bo. No. 2055

From the Asstt. Collr. and Magistrate of North Arcot

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to procure me Seven (7) days leave of absence under Section XI / amended / of absentee Rules, in esctension of leave granted me in orders of 22nd Ultimo.

I am aware that this application should be made through the Collector of my District, but as the College Examination for which I came down to Madras, has been unexpectedly delayed beyond the original time of my leave, I am constrained to adopt the present course.—

Madras, 1st August 1853

/ Signed / D. F. Carmichael
Asst. Collector

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Ordered

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Order thereon.

Ordered to be submitted through the Channel of the Civil Auditor for the favorable consideration of Government.

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No. 1709
From the Collr. of Salem.
Account Particulars No. 7 of Law Charges for Trichy 1261.

Read letter transmitting

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Order thereon.

Ordered to be recorded.

Read the following letter.

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

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Bo. No. 1875.

From the Collector of Salem

Sir,

I have the honor to submit the report required by your Board's endorsement on

No. 1303 of 1853.
From the Revd. J. M. Lechler
Missionary Salem.

a communication from the Reverend Mr. Lechler of Salem, complaining that I have disallowed his claim to certain land used as a Christian burial place.—

2. The land attached.

Reporting on the Revd. Mr. Lechler's alleged right to a portion of land forming a part of the Glacis of the old Fort of Salem.

Preferring an appeal against the collector's decision whereby the claim of the London Mission Society to a certain extent of land used as a Christian burial place, has been set aside, and requesting that orders may be issued directing a proper measurement of the Ground in question, and that the proofs he has in possession in support of the said claim, may be taken into consideration.

Boards Endorsement.

Forwarded to the Collector for report 7th July 1853.

attached to the Mission premises, of which, from his present position in connection with the parent Society Mr. Lechler is the Superintendent, lies South of the old Salem Fort Ditch.-

3 The latter, as the Board know, has recently been filled in, and a new space rendered available for building and other purposes.- To do this much, it became necessary to remove from the Glacis a wilderness of prickly pear, which, when cast into the old ditch, and covered over by the mud forming the walls of the Fort- its Bastions and Glacis has secured the new area in question.-

4. The operations- whilst employed on this work, of convicts and paid laborers, led to the discovery of a nook in which on the lower part of the slope of the Glacis, a few bodies had been interred, and a Chunam covered tomb had been constructed.- This tomb Mr. Lechler calls a "Monument-" I have used the word "discovery" as because from the position of the Glacis and the obstacles which the prickly pear offered, no one ever went in that direction except for the purposes of nature. But Mr. Lechlers premises, from their position provided a more easy means of access to the spot where the bodies were intered.-

5. After the Glacis in the immediate vicinity of the Graves had been levelled, it

seems that Mr. Lechler, or some one on his behalf planted a hedge round the Graves.- This was removed by the Convicts in the course of their labor for reasons which appear in the accompanying copy of a correspondence of which Mr. Lechler has placed before the Board only a part.-

* From the Reverend Mr. Lechler } 17th January 1853.
To ___ do ___ 20th " ___ "
From do ___ 29th " ___ "
To ___ do ___ 31st " ___ "
To Mr. L. C Innis Assistant Magistrate } 31st " ___ "
From ___ do ___ 4th February- "
To the Reverend Mr. Lechler ___ } 21st April ___ "
From ___ do ___ 19th June ___ "
To ___ do ___ 25th ___ "

6. Mr. Lechler as the Board will observe complained to me.- At that time, I had no correct personal knowledge of the locality.- This deficiency however I supplied soon after my subsequent arrival at Salem when I saw very ample reason for believing that advantage had been taken of the generally inaccessible character of the corner of the Fort, for the reason before stated, to bury people in amongst the prickly pear.-

7. Mr. Lechler's Ground though belonging I believe to the Mission is in parts very highly cultivated with crops of kinds, and borders on the edge of the Glacis, a good portion of which in the season, is actually under cultivation by Mr. Lechler.-

8. This ground formed matter for

Salem Zillah Court No. 126 of 1836.

for litigation between the Salem Mootahdar, Mr. Fischer, and a Mr. Watton, a Missionary who had charge of the Salem Mission before Mr. Leehler came to the station.-

+ 11th February 1837

9 The Decree passed in the Suit, in which, no doubt, the then Collector should have been a Defendant, if not the only Defendant, and to declare that, the land termed the Mission premises was liable to a Yisul assessment of Rupees 99-7-6, and that the then tenant, Mr. Walton was bound to accept a puttah accordingly, from the Mootahdar.-

10. This Decree was confirmed in appeal by the Provincial Court for the Southern Division on the 8th June 1838.-

11. Under these circumstances, and adverting to Mr. Leehler's application, I directed the Tahsildar of Salem to proceed to a measurement of the Mission Ground, in view to ascertaining whether the spot where the Graves appeared formed part of the area to which only under the Decrees abovementioned, the representative of the Mission has any right.

12. The result showed, most clearly to my mind that the spot where the bodies in question have been interred is beyond the boundary line to which Mr. Leehler can

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lay just claim, and this point is the more easily determined that a boundary stone is apparent close by it, which marks the limits of the Villages Salem and Payreeary.-

But there was the less difficulty

13. in finding Mr. Leehler's boundary, that the Village tories and the Mootahdar's Agent were present at the recent measurement under my Tahsildar's personal management, who had some years back been present, when under the usual Judicial process, the Zillah Courts Nazer had formally transferred the land in dispute to the representative of the Mission at that time, Mr. Leehler himself.

Further the Curnum was recently present with the Village accounts who had assisted the Nazir in the transfer in question; and their united testimony, added to the entries in the accounts, left no doubt whatever that the Graves were on ground not belonging to the Mission premises.- My decision was given accordingly, and I do not hesitate to say that I have correctly decided.-

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15 I would here remark, that I fail to appreciate the weight of Mr. Leehler's plea, that neither he nor his people were present at the measurement. A process of this kind, in a place like Salem is not likely to be unobserved, or secretly

secretly completed, and I know that it was not so conducted. It therefore rested with Mr. Leehler to send whom he pleased to witness the operations, or to look on himself. But, the Thasildar has reported that some of the Mission Establishment were present, viz. although Mr. Leehler believes to the contrary.

16. As respects this Tahsildar, Poolloor Kishen Row, I would mention that I consider him by far the most efficient Thasildar in the District. His character is unimpeached after a service of more than 32 years; he is most efficient in all that is required of an Officer holding charge of so difficult a Talook as Salem, and his independence of character is very unusual.

17. With a man of this class in personal superintendence of a revenue operation of the kind ordered by me, to meet the doubts expressed by Mr. Leehler, I do not see any necessity for the presence of the Mission dependants, but admitting that they ought all to have been present, and that nothing should have been done by the Government and Mootah Officials in their absence, I think it most likely that, when present they would have failed to comprehend the

the merits or demerits of the several measurements. Further, had they been qualified to raise objections to their accuracy, I doubt whether an Officer of the Government, competent and ready to be responsible for his own work, would have been justified in listening to or accepting their objections.

18. As for Mr. Leehler's own request that, I would let some European Gentleman of the station look into a matter, which, I had felt called upon and fancied myself able to decide, I can only say that if I had agreed so to abandon the line of my public duty, I should have been justly liable to severe censure; I however, deemed the request an absurdity and refused to agree to it.

19. I must further state that when I had communicated with the late Assistant Collector, Mr. Innis, relative to Mr. Leehler's complaint, the latter furnished to Mr. Innes a list of the lands comprised in the Mission premises. The list was used by the Thasildar, the Curnum and the Mootah agent during the measurement, as well as the Village accounts, and served to shew that

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the land entered in it, were other than that where the Graves had been dug.-

20. Referring to the "Checkbundee" of the premises owned by the Mission of which the area should yield Acres 41—12.15, it was recently ascertained that this area was deficient by Eleven Goontahs;- and by the entries in the Village accounts that it ought to be made good by the inclusion of a small patch of Bunjer lying outside the hedge of the Mission Compound by the side of the public road. This patch is on the very opposite side of the Compound to where the Graves are. It is to this circumstance Mr. Leehler alludes, when he informs me of the Shasildar's having sent word that for what he lost, he would get an equivalent near the public Road.-

21. It is just possible that, as Mr. Leehler affirms, there are 50 bodies buried in the ground he claims; but, at any rate there are visible certainly not more than 10 or 12 mounds, to indicate the burial places of the 50 corpses. The so called "Monument" is a petty construction raised, I should say, at a cost of perhaps 2 Rupees, and the entire area which Mr. Leehler designates a Christian Grave yard, is about as much in extent as the Hall at the foot of the stairs leading

leading from the principal entrance Eastward up to your Board's Office.-

22. When Mr. Leehler was at the pains to appeal to your Board in this matter on the plea of being prepared to shew that I have acted on improper data- and that my decision is neither correct nor just, it would have been more satisfactory, had he been at the additional trouble of explaining, where the error lies, and where the data by which I am guided are at fault- As matters stand, his appeal is simply that he has paid rent for certain ground and therefore that that Ground should be in his possession.-

23. To this in the absence of Mr. Leehler's more specific objections, I have simply to remark that Mr. Leehler is writing under a delusion- He has not paid rent for the Ground claimed- It is outside his proper boundary line, and as forming part of the Glacis belonging to a Fort, the property of the State, is not land on which the Mootahdar of Salem could legally levy an assessment, if any such had been levied- But the case is otherwise, none has been demanded for this spot by the Mootahdars, and nothing has been paid for it by Mr. Leehler.-

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24 I have acted, I consider, with much indulgence in permitting the spot to be protected by a wall, if Mr. Leehler is desirous to prevent its future desecration. I have provided a new burial Ground for the Pariah Community who had also encroached on the unfrequented part of the Glacis, by burying some of their dead there, and, had I not been aware that the land attached to the Mission, bordering on the river in the rear, but at a distance from the Mission house Godowns, supplies Mr. Leehler with a most eligible, retired private spot for burying his followers. I should at once have placed myself in communication with the Mootahdar, in view to securing that Gentleman's cooperation in respect also of Ground for Mr. Leehler's use.

Salem Collector's Cutcherry
Oft. 15th July 1853. . . . . } /Signed/ H. D. Phillips
Collector

No. 1.

To
H. D. Phillips Esqre
Collector of Salem

Sir,

On Saturday last, 15th Instant I observed that the Prisoners had cut down the temporary living hedge that had been put round the native Grave yard on the Mission

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Mission Compound; on inquiry I was told that it had been done by order of the Thasildar. Immediately I wrote to that Officer but having received no answer I would request that you would kindly direct the Thasildar to replace the said hedge round the Graveyard, that is to say on the East and South side of it. I may add also that the Mission Society pays rent for the ground forming the Graveyard.

Salem ------- } /Signed/ I. M. Leehler.
17th January 1853 }

PS I forgot to mention in my last that I have written to the Board about the stones near the Mission house.

To The Reverend I. M. Leehler
Salem

17th January 1853

Sir. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication complaining that injury has been done to the burial Ground attached to the Mission premises by the work now in progress for filling up the Salem old Fort Ditch, and in reply beg to state that enquiry will be instituted, as I have no personal knowledge of the spot to which your

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your letter has reference.-

Salem Collectors Cutcherry ---
Kistnagherry 20th January 1853 } /Signed/ H.D. Phillips
Collector

To,

H.D. Phillips Esqre
Collector of Salem.

Sir

I informed you in a letter dated January 17th that a certain living hedge enclosing the Native Christian burying Ground had been cut down by order of the Salem Thasildar on the 15th Instant and in your answer of the 20th you state that enquiry would be instituted.-

As hitherto no enquiry has been made nor the hedge replaced according to my request, I am obliged to request you again that orders be given to replace without delay the said hedge.-

1. The place belongs to the Mission Ground.
2. Is a burying Ground.
3. Pays rent to Government.
4. Has now been made a public privy by the Thasildars ordering the hedge to the removed.
5. I may add also that since my first letter

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letter to you the Tahsildar informed me that he has removed the hedge by your order; this however I do not believe.-

Salem, --- } /Signed/ J.M. Leckler
29th January, 1853.

To The Revered J.M. Leckler
Salem.

Sir,

17th January 1853
29th — do — do

Adverting to your letters of the marginal dates, in the latter of which you have erroneously assumed that no enquiry has been made relative to a Complaint preferred by you in respect to the removal of a hedge round a Grave Yard on the Mission premises.-

I have the honor to state that

Mr. C.L. Innes

the Assistant Magistrate on the spot has been requested to ascertain and report for the information of this Office the bearings of the matter.-

On receipt of the required particulars from Mr Assistant Magistrate, Innes to whom it may be advisable that you personally addressed yourself I shall be in a position to reply to your requisition that the hedge in question be replaced.-

Salem, Magistrates Office, } /Signed/ H.D. Phillips
Parampoody, 31st January, 1853. } Magistrate

To,

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To,

L. C. Innes Esqr.
Assistant Magistrate of Salem

Sir,

From Mr. Lechler 1st Jany 1853. 1.
Do. Do. 29th " "
Ukzee from Salem Tahsildar — 19th — — — — No. 12
to be returned

I have the honor to transmit the original papers marginally shown, and beg to request you will be so good as to ascertain and favor me with a report on the merits of the Complaint which you will observe is made by Mr. Lechler relative to the removal of a "temporary living" hedge round the "Native Grave yard in the Mission Compound."

2. The Tahsildar reports, as you will observe, that in the Grave yard in question, there is but one tomb, and from information which I have received through a Salem Town Peon on duty here, it would appear the said tomb has been but very recently constructed.-

3. Should these Statements be correct, Mr. Lechler's designation of the locality to which his letters advert, is of doubtful propriety.-

4. I am further impressed with a belief that Mr. Lechler erroneously asserts that for the ground in question he "pays rent to Government." No assessment, so far as I am aware, is levied on Ground in the vicinity of the old Fort at Salem of which the Spot under notice must be a part but

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but all the area of the Fort Glacis is undoubtedly the property of the State and must be so treated.-

5. If you are satisfied, that on the part of Mr. Lechler there has been no encroachment on Sarkal land, or on the Space just now recovered at the cost of Government by filling up the Fort Ditch, it may be as well to cause the Hedge to be replaced by the convicts to such an extent only as will prevent the desecration of the tomb; but in this respect I beg you will be guided by the result of your investigation.-

6. Until the filling of the Ditches is quite completed and arrangements have been made for the future disposal of the land which they formerly occupied, it is essentially requisite that encroachments of every kind be at once prevented and arrested where a commencement has been made.

Salem Magistrate's Office,
Darampoory,
31st January, 1853.

Signed W. D. Phillips
Magistrate

To, W. D. Phillips Esqr.
Magistrate of Salem

Sir,

In reply to your + letter dated 31st Ultimo

+ With 3 Enclosures herewith returned

1.

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Ultimo requesting me to report to you on the merits of a Complaint preferred by Mr. Lechler regarding the removal by the Salem Tahsildar of a hedge round the Mission burying ground-

2. I have the honor to represent that besides the one tomb mentioned in the Tahsildar's Arzee and alluded to by you in the 2nd para of your letter, there are several graves apparent in the ground in question, which might not at first sight have come under the observation of the Tahsildar. The tomb he alludes to is of recent construction, and is of brick and Chunam

3. Mr. Lechler affirms that the said piece of land has always been used as the burying ground of the Mission, and that it forms a part of the land particularized in the putta from the Mootahdar, which he holds for the land attached to the Mission.-

4. The piece of ground in question is on the lower part of the South glacis, and the space occupied by the tomb in no way encroaches upon the part recently levelled.-

5. The north and South line of hedge however did, as is apparent from the stems of the shrubs still in the ground somewhat encroach upon the recently levelled portion of the glacis.-

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6. As however the whole of the glacis is Government property there can be no question that this piece of ground should never have been, if it has been, included in the Putta which Mr. Lechler holds from the Mootahdar, and it seems that it was with this view that the Tahsildar directed the hedge to be removed, as the inclosure of the ground by a hedge by Mr. Lechler might if unobstructed be misinterpreted into an admission that the land was not considered Government property, and add to any difficulties which may hereafter [illegible] in establishing the claims of Government to it should they be disputed.-

7. It appears to me that to prevent the desecration of the ground a stone fence might with advantage be placed round it temporarily and Mr. Lechler on might be informed that the fence is so erected apart from any admissions of his right to occupy the ground; and I also think it is advisable that the ground in the vicinity should be at once measured to make it clear whether the measurements particularized in Mr. Lechler's putta (a Copy of which is hereunto

+ to be returned

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herewith enclosed) would warrant his occupation of the ground as if they did so the presumption would be that it has been so occupied since the date of the Pottah in question, in which case further means would be required for the assertion of the claims of Government than it is necessary for me to detail; and if they did not warrant the occupation of the land by the Missionary might be at once enclosed on behalf of Government.-

Salem, 4th February, 1853. } (Signed) L. C. Innes
Assistant Magistrate.

To,
The Reverend J. M. Lechler
Salem.

Sir,

17th January 1853
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Adverting to your letters of the marginal dates, I have the honor to state that the space to which you refer as the Mission Burial Ground is found on enquiry and examination by measurement, not to form as you suppose a part of the Mission premises for which you pay rent to the Salem Mootahdar, but is a portion of the glacis of the old Fort to which the Mootahdar has

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has no right whatever even if the spot in question had (which it has not) been included in the Mootah put in your favor.-

I am therefore, I regret to add

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prevented from calling on the local Thanadar to replace the hedge to which you allude and which I have reason to consider was of very recent planting; but as I am aware from the appearance of the ground that a few bodies have been buried there I see no reason why the locality should not be protected by any wall which you may deem it advisable to raise round the small area in which the bodies have been deposited.-

I would add that adverting

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to the proposed application to building purposes of the open Ground now recovered from the ditch and glacis, it is my duty to object to your making further use of the spot in question as a burial Ground.

Salem Collectors Cutcherry, Office, 21st April, 1853 - - - } (Signed) H. D. Phillips
Collector.

To,
H. C. D. Phillips Esqre
Collector of Salem

Sir,

Your decision, dated 21st of April

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April, regarding the Mission Burial Ground has been in my hands for some time, and ought to have had an earlier reply.-

Your decision as it appears to me is based chiefly on the "enguiry and examination by measurement" of the Tahsildar but I feel quite sure that if You knew the manner in which this "enguiry and examination" was made You would be as dissatisfied with it as I am.-

The Tahsildar began measuring in my presence and very properly, as I thought, by squares, but finding a different result from what he expected or had on his paper he adjourned the business. On resumming it a few days after he told me that my presence was not required any more, but I should, at the conclusion, have the proceedings explained to me, and also have the claim to examine the measurement myself. I stayed as long as some of my people were present, but none of the latter understood on what principle the measurement was made, and what the result was. The proceedings were not shewn to me, nor was the chain left for examination as promised and when I asked for them I met with a refusal. Moreover at the close of his measuring

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measuring, the Tahsildar sent me a Message saying that we would lose part of the Compound on the South / meaning the burial Ground / but have an additional portion on the North, along the public road".-

It will hardly be necessary to add any thing more by letter, but you will I am sure, see from what I have stated, that I cannot consistently with my duty to the Mission concerne, the justness of your decision of April 21st and I would suggest if You will allow me to do so, that some European Gentleman, an Officer of the District be deputed by You to settle this matter with me.-

Before I knew any thing of your view of the case and fearing that the Tahsildar's proceedings might be misleading I petitioned that You would kindly allow the Government Surveyor, Mr. O'Hara to measure the Mission Compound, but you informed me then in your letter of the 1st April that you were "not at liberty to require the Government Surveyor Mr. O'Hara to measure the Compound attached to the Mission Premises at Salem", and that the Government have interest only

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in part of the Mission Grounds. In presenting that petition and now in requesting that an European Officer should look into the matter, I had, and have no other motive than to see justice done both to the Mission and to Government. I hope therefore that you will kindly accede to my request:-

Shevaroy Hills,
19th June, 1853 } Signed J. M. Leckler.

To,

The Reverend Mr. Leckler.
Salem.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 19th Instant, objecting to a decision passed by me in the matter of the occupation by you, as a burial place of part of the glacis of the old Fort at Salem, and requesting me to depute a European Officer of the District to settle it.-

I have the honor to observe that having already disposed of the question of your right to occupy the spot referred to in conformity to my own notions of what seemed just and proper, I regret that I cannot feel myself at liberty to

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to allow my proceedings to be

tested in a manner other

than that which is available

to you under existing Regula-

-tions.-

Salem, Magistrates, Cutcherry, 25th June, 1853 } Signed H. D. Phillips
Magistrate of Salem

Bd. No. 1650
Proceedings thereon.
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Ordered that the following Endorsement be passed on Petition No. 1303 of 1853.-

"The Board have received a Report on this subject from

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From the Collector. The measurement of which Mr. Lechler complains was calculated in the usual public manner, the Village Officials together with the Mootahdar's Agent being present, and Mr. Lechler has not stated any grounds for his belief that it was otherwise than correct. It was accordingly decided that the small spot on which the interments have taken place, is not included in the Mission premises and that no rent had been paid for it and the Board see no reason to question the correctness of the decision.

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Read the following letter.

No. 67.

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

Sir.

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Bd. No. 1956.
From the Asst. Coll.
of Tanjore

Pending an investigation into certain charges brought against Cordubrow the Tahsildar of Coottalum, I have the honor to inform you that he has been suspended from duty from the 10th instant by the Acting Sub Collector.

Tanjore,
Wednesday,
22d July, 1853.

Signed H. Forbes
Acting Collector.

Bd. No. 1641.
Proceedings thereon.

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On the completion of the investigation into the charges brought against Cordub Row Tahsildar of Coottalum the Acting Collector will report the result for the information of the Board of Revenue.

Read the following letter.

No. 79.

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

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Sir.

Bd. No. 1996.
From the Coll. of
Trichinopoly

I have had the honor to receive
Extract.

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Extract from the Proceedings of the Board dated 21st Instant, The orders therein contained shall forthwith be obeyed.

2. The present Police Ameen of Tripputtore Sheik Mukhtoom, I nominate from Cumbaconem, where he was town Cutwal. I earnestly solicit the favorable consideration of your Board in his behalf, that instructions may be conveyed to the Collector of Tanjore to reappoint Sheik Mukhtoom to his post which he gave up only on my offer of a Superior situation.

He has served some years as Cutwall, and is an active good Man.

Tripatnopoly District,
Vittalay goodalore,
Collector's Circuit Cutcherry,
25th July, 1853.

(Signed) J. Bird
Collector.

Bd. No. 1854.

Proceedings thereon.

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W. Bird will make a representation to W. Forbes of the circumstances under which Shaik Mukhtoom has been displaced from the Ameenship of Tripputtore and the Board have no doubt but that he will allow him to fall back upon his former appointment in the Tanjore District.

Read.

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No. 360.

In Cons. 14th March 1853.

Read again letter from the Collector of Madura, dated 31st December 1852, reporting on the Settlement of that District for Fusly 1261.

(Enter No. 2291.)

B. No. 1675.

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Proceedings Relative to the Settlement report of the district of Madura for Fusly 1261.

Para 108

The season of Fusly 1261 (1851/52) was marked by a deficiency of rain and follow-ed one more than ordinarily favorable. It set in with fair prospects, but after July till November, when some show-ers fell there was little rain. The Vigay, on which the irrigation of a large extent of Government land as well as much land in the Shenagunga and other Ramnad Zemindaries depend, received only a scanty supply of water, the water in the tanks was equally insufficient. The late dry Crops, as Varagoo, Raghy, and Pulse from the rain in November yielded well, but the early dry Crops either perished or gave but a scanty return. Much Wet land was left uncultivated, and the fall of rain during the North East Monsoon was insufficient to prevent the drying up of a large extent of Wet Crops. The Talook

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of Tervomungalum which is bounded on one side, by the Hills, was in some degree an exception to the foregoing description.

Sub Collector Para 9.

2. The District suffered from both Fever and Cholera. Mr. Clarke, the Sub Collector noticed the ready assistance afforded by the Dresser, Mr. F. Brown, attached to his Cutcherry to the inhabitants generally. They "flock to him, he says, in large numbers, and appear to feel confidence in his skill." The Cattle were unhealthy, and in some cases, the losses of individuals from the death of their ploughing Cattle, were very considerable.

D. Para 8

Para 8.

3. Prices were higher than in the preceding Fusly and above the Survey rates, but this rise was not commensurate with the losses from Produce in some parts of the District. In a note appended to the Statement in Para 6 it is stated that the cultivation of the Prices of Grain has been corrected since Fusly 1260 (1850/51) inclusive from a measure of Rupees 124-6-0 weight which is the old Madura measure to the Madras Standard of

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of Rupees 120 weight. It is added that from a Memorandum discovered in the Cutcherry it has been ascertained that the Survey Measure weighed 380 Pagodas weight, which is equivalent to Rupees 111. The Board would wish the Collector to enter more fully into this subject in a separate communication explaining why a Standard of 380 Pagodas weight was adopted at the Survey while the measure of the District was Rupees 124 3/8. It is important that the capacity of that measure should be ascertained with precision in order that a Judgment may be formed of the bearing of the current Prices on the condition of the Ryot. The Survey measure of the Subdivision it appears weighed 324 Pagodas or Rupees 94 1/2.

* Assuming the Pagoda to be 52½ grains which is the Mint Standard of the Madras Star Pagodas.

Sub Coll.rs Note to Statement in Para 10.

Paras 9 & 12 To Govt. 31st May 1862

With the Cullaman Tray 4. Mootah consisting of 6 Villages, which were incorporated this year with the Ayen Villages, the number of Government Villages is 820 1/4 with 2873 Hamlets. The increase in the number of Hamlets from 2830 in last year is striking; it proceeds chiefly from

from the annexation of cullamunthay but also, as noticed in the Proceedings of last year (Para 5) from Ryots taking up their residence in the vicinity of their Cultivation. Two Hamlets were formed, the Sub Collector observes, "for the better convenience and health of the Cultivators." The Settlement amounted to Rupees 1,07,279 or Rupees 1,07,611 below the preceding year. A large portion of the deficiency or Rupees 70,314 occurs in the Madaeolum Taloo, while there is an increase of Rupees 16,975 in Tervomungalum. The last mentioned Taloo has steadily recovered, as shewn in the Margin from the depressed state into which it had fallen in consequence of a succession of adverse seasons.

Fusly.	No. of Ryots	Net Revenue
1251	19,355	2,62,158
1252	19,886	2,66,997
1253	18,977	2,35,951
1254	17,984	2,06,149
1255	16,964	1,95,137
1256	17,228	1,94,263
1257	17,200	2,23,138
1258	17,103	2,00,765
1259	17,259	1,96,996
1260	18,396	2,23,819
1261	19,460	2,40,798

5. In the extent of land actually in occupation (Dittum) there is an increase of 13,305 Cawnies assessed at Rupees 17,880. The increase is almost entirely in Dry land and occurs chiefly in the Taloo of Tervomungalum. The deduction for land not cultivated was

necessarily

necessarily large and exceeded that of the preceding year by 15,476 Cawnies leaving an assessment of Rupees 80,799 a large portion of which appertains to Madaeolum and Meylore. The Gross Settlement of the two years was.

			Cawnies	Assessment
Madaeolum	42,330	Fusly 1260.	3,73,599	11,78,467
Meylore	31,567	" 1261.	3,71,429	11,15,547
	73,897.	Decrease Fusly 1261.	2,170	62,920.

Para 13. b. Land not cultivated leaving an assessment of Rupees 2897 was included in the Settlement. The similar item in the preceding year exceeded this amount by Rupees 3,606.

7. The usual deductions on the actual cultivation amount to Rupees 11,0118, which is larger than in the preceding year by Rupees 34,938 arising almost entirely from the increase in assessment struck off

Paras 17-18. the Assessment struck off Deductions for unthered Produce for unthered Produce.

	Rs.
Fusly 1259 -	43,214
" 1260 —	9,119
" 1261 —	41,754.

This amounted to Rupees 41,754, exceeding the similar item of the preceding year by Rupees 32,634. The Talooks of Madaeolum and Meylore suffered most. The sums remitted in those Talooks were Rupees 22,174 and Rupees 13,254 respectively. After

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8. After scrutiny the Assessment of the entire land on which the Crops had perished was found to be Rupees 50,647, but Rupees 8,793 was disallowed, on account of profit accruing to the Ryots in consequence of the current prices of Grain exceeding the Survey rates which reduced the net amount given up to Rupees 41,754 as stated in the preceding Para. The remission was given after careful examination but in some cases chiefly in Madaeolum where the withering of the Crops was general, the Collector was permitted to relax the rule which requires the Ryot to preserve the Crop till it has been examined by the public Servants. In like manner it was found necessary as a special case, in consequence of the failure of rain being universal, to levy the Assessment of a Single Crop only in lands where the first Crop had perished. This relaxation of the usual rule does not appear from Para 31 of the Sub Collectors report to have extended to the 4 Talooks under the charge of that Officer. On referring to Statement No. 11 a want of uniformity in the Shares Remission is observed in the two

Sub Collector Para 21.

Proceedings Coll.r 11th June 1852.

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Divisions. Thus in cases in which the amount of loss is within 10 per Cent of the Ryots entire Pottah a claim to indulgence is admitted in the Collectors Division while in that of the Sub Collector no allowance is made. It is desirable that the System should be uniform in both the divisions.

9. In their Proceedings on the settlement for last year (Paras 1 and 8) the Board noticed the imperfect State of the irrigation in Meylore and the frequent necessity for remission in consequence. This Talook is unfavorably situated for water being at a distance from the sources of supply, but its irrigation which they observe from Para 50 of the Collectors report is under special enquiry, may, they hope, be susceptible of considerable improvement by enlarging the reservoirs as suggested by Government and by bringing water from a distance.

Statt. No. 11 Col. 13 Do. Col. 27.

Ext. Dn. C.G.t in Cons 20 Sept. 1852.

10. The Revenue from Grass lands fell short of that of the preceding year by Rupees 1,41. It is collected under three heads where the pasture land does

Paras 26 & 28

not

not exceed 1/5th of the entire Holding 1/4 only of the assessment is levied. 2nd only 1/4 of the assessment of lands included in the Dittum left uncultivated for grazing and 3d only Pasture lands rented on Durkhasts. Under the first head there is an increase in the year under review, but a decrease in the other two items, the decrease in the third proceeding from fewer tenders in consequence of the lands being dried up from want of rain. The tax is stated by the Sub Collector to be very unpopular, though just in principle and expedient and ample reasons for its imposition are given in Paras 49 and 50 of that Officer's report. In some villages Grazing is found to be more profitable than cultivation where such is the case, there ought to be no difficulty in collecting the fixed assessment of the land, but these cases appear to differ from those in which a Ryot leaves a part of his Dittum land uncultivated, in order that it may be used for grazing. In the last mentioned cases it may be beyond the Ryot's means to pay the full assessment of the land as noticed by the Collector in Para 26 of his

Sub Coll.r P. 28.

his report, but where an equal or superior profit is returned on lands used as pasture, the right of Government to the full assessment should not be foregone. As lands appear to be permanently set apart for pasturage, the introduction of such a rule would not perhaps be difficult, or if as observed by the Sub Collector, enclosures exist of which a small portion only is cultivated, the rest being used for grazing, it may be expedient to fix a consolidated assessment for the whole extent of land within the enclosure, suited to the circumstances of the case but on some defined principle.

Para 28.

11. As Rang Kerry has extensive pastures and can be more conveniently managed by the Sub Collector from its contiguity to that Officers place of residence, the Board have sanctioned its transfer to the Sub division in exchange for Pen Kurray.

From Coll.r 4th inst. 22d Nov.r 1852
To Do. 22d Nov.r "
From D.r 3d Dec.r in Fort St. George 3d Jan.y 1853

Para 30.

12. The allowances to the Hill Devastanums, which in most cases consisted only of small images under trees or under mud Huts were discontinued under the orders of the Board as

as it appeared after a full enquiry that the payments on this account were usually borne by the people themselves and not by the Government. The correspondence which passed on this subject will be submitted with these proceedings for the information of Government.

From Coll. 14th Oct. in Cons. 17th November 1851 Pro. 17th Nov. Para 22.

13. Only 4 applications for Topes under the rules of the 14th January 1848 were made in the Collector's Division while in that of the Sub Collector there were no less than 36, the difference is supposed by the Collector to arise from the prevalence of Wells in the Sub division and from that part of the district being in a less advanced state than his own Division. According to the new forms of account the Collector will submit in future a Statement shewing the number of new Topes as well as the extent of land occupied on this account both in the Taloks under his own charge as well as in those of the Sub Collector, and if the difference above noticed is found to proceed from a permanent cause the Board will be glad to receive any further remarks, which, under the circumstances of the

case may be found appropriate.

The Collector notices towards the end of his report the question put by the Sub Collector in Para 55 of his Letter Vigt. whether Poonjah or Garden Teerwah is to be collected on land taken up as Poonjah but on which the Planters have subsequently sunk Wells. It should be pointed out to Mr. Clarke that improvements effected by means of private wells are exempt from additional assessment accordingly in the cases mentioned the Demand of Government will be confined to the fixed Poonjah assessment but this rule is not to have retrospective effect.

Para 54

14. In the cultivation of Sugar cane there is a falling off of 42-12 owing to the unfavorable nature of the season. It is expected that the rule which requires that the assessment for Sugar Cane shall not exceed the fixed rates of the land for Paddy, suspended for a while but recently ordered to be carried into effect again, will operate in an extension of this description of cultivation. This subject has been already brought to the notice of Government and the orders

Para 45.
Fasly 1260. 208. 6 a 1 1/2
" 1261-165-5 1/2
42-12

To Govt. 2d Aug. 1852 Para 12
Extract Minutes Cons 6th in Cons 20th Sept. 1852 Para 11
& Jud Cons 15th Sept. 1857.

orders of the Board approved. In connection with reference to his Postscript to Letter of 4th July 1851. Mr. Parker is of opinion that the rule should be applied to other products generally which come under the designation of Sampyre, he will bring the subject under the consideration of the Board in a separate communication with explanation shewing the present Assessment, what it will be under the rule of assimilation and the probable effects on the prosperity of the District

Para 46. 16. In the Cotton Cultivation there is an increase of Acres 10320 in the year under report. The total extent of land occupied with this product is 85,008 Acres of which 45214 Acres are in Zemindaries.

Para 47. 17. The Board await the report of the Sub Collector regarding the Hill Villages noticed in this Para meanwhile they approve of the Collector having called for separate Returns of the old Wells which have gone to decay. If these are indiscriminately blended with

the other wells, an erroneous idea, as the Collector observes, will be formed of the resources of the District.

Para 48 Stat. No. 13. 18. With the explanation afforded by the Collector the Rist kundy may remain as shewn in Statement No. 13 Viz.

For Dry Asst. 8 Rists @ 12 8 Per Cent a for 2d Crop being 1/2 of the 1st Crop

Wet Do. 4 Do. @ 12-8

" " 4 Do. @ 25-"

" Hill Villages

1 Rist @ 10

4 Do. @ 20

1 Do. @ 10

It is observed that in the Heading for the Rists from March

March "Adycodary" is errone-
-ously written for "Khalam"

Para 51. 19. The information re-
-garding the large increase in
the last Census of the Popu-
-lation of the Madura District
was submitted to Government in
a letter dated 16th December
1852.

Para 52. 20. In these Paras the
Sub Collector Collector and Sub Collector report
Para 66.
what lands were aquired by Public
Servants during the Fusly under
review. Purchases were confined
to two individuals in the Collector's
division

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division, and in both cases the transactions were ascertained after they has taken place. The parties afford explanation of their omission to bring the purchases to the notice of the Collector, and their attention has been called to the necessity of a strict obedience to the orders on the subject. The Board have received the General Register of Purchases, and in future an Extract from that docu-
-ment shewing the transaction of the year will suffice —

Paras 53-54. 21. It is not the wish of the Board that a report on the Estates under the management of incapacitated Proprie-
-tors should be included in that of the Settlement of the Land revenue. The sub-
-jects are essentially distinct, and the blending of the two swells unnecessarily the annual Report on the Settlement. On the present occasion the Board would record their approbation of the management of Erra-
-sakanaikenoor, with a request that if it is found necessary on further enquiry to bring Ayacoody under the Court of Wards a sepa-
-rate communication to that effect may be made. As at present informed, it appears to the Board that a Manager of dissipated habits

habits cannot but exercise a hurtful in-
fluence on the Estate as well as on the
Minor. Indeed Mr. Clarke's description of
the way in which matters are conducted
in this Property is such as to render it
necessary that the Board should require
the Collector to report further on the sub-
ject at an early date. In regard to the
Minor, the Collector will be pleased to
consider, in the event of the estate being
brought under the Court of Wards, in
what way his education may be more
attended to than at present, and how
far it would be practicable to place him
under the instruction of Mr. Fletcher
the tutor of the Minor Zemindar
of Sheveganga. Where it can be
done, advantages are to be expected
from two or more young men
being brought together under the
same course of educational
training.—

22. Including Peishcush,
the Land Revenue amounts to
Rupees 1,80,279—10—0 falling be-
low the preceding Fusly in the
sum

sum of Rupees 1,08,534—3—0.

The particulars in comparison
for the two Fusles, with re-
ference to the foregoing review,
are shewn in the follow-
ing Abstract Statement.—

Land

Parish of Stoney Lent Christmas 1853

Parish	Names	Land	Tenement	Land	Tenement
Total	10123 2½	12476 3 10	4153 8 7	1930 5 4½	1878 12 4
Deductions on Land left unknown	2864 2½	6918 3 10	4412 0 6½	4992 1 7	1547 6 4
Gross Estate	37359 ½	117846 6 10	37128 8½	11535 11 7	2170 15½

Deductions	Gross Estate	Deductions	Nett Estate
Woollen Mills & Flax Mills in Dundalk	3179 8 3	506 7 3	2672 1 0
Gen. Internal Imp. & Fixtures	4763 7 2	465 9 8	4297 9 6
Dwelling Houses exempted	194 10 8	288 1 3	906 9 5
Tax on Boundary Lands Cultivated by Tenants	961 11 9	104 1 5	857 10 4
Income from Nett Land cultivated by Proprietor	1178 9 2 8	118 6 1 10	1060 2 10
Nett Produce		301 8 15 2	857 13 6

Deductions on Land Cultivated by Tenants

Nett Assessment	1106957 6	109729 1 1	996728 5
Gen. Valuation	1928553 12 4	171999 15 9	1756553 12 7
Gardens Total	188818 3 10	17802 19 - 10	170815 3 10

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Land	Tenement	Land	Tenement	Land	Tenement
Gen. Valuation	29535 10	21637 3 4	3106 10 4	11¾ 5769 8 9	1294 13½
Gen. Imp. Gardens	5082 12½	3694 1 9	5020 2¼	3831 12 10	" " " "
Nett	66615 10½	47169 6 9	6038 5 4½	13837 6 4 9	" " " "
Gen. Cultivated with the Produce, Annual Nett Rental	2469 3¾	1668 11 8	2367 ¼	1919 11 1	" " " "
Gen. Gardens	839 1	1093 4 4	1028 15½	1192 1 7 3	189 11½
Gen.	18529 5½	8820 8 19 7	18799 3	8925 12 10	259 13½
Gardens	1355 6 9¾	739 11 12 7	1387 6 9½	751 19 5 13 9	319 13½
Nett Gardens	107 ¾	134 2 4 4	103 15½	135 2 4 5	" "
Nett with Imp. Produce or Annuals. Annual Rental	1483 7	660 0 1	1462 8½	639 3 9	" "

Land	Tenement
Gen. Valuation	1294 13½
Gen. Imp. Gardens	" "
Nett	" "
Gen. Cultivated with the Produce, Annual Nett Rental	" "
Gen. Gardens	189 11½
Gen.	259 13½
Gardens	319 13½
Nett Gardens	" "
Nett with Imp. Produce or Annuals. Annual Rental	" "

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23. Of the foregoing demand, the Collections Amount to,

	Rs	a	p
Within the Fusly	1526932	8	1
Subsequently to the end of May	251511	3	1
Total	1778443	11	2

leaving a Balance of Rs 1835 — 5 — 8 of which Rupees 625 — 6 — 9 is Ryotwar and Rupees 1209 — 11 — 11 Zemindary, due by the Mootah of Villiagooden, which is under attachment in consequence.—

24. Under the explanation afforded in Paras 33 38 and 40 of the Collectors' report, the Board beg to recommend that the following items may be written off —

	Rs	a	p
Due by Palany Cademban } Rama Cademban	44	13	9
" Mootoo Palany Gounden	70	"	10
" Veerapen on Account of Fish rent	63	8	"
Total Current	178	6	7
Arrears of Fusly 1260 / 1850/51	17	12	3
Sevoy Summah	118	10	5
Total to be written off	314	13	3

Statement No 20 25. In the classification of the several items composing the Sevoy Summah, care should be taken to bring them under their appropriate heads as Land and extra Sources

Sources — Thus referring to Statement No 20 the items No 5 and 16 belong to Extra Sources portions of No 3 and 17 may also fall under the same, while the remaining items appertain to Land Revenues —

26. The Collector has omitted to exhibit in his Report a tabular view of the Revenues from all Branches, Land and Extra Sources — This information is supplied in the following abstract Statement —

Fusly 1260 — 229031-8-1 / Fusly 1261 — 22,6,536-13-11 The total Demand being Rupees 2,26,536 — 13 — 11 or Rupees 38494 — 7 — 2 below Fusly 1260 / 1850/51 and the Collections amounting to

Fusly 1260 — 229547-14-7 / Fusly 1261 — 225245-6-7 Rupees 2,25,245 — 5 — 7 which fall short of those of the preceding year by Rupees 39302 — 9 — " —

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	Demand of Fusly	Collection Within the Fusly	Collection Subsequently to the end of May 1852	Collection Total	Balance	Demand of Fusly 1261	Collection Within the Fusly.	Collection Subsequently to the end of May 1853	Collection Total	Balance
Land Revenue	1888813 3 10	1672308 9 1	214461 1 "	1887329 13 1	1483 6 6	178027 9 10	152693 2 8 1	25151 3 1	177844 11 2	1835 5 8
Salt	294629 11 3	270164 11 3	24465 " "	294629 11 3	" " "	36596 6 5	32589 3 11	4007 5 8	36596 6 5	" " "
Sayer	1351 13 1	1351 13 1	" " "	1351 13 1	" " "	784 11 5	784 11 5	" " "	784 11 5	" " "
Abkarry	56840 " "	53485 " "	3355 " "	56840 " "	" " "	5179 " "	1990 5 10 8	188 5 4	5179 " "	" " "
Sundry Small Farms &c	11973 5 8	9788 13 9	2184 7 11	11973 5 8	" " "	9208 " 9	6142 13 6	2609 " 7	8751 14 1	456 2 8
Sea Customs	11987 15 3	13695 8 1	1362 6 11	14987 15 3	" " "	1886 3 8 6	1804 8 11	81 4 10 6	1886 3 8 6	" " "
Stamps	30435 4 "	30435 4 "	" " "	30435 4 "	" " "	3364 2 "	3364 2 "	" " "	3364 2 "	" " "
Total	2299031 5 1	2051719 11 9	245878 2 10	2297597 14 7	1483 6 6	226053 6 13 11	196135 0 10 1	29689 4 11 6	225824 5 7	2291 8 8

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27. The charges of all descriptions amount to Rupees 312716. Those appertaining directly to the administration of the Revenue amount to Rupees 145345. The distribution of the whole sum under appropriate classes with the per centage is as follows.—

	Amount of Charges Rupees	Amount of Revenue Rupees	Per Centage Rs. a. p.
Charges for Collecting and administering the Land Revenue	145345	1780279	8 2 7
Repairs of Tanks and water courses	27575	128104	6 7 1
Pagoda and Mosque allowances in lieu of resumed Offices &c.	71394	1780279	4 " 2
Total	214314	1780279	13 11 7
Miscellaneous Charges	68402	1780279	3 13 6
Grand Total	312716	1780279	17 9 "

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28. The Tusdeek Devastanums referred to in the Tabular Statement appended to Para 22 above, amount to Rupees 615—8 only. The Collector will be pleased to consider and report in a separate letter, whether this charge may not be removed from the accounts of the settlement altogether by substituting Grants of land in lieu.

29. As regards the accounts, the Board are of opinion, with reference to Para 43 of the Collector's report, that where there is no Cultivation in consequence of the death, absence, or poverty of

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of the parties, it is unnecessary to include such in the return of Puttahs. In cases however in which the demand has been given up because the Crops have entirely failed, as the parties are present and as the Remission appears in the accounts, it seems proper that the parties should also be exhibited as Holders of Puttahs—

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Extract, be submitted to Government and a transcript of the same be furnished to the Collector of Madura.

Read

T.R.

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No. 78. Read the following letter—

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

(39)

B. No. 2030

From the Acting Collr of Madura.

Sir.

With reference to Para 52 of Mr. Parker's Report on the Settlement of this District for Fusly 1261 dated 31st December 1852. I have the honor to submit the General Register of the lands acquired by Public Servants up to end of Fusly 1261.

Madura, 27th July 1853.

(Signed) T. Clarke
Acting Collector.
Register.

Iyengar	naviss	3	3½	23	148	Prior to Do	Patrimonial property	Do	own name	in Pallaputty	
		"	12½	4	133	Do	Do	Do		in Balakistna poorum	Pandies Do
		20	4	166	211	Do	Do	Do		in Aktoor	
		95	11½	473	" 9						
4 Letchmon Row	Hoosoor Goomastah	2	7	8	1/10	Do	Purchase	Do	Do in his own name	in Erookalanuttum of Moylore	Do
		19	11½	191	310	Do	Mortgage	Do	Do in his own name	in Madacolum	
5 Yanapatiah	Do	15	7¾	123	107	Do	Purchase	Do		in Karoputty	of Madacolum Do
		7	14	42	47	Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of his son Naraniah	in Poolamaday	
		14	7¼	123	124	Do	Do	Do		in Thangaray	
		57	8½	480	154						
6 Shashagherry Row	Do	3	10¾	4	109	Do	Do	Do	Do in his own name in Rowettapollium of Madacolum Talook, It's income appropriated for publick purposes. -		

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			Cam.d a/ Rs a/ p				
			18 14 00 1 1		Permanent Cowle	Do.	Puttah in the name of his father Somevasse Row in Sholavandon of Do. Do.
7	Sadaseeva Row	Do.	34 8½ 121 5 4	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in Do. Do. in Cuttacolum of Do. Do.
			25 - 260 11 10		Purchase	Do.	Do. in the name of his paternal uncles son Sunkur row in Malanasanary of Sheroonmy Do.
			23 6¾ - - -	Do.	Permanent Cowle	Do. & Mailwarum	Cowlenamas in the name of his elder Uncle Pharsee Venkatarow & in his own enjoyment Ponnagoody in Mayloor Taloork.
			101 13¼ 448 2 3				
8	Ramiah	Do.	14 1¼ 132 9 2	Subsequent to Do.	Mortgage	Do.	Do. in the name of Mortgagee Aghoramier in Villachary of Madacolum Taloork
			13 2 18 5 -	Prior to Do.	Purchase	Mailwarum & Coodewarum	It is not usual to issue Puttah in Dharmasanum Villages in Panayoor of Shevagungah Zemindary. -
			27 3¾ 150 14 2				
			6 6½ 31 11 11	Subsequent to Do.	Do.	Coodywarum	Puttah in his own name in Thanoor of Madacolum Taloork.
			9 9 34 10 -	Prior to Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of his mellangalagoody of Mayl Taloork.
9	Kurpana pillay	Do.	225 12¾ 366 - 8	Subsequent to Do.	Do.	Do.	nole soobramo neya pillay in Katatchanum dar
			11 13½ 38 7 6	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of his paternal Uncle Soo moottoosoodya pillay in Kullunthy of Mayloor Taloork. -
			253 9¾ 470 14 1				
			- 10¼ 4 10 10	Subsequent to his employment	Mortgage	Coodywarum	Puttah in his own name in Cupbah Madacolum in Madacolum in Taloork.
			11 14½ 26 7 2	Do.	Purchase	Do.	Do. Do. in the Village of Kallanoy
10	Vambier	Koozoorgoomastato —	2 9½ 16 5 6	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. Do. in the Village of Avanyapoorum of Do.
			- 2½ 1 3 1	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of Sovaramier a share holder in Stattom puttaday Village of Do.
			15 - 47 8 9	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in his own name in the Village of Vyravanuttum of Do.
			22 - 163 4 9	Prior to Do.	Patrimonial property	Do.	Do. in his own name in the Village of Sholavandum of
			6 15 4 7 1 10	Subsequent to Do.	Purchase	Do.	Do. in the name of Venkataramiah son in law in the Village of Moodoo parapatty of Do.
			2 8 12 10 -	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of Kunary Iyan the seller in Condian pully of Do.
			61 11¾ 319 3 11				

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			Cowtah Rs. as						
			13	10 3/4	94	135	Do.	Do.	Do.	Puttah in his own name in the Village of Manaady mungalum of Do. -
11	Ram Row	Hindoo Record Keeper	2	11	16	157	Do.	Mortgage	Do.	Do. in the name of Ram Row the Seller in Ramalay of Do. -
			4	1/2	"	"	Do.	Do.	Dif. Malcum-rum	Do. in the name of the Mortgager Kistna charg the Enamdar in Keelasinnanum-putty of Do.
			2	23/4	17	88	Do.	Do.	Coodywarum	Do. in the name of Shulooza Ram Chuttrum in Selloor of Do. -
			22	9	129	58				
12	Gopaul Row	Hoozoor Goomastah	11	4 3/4	55	42	Do.	Do. & Purchase	Do.	Do. in the name of his Brothers Appora in Pounamungalum of Sheroonmungalum Talook. -
			"	6	1	128	Do.	Purchase	Do.	Do. Do. in Alagooseeray of Do. Do.
			12	4 3/4	57	10				
13	Pongala Kistna row.	Do.	155	5/2	149	154	Prior to Do.	Mortgage	Do.	Do. in his own name in the Village of Tovaryman of Madacolum Talook
			3	9 3/4	19	4	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. Do. in Sholavundam Village of Do.
			21	12	105	44	Prior & Subsequent to Do.	Purchase	Do.	Do. Do. in Parapultty of Kaylour Talook
			27	6/4	50	1511	Subsequent to Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. Do. in Nurasingum Village of Do. this is Manium belonging to the Sibbendies of Shuroomboor Dwastanum. -
			68	1/2	325	1311				
14	Coopperiah	Head Accountant	4	2	19	111	Do.	Mortgage	Do.	Do. in the name of Shanmoogapanikan in Thalacolum of Madacolum Talook. -
15	Ramasawmy Iyer	Translator	12	2	22	310	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of Firmalanum by the mortgager in Tanoor of Do. -
16	Ramasawmy Iyengar	Writer	2	3	15	108	Prior to Do.	Purchase	Do.	Do. in the name of his Father Rangagar in Selloor Village of Do.
			7	"	7	"	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. Do. in Poopandal Enum Perooma-laund of Sheevagunga Zemindary. -
			9	3	22	108				
17	Kistnasawmy Moodely	Writer	10	11/2	96	110	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of his father Appasawmy Moodely in Cusbah Madacolum Talook.
18	Bapoo Naick	Cash Keeper	1	15 3/4	10	135	Subsequent to Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in his own name in the Village of Aunpanady of Do. -
19	Puttalyramier	Writer	19	2/2	156	11 -	Do.	Mortgage	Do.	Do. Do. in the Village of Tovarcemaun of Do. -
20	Abdool Kadar	Mag[t] Javabnavis	3	1/4	23	81	Prior to Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of the Mortgager in the Village of Velachary of Do.
21	Koolemchetty	Do. Shroff Hoozoor Treasury	8	9/4	38	66	Subsequent to Do.	Purchase	Do.	Do. in his own name in Padyoor Village of Tandicombo Talook. -

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			Cowds at Rs. a d					
			4 u 14 14 10	Do.	Patrimonial Property --	Do.	Pattah in the name of Sevasailah Tumberan the mortgager in Tikiwadagam Village of Madacolum Talook.	
22	Mreenevasa Row	Hoozoor	4 1/2 28 54	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. Do. in Sattee Vapsthow Do. in favor of Do.
		Goomastah	16 2 3/4 85 11 11	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of Dara Soobhiew in Cusbah Thenedrray of Thencurray Talook.	
			24 4 1/4 129 u 1					
			2 7 1/4 21 12 0	Prior to Do.	Purchase	Do.	Do. in his own name in Iyan Coorovitooray of Madacolum Talook.	
23	Tiroomul Row	Do. of the Hoozoor Treasury	2 13 20 8 2	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. Do. in Chulamaney Village of Do.	
			5 4 1/4 42 5 u					
			2 12 1/2 15 3 9	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in Avanyapooram Village of Do.
24	Chettaramiah	Do.	4 5 31 8 9	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in Ayen Paupagoody Do. of Do.
			7 1 1/2 46 12 6					
25	Easwara Row	Do.	19 12 3/4 121 8 u	Subsequent to Do.	Bequeathed to Do. his wife by her mother	Do.	Do.	Do. in Vilasherry Village of Do.
26	Samy Iyer	D.J. Javahaarir	20 7 1/2 89 15 3	Prior to Do.	Patrimonial Property -	Do.	Pattah in the name of his father Somdarajaya in the Village of Moolcoorchy Perapoo Village of Do.	
			33 4 1/2 295 u 3	Do.	Purchase	Coodywaram	Do. in the name of his younger Uncle Venu Row in Cusbah Madacolum of Madacolum Do.	
27	N. Soobhiah	Hoozoor Rayasum	3 1 3/4 25 3 8	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. u u u Do. in Avanyapooram of Do.	
			3 u 9 u 7	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. u u u Do. in Colamungalam of Do.	
			39 6 1/4 329 4 6					
28	Ramaswamy Iyengar	Tamil Record Keeper	11 8 88 6 11	Subsequent to his Employment	Purchase	Coodewaram	Pattah in the name of his Son Lopposwamy in the Village of Moolly pullam of Madacolum Talook	
			7 15 3/4 63 5 1	Prior to Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of his son Dutta Venkatarama in Samia Nellore of Do.	
29	Soobhiah	Hoozoor Raysom	16 4 1/4 72 6 6	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of his Son Dutta Kistnaa in the Village of Kuttacolum of Do.	
			24 4 135 11 7					
			33 15 1/4 186 6 9	Do.	Patrimonial Property	Do.	Do. in his own name	in Velongoody in Iyen Paupagoody — of Madacolum Talook
30	Ramasamy Iyer	Hoozoor Goomastah	20 14 3/4 96 13 5	Do.	Do.	Do.		
			6 10 1/2 15 1 6	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of his younger brother Soobhiah	in Pollia pollium in Dalaway putty — of Ramasamy Iyer Do.
			12 2 1/4 43 14 11	Do.	Do.	Do.		
			73 10 3/4 342 4 7					

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			Cows at Rs. a c						
31	Ramasawmy pillay	Majr. Rayasum	1 7¼ 16 10 4	Prior to his employment	Mortgage	Coodyvarum	Puttah in the name of the Mortgager Soobien in the Village of Velacherry of Madaculum Talook in the Zemindary of Ramnad in the Dy. of Shevagungah		
			Shares Porooshoo						
			" 12 6 1 6						
			50 2¾ 89 9 4						
			Cawries						
32	Annandaseen	Magistrate Rayasum in Hoozoor. -	11 9¼ 84 6 8	Dº	Patrimonial property	Dº	Dº in the name of his elder brother Venkataramiah	in Samyadullor in Velacherry in Durvaul Pottam in Dº Selumputty	in Madaculum Talook. Mayloor Talook.
			37 8 27 11 2						
			2 7 13 15 8						
			11 15¼ 20 6 8						
			63 7½ 486 3 "						
			2 " 11¾ 20 14 4						
33	Gyatory Iyah	Hoozoor Writer	21 10¾ 78 4 3	Subsequent to Dº	Mortgage		Dº in the name of Mortgager in Jarees Nagamaculum	Velacherry in Madaculum	Talook
			6 12 17 14 5		Purchase and Mortgage	Coodyvarum	Dº in the name of his father	in Dº the Column in the	Talook
			Pungoo Porooshoo				Dhorasamy ah	in Shevagungah	Zemindary -
			3 " 3 " "						
			31 2½ 120 - 9						
34	Regonatharow	Peishcar Gomastah	8 10 38 13 7	Prior to Dº	Patrimonial Property	Dº	Dº in the name of the son of his elder Brother Vurrop charry in the Village of Shevaraoody of Sheroomungalum Talook	Velatcherry	
			18 4¼ 1254 1						
			" 7¼ 1 12 "						
35	Ramiah	Hoozoor Rayasum	4 7 36 11 "	Prior to Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in his and younger brother Sunkaren's name	Terosparagoondum Pullavarayen Sopa Stalumputtaday	in Madaculum Talook
			1 2¼ 32 2 1						
			120 " 150 " "				It is not the practise to distribute pullahs	In Shevagungah Zemindary -	
			144 4¾ 345 13 2						
36	Venkataiver-diengar. -	Asst. Rayasum of Mayloor Talook & doing duty in Hoozoor.	9 8¼ 50 1 8	Dº	Mortgage	Dº	in his name	Anyoor in Madaculum	Talook
			8 1 17 " 2	Dº	Converted from Waste -	Dº	Dº in the name of his elder brother Samarow in Karimalay	Village of Ramagherry	Dº
37	Venkatrow	Sheristadar of the Sub Collector's Office	" 6¾ 1 15 10	Subsequent to Dº	Purchase	Dº	Dº in his own name in the Village of Chetty naiken putty of Saudiacoomboo		Talook. -
			8 7¾ 19 " "						
			6 14½ 18 13 11	Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in the name of his son Mreanawallah Rugh-vengar in the Village of Ponnamputty of Ramn		Talook
38	Vurdiengar	Javalnavis. of Dº	20 13¼ 43 3 2	Dº	Dº of Thanum Dº of Malavaram Granted by the Zemindar in gift to Battawar by manyum		Deed of gift for Dhonasa Servan in the name of his elder brothers son Veyatavardiengar in Pepia putty of Dº		
			7 9¾ 47 4 11	Prior to Dº		Dº	Dº in his own name in the Village of Ayacoody of Iyampully Dº		
			35 5½ 108 12 "						

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39	Gopaul Kistna now	Hd. Gomastah of D.	8	11	56	82	Subsequent to D.	Granted from Waste	Coodewarum	Puttah in the name of his son Hurree Rowen Cudha of Iyempully Taloork.
40	Dhasa Pundit	Gomastah of D.	44	11¾	167	37	D.	Granted by his eldest Sister in Gift	D. & Malwarum	D. in his own name in Kamaraja poorum Village of Madacolum Taloork. His Enteram Village & the Produce appropriated to a D. in the name of his Elder Brother Shadagheny row in the Village of Velangoody of Madacolum
			5	4	40	15	D.	Mortgage	Coodewarum	
41	Beema row	D. of D.	204	112	137		D.	D.	D.	D. in the name of the Mortgager Vinaya row in Tallacolum of D.
			258	152	15.					
			297	11½	970	67	Prior to D.	Purchase	D.	
42	Mustanully	D. of D.	a	14½	4	52	Subsequent to D.	D.	D.	D. in the name of his father Syed Ebram in Atrasapatty Village of Theromungalum Taloork
			298	10	974	119				
43	Venkataram Chetty	Shroff of the Hon. Zillah Treasury	238½	85	11	7	Prior to D.	D.	D.	D. in his own name in the Chettrapatty Village of Iyempully Taloork.
44	Chittarama Iyer	Deloyet attached to the Collr's office	1	1¼	5	29	Prior to his Employment	Gift by his Father in law	Coodewarum	Puttah in the name of his son Shasha Iyer Thattamoothoo of Tandicombo Taloork
45	Ramiah	Joint Magistrate Royadrum	4	123½	35	9	10	Subsequent to D.	Purchase	D.
46	Sobbiah	D.	15	2½	50	4	4	D.	D.	D.
			13	12¾	104	11	5			
47	Narrain & Sawmy Naik	D. of D.	1	4¼	9	8	9	Prior to his Employment	Patrimonial Property	D.
			"	10	5	15	6			Puttah in his name To Tavemdeu Matherchium Anospanady Covil Shenkany Manieur Village Madacolum Taloork
			1	1¾	62	11	11			D. & Mailvarum
			16	12¾	182	15	7			
48	Streenevasiah	D.	2	15	31	9	9	D.	D.	Coodevarum D. in his own name Velatacherry D.
			"	12½	2	8	6	Subsequent	"	D. D. in his own name in Mallemputtady D.
			6	¼	16	2	11	D.	D.	D. D. in his son Vurdiengars name in Chettalum gooby.
			15	12¼	106	2	7	D.	D.	D. D. on his own name in Velachurry
49	Ramyengar	Mongroom dar of Mada column	"	10¼	7	8	3	D.	D.	D. D. in the name of Moota rulandy in yarcady the Sellor
				42	7¼	91	1	4	D.	D. D. in his son Vurdiengars name in Kulla Rampatty and Ramagherry D.
			4	8¾	38	2	10	Prior to D.	Patrimonial Property	D. D. in his own name in Athoor of Tandicombo D.
			70	3¼	263	10	5			

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				Ca Rs				
				8 17½ 32 94	Dº	Dº	Dº	Puttah in the name of his son Ramachendra Row in Ponnamungalum Village of Sheromungalum Dº
50	Soondra Row	Goomastah of Dº		39 14 257 29	Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in his own name in Saudecamboo of Saudecamboo Talook.
				19 17½ 94 74	Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in his own name in Jungavar putty of Shenkurroy Dº
				67 12½ 378 35				
51	Vencatuswara Iyer	Revenue Royaum of Dº		14 10½ 123 13 11	Subsequent to Dº	Purchase	Dº	Dº in the name of his younger brother Sheeranjeyen in the Village of Madacolum of Madacolum Talook
				23 1½ 97 19	Prior to Dº	Patrimonial Property	Dº	Dº in the name of the Eldor in Jodheemanikum } in Sheromungalum Talook
52	Nagojee Row	Hallader		13 " 41 57	Dº	Dº	Dº	
				18 11½ 66 103	Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in his own name in Papapatty in Vyakramungalum
				52 12½ 208 17				
				15 " 48 12 "	Subsequent to Dº	Purchase	Dº	Dº in the name of his Elder Brother Seeva ramien - - - - } in Vyraramut-tium
				3 4¼ 21 " 3	Prior to Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in his elder brothers Sun Soondaramien } in Cochaday
				" 2¼ 1 3 1	Subsequent to Dº	Dº	Dº	in Stallom puttaday } Mal-dee Talook
				16 12 63 4 6	Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in the name of his elder brother Seevaramayen } in Karum-putty in Papa-puttee
53	Mootanah	Hallader		8 2 30 10 11	Prior to Dº	Dº	Dº	
				16 ¼ 112 1 11	Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in the name of Seevaramyen and Soondaramien } in Ko Ka la-ppay
				59 5 279 " 8				
				Shares proportion				
				11 2 73 10 5	Dº	Dº & Mortgage	Dº	in Vellancem - Ramnad Zemmindary
				3 " 20 12 "	Dº	" Mortgage	Dº	No Puttah in consequence of their being Dhurmava neems - - - - in Pan Kanan del in Perunyaray in Karaiyan del Shevagun gah Ze-mindary
54	Ram Row - -	Town Police		31 " 162 12 "	Dº	Patrimonial Property & Purchase	Dº	
				½ of a Village 11 10 8	Dº	Dº	Dº	
				268 13 1				
				Cow Rs a p				
				2 3¾ 19 7 11	Dº	Granted by his father	Dº	Dº in his own names in Anaveyapooram of Madacolum Talook.
55	Ramaling Iyen	Royaum of Dº		3 11¼ 10 8 3	Dº	in law in Gift	Dº	Dº in the name of his father in law Sooliah } in Nagaraya of Sheromungalum Talook
				5 15½ 30 " 2				
56	Govinda Row	Chuttrum goomastah		14 7¾ 124 5 3	Dº	Purchase	Dº	Dº in the name of his father Letch-manarow in ayen Coroneto-ray of Madacolum Talook.
57	Sappaurya Pillay	Alº Rayaum		12 5 91	Subsequent to Dº	Mortgage	Dº	Dº in the name of M Ramasawmy Pillay Share holder in Vairya-da samoodrum in Sheromungalum Talook.

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				Ca Rs					
58	Ronga Row	Maramut Maistry of Madaclum Taloork		10 7¾ 6579 1 8 8 57	Prior to his employment	Purchase & Mortgage Dº	Coderarum Dº	Pettah in the name of his elder brother Vencata Row in Pow. nomungalum Dº in the name of Dº Madduh wa row in Alaghooseray	of Theroo mum. galum Taloork.
				11 15¾ 7313 4					
59	Vencata Lobba naik	Taloork Shroff of Dº		10 9¾ 28 8 2	Subsequent to Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in his own name in the Village of Vaderpaly angolum of Madacolumd.	
60	Connaraswamy naick	Golla Pean		2 12¼ 10 7 7	Prior to Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in Dº in Dº of Connarum of Velladacolum Dº Dº	
61	Coopproo-Sawmy Chetty	Revenue Rayasum of madacolum Taloork		3 6¼ 29 5	Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in his own name in Combay of Theru Kurroy Taloork.	
62	Jaffer hoosain	Tasildar of Tirumungalum		5 6¼ 12 10 2 14 12 13 3	Subsequent to Dº Dº	Dº Dº	Dº Dº	Dº Dº in Beeby tolum of Madacolum Dº Dº in the name of the Pettah in Anoopanady of Dº Dº	
				8 4¾ 26 14 1					
		Goomastah of the		1 6¾ 4 1 10	Prior to Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in his own name in Rayd. Poliem of Tirumungalum Talo	
63	Sama Row	Taloork Treasury of Tirumum galum		2 13½ 19 15 7 " 11 4 6	Subsequent to Dº Dº	Mortgage Dº	Dº Dº	Dº in the name of the mortgagee Let. chumma pillay in Kallamay of Dº Dº in the name of Dº Dellamottoo Pillay in Maaloopoocoondoo of Dº	
				4 15¾ 28 7 5					
64	Sama Row	Gomastah of Tirumungalum Taloork		1 8¾ 7 10 1	Dº	Donation made by his Mother material Grand father	Dº	Dº in the name of the Grantee Gum gadara Row in Elagarcy of Theroo mungalum Dº	
65	Coopproosamier	Maramut Goomastah		24 12 79 7 9	Prior to Dº	Patrimonial Property	Dº	Dº in the name of his father Ramyen in Thallacolum of Madacolum Dº	
66	Lutchmanier	Tamil Dº of Dº		4 6½ 24 6 5	Subsequent of Dº	Mortgage	Dº	Dº in the name of the Mortgagee Ramaswamy Iyer in Tongeyman of Dº	
				19 11½ 129 4 4	"	"	"	Dº in the name of his son Sunka riah in Maylamattoo	Made colum Taloork
				10 6½ 77 1 5	Prior to Dº	Purchase	Dº	Dº in the name of his father Annavien in Munna dymungalum	
67	Ramaswamy Iyah	Revenue Rayasum Tirumungalum Taloork		7½ 41 15 - 5 2¾ 11 4 2				Dº in his own name in Varagamoor in Gyburgudy	Meyloo Taloork
				42 5¼ 259 8 11					
68	Vencataramier	of Rayasum of Dº		11 2¾ 102 1 8	Dº	Dº	Dº	Dº in his own name in Madacolum of Madacolum Taloork.	

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69	Ramyer	Dr of Dr		4 7½ 59 79	Dr	Patrimonial Property	Dr	Dr	Dr in Vaudyoor of Dr Dr	
70	Vencatanara yanien	Dr Potier Raya Sern of Dr		11 4½ 92 41	Dr	Dr	Dr	Dr	Dr in Shanoor of Dr Dr	
71	Mootoosawmy naik	Dr of Dr		" 13¾ 8 33	Subsequent to Dr	Mortgage	Dr	Dr in the name of the Mortgager Sunkarapanoorthy pillay in Mny. -cordy of Tiroomungalum of Dr		
72	Soobaraya Mudely	Zilladar of Tiroomungalum Talook		" 9½ 3 15.		Patrimonial Property	Dr	Dr in this own name in Tiroomungalum in Vingadasamoo -dram in Venkata -mungalum	Tiroo mun ga lum Talook	
				4 1½ 32 9.		Purchase	Dr			
				2 1½ 15 156	Prior to	Dr	Dr			
				3 7 12. 2		Dr & Mortgage	Dr	Dr in the name of his Son Appauh Mudely in Eramalum Puttoy.		
				10 6½ 64 78						
73	Iyensawmy pillay	Maramut maistry of Dr		16 11¾ 51 99	Subsequent to Dr	Dr	Dr	Dr in the name of his younger brother Palangandy pillay in Tullacolum of Nuddacolum.		
				9 8¾ 26 146	Dr	converted from Waste & Mort -gage	Dr	Dr in the name of Sholamootto pillay the mortgagor in Coroppanoor		
74	Chockum Chetty	Shroff of Tiroo mungalum		2 8 9 151	Dr	Mortgage	Dr	Dr in the name of this elder brother Mootoo cumpa chetty in Nuva -rancolum	Tiroo mun galum Dr	
				5 8½ 15 88	Prior to Dr	converted from Waste Mortgage	Dr	Dr in the name of the Mort -gager Iyampillay in Vadagurroy		
				17 9¼ 52 63						
				12 5½ 65 139	Dr	Patrimonial Property	Dr	Dr in his own name in Thundalagy	Mada columTalook	
75	Soobba naick	Galla Poon of Dr		8 8½ 28 157	Dr	Dr	Dr	Dr Dr in Comarum		
				20 13¾ 94 134						
				. 1¼ . 9 6	Subsequent to Dr	Purchase	Dr	Dr in his own name in Mallum Puttady	Mada columTalook	
76	Narrain Row	Tasildar		5 10¼ 37 67	Dr	Dr	Dr	in Vilacherry		
		Meylore Talook		51 14 152 111	Dr	Dr	Dr	in the name of his Son Govindarow in Vyavanmuttum		
				31 12¼ 222 112	Dr	Dr	Dr	in Syndalagoody of Nolla cottah Dr		
				88 13¼ 233 64						
77	Perea Venkata Row	Goomastah of		5 1 19 10.	Subsequent to his Employ ment	Purchase	Govt Warum	Dr in the name of his elder brother Soobba Rayer in Cusbah	Meylore Talook	
		Meylore Talook		4 6½ 10 145	Prior to Dr	Dr	Dr	in Pattoor		
				9 7½ 30 85						
78	Chinna Venkat Row	Dr of Dr		17 15 71 52	Dr	Dr	Dr	Dr in his own name in Pattinettar -ty of Dr		

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			17 9¼ 35 1	Subsequent	Do	Do	Do in the name of his bro in law Kovelbe in	in Ponnum putty in Kulla rampatty		
			4 3 17 15 6	Do	Do	Do	Do	in Venkata naikenpatty		
			14 14 20 12 9	Do	Do	Do	Do			
79	Ramiah	Tamil Gomastah of Do	10 6 17 11 4	Do	Do	Do		in Naroor gerpoory in Meanic Kyoor in Yaga poorum in Mali galapatty	Ramagherry Taluk	
			60 9½ 214 9 2	Prior to Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of his bro			
			30 . 78 5 7	Subsequent to Do	Converted from Waste	Do	Poocoodiottaingyen			
			2 . 3 9 8	Do	Purchase	Do				
			139 9¾ 386 1							
			2 1¼ 12 4 8	Prior to Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of his elder brother	in Karoor gala gody		
80	Venkata Kist	Revenue	24 . 73 15 11	Do	Do	Do	Kistyer	in Naraeney Putty	Mayloor Taluk	
	na Iyen	Rayasum of Do	16 13¾ 70 15 .	Do	Do	Do		in Manapa chary		
			27 10½ 36 7 8	Do	Chuttrum Manigum	Do	Do in his own name as Hurkaru in Poodocottay of Ramaghiry			
			65 10 193 11 3							
81	Appyyer	Police Do of Do	1 1¼ 1 8 8 2	Subsequent to Do	Purchase	Do	Do in Do in Naraeny gerpoory of Madacheum		Taluk Do.	
82	Rama Iyer	Villadar of Do	6 13 64 6 9	Prior to Do	Do	Do	Do in Do in Cusbah of Do		Madacheum Do.	
			12 2¾ 37 5 8	Do	Patrimonial property	Do	Do in his own name	in Pullapatty		
83	Veeraspa pillay	Do of Do	78 11¼ 336 13 2	Do	Do	Do	Do in that of his eldest brother	in Karonga gody	Mayloor Taluk	
			21 12 72 11 1	Do	Do	Do	Letchumana perumal pillay	in Puttoor		
			112 13¾ 466 13 11							
84	Moodroramen lingum pillay	Do of Do	24 13 11 5 8 8	Do	Do	Do	Do in his name & that of his elder Brother in Karongalcody of Do			
85	Annavien	Do of Do	6 1¼ 29 . 5	Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of his father Bapavien	in Mayloor in Naveny potty	of Do	
			65 10¼ 133 5 .	Do	Do	Do				
			71 11½ 162 5 3							
86	Mootoosawmy Modely	Revenue & Sayarsy of Do	1 3¼ 7 13 4	Do	Purchase	Do	Do in his own name in Padine Ettangody		of Do	
			. 7 . 13 7	Do	Do	Do	Do Do in Mayloor			
			1 10¼ 8 10 11							

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87	Chinna Iyaloochetty	Shroff of D°	11	8	1/4	24	10	D°	Mortgage	D°	D° D° in Navenyputty of D°
			4	4		10	7	3	Subsequent to D°	Purchase	D°	D° in the name of his Son Nader Moideen	in Anoopp-nady of Madacolum in Malaputty of Meylore
88	Casemully	Tahsildar of Ramagherry Taloork	87	6	1/4	186	7	2	D°	D°	D°		
			78	12	1/4	555	3	5	D°	D°	D°	D° in his own name & in those of his father Baderdeen Hussain and his Son Nader Moideen	in the Shivagungah Zemindary in Kalamayr-a in Valamaco-lum Mana-ver Troopa-ranew } Villa-gar
			170	6	1/2	252	10						
89	Ram Row	Mozoomdar of D°	3	9		57	1	9	D°	Cowle	D°	D° in his own name	in Cusbah Iyeny-putty in Iyemputty Taloork
			5	7	3/4	29	11	10	Prior to D°	Patrimonial Property	D°		
			30		1/4	147	15	9	D°	D°	D°	D° in his own name	in Attaklengalum of Madacolum D° in Kasasanoor in Tahroopa-tumputty } in May last D°
90	Nagaya Row	Nagadhea Gumastah of D°	2	4	1/4	4	9	10	D°	D°	D°		
			12	2		18	15	..	Subsequent to D°	Purchase	D°	D° in the name of his younger brother Jea-vanarow	in Karadee-putty in Kannoor-putty } in Ra-magher-ry D°
			..	14		2	15		D°	D°	D°		
			50	12	1/4	203	8	10					
91	Arunda Row	Gomastah of D°	12	2		18	15	..	D°	D°	D°	D° in the name of his son Venkatasow	in Karadee-putty of D°
			55	7	1/4	125	15	11	Prior to his Employment	Purchase	Coodeywarum		in Kollanay of Madacolum Taloork
92	Nainaviah	Gomastah of Ramagherry Taloork	84	3	3/4	267	8	2	Subsequent to D°	D°	D°	Puttah in his own name	in Karsary in Kodoo-Kum-putty in Coorchee-putty } Meylore D°
			30	13		144	14	5	Prior to D°	D°	D°		
			30	6	1/4	63	13	10	D°	D°	D°		
			240	14	1/4	622	4	4					
93	Narasingarow	Maramut Dufd°	11	15	1/2	18	15	1	D°	Puttaverdee manipum	D° & Malwa-rum	D° in the name of his younger brother Ramarow	in A Ryaputty in Addkee Karum } Rama
			..	10	..	15	11		D°	Cowle	Coodevarum		
			13	8	1/4	108	7	9	D°	Purchase	D°	D° in the name of his younger brother Vencata-ranna	in Paliacottay in Nagavarow } -ghery Taloork
			3	2	1/4	5	11	1	D°	D°	D°		
			8	11	1/4	17	3	3	D°	Puttaverdee manipum	D° & Mail warum	D° in the name of Connan & Soobbayen his ancestors	in Chinda-marry put-tity }
			87	15	1/4	151	5	1					
94	Veeraputrapulley	a Jemmy of D°	8	11	1/4	30	9	10	D°	Purchase	Coodevarum	D° in his own name	in Vyravum-putty in Thogumalay } D°
			3	11	1/4	17	2	5	D°	Patrimonial Property	D°	D° in the name of his younger brother Comeravpillay	
			..	8		1	15	10	D°	Mortgage	D°	D° in the name of Seedumbrum Gounden the Mortgager	in Cannoopaly
			13	2	1/2	49	12	1					

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95	Soobbiah	Assamy of Do	11	6½	90	103	Do	Purchase	Do	Do in his own name in Kodymungalum of Madacolum Taloor Do
96	Mootoovarenbetty	Shroff of Do	2	3½	8	23	Subsequent to Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of his son Soobbenchetty Ponnampetty of Ramaghery Do
97	Pitchooviengar	Ryot Cumm Assamy of Do	3	3½	6	210	Prior to Do	Patrimonial Property	Do	Do in his own name in Cusbah Pallavaram in Vadagoumbady of Do
			"	10½	2	154	Do	Do	Do	
			3	14	9	22				
		Tasildar of	3	7	32	48	Subsequent to Do	Mortgage	Do	Do in the name of the Mortgagor Vencatarow Velangody in Madacolum Do
98	Strand Row	Tandicomboo	6	13½	33	570	Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of the Do Cannery Row in Shullacolum
			10	"	35	94	Do	Purchase	Do	Do in the name of his son Murree Row in Roolespandy of Meylore Do
			20	4½	101	010				
			17	1½	107	810	Prior to Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of his elder brothers son Kistna Row in Cusbah Tandicomboo in marumbady Tandicomboo Do
99	Teroonnul Row	Mooroonder of Do	3	8	10	44	Do	Do	Do	
			20	9½	118	42				
			4	7½	22	9	Do	Patrimonial Property	Do & Malewa: zum	Do Manepum in Cusbah Tandicomboo Do
100	Bheema Row	Gomastah of Do	19	2½	55	610	Do	Purchase	Coodewarum	Do in his own name in Bala Kistnapooram Do
			23	10	77	77				
101	Ram Row	Do of Do	5	1½	24	42	Do	Converted from Waste	Do	Do in the name of Beema Row in Cusbah Thentarray
	Bheema Row		"	12½	4	68	Do	Purchase	Do	Do in the name of the Seller Mootia pillay in Kykalan golum
102	his Brother	Do of Nellacottah	"	1½	3	72	Subsequent to Do	Gift made to the son of Ram Row by his father in law	Do	Do in the name of the Grantee Narasinga row in Thentaray Thentarray Karay Taloor
			6	9	32	2				
103	Vencata Row	Do of Tandicomboo	8	9	43	120	Prior to Do	Patrimonial property	Do	Do in the name of his brother Narraina Row in Vunmanpatty of Nellacottah Do
			9	15½	26	54	Do	Bhuttawirty Maniem	Coodywarum & Mailwaram	in Vemboor
			11	15½	22	2 "	Do	Patrimonial property	Coodewarum	in Thiroonelli patty Pama
		Police Peaga	3	5½	4	125	Do	Bhuttawirty Maniem	Coodewarum	Patta in the name of his brother Soobara: in annmani cum patty gherry
104	Somasy Iyer	Sum of Tandicomboo	1	"	3	910	Do	Do	Do	Do & Mailwarum: myer & Ewam in Condiem patty Taloor
			2	5½	6	1 "	Do	Do	Do	Do in Pullattoo patty
			5	8¾	39	124	Subsequent	Converted from Waste	Coodewarum	in Keelamungalum of Thenkarry Taloor
			34	3	102	1011				
105	Kistnyen	Gomastah of Do	4	"	7	18	Prior to Do	Purchase	Do	Do in his own name Ramyen the Javahnavig in the Sub Collr Office as his elder brother and holds claim in Gamakalapooram of Tandicomboo Do

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	Venaatarama Iyengar	Royasum of Taudicombo	1	8¾	5	14 7	Subsequent to his employment	Converted from waste	Coodemaram	Pattah in his own name			in Sroonmoor of Shen-Kurray Taluk
106			10	4	81	9 °	Do.	Mortgage	Do.	Do.	in the name of the Mortgager		in Moolly pollom of Madacolum Taluk
			11	12¾	87	57							
107	Venaatarama Iyer	Zilladar of Yaniodee	36	1½	124	14 ,,	Prior to Do.	Purchase	Do.	Do.	in his own name		in Moolly pandy in Taudicombo Do.
108	Teroovengada Moodely	Post Office Writer of Dindigul	3	15¼	11	5 5	Do.	Converted from Waste	Do.	Do.	in the name of his Elder Brother & son Pettina Moodely		in Adiveenoothoo of Taudicombo Do.
109	Sashagherry Row	Zilladar of Iyempully	1	1½	3	7 7	Subsequent to Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	in the name of his son		Streenevasseram in Ootamapollium in Shen Kurray Do.
110	Sama Row	Maramut Gomastah of Do.	4	5¼	20	10 11	Do.	Purchase	Do.	Do.	in the name of his father		in Palney in Iyempooly Taluk
			36	6½	244	9 9	Prior to Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in his own name	in Palney	Do.
			1	12¼	9	13 7	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.		in Manoatto	
111	Streenevasa Iyen	Assistant Revenue Assamy	12	-	63	3 11	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. in the name of his father	in Chintamany	Madacolum Do.
			7	3½	49	3 4	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Soondram Iyen	in Velacherry	
			57	6	366	14 7							

112	Tomasoondrum pillay	Revenue Raysom Do.	3	13¼	36	3 10	Subsequent to Do.	Mortgage and conversion from waste & Purchase	Do.	Do.	in the name of his father	in Cushak Palney of Iyempully	
			2	9½	57	6	Prior to Do.	Conversion from waste	Do.	Do.	in the name of his younger uncle Sashagherry sow	in Veerabondy	
113	Vencut Row	Gomastah of Do.	1	7½	6	4 8	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	in the name of	in Cattoor	Shen Kurray Taluk
			16	13½	67	6 6	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Ramachendrasow	in Papiempully	
			2	5¾	6	11 10	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	the Son of his younger uncle	in Covilpully	
			23	4	85	14 6							
114	Soobbiah	Police Raysum of Do.	21	15¼	136	4 11	Do.	Purchase	Do.	Do.	in his own name	in Erumbely	Madacolum Taluk
115	Goonniah	Zilladar of Do.	7	3¼	58	10 1	Subsequent to Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	in the name of his father	in Kaliamoot-toor in Iyempully	Do.
			3	7¼	29	12 .	Prior to Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	in his own name	in Iyempooly	of Do.
116	Chocalinguem pillay	Do. of Do.	4	8	22	4 9	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	in the name of his	in Thandi combo	Thandi combo
			8	12¼	27	3 5	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Son Ramaswmy Pillay	in Vadasen thoor	Do.
			16	11½	79	42							

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				5 7/12	12 2 9	Do	Converted from waste	Do	Do in the name of his younger brother Ramoo Pillay Thenkurray				
				1 11/12	4 14 7	Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of his father Alaga: pillay in Theamaracolam				
				1 8	5 11 8	Do	Do	Do	Do in his own name in Anjampully				Then
117	Thungamootto pillay	Tahsildar of Thenkurray Talook		2 11	17 5 9	Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of his father Alaga: pillay in Doctum polliem				Kurray Ta:
				12 3/12	89 10 5	Do	Purchase	Do	Do in the name of his younger brother Maroodoo pillay in Vadagoney				book
				3 15 3/4	33 10 4	Do	Enam	Do	in his own enjoyment Koongy putty in Bodynaickoor Zemendary				
				25 3	38 8 5	Prior and Subsequent to Do	Purchase & Cawle	Do	Do in his own name in Pallaputty of Nelacottah				
				52 12/4	201 15 11								
				8 .	24 1 10	Prior to his employment	Purchase	Do	Do in his own name in Koonnoor				Then
118	Varaina Row	Gomastah of Do		3 6	17 11 6	Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of his brother	in Oolama: poliem			Kurray Ta: book
				4 14	41 3 .	Do	Do	Do	in law Soobba Row	in Paupen putty			
				16 4	83 - 4								
119	Pamiah	Police Raya		10 15	72 3 7	Do	Patrimonial property	Do	Do in the name of his brother Soobbiah	in Thenkurray in Andyputty		Do	Do
		Sum of Do		7 8/12	32 3 3	Do	Conversion from waste	Do					
				18 7/12	104 6 10								
120	Appooniah	Police Asamy of Do		4 14	40 7 1	Do	Do	Do	Do in his own name in Paupien putty			Do	Do
121	Pagariah	Peon Asamy of Do		5 11/12	37 3 -	Subsequent to Do	Purchase	Do	Do in the name of his son Pamiah in Thenkurray			Do	Do
				. 14/12	9 9 7	Do	Conversion from waste	Do	Do in the name of his son Pagana Pamiah in Vadagurray				
				6 10	46 12 7								
122	Cootiah pillay	Police Asamy of Tenneurray		. 12	1 12 11	Prior to his employ	Conversion from waste	Coodewarum	Puttah in the name of the father Mootiah pillay in Thenkurray	Thenkurray Talook			
123	Vencataramaniah	Villadar of Do		. 15/12	4 10 3	Subsequent to Do	Do	Do	Do in the name of his elder Sisters son Coopoo: Sawmy Iyer Andiputty of Do	Do			
124	Soobbiah	Do of Do		10 5/12	62 2 7	Prior to Do	Patrimonial property	Do	Do in the name of his father Poosamma Soothien in Thenkurray of Do				
125	Suncaramoorty pillay	Do of Do		2 6/12	19 8 10	Do	Purchase	Do	Do in his own name in Paupien putty of Do				

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			6	15	29	133	Do	Conversion from waste	Do			
126	Mootiah Pillay	Shroff of Do	"	1/2	"	139	Do	Do	Do	Do	in his own name	in Kattangolum / in Thenkurray / in Vadacurray } of Do
			4	15 1/2	39	68	Do	Purchase	Do			
			12	"	70	18						
			"	1/2	"	18	Subsequent to Do	Do	Do	Do	in the name of his son Siva Soobramonya pillay	in Thenkurray
127	Palanallamada-pillay	Golla Peon	4	3/2	34	41	Do	Do	Do	Do	Do Do in the name of his brother Comaraswamy pillay	in Panjanpatty } Do
			11	10 1/2	77	139	Do	Do	Do	Do	in the name of his son Siva Soobramonya pillay	in Vadacurray
			16	14 1/2	112	36						
			9	9/4	58	42	Prior & subsequent to Do	Mortgage	Do	Do	in the name of the Mortgager Chectaramien	in Velacharry of Madacolum Do
128	Kistnaswamy Iyengar	Moozoomdar of Nelacottah	3	4 1/2	10	25	Do	Purchase	Do			in Karaputty
			3	5	6	122	Do	Do	Do	Do	in his own name	in Weylore / in Moniangoor City / in Allaykapoory } Maroomgahony Zemin: Land Name: in Talook
			3	5/2	6	25	Do	Conversion from waste	Do			
			1	12	19	142	Do	Enam by the Zemindar	Do			
			21	4 1/2	101	34						
129	Letchoomy naranien	Police Rayasom of Do	10	9/4	66	63	Prior to Do	Purchase	Do	Do	in his own name	in Erumbaly of Madacolum Do
			77	14	91	56	Subsequent	Do	Do	Do	in the name of his son in law in Nookanootha Shrotriem Village	Nellacottah of Do
			88	7/4	157	119						
130	Ramiah	Ayah Sanny of Do	250	15 1/2	794	95	Prior to Do	Patrimonial property	Do	Do	in his own name	in Mooliyandy / in Unnamkoo Cuttoopatty } Thandacumboo Do
			36	4 3/4	85	2	Do	Do	Do	Do		
			287	4/4	879	115						
131	Cheetaramiah	Do of Do	1	1/4	5	29	Do	Gift	Do	Do	in his own name	in Thuttanoothoo of Do
132	Narraina Syer	Zilladar of Do	1	14/4	10	511	Do	Purchase	Do	Do	Do	in Ponnamangalum of Theroomangalum Do
133	Iyasunnoo Pillay	Do of Do	4	7/2	22	9	Do	Conversion from waste	Do	Do	Do	in Cusbah Thandicombo in Vadasendoor } Thandicomboo Do
			1	15 3/4	9	67	Do	Do	Do	Do		
			6	7/4	31	74						

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134	Andeyappa pillay	Police ameen of Teroppatoor	2	6/2	19	43	Subsequent to Do	Purchase	Do	Do in his son Raenasawmy pillay's name Vengadasamoo thrum in Theroomungalum Do
135	Venaatara=:mien	Police ajsamy of Shevagunga	11	3/4	35	311	Do	Patrimonial property	Do	Do in his own name in Koolumcharry of Theroomungalum Do
			27	6/4	85	104	Prior & Subse=:quent to Do	Purchase & Mortgage	Do	Do in Do: vic Arasaputty; in Kallanay; in Toombacolum; in Kodumungalum Mada=:=calum Do: = Teroomun=:galum Do.
136	Damaraja Iyengar	Dos Poorahiem Gomastah	9	57	44		Subsequent to Do	Purchase	Do	
			50	339	04		Do	Do	Do	
			25	175			Prior to Do	Do	Do	
			111	69/4	657	5				
137	Venkatasoob: =rah	Do of Mooty =oor Salt Pan	3	13/2	30	83	Do	Do	Do	Do Do in Sellore Do in Hamunsotta Talook of Ramanad Zemindary
			30	4/4	4	58	Do	Patrimonial property	Do	
			34	17/4	34	1311				
138	Venkatarayana Iyengar	Gomastah of Vattaniem Salt Pan	16	13/4	32	158	Subsequent to this employment	Patrimonial property	Coodewarum	Puttah in the name of Venkata Kristna Sayer his relation in Kara=:kutty in Ramagherry Talook
139	Shaik Madar	Chowkeydar of Danispatam	15	3/4	1	6	Do	Mortgager	Do	Do in the name of the Mortgager in Anoo=:panady of Madacolum Do
			6		45	3	Do	Do	Do	Do Do in Anagadymungalum of Meysore Do
			6	15/4	46	63				
140	Kalisty moodely	Do of Keelakarei	24	5/4	88	7	Prior to Do	Purchase	Do	Do in his own name in Koonattoor of Do
141	Kundasawmy pillay	Shroff of Vutta=:num	17	15/4	13	5	Do	Patrimonial Property	Do	Do Do in the Zemindary of Ramnad
142	Comarasabo pillay	Gomastah of Do	78	6	58	11	Prior & Subse=:quent to Do	Purchase & Mortgage	Do	Do Do Do in Do Do
143	Soobayen	Shroff of Mooka=:yoor Salt Pan	10	12/4	10	10	Prior to Do	Patrimonial property	Do	Do Do Do in Do Do

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No. 58. Read the following letter.—

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

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B. of R. No. 1882.
From the Collector
of Canara ----

Sir,

I have the honor to request that a Statement of the importation of Goa Salt into the Belgam and Suwantwaree Districts by Land during the just expiring fusly similar to that furnished for fusly 1261, with the Proceedings of the Board of the 15th November 1852, may be obtained from the Bombay authorities and forwarded to me to enable me to report upon the result of the Salt trade on this frontier.—

Collectors Cutcherry,
Mangalore,
11th July, 1853.

(Signed) F. N. Maltby
Collector.

B. of R. No. 1642.
Proceedings thereon.

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The Board are of opinion that the Collector of Canara might apply direct to the Collector of Continental Customs and Excise, by whom the last Statement was furnished, for the information he requires, which will save much Circuitous Correspondence—

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No. 67.

To,

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

(43)

Bd. No. 2036.
From the Collector
of Canara --

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge your Circular letter of the 25th April, on the subject of the weights in use in this district.--

2. I beg to annex to this a list of the weights in use in each taluk- This I have taken partly from returns called for from the several Officers, but chiefly from an account furnished to the Board by Mr. Lewin in 1836.-

3. These weights are I believe, well established and known in the different parts of the district- The Board will observe that all the common weights commence with the Rupee- This is so fully determined that any party would be liable to punishment whose weights were found to differ from the required number of Rupees weight- There is therefore nothing further to be ascertained by the European Officers- If the weights in use in any Shop be sent for, weighed and found to vary from the standard, it would only prove that the party was using a false weight.—

4. The original Standard was I believe the Surat Rupee, but the Company's Rupee is now referred to on all occasions and recognized as the Standard.—

5. The weights in use in this district are of the rudest kind, a large Stone or a bag of Stones, or an English iron weight with a Stone tied to it, are in common use- The interference of Government is very emergently required for the absence of all control as to the weights to be used gives rise

rise to frauds of every kind and renders detection very difficult.-

6. The remedy is obvious- That Government should furnish a supply of weight duly stamped just as they regulate and supply the circulating Medium- I do not consider that for this purpose it is necessary at first to debar the people from the use of the weight to which they have been accustomed- I think that weights of the denomination in common use in the Talook, should be sold at fixed prices at the Talook Cutcherry and that each should have stamped upon it it's weight in Rupees and the proportion which it bears to the established Indian Maund.—

To Board 12th July 1836.

7. I find that the same opinion was held by Mr. Lewin, and supported by a reference to the plan pursued by the English Legislature.—

8. When a supply of weights is offered by the Government it must be rendered penal to use any others- I think that it is also desirable that Scales stamped by the Government should be procurable in each taluk at the lowest price at which they can be constructed.—

9. At present a beam of wood having on a piece of string is in common use by Merchants purchasing Sooparee and other valuable products.—

10 I do not think that any local efforts to improve the present practice can be of any avail- The remedy is entirely in the hands of the Legislature.—

Collectors Cutcherry,
Mangalore,--
28th July, 1853.--

(Signed) F. N. Maltby—
Collector.

List.

Moolkye

Measures as above — other Measurement also in use — —

Rice wt

78 — 1 Seer —

12 Seers 1 Kulsy

4 Kulsees 1 Moora

Rice wt

12 1 Coodtay —

2 Coodtas 1 Seer

12 Seers 1 Callah

4 Callahs 1 Addoor Mea

Weights as above —

Weights as above —

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Bekul—	Munyaseer Bazar Rs. wts. 13— 1 Coodtay 6 Coodtas— 1 Seer 8 Coodtas— 1 Hanch 28 Hanchs 1 Moora 52½ Mooras 1 Corge—	Rs. wts. 12— 1 Coodtay 2 Coodtas 1 Seer 4½ Seers— 1 Cootty—	Weights as above Rs. wts. 24— 1 Seer 41⅔ Seers 1 Maund 22 Mds. and 10 Seers equal to 1 Mangalore Candy.—
Casergade Bazar— Measure as above—	Liquid measures as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore—	Weights as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore	
Vittul Bazar— Measures as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore—	Liquid Measures as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore—	Weights as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore	
Pillikode Bazar Measures for Paddy— Rs. wts. 13— 1 Coodtay— 8 Coodtas— 1 Hanch 10 Hanchs 1 Brah—	Rs. wts. 12— 1 Coodtay 2 Coodtas— 1 Nahi— 4 Nahis— 1 Cootty—	Ditto	Rs. wts. 10— 1 Hullah— 4 Hullahs— 1 Pund— 100 ditto— 1 Maund—

Buntwal—

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Buntural — Cusbah Bazar —

Rs. wt.	Rs. wt.	Rs. wt.
9¾ ½ Pao —	3 — ¼ Coodtay	12 — ½ Seer
2 Half Paos — 1 Pao	2 quarter Coodtahs ½ Coodta —	2 half Seer — 1 Seer
2 Paos — ½ Seer	2 half Coodtahs — 1 Coodta —	5 20/24 Seers — 1 Punch Seer —
2 half Seers — 1 Seer	15 Coodtahs — ½ Calad —	8 Punch Seers — 1 Maund —
14 Seers — 1 Kulsy	2 half Calads — 1 Calad —	20 Maunds — 1 Candy
3 Kalsies — 1 Moora	3 Calads — 1 Maund	
42 Mooras — 1 Corge	20 Maunds — 1 Candy	

Ditto —

Pootoor — Cusbah Bazar

Measures as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore — Rs. wt.

40 — 1 Pound —
28 Pounds — 1 Maund —
20 Maunds 1 Candy —

Weights as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore —

Codipy — Cusba Bazar

Measures as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore — Rs. wt.

12 — 1 Coodtay —
2 Coodtas — 1 Seer —
6½ Seers — 1 Bellary or Punch seer —
8 Punch seers — 1 Maund
10 Maunds — 1 Candy

Weights as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore.

Pudoobidry Bazar —

Rs. wt.	Rs. wt.
20 — 1 Pao Seer	12 — 1 Coodtay
2 Paos — ½ Seer	2 Coodtas — 1 Seer
2 half Seers — 1 Seer or 1 Hanch —	6 Seers — 1 Bellay
12½ Seers — 1 Kalsee	3 Bellays — 1 Maund
4 Calsees — 1 Moora —	10 Maunds — 1 Candy
30 Mooras — 1 Corge —	

Weights as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore.

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Carkul Bazar Rs wt			
20 – 1 Pao 2 Paos ½ Seer 2 Half Seers 1 Seer 14 Seers 1 Calse 3 Calsees 1 Moora 42 Mooras 1 Corge another Measure 20 – 1 Pao 3 Paos 1 Annah 16 annahs 1 Culsee 3 Culsees 1 Moora 48 Mooras 1 Corge	Liquid Measures as in the Bazar of Pudoobedry		Weights as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore
Barcoor – Measures as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore Another Measure denominated "Kunchina Moora" is made use of in paying the rental which is equal to 1½ Mangalore Moora	Rs wt 6 — ½ Coodtay 12 – 1 Coodtay 18 – 1 Seeday 8 Seedes – 1 Bellay 8 Bellays – 1 Maund 10 Maunds 1 Candy		Weights as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore
Rs wt Cundapoor 20 – 1 Pao Seer 2 Pao Seers ½ Seer 2 Half Seers 1 Seer 14 Seers 1 Kalsee 3 Kalsees Moora 42 Mooras 1 Corge	Rs wt 4½ – ¼ Seedeh or 1 Solaga 18 – 1 Seedeh 5 Seedehs – 1 Bellay 8 Bellays – 1 Addoo	1 Veeroy Fanam 1 Hana 9 Fanams – 1 Ekerry Pagt 30 Fanams – 1 Tola 80 Pagt or 24 Tolas 1 Seer	Weights as in the Town Bazar of Mangalore

Honore –

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Honore — Cusbah Bazar

Rs. wt.	Rs. wt.		Rs. wt.
9 - 1 Collaga -	12 - ½ Seer -	9 Goongees - 1 Dharana	6 - 1 Quarter Seer.
18 - 2 Dittoor 1 Urvallah	2 half Seers - 1 Seer -	2 Dharanahs 1 Purtah.	12 - 1 Half Seer
36 1 Seedah or 2 Urvallahs	6 Seers - 1 Chamboo	2 Purtahs - 1 Hydery Pagoda	24 - 1 Seer
6 Seedahs - 1 Collaga	16 Chemboos - 1 Addoo -	3 Pagodas / 14 Goongees } 1 Tollah -	70 - 1 Addye Seer -
20 Collagas 1 Moora -	10 Addoos - 1 Candy -	Old Weight - Ekiery Pagoda wt	2 ditto - 1 Punchsur -
30 Mooras - 1 Corge -		Pagoda for =	2 Punchsurs 1 Daday -
		3 Goongees weight - " - 1	2 Dadays - ½ Maund -
		9 Fanams - 1 - "	2 half Mds 1 - Maund
		30 ditto - 1 Tola -	20 Maunds 1 - Candy -
		24 Tolas or Surat Rupees weigh } 1 Seer	

Coompta Bazar Measures as above.

Another Measure is as follows

Rs. wt.	Rs. wt.	Rs. wt.
24 - 1 - Seer -	24 - 1 Seer	Weights as above. 24 - 1 - Seer
8 Seers - 1 - Kollaga -	48 Seers - 1 Maund -	48 Seers - 1 - Maund -
22½ Kolla = gas } 1 Moora.	20 Maunds - 1 Candy -	20 Maunds - 1 - Candy -
30 Mooras - 1 - Corge.		

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Buttul Bazar

Rs wt	Rs wt	Ekerry Pagt wt	Rs wt
		Pagt 1	
24 – 1 Seedh	27 – 1 Seedh	4 Goonjees weight = 1 or 1 Chowlah	24 – 1 Seer
4 Seedhs 1 Annah	4 Seedhs – 1 Annah		40 Seers 1 Maund
40 Annahs 1 Moora	10 Annahs – 1 Maund	8 Chowlahs – 1 "	20 Maunds 1 Candy
30 Mooras 1 Corge	10 Maunds 1 Candy	80 Ekerry Pagodas = 1 Seer	

Ankola — Ankola and Goa = Surn Bazar

Rs wt	Rs wt	Pagt Rs	Rs wt
32 – 1 Seedh	16½ – ½ Seedh	3 Goonjas weight = 1	24 – 1 Seer
6 Seedhs 1 Collaga	33 – 1 Seedh	9 Fanams = 1 "	11 Seers – 1 Daday
20 Collagas 1 Candy	4 Seedhs 1 Chemboo	3 Pagodas and 3¾ fanams = 1 Tola	4 Dadays 1 Maund
20 Candies 1 Koomba	4 Chemboos 1 Calsige	24 Tolas or Rs weight = 1 Seer	As formerly but at present the following is in use.
	2 Calseges 1 Maund	10 Seers – 1 Daday	46 16/24 Seers of 24 Rs each = 1 Maund
	20 Maunds 1 Candy	4 Dadays – 1 Maund	20 Maunds – 1 Candy

Another measure is in use as in the town Bazar of Mangalore.

Sedasheigur Bazar

Rs wt	Rs wt	Bagt fs	Rs wt
27 – 1 Atve	16 – ½ Seer	3½ Goonjes weight = 1 or 1 Chowla	24 – 1 Seer
8 Atves – 1 Collaga	32 – 1 Seer	2 Chowlahs or 1 Darana = 2¼	11⅔ Seers – 1 Daday
20 Collagas 1 Candy	18 Seers – 1 Calsige	4 Daranas 1 = "	4 Dadays – 1 Maund
20 Candies – 1 Coomba	2 Calseges and 4 Seers = 1 Maund	3 Pagodas and 3¾ fanams = 1 Tola	20 Maunds 1 Candy
	20 Maunds – 1 Candy	21 Tolas or Rupees weight = 1 Seer	
		40 Seers 1 Maund	

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Soopah

Yellapoor Bazar

Rs. wt.	Shye Pice wt.
96 1 Pucka Seer	36 — 1 Seer
2 Seers — 1 Paoo	6 Seers 1 Punch Seer
4 Paoos — 1 Coodoo	8 Punchseer 1 Maund equal to
20 Coodoos 1 Chutney Candy	36 Pounds of 40 Rupees weight —
20 Chutnee Candy 1 Fursh Candy	

8 Goonjees weight } 1 Mopah
12 Mopahs 1 Tolah or Rs wt
24 Rupees weight } 1 Seer —

Shye Pice wt

24 — 1 Seer
13¼ Seers 1 Daday —
4 Dadays — 1 Maund
20 Mds 1 Candy equal to
18 Maunds and 26 Pounds —

Hullial Bazar —

Rs. wt.	Shye Pice wt.
96 1 Pucka Seer	24 — 1 Cutcha Seer —
4 Seers — 1 Pylee	6 Seers — 1 Punch Seer —
16 Pylees 1 Collaya —	2 Punchseers 1 Daday
20 Collayas 1 Candy —	4 Dadays — 1 Maund —
	20 Maunds 1 Candy —

8 Goonjees weight } 1 Mopah
11½ Mopahs — 1 Shapoora
24 Shapooree Rupees weight } 1 Seer

Weights as above. —

Soondah

Sircy Bazar —

Rs. wt.	Rs. wt.
40 — 1 Siddy	24 — 1 Seer
2 Siddy — 1 Paoo	10 Seers — 1 Punchseer —
2 Paoo — 1 Chuttee	48 Seers — 1 Maund —
2 Chuttees 1 Collagah	20 Maunds 1 Candy
20 Collagas 1 Cheetney Candy —	
25 Collagas — 1 Heroo	
4 Heroo — 1 Moondyode Candy —	

2 Grains of Paddy } 1 Grain of wheat
2½ Grains of wheat — } 1 Seed of Goonjee
2 Seeds of Goonjee } 1 Seed of Manjootee —
2 Seeds of Manjootee } 1 Chowla —
2 Chowlahs — 1 Dharanah —
2 Dharanahs — 1 Hoonoo —
2 Hoonoos — 1 Cherry Pagoda —
80 Pagodas — { 1 Seer or 24 Rs weight —

3 Rs Wt 1 Noutang —
2 Noutangs — 1 Paoo
4 Paoo — 1 Seer
6 Seers — 1 Punchseer
2 Punchseers 1 Dade —
4 Dades — 1 Maund —
20 Maunds 1 Candy —

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Fort St. George. 4th August 1853.

Read the following letter.—

No. 79.

To,

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

Sir.

With reference to the correspondence noted in the margin, I have the honor to inform you that I have secured a sufficiency of Salt for the next six Months. 1/4th Garce of it was obtained on contract—the remainder was brought by private traders who followed in the wake of the contractors—

The prices, as was to be expected from the limited time which we had to get our supply in, are in excess of last year tho' after some time I was able to make an abatement in the rates at first insisted on—

As directed in the Extract from the Board's Proceedings under date the 2nd September 1852, I have had various experiments made on the weight of Salt—

The experiments vary according to the

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B. No. 1877—
From the Collector of Malabar.—

Reports the result of various experiments made on the weight of Salt in Malabar—

To the Board 28th Dec. 1852.
To Ditto 29th Ditto —"—
To Ditto 16th Feby 1853.
From Ditto 3d March —"—
To Ditto 16th Ditto —"—

† Garce 967—

2—

Average price paid— Rs a P.
In Fusly 1261 per Garce 27-14-7.
In Fusly 1262 —— 32-11-9.
Excess in 1262— 4-13-2.

Vide Enclosures Nos 1 and 2—

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Weights as above—	24 Rs weight 1 Seer 5½ Seers— 1 Kiss Ancheer 8¼ Seers— 1 Kiss Ancheer 8 Kiss Ancheers 1 Kiss Maund 20 Kiss Maunds 1 Kiss Candy		
Bills—	Rs wt 36 1 Sidey 8 Sidey 1 Collagah 20 Collagahs 1 Chattey 20 Chattey Candy 1 Seer Candy—	Rs wt 24— 1 Seer 6 Seers 1 Punchseer 8 Punchseers 1 Maund 20 Maunds 1 Candy—	Mangalore, 28th July 1853.
Collectors' Cutcherry,			Read.
Order thereon,			Ordered To lie over.

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the humidity of the weather and the nature of the Salt-

4- One hundred were made at Cannanore in the driest time of the year Viz.t the middle of March-

Enclosure 1. The contents of the Bombay Parrah it will be seen weighed from 88 to 95 lbs after being well Dried-

Some of the Salt had lost but little by pulverization of crystals the rest a good deal-

5. A hundred other experiments were made at Calicut 70 in April and the commencement of May when the humidity of the atmosphere was greater than in March and the last 30 in June after the monsoon had commenced-

In the first 70 experiments the driage was effected partly by the sun and partly by fire- In the last 30 altogether by fire- The Salt was taken from the tiled Godown from which it is retailed weighed. dried and then re-weighed-

6- The proper results of the first 70 trials I am sorry to say are not forthcoming Mr. Sandeman's box. viz which they with a number of other Memoranda and papers relating to Salt experiments were deposited having unfortunately been stolen from the house

One of these was a Memoranda of trials made at my request by Mr. Maltby. His Bombay Salt weighed in Canara from 83 to 89 lbs in place of 82 1/2

His Salt was of a finer nature than mine. I was obliged from the lateness of the season to make any I could get.

house a few nights ago; but he has full recollection that they did not differ materially from the last 30 of which we have a copy-

7. The Original weight it will be seen varied from 93 1/2 to 102 1/2 lbs which was lessened by driage to 85 and 90 1/2- The proportion of humidity extracted by driage being on an average upwards of 11 per Cent-

Captain De Lisle in his Pamphlet of the 13th November 1851 estimates 6 per Cent as the extreme of weight debitable to moisture, but unquestionably the estimate is too little for Malabar in it's humid state- 10 lbs was extracted out of every Bombay Parrah that I saw measured by the application of artificial heat for one hour and five minutes. That there was more moisture left was clear from the sputtering and cracking of the crystals, but I saw no use in pushing the experiment further-

8. The Amount of moisture extracted from the Salt by driage in the Cannanore experiments which as I said took place in the hottest time of the year have not unfortunately been preserved- No doubt it varied according to the fineness of the Salt which I may observe was generally of a better description than that brought to Calicut- It is shewn that there was an excess of Salt at Cannanore, as distinguished from moisture, above what was

received

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received in Bombay of from 1 to 12 lbs. on
The average of excess on the hundred expe-
riments is nearly 5 1/4 per cent: while the
Calicut average is 6 1/4 the mean average
may be assumed then at 5 3/4 per cent.

10. It remains to be determined
whether for this difference the Government
resolve to revert to a smaller measure for
receipt and sale in Malabar. If so, the
proper measure would seem to be one of
the following dimensions: 19 × 19 × 7.6 Inches
equal to 2743.6 Cubic Inches.

11. It is desirable to bring to notice
that in Canara the Salt is received by the
Bombay Parrah into a Marcal from which
it is sold to the Customer. Weight as
Mr. Maltby tells me is not adverted to
and the purchaser receives the same
amount of Salt as has been received from
Bombay which as I have observed above is
in Canara as here in excess of 82 2/7 lbs.

It would seem to follow if the
amount to be given out to the Malabar
Customer is to be diminished by the substi-
tution of a smaller Parrah than the Bom-
bay one that steps of a similar nature
should be enforced in Canara, that their
selling measure should be made proportionably
smaller.

Calicut. - - -
11th July, 1853. } /Signed/ H. V. Conolly Collector

These dimensions it will be observed are nearly the same as those arrived at by the Board as mentioned in their Proceedings dated 8th March 1852. Para. 26.

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Enclosure 1.

Result of 10 experiments made with Salt dried and weighed at Cannanore on the 16th March 1853.

No.	Weight of each Bombay Parrah. lbs	Remarks.
1	85 1/2	These 10 Parrahs were taken out of the Salt received from Pattimar No. 25 of 1252. It is large grained Rock Salt and was dried in the sun previous to being weighed.
2	85 1/2	
3	85 1/4	
4	86	
5	86 3/4	
6	86	
7	87	
8	85 1/2	
9	87 1/4	
10	85 1/2	
11	84 1/4	These 15 Parrahs were landed from Pattimar No. 26 direct from Bombay was large grained Rock Salt. light and well dried in the sun.
12	83 3/4	
13	83 3/4	
14	83 1/4	
15	83 1/2	
16	83 1/2	
17	84 1/4	
18	84	
19	84	
20	84	
21	83 3/4	
22	84 1/2	
23	84 1/4	
24	84	
25	83 3/4	
26	89 1/2	These 10 Parrahs were landed from Pattimar No. 27 from Tannah, was small grained and was dried in the sun previous to being weighed.
27	88	
28	89	
29	88 1/2	
30	88 1/2	
31	88 1/4	
32	88 1/4	
33	88 1/2	
34	88 1/2	
35	88 1/2	

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No.	Weight of each Bombay Parrah.	Remarks.
36	84½	
37	83¼	
38	83½	
39	83½	
40	83½	
41	83	These 15 Parrahs were landed from
42	84¼	Pattimar No. 28 direct from Bombay
43	83¼	was large grained rock Salt and well
44	83¾	
45	84¼	dried previous to being weighed.
46	83¼	
47	84¾	
48	84	
49	84	
50	84¼	
51	90	
52	89	
53	88¾	The 10 Parrahs were landed from
54	90	
55	89½	Pattimar No. 29 from Tannah was small
56	88½	grained and dried in the sun previous
57	89	to being weighed.
58	89	
59	89	
60	89	
61	90	
62	90¼	
63	90½	
64	91	These 10 Parrahs were landed from
65	90	Pattimar No. 30 from Tannah was small
66	90	
67	90¼	grained and dried in the sun.
68	90¼	
69	89¾	
70	90½	

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No.	Weight of each Bombay Parrah.	Remarks.
71	83¼	
72	83¾	These 5 Parrahs were landed from
73	83½	Pattimar No. 32 from Bombay direct was
74	83¼	large grained rock Salt and dried in the sun.
75	83½	
76	90½	
77	90½	
78	90¾	
79	90	These 10 Parrahs were landed from
80	91	Pattimar No. 31 from Tannah was small
81	90	
82	90½	grained and dried in the sun.
83	90½	
84	90	
85	90½	
86	82½	These 5 Parrahs were landed from Pattimar
87	83	No. 34. from Bombay, was large grained rock
88	83½	Salt and dried in the sun previous to being
89	83	
90	83½	weighed.
91	86	These 3 Parrahs were landed from Pattimar
92	86	No. 33 from Bombay, was large grained rock Salt
93	85	and but little dried in the sun previous to weigh-
		ing.
94	88½	Ditto from Pattimar No. 35. Ditto. Ditto. Ditto.
95	89.	
96	94½	These 5 Parrahs were landed from Patti-
97	94¾	mar No. 36 direct from Bombay was small
98	94½	grained and dried in the sun.
99	94	
100.	95	
	8699¾	Average 87 lbs

/Signed/ Christina Menon
Salt Peishear.

/True Translation/
/Signed/ H. V. Connolly
Collector.
Results

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Enclosure No 2.

Result of Experiments made with Salt dried by fire at Calicut on the 22d 23d and 24th June 1853.

No	Weight of a Bombay Pucka of moist Salt in lbs	Resultin lbs after being dried by fire	Time occupied in drying H. M.	Amount of Drayage or Moisture lbs	Salt used when stored in the Gollah.	Remarks.
1	95 1/4	85 1/2	" "	9 3/4	13th April 1853	22d June 1853.
2	96 1/2	88	" "	8 1/2		
3	95 1/2	88	" "	7 1/2		
4	96.	87	" "	9		
5	99 3/4	89 1/4	" "	10 1/2		
6	98.	86 1/2	" "	9 1/2		
7	94	85 1/2	" "	8 1/2		23d June "
8	93 1/2	85	" "	8 1/2		
9	95 1/2	87	" "	8 1/2		
10	95 1/2	85 1/2	" "	10		
11	99 1/4	88	" "	11 1/4	4th March 1853.	
12	99.	88 1/2	" "	10 1/2		
13	98	87 1/2	" "	10 1/2		
14	98 1/2	88	" "	10 1/2		
15	97	86 1/2	" "	10 1/2		
16	98	87.	" "	11		
17	97 1/2	87 1/2	" "	10		24th June "
18	97	88	" "	9		
19	95 1/2	86	1 5	9 1/2		
20	97	88	1 5	9		
21	99 1/2	90	1 2	9 1/2	6th April 1853.	
22	99	87 1/2	" 57	11 1/2		
23	102 1/2	90 1/2	" 55	12		
24	101 1/2	89 1/2	1 "	12		
25	101	88 1/2	1 "	12 1/2		
26	101	89 1/2	" 52	11 1/2		
27	100 1/2	88 1/2	1 "	12		
28	100	88	1 2	12		
29	100	88	1 2	12		
30.	99 1/2	88	" 38	11 1/2		
Average	98.	88.		10.		

[Signed] H. V. Conolly Collector.

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B. No. 1649.

Proceedings thereon - 1.

Submitting with the Board's observations letters from the Collector of Malabar on the subject of measuring Bombay Salt.

Fort St. George 4th August 1853.

No. 356.

The above letter reports the results of the Trials of Salt weight made under directions of the Board, as explained by them in para 11 of their Proceedings dated 2d August 1852.-

2. It will be in the recollection of Government that the Contractors receive the Salt at Bombay by measurement in boxes of 29241 Cubic inches capacity which is equivalent when stamed of 82 2/7 lbs avoir.-

3. A Duplicate box is used to remeasure the Salt received in Malabar, and the Contractor is expected to produce a Certificate at Bombay that he has delivered as much as he received minus a small allowance for wastage. The Merchant (Mr. Conolly thinks with reason) have been complaining that when the Duplicate box is filled in Malabar it holds about 93 lbs. of Salt instead of 82 2/7 and thus that they are expected to deliver 11/4 Pr. Cent more than they receive.-

4. From the papers referred to in the

the Board's Proceedings of 2d August 1852 and from the experiments now made there can be no doubt that the Bombay standard Bosc weighs on arrival on the Malabar Coast more than one Indian Maund.—

5. 100 experiments made at Cannanore gave the following result after the Salt had been dried.—

Large grained very near the Indian Maund
small grained, about 91 lbs or an increase of 10 per cent in weight.—

+ Para 11 Pro: 2d August 1852.

6. The Board before observed* that it would be very desirable to ascertain the effects of pulverization distinct from those of moisture, and the above experiments do so, as all the Salt was dried. If the Salt when shipped at Bombay was of the same grain the loss by pulverization alone is about 10 per cent and as far as this kind of loss affects the weight which it cannot do without lessening the bulk, the Board think an allowance should justly be made though not perhaps to 10 per cent for pulverization alone, as the process of drying would assist that effect.

effect. The average weight of the dried Salt is 87 lbs per Bosc instead of 82 2/7.—

7. The next set of experiments recorded are 30 in number (though 70 more were made, the record of which is lost) they are said to have agreed pretty well with the 30. In these experiments the Salt was weighed both in its moist state on arrival and after it had been dried by fire. On arrival it averaged 98 lbs* to the Bombay Bosc. but when dried 88 lbs or a difference of 10 per Cent due to moisture. The difference between its weight in Bombay 82 2/7 and its weight when dried at Calicut may be attributed to pulverization or 7 per Cent.—

× Varying from 95 to 100 lbs.

8. The question now arises whether the loss of weight that may be admitted should be made up by allowing the use of a smaller Bosc to represent a Maund weight or still using the Bombay bosc allowing a percentage for loss.—

9. The Secretary to the Bombay Government in para 12 of his letter of 20th January 1853.* informs Mr. Conolly that

* Encl. 1 in Mr. Conolly's letter of 10th February 1853. in Cons: 3d March 1853

that the Collector of Salt Revenue is "of
"opinion that if in order to compensate for
"Wastage - Dryage &ca a measure of 2650 Cubic
"inches or about 9 per Cent less than the
"Bombay measure be used in measuring the Salt
"at Malabar all difficulties would be removed"-

10- Mr. Conolly's opinion having been requested by the Secretary to the Bombay Government he replies in his letter of 3d February 1853+ Parah

+ In Encts 1 to Mr. Conolly's letter of 10th February 1853.

5 and 6 that it would be better to allow a
wastage of 10 per Cent than use a Bosc of 2654
Cubic inches. but if it is really intended not to
demand more than 82 2/7 lbs the Parah which has
been in use for the last 8 years of 2395 3/4 Cubic
inches should be adopted.

× 185 × 18-5 × 7-

11- On the 7th March 1853 the Secre-
tary to the Bombay Government informed
Mr. Conolly× that "His Lordship in Council
"has directed the Collector of Salt Revenue
"to allows as far as 10 per Cent"

× Encl. in Mr. Conolly's letter of 16th March 1853 in Cons: 4th April 1853.

12- Mr. Conolly seems to prefer a
smaller Bosc and Estimates the right
dimensions for a Maund at 2743.6 Cubic
inches

inches, or 6 1/4 per Cent less than the 2924.1 of
Bombay - But the Board observe that his
average of excess Viz. 5 3/4 per Cent is not
Correct He Calculated the "average of excess" in
the 100 Camanore experiments at 5 1/4 per Cent
and that of the 30 at Calicut at 6 1/4 - Whereas
the Enclosures shew that the average at Cam:
=anore was 87 lbs (dried) or 5.7 per Cent
excess of the Indian Maunds of 82 2/7 lbs.
and that of Calicut 88 lbs or 6.9 per Cent
excess - The average of these is 6 1/4 per Cent
and 2924.1 reduced 6 1/4 per Cent would be
2741.1/4 -

13- It is concluded that Mr. Conolly would expect a farther remission for wastage by Sea -

14- The Board would express their opinion (if such be called for) that the prefer-able plan is the one proposed by the Government of Bombay - and they consider that 10 per Cent, to cover wastage and Dryage ought to answer every purpose as far as the contractors are concerned -

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=mended so large a percentage merely for loss of weight without loss of bulk+ but it is now shewn as that there is some loss from pulverization, and in this case the Contractors cannot be exc: =pected to return bulk for bulk.-

+ It is evident that if a Contractor receives 100 bosses full, and can deliver 100 bosses full which is all that is required it cannot matter to him how much the weight alters.-

Read the following letters.

No. 106.

To,

B: Cunliffe Esqre.

Sub Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Sir,

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B. No. 1794

From the Collector of Madras

1. At the request of Mr. Cashavanaidoo, I have the honor to forward the accompanying Petition with the papers appended to it, which he begs may be submitted to Government.-

2. I cannot revoke or qualify the opinion I have already recorded in Para 2 of my letter dated 3d May last. At the same time I freely acknowledge that during the time Mr. had

had charge of this Office Rasheva Naidoo appears to have done his best to give satisfac= =tion; nor have I in any case that has come under my own observation seen cause to sus=pect his integrity - With reference therefore to the testimonials he has submitted of which he has shewn me the originals, I venture to hope that some provision may soon be made for his employment in some other capacity, as apparently contemplated in the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.-

27th June 1853-

Madras 9th July 1853-

(Signed) H: Stokes.
Acting Collector.

B. No. 1853.

Proceedings thereon-

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x 13th July in Cons: 4th August 1853.

The Board resolve to return to the Collector the address from Mr. Cashava Naidoo forwarded with the above letter also a x letter to the Board received direct from the individual with a request that he will return both addresses to him, with an intimation that the Board must decline to be the medium of his communicating with the Government seeing that he is at liberty to forward his Petition direct-

To,

No. 112.

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

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B/- No. 1909.

Sir,

From the Acting Collector of Madras.

In the year 1843 the practice commenced of annually letting out the right of collecting Cowdung on a small piece of Government land near the Cenotaph usually occupied as a halting place for Carts coming to Madras from the Southward.

Fusly-	Amount- Rs A- P.
1253	24 — 8 — —
1254	49 — 8 — —
1255	58 — 8 — —
1256	63 — — — —
1257	61 — 8 — —
1258	130 — 8 — —
1259	108 — — — —
1260	96 — — — —
1261	99 — — — —
1262	111 — 0 — —

The annual amount of the rent from that time is entered in the Margin. As this Farm is so insignificant as a source of revenue and seems to answer no other good end, I have the honor to recommend that the Board would be pleased to sanction its abolition. In this hope, I have not put up the farm for the Fusly just commenced, but allowed the last renter to hold it on the same terms as last year, pending the Board's orders.—

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From Military Board 5th May 1852.
To Military Board 14th May 1852.

A Copy of the Correspondence with the Military Board and this Office is herewith forwarded for the information of the Board.

Madras 19th July 1853.

(Signed) H. Stokes.
Acting Collector.

Enclosure No. 1.

Engineers' Department.

No. 2750.

To The Collector of Madras.

Sir,

The Superintendent of Government Roads having in reply to an inquiry by the Military Board reported that certain ground within the former limits of that assigned for Lord Cornwallis' Cenotaph, has been rented and a hut erected thereon connected with a contract concluded with your Department for the sale of Cowdung for the last 12 years, I have the honor by desire of the Board to request you will favor them with information as to the authority under which possession of the ground has been assumed and to what purpose the amount realized as rent, has been appropriated.—

Military Board Office,
Fort St. George,
5th May, 1853.

(Signed) A. H. Hope.
Acting Secretary

To

Fort St. George 4th August 1853.

To Captain A. H. Hope
Acting Secretary to the
Military Board

Sir,

I have the honor to state for the information of the Military Board, with reference to your letter of the 5th Instant that the Cowdung Contract on the land in question has been in existence since 1843 and that the revenue derived therefrom, which is inconsiderable is brought to account under the head of Extra sources - If the land is required for the purpose you mention might easily revert to its former use on the expiration of the present fusly which occurs on the 11th July next. I know of no authority for appropriating the land in question to the purposes of the Contract except that it appeared to be Government land and as such under my control for the benefit of Government -

Fusly 1261 Rs. 99 ——

Madras
14th May, 1853.

(Signed) J. A. Huddleston.
Collector.

(True Copies)
(Signed) H. Stokes
Acting Collector.

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Proceedings thereon

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It does not appear from the correspondence forwarded by the Acting Collector, that the Ground at the Cenotaph referred to, is required for any public purpose, nor is it shewn that there is any objection to the rent - If the Military Board wish to assume the Land, they might be allowed to do so - but if not, the rent might be continued as heretofore.

Read the following Extract

Extract

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Extract from the Register of Certificates issued to individuals the Form D received from the Board of Revenue in their Secretary's letter under date the 10th March 1828 for the Quarter ending 11th July 1853.

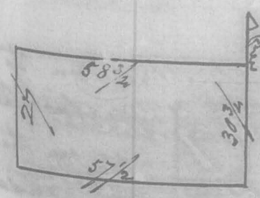
Number of the Certificate	Date of the Certificate 1853	Grantee	Situation	Between what Houses	Length	Breadth	Value	Actual annual Quit Rent	Extent	Number of the old Title Deeds.
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5409	27th May	P. Sayumnah Peddoo Naik	Pettah in Dindoo Ven: cataramiah Street.	North by Taniachella Moodely's House on the South by Teroomalarow's House on the East by a Street and on the West by Thayee's House	93 / 32 / 32 / 93				2,450	Issued upon 60 days Notice with reference to a Bill of Sale registered on the 12th May 1831 as N:336 in the name of T. Ramrow the late Father-in-law of the present Grantee, who re: presented the said Bill of Sale is lost or mislaid.
5416	17 June	M. Canapathy Sawmy Moodely Nagarathna Moodely Jagana: da Moodely Ja: ganada Moodely Cummysawmy Moodely & Soondra Moorthy Moodely	Dr. in General Mootiah Moodely's Street.	North by Chellapathy Naidoo's House on the South by Vencata Kistna Naidoo's House on the East by Inhabitants Houses, and on the West by a Street.	78½ / 24 / 25 / 80½				1,575	1944/16 38. Bill of Sale N:8394 registered. On the 27th June 1826 in the name of M. Veeraragavah Moodely whose Sons are the present Grantees.
6233	21st April	Cunthasawmy Naik and of Varadarazoo Naik.	In the Villages of Noongum: bauk.	North by Vencatatutel: mee Ummalls ground, On the South by Moo: thoo Naik's ground, On the East by Cuttoomoo Soobrayer's ground and on the West by Karoo Kapa Naik's ground.	65 / 18½ / 193½ / 63				"	5 95 1 18 In part of a Certificate N:1249 dated 20th Febuary 1835 in the name of Caroo Capah Naiken the late father of the present Grantee.

Number of the Certificate	Date of the Certificate	Grantee	Situation	Between what Houses	Length	Breadth	Value	Actual Extent	Annual Quit Rent	Number of the Old Title Deeds
	1853.							P B a P C g Sft	P B a P.	
6252	22d April	P. Canagasabha Moodely	At Royapettah Ammyapah Moodely's Street in the Village of St. Thome	North by Anundary Pillay's house on the South by Canagasabha Moodely's house. On the East by Ramasawmy Pillay's house, and on the West by a Street.	93	30		" " " "	1390	1 - -	Certificate N: 7493 dated 10th June 1825 in the name of Veerabadra Moodely the late father of the present Grantee..
6260	27th Do	S. Moottoosawmy Chetty	Varasidu Venaiya Coil Street in Periamettoo in the Village of Vepery	North by C. Mootteiah Pillay's house, On the South by P. Cunthapah Moodely's house, on the East by a Street, and on the West by Narasinga Baumo and Yagapah Moodely's heads	82	10½		" " " "	2264	1 - -	Issued upon 60 days Notice with reference to an entry N: 66 in the Register of Quit Rent Bills issued on Land held without Certificate in the name of Venaa: tapathy whose son is the present Grantee.
6263	4th May	Veerasawmy Grawmy	Vencatasa Gramnys Street in the Village of Tondiarpett	North by a Street, on the South by Inhabitants houses on the East by Veerasamy Grawmy's house, and on the West by V. Sawmy Grawmy's house and ground..	4			" " " "	539	1 - -	Issued upon 60 days Notice Vide Entry N: 67 in the Register of Quit Rent bills issued on land held withaut Certificate..

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Number of the Certificate	Date of the Certificate 1853	Grantee	Situation	Between what houses	Length	Breadth	Value	Actual Extent	Annual Quit Rent	Number of the Old Title Deeds
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6283	28th May	C. Balakrist: =na Moo: =dely	Veeraragava Moodely's Village of Triplicane	North by Nynia: Moodely's Street: pah House, Kistnama: Naiks Stables and a Street, on the South by Venca: chella Moodely's house on the East by a Street and on the West by L. Ven: =cadasen's house						Remaining part of Certificate No. 5315 dated 1st October 1804 in the name of C. Venca: =tarunga Moodely In part of Choultry Certificate No. 9 dated 15th November 1799 in the name of Nyniapah Moodely who sold it by a Cadjan dated 12th January of the year Pa: =rabava to the said C. Venca: =taraya Moodely the late father of the present Grantee.
6284	28th	D: P. Narrain: =Sawmy Chetty	In the Tercouettoor Road in the Vil: =lage of Tondi: =arpet.	North by Pa: Ground on the South by Parava: =na Naik's ground on the East by Inhabitants ground and on the West by a Street.						Issued upon 60 days Notice with reference to a Certificate No. 637 dated 15th September 1802. and Certificate No. 578 dated 15th April 1802 the former in the name of Chettiapah Chetty and the latter in that of Sewarama Chetty, whose grand Son P. Narrayanasawmy Chetty is the present Grantee. The said Certificate has been represented to have been mislaid or lost.

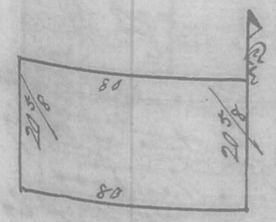
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	1853									
6285	30th May	C. V. Krishnasamy	In Ploss Pettah Cundapa Moodely's Street in the Village of Pooramankee.	North by a Street on the South by Venkatachella Moodely's House on the East by Alvar's House and on the West by a Street.						



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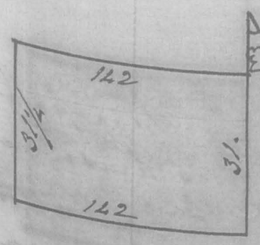
. . . . . 1678¼ 1 . . Bill of Sale N.1261 registered on the 3d January 1834 in the name of Coatta Mungalum Venkatachella Pillay the late father of the present Grantee.

6291	6th June	Madurahaik	Peramettoo in Cadapah Pungiah Chetty's Street in the Village of Vepery	North by Logiah Chetty's House on the South by Venkia Naidoo's House on the East by a Street, and on the West by Thurmaraya Maistry's Shame.						



. . . . . 1650 1 . . In part of Bill of Sale N.1748 registered on the 23d May 1837 in the name of Zulladum Venkiah Naidoo, who assigned over his right Title and Interest in it by a Deed of Release dated 18th April 1848 to his Nephew Jagunnada Naik the late Elder brother of the present Grantee.

6305	15th Do	Cunthasamy Moodely	In Rayapettah Ammiapah Moodely's Street in the Village of St. Thomé.	North by Nagapah Maistrees House, on the South by Moodely's House, on the East by a Street and on the West by Nagapah Maistry's Ground.						



. . . . . 1201 9/4 1 6. Certificate N.7748 - 5th June 1806 in the name of ambattoor Cunniapah Moodely, the late Father in law of the present Grantee. Besides an Excess of 404⅛ Square feet of ground held by the former proprietor for a considerable period Vide Nagapah Maistry's report dated 9th May 1853 N.88.

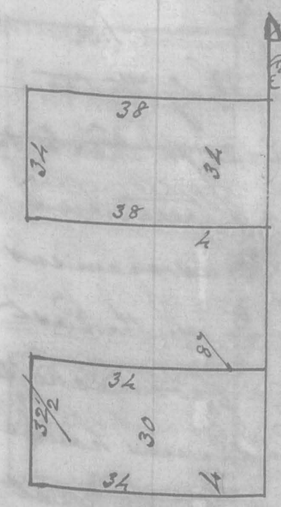
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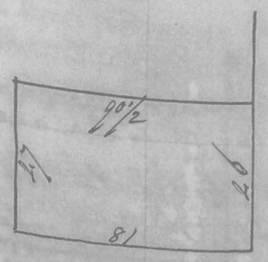
Name of the Certificate	Date of the Certificate	Grantee	Situation	Between what Houses	Length	Breadth	Value	Extent	Actual annual Quit Rent	Number of the Old Title Deeds
	1853									
6307	20th June	B. Venummah	at Chools in the Village of Vepery	North by Water course on the South by a Street and P. Parasooramen's house on the East by Aroonachella Pundarums house and on the West by Parasooramen and Iyoloo Naick's Houses.						
6311	28th Do.	T. A. annoo the annual	At Summun the poosum in the Village of Pareedasy Moodly Tondiarpett ground on the	North by a Lane on the South by Street and on the West by Soobaraya Pillay's Garden.						

Madras, 25th July, 1853.

Bdaefg Sft. A ab.



a . . . . 1319½ 1 11 - Issued upon 60 days notice, with reference to a Certificate No. 1599 dated 1st May 1803 for 1062½ Square feet in the name of Chinna Paravooramen who sold it with an excess of 1657 Square feet by a Cadjan Bill of Sale dated 17th Margalee of the year Karah to C. B. Govindoo Naick the late Brother in Law of the present Grantee, Vide Appanoo Maistry's report dated 25th April 1853 No. 63.



a . . . . 1587 3/8 1 4 - Certificate No. 1537 dated 12th May 1847 in the name of T. A. Appanoo Grannny the late Husband of the present Grantee.

(Signed) H. Stokes
Acting Collector and Register of Govt. Grants.

Ordered

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Order thereon.

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Ordered to be recorded.

Read the following letter.

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Bd. No. 1987

From the Acting Collector of Madras.—

No. 120.

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

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith copy and translation of the Plaint and draft of an answer proposed to be filed in a Suit No. 702 of 1853 brought in the Principal Sudder Ameen's Court of Chingleput against myself the Superintendent of Salt and a Salt Manufacturer for the recovery of 6½ Salt Pans at Ennore, the cost incurred in preparing them, and the manufacturer's share of the produce which might have been made in the current season amounting in all to Rupees 4,415 and to request that the Board will be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government to defend the Suit at the public expense.

2. On the 4th March the Superintendent of Salt reported that several of the Salt Manufacturers having needlessly delayed the manufacture, three notices had been issued in January and February giving them due warning that their Pans would be taken from them if not in progress at the furthest on the 25th February, that such of the defaulters as answered to their names on the 28th and gave good excuses for delay and security for early progress were reprimanded, but with others extreme measures were adopted, and he sent a list of the Parties including the Plaintiff whose Pans had been transferred to others, requesting my sanction to the transfer.

3 In a Memorandum in reply to this letter I informed Mr. Campbell that the transfers were confirmed, presuming them to be in accordance with the terms of Moochilka. Certain Petitioners including the Plaintiff complained of the loss of their Pans and their Petitions were referred to the Superintendent and he was requested to deal as leniently as possible consistent with the requirements of the service, and if there were grounds in any case to give back their Pans, and it could be done without injustice to the new holders, this course might be adopted.

4 Mr. Campbell did not avail himself of the discretion thus allowed to him not thinking that the Plaintiff's case required this indulgence. He, Plaintiff, then addressed another Petition to me stating that a considerable expense had been incurred on the Pans. This Petition was

For warding Copy and translation of a plaint filed in the Court of the Principal Sudder Ameen at Chingleput against his Office for the recovery of 6½ Pans at Ennore, with amount disbursed for their repairs and submitting draft of a proposed answer to be put in reply and requesting that the defence may be conducted at the public expense.

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was referred to the Superintendent with instructions to enquire into the truth of the Statement and if supported, to give back the Pans. He replied again that they could not be restored without great injustice to Venkatachella Moodelly to whom they had been given and who is the Partner of the Plaintiff, that Venkatachella Moodelly had privately offered to give them back to Plaintiff if he would promise not to transfer them again without his permission, but the Plaintiff on Chinglevoy Moodelly declined, admitting that his object was to sell the Pans to Appavoo Nairk a Monistry on this Establishment.

5. The Plaintiffs Pans were therefore not given back and he has brought this action in Consequence.

6. The Board will observe that I propose to rest the defence solely on the terms of the engagement which the Plaintiff in Common with others signed in the beginning of the year.

7. It may be added that the Pans in question were part of those newly granted in 1852 for the extension of the Manufacture, and appear not to have been worked at all in last Season.

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8. The time for filing the answer will expire on the 13th August, but application is made to grant one month's extension.

Madras, 27th July, 1853. } /Signed/ H. Stokes
Acting Collector.

No. 1.

To, C. Teroomalachargur
Principal Sudr Ameen
of Chingleput.

Toobbaroya Pillay Court

Vakeel on behalf of Chingalvaroya Modeliar residing in a House No. 71 on the North side of Vygoontavaiyar Street in Peddos Naicken Pettah at Madras, who lives by trade, presents a Complaint against Mr. H. Stokes I Acting Collector of Madras and Mr. R.P. Campbell II Superintendent of Cuttevauck Salt Pans residing both at the Madras Cottaurs and Cuttevauck in the Talook of Sydapett, Venkatachella III Moodelliar Salt Manufacturer at Emore in the Nayer Talook whose father's name is unknown, and who is earning his livelyhood by Cultivation, and residing in a House No. 76 in Vygoontavaiyar's Street in Peddos Naicken Pettah

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IV
Pettiah Madras and Ramasawmy Pillay the third Defendants Gomastah whose father name is unknown residing at Emore.

The Plaintiffs claim from the Defendants 6/12 Pans at Emore whose Maramut works cost him 250 Rupees and in reference to the Puttrocattoo executed by the Plaintiff in favor of the 1st Defendant to the effect that he would manufacture 19 Cawny 200 Mun of Salt in the 6/12 Pans at 3 Parces per Pan the value of which is Rupees 2,340 and by the Coodawaram he is entitled to Rupees 195 from the said amount, Consequently the total sum claimed by the Plaintiff is Rupees 445.-

I In January /date unknown/ 1832 Mr. Ellis Predecessor of the first Defendant gave notice at Emore that those who were desirous of Manufacturing Salt should appear before the Madras Collector, and that the land at Emore which had been left waste from time immemorial, he distributed among them to any extent they might require for the Manufacture of Salt upon which Sabapathy Moodeliar Father of the Plaintiff and the third Defendant with many other inhabitants

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Defendant on the 9th March of this year stating the injustice of taking away the said 6½ Pans which were claimed and giving them to the 3d Defendant although the Plaintiff has spent a large sum upon them and made them fit for manufacture, and praying for an order to institute an enquiry as to the money and labor spent upon the Pans, and then allow him to manufacture the Salt. On the said petition being referred to the 2d Defendant he issued an unreasonable Endorsement on the 12th March of this year that in the event of the said Vencatachella Moodelly failing to manufacture, if Plaintiff give Security the Pans will be given back to him; and thereupon the Plaintiff on the 21st March of this year presented another Petition praying the said unjust Endorsement given by the 2d Defendant, and he the 1st Defendant on the 1st day of the present Month sent an order to the 2d Defendant to restore him to his Pans, having ascertained the outlay he had laid out in performing the necessary works in the Pans.

VI

The 2d Defendant in the

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presence of a great many Manufacturers asked the Plaintiff to prove what money and labor he spent upon the said Pans. The Plaintiff answered you may send for any of the Manufacturers you choose and ascertain from him. The 2d Defendant upon which sent for Compala Shastriah a leading Manufacturer there, and on enquiring of him it was proved that the money was spent as stated by the Plaintiff. Plaintiff then desired the 2d Defendant that in reference to the Takeed from the 1st Defendant the fact of the Plaintiff having spent money upon the said Pans being proved, the said 6½ Pans be returned to him, to which the 2d Defendant in the presence of many persons replied that if he wish to manufacture Salt he may do so. Accordingly the Plaintiff having employed Labourers to perform the work in the said 6½ pans, and the work in them having been performed from morning till evening of the 6th Instant, and which was visited by the Peishcar and others, on the 7th Instant the Plaintiff was prevented from performing any further work in the said Pans by a

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Talked from the 2d Defendant to the address of the Peishcar purporting that the Plaintiff should not perform any work in the said Pans. Thereupon he presented petitions on the 9th 13th and 14th Instant, stating the said and other Circumstances with a Maharzurnamah from the Manufacturers at Cuvore and many others to prove the fact of his having spent money upon the pans.

The first Defendant without inquiring into the particulars and thinking that the Endorsement of the 2d Defendant was proper and relying upon some vain report of the second Defendant issued an unjust order dated 14th Instant.-

VII With a view to gain his livelihood as the Plaintiff has spent Money upon the 6/12 Pans in dispute in preparing them which he justly obtained from the authorities as the second Defendant has given away unjustly the 6/12 Pans in dispute to the 3d Defendant simply to favor him which is opposed to reason and Regulation and as the 1st Defendant in Conspiring with the Second Defendant in this unreasonable and partial deed has done an

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injustice to the Plaintiff, although he has made several complaints. The Plaintiff under the circumstances was obliged to file a Plaint against the Defendants in this Court for redress as there is no other place but this Court for such.-

The Plaintiff Consequently solicits the Court will cancel the order made by the first and second Defendants about 6/12 Pans which had been repaired by the Plaintiff by an outlay of Rupees 250, and from which scraping of Salt is going on at Cuvore, and will deliver the said 6/12 Pans to Plaintiff which had been given to 3d Defendant by the Second, and also will recover from the Defendants 195 Rupees being his Coodevarum out of 2340 Rupees being the price of 19 Garces and 200 Measals which would have been the quantity of Salt Manufactured if he, the Plaintiff had gone on with his Cultivation in the present year according to his Pattoscuttas, and to which Coodevarum the Plaintiff is entitled as he (the Plaintiff) was prevented from Manufacturing and as the first and second Defendants gave the Pans away to the third

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third Defendants, the amount claimed is Rupees 445 Besides the Plaintiff advanced 160 Cds. ies to the extent of 175 Rupees to perform works in the Pans in dispute, and whilst he was getting the works done, the second Defendant has prevented him from going on and, consequently the Plaintiff has sustained loss to that extent; he therefore prefers a separate claim for it.

27th April, 1853.

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Court Vakel.

/True Translation/
/Signed/ H. Stokes
Acting Collector.

No. 2.

Draft of an Answer proposed to be filed in Original Suit No. 102 of 1853. in the Principal Sudr Ameen's Court, Zillah of Chingleput, by the first Defendant in behalf of himself and the 2d. Defendant.

The Plaintiff sues 6 pr. Salt Pans at Ennore and the value of the cost incurred in their preparation and of the Manufacturer's share of the Salt

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Salt that might have been made in them in the season of 1853 amounting together to on the ground that the said purchase been unjustly and unreasonably transferred by the first, on the recommendations of the second Defendant to the third Defendant. In answer here to the first Defendant for himself and in behalf of second Defendant maintains that the transfer of the pans in question to another party was strictly in accordance with the following clause in the Puttas Kuttee Moochilka signed by the Plaintiff as admitted by him in the Plaint.-

"Should we fail carefully and promptly to Cultivate our pans and manufacture in them the stipulated quantity of Salt our pans may be taken from us, and given to others to Cultivate and may also be registered in their names."

The Defendant will be prepared to prove that the due warning had been given repeatedly before and lastly when the pans were registered in

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in Plaintiff's name and that notwith-
=standing he was Cautioned that pans
which by the 26th February
were not in a proper state of for-
=wardness would be transferred to
other parties, he failed to get them
ready; or to appear and assign
any good reason for the delay.

Under these Circum-
=stances the Defendant submits
that the Plaintiff must be non-
=suited with costs.-

(Signed) H. Stokes

Acting Collr

No. 3 in Tamil.

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No. 355.

B. No. 1646

Proceedings thereon
53-57

Resolved that the letter above re-
=corded together with its enclosures be sub-
=mitted for the Consideration and orders of
the Right Honorable the Governor in Council

This suit has been instituted
2.
by Chingalvaroya Mudeliar for the recovery
of 6 p Salt Pans (recently apportioned to Plain-
=tiffs Father out of the immemorial
Waste on the distribution of land for the forma-
=tion of new Pans) which the acting Collector
of Madras on the recommendation of the
Salt Superintendent ordered to be trans-
=ferred to another manufacturer, Vanca-
=tachella Mudeliar. The damages have
been laid at Rupees 445, viz. 250 Rupees on
account of works alleged to have been exe-
=cuted to the Pans by the Plaintiff and
Rupees 195 as the Coodewaram to which the
Plaintiff would have been entitled, had he
been permitted to manufacture the Salt
that he had agreed to furnish, according to
the terms of his Pattacuttiss Dittum.-

In the Draft answer which the
3.
acting Collector proposes to put in on behalf
of himself and the other defendants, he
maintains that the transfer of the pans in
question

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question was strictly in accordance with the terms of the Moochilka signed by the Plaintiff, of which an extract is furnished in the draft.-

4. The Acting Collector states that he is prepared to prove that due warning had been given to the manufacturers in January and February last that their pans would be taken from them, if not in progress at the furthest on the 25th February that such of the defaulters as answered to their names on the 20th and gave good excuses for delay, and security for early progress were reprimanded; that tho' repeatedly warned before, and lastly when the Pans were registered in Plaintiff's name, he failed to get them ready or to appear and assign any good reason for the delay.-

5. As the Board consider that the circumstances detailed above justified the measure resorted to as the only one which could have induced the manufacturers to prepare their pans with that expedition which the Public interests required during an exceedingly unfavorable season they beg to recommend that the Acting Collector may be authorized to file the proposed answer in the Principal Sudder Ameen's Court, and to defend the suit at the public Cost.-

6. The time for filing the answer will expire on the 15th August, but an application has to be made to grant one Months extension

Read

55

B. No. 1953

From the Fort Adjutant Fort St. George

Fort St. George 2d August 1853

Read the following Extract.

Extract from Garrison Orders by the Right Honorable the Governor dated Fort St. George 25th July 1853.

With reference to Garrison orders Para II of the 13th Instant, the committee for the examination of Probationers in the Commissariat Department will reassemble at the Commissary General's Office at 12 O'Clock Noon on Wednesday next the 27th Instant.

/ A true Extract /

No. 2203

Town Major's Office, Fort St. George, 25th July 1853

/ Signed / Thomas Thompson Capt. Fort Adjutant.-

Forwarded to The Secretary or Sub Secretary Board of Revenue for information.

55-56

Order thereon.

Ordered to be recorded.

Read the following letter.

57

B. No. 2011

From Major F. Minchin

Bringing to notice certain facts relating to a stream in dispute between himself and A. Lascelles Esqr.

To. The Secretary to the Revenue Board Madras.

Sir.

Having reason to think that Para 1. Mr. A. Lascelles a resident at Ootacamund has appealed to the Board of Revenue regarding a most unjust claim which he preferred to a Stream of Water belonging to the Wandiwash Estate.- I hope I may be allowed to address you direct to ask if the rumour be true and if so, if I may be allowed to have a Copy of his appeal

and

and liberty to reply to the same.

2 I did not myself appeal against the decision of the Collector of Coimbatore as for Peace sake, I was willing to abide by his decision and therefore reluctantly agreed to share the water with Mr A. Lascelles, as proposed by the Collector, though I felt at the time that I was giving in to a most unjust claim on which Mr A Lascelles had not the shadow of a legal right.

3 I beg to refer you to my letter to the Collector dated 4th June last, after I heard that Mr A. Lascelles had declined to agree to the Collector's proposition.—

4 Mr A Lascelles claims the Water on the ground of having bought the late Mr Ryan's Land, and Mr Fletcher his agent proves that the stream for 19½ years has flowed in its present channel because in an old Map of 1832, it had previously been diverted in the direction of Mr Ryan's Land he now claims the Water.— The Stream in dispute takes its rise in my land and by English Law belongs to me, and cannot be diverted without a trespass. When Mr Ryan sold the Land to Captain Douglas there was no reservation about water, and it was a bonafide sale, and all his right and title to every thing in the Land was sold with it, and Mr A. Lascelles never attempted to

bring any proof to the contrary in the investigation before the Collector and his Assistant.—

5 I shall be very glad if the Board of Revenue have power to settle the question, as Mr A. Lascelles threatens me with legal Proceedings, and I only wait to learn your decision, before putting the case in the hands of my Solicitors Messrs Dale and Boyson, with whom I shall leave the matter, feeling quite certain that no unprejudiced Judge could for a moment allow such a claim as Mr A. Lascelles has preferred against my property. He might as well claim all the Buildings, and the Trees on the ground.—

6 I trust the Board of Revenue will call for the Papers from the Collector's Office, and agree with me in expressing disapprobation of the judgement formed by the Collector on the subject even in allowing Mr A Lascelles a moiety of the water to which he has clearly no kind of claim.—

Coonoor, July 27th 1853. /Signed/ Fred: Stenchin.
Proprietor of the
Walkantes Property.

B. No. 1648

Order thereon.

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ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be forwarded to the Collector of Coimbatore, for notice with his reply to the Board's Proceedings of 12th July 1853.—

Resolved that the following letters be despatched.—

To.

No 354

59

B. No 1639
To the Chief Sect.
to Government

To The Chief Secretary to
Government

Sir,

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 May last.—

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St George,
4th August 1853.

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary.—

No 356

60

B. No 1647
To the Chief Sect.
to Government
Submitting Petition No 1846 of 1852 from certain Ryots of Cuddapah soliciting the refund of the Teerwah jastee levied from them on their Basket wells, and recommending that the request of the Petitioners be complied with.—
+ Dated 17th Feby 1853

To The Chief Secretary to
Government

Sir,

I am desired to request that you will be pleased to submit for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying petition from certain Ryots of Cuddapah soliciting the refund of the Teerwah jastee levied from them on their Basket wells.—

2. In their observations on the Land Revenue Settlement of the District for fasly 1261, the Board remarked that Rs 6,154- or £ 6.3. had been imposed as Teerwa jastee upon certain garden wells hitherto exempted, and that as the demand was new, they had directed the Collector to abstain from enforcing it.—

Collector

3 Collections under this head having however already been made to the amount of 1752- 14- 9— The Board request the sanction of Government for the reimbursement of this sum.— The balance 1,399-7-6? has been written off under Endorsement 7th Apl 1853 orders of the 19th March 1853 P. 10.—

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St George,
4th August 1853.

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary.—

Resolved that the following letters be despatched.—

61

B. No 1667
To the Collector
of Nellore

To The Collector of
Nellore.—

Sir,

I am directed to transmit the + enclosed address from M. Vencata Rammnah and Mungiah, complaining of the unjust deprival of 3 Garoos of Inameem land and to request that you will explain more fully with reference to the late Collector's Endorsement dated 21st February 1853, the reason why Petitioners were dispossessed of the Inameem after 16 years enjoyment and after being placed in possession apparently by Papa Raz himself.—

+ No 1061 of 1853.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St George,
4th August 1853.

/Signed/ W. H. Bayley
Secretary

To

62
B2 N. 1665
To the Asst Collr of Northarcot

To
The Acting Collector of
North Arcot.

Sir,

I am directed to forward Petition N. 1376 of 1853 for report as to the designation of "Stamp Maistry at Chittoor" and under what circumstances the Sakeeds enclosed in the petition were issued.—

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St George,
4th August 1853.

/ Signed / W. H. Bayley
Secretary.

63
B2 N. 1666
To the Collr of Tinnevelly

To The Collector of
Tinnevelly.

Sir,

+ N. 1327 of 1853

The reason assigned in the Endorsement furnished by you, under date 18th March 1853, to Anniah Moodelly, the Petitioner in the accompanying + address, appearing to the Board insufficient for removing him from the Curnum's Office, I am directed to convey their opinion, that if there be nothing more against the Petitioner he should be immediately reinstated.—

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St George,
4th August 1853.

/ Signed / W. H. Bayley
Secretary.

The Board proceed to take into consideration the Statements noted below and to record their remarks thereon.—

64
B2 N. 1743
From the Collector of Malabar.

Statement of actual charges incurred under Estimate in the Revenue Department for Fusly 1261.—

From

65
B2 N. 1745
From the Collr of Malabar.

Statement of actual charges incurred under Estimate in the Revenue Department for Fusly 1261.

66
B2 N. 990
From the Collector of Salem.

Statement of actual charges incurred without Estimate for Fusly 1261.

67
B2 N. 1744
From the Collr of Malabar.

Statement of actual charges incurred under Estimate in the Magisterial Department for Fusly 1261.

68
B2 N. 1746
From the Collr of Malabar.

Statement of actual charges incurred under Estimate in the Magisterial Department for Fusly 1261.

69
B2 N. 1747
From the Collr of Malabar.

Statement of actual charges incurred without Estimate in the Forest Department for Fusly 1263.—

64-70
Order on the 6 above Statements.

Ordered that the necessary remarks of the Board be inserted in the proper column of the abovementioned Statements and submitted for the Sanction of Government.

71
B2 N. 2043
From the Collector of Tinnevelly.

Read Statement shewing the Number of Persons charged convicted acquitted and fined &c under Regulation IX of 1822 for the half year ending 30th June last.

71-72
Order thereon.

Ordered to lie over until the receipt of the Returns from other Districts, when an abstract

of

of the whole will be prepared and submitted for the orders of Government.

Read the undermentioned Lists.

73
B. No. 2026
From the Collector of Coimbatore. List of letters addressed to the Board of Revenue and remaining unanswered upto the 30th June 1853.

74
B. No. 2027
From the Collector of Coimbatore. List of letters received from the Board of Revenue, and remaining unanswered upto the 30th June 1853.

73-75
Order on the 2 above Lists. Ordered to be recorded.

Read the undermentioned Registers.

76
B. No. 2022
From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Register of Endorsements passed by him on Petitions referred by the Board for the months of June last.

77
B. No. 2020
From the Actg Collr of Madras. Register of Endorsements passed by him on Petitions referred by the Board for the months of June last.

76-78
Order on the 2 above Lists. Ordered to be lodged in the office.

Received the undermentioned miscellaneous letters and Statements.

79
Mr. No. 852
From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Return of fines imposed and stoppages made from the pay of the Public Servants for the quarter ending 30th June 1853.

From

80
Mr. No. 855
From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Return of alterations that have occurred in the list of fines, and stoppages for the Quarter ending 30th June 1853.

81
Mr. No. 827
From the Collector of Ganjam. Statement shewing the wholesales of salt for the months of June last.

82
After Mr. No. 855
From the Collr of Tinnevelly. Forwarding a Return of Persons confined under Regulation IX of 1822 for the months of February, March, April, May, and June 1853.

83
Mr. No. 851
From the Collector of Nellore. Return of Persons suspended and dismissed under Regulation VI of 1831 for the months of June last.

84
Mr. No. 850
From the Actg Collr of North Arcot. Return of Village officers suspended and dismissed from employment under Regulation VI of 1831 for the months of June last.

85
Mr. No. 854
From the Actg Collector of Madura. Return of Persons suspended and dismissed under Regulation VI of 1831 for the months of May last.

86
Mr. No. 855
From the Actg Collr of Madura. Return of Persons suspended and dismissed under Regulation VI of 1831 for the months of June last.

From

87
No. N. 848

From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Return of Village officers suspended and dismissed under Regulation VI of 1831 for the month of June last.

88
No. N. 849

From the Collector of Coimbatore. Acknowledging the receipt of 52 forms of Demand Collection and Balance Statements referred to in the Sub Secretary's letter of the 12th Instant.

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Compd Thos Pitches.—

Diary.—

5th August Received the following Application.

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

1
B. No. 2070.
From S. Seroovengadum.

Sir,

Old age and its infirmities — rendering it necessary for me to retire from the — active exercise of my duties in the Office, I respectfully request that you will be pleased to — recommend me to Government for a Superannuation pension in consideration of my long and tried service.—

I entered the Office in the year 1812 and have continued in it ever since being a period of 41 years.— I have all along discharged to the — best my ability and to the satisfaction of all the Managers and Secretaries the duties entrusted to me and on one occasion I was doing the duty of Overseer of the three sets. From 1839 to the present time

time I have been attached to the Record De:
=partment of the Office. I was transferred to it
by the then Manager of the Office in consequence
of my great escperience and the knowledge of the
old records and my deligence and afsiduity to
business.-

May I Sir entreat of you to 〃
recommend me for a Superannuation pension of a
moity of my present pay in consideration of my
long active and onerous duties, my age 65 years
will not permit me to engage in other duties, the
only means of subsistence I shall have will be
my pension and with it I hope to pass thro the
life without uneasiness.-

4th 〃 August, 1853.

(Signed) S. Terooveng adum

Sent the following letter.

No. 357.-

To,

The Chief Secretary to
Government.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to
request that you will submit for the orders of the
Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accom:
=panying application for a Superannuation pension
from S. Terooveng adum Moodelly a third class
Clerk

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B. No. 1657.

To the Chief Secretary to Government

Clerk on this establishment.-

2- The required Medical Certificate and
a Register in the prescribed Form are also enclosed.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
6th 〃 August, 1853.

(Signed) W. H. Bayley
Secretary.-

No. 1.

I do hereby Certify that S. 〃
Terooveng adum Moodelly a Writer in the Revenue
Board Office Aged 65 years is from old age 〃
general debility and Cataract of both Eyes un:
=fit for further service, and that to the best of
my belief such incapacity has not been occasioned
by intemperance or other irregular habits.-

Fort St. George,
4th 〃 August, 1853.

(Signed) Geo: Smith M. D.
Garrison Assistant Surgeon.

Register

9448 Fort St. George

No. 2. Register of an Application for Superannuation Pension

from the Estab[lishment] ... December 1835.

No. on the Establishment	Name of the party in whose favor the application is made.	Indelible marks and other signs of natural defects.	Age of applicant at the time of application. Feet.	Inches.	Years.	Months.	Days.	Religion. Caste or Tribe.	Where residing. District.	Taluk.	Village.	Present employment.	Total period of service. Years.	Months.	Date of Application to Government.	Proposed or amount of Pension per Mensem.	Treasury at which the party if pension ed wishes to draw his pension.	Order of Government.
27	Saudaringa Patam Teroo Vengadum Moodelly.	Face pock marked and a deep transverse scar in the middle of left eye brow.	5	6½	65	"	"	Thalaua Vellalen.	Madras				32	7	1st August 1853.	1st August 1853.	16	11 4 9	Madras

3. It has not been lost sight of that the Gover... present instance the peculiar cases of the ... cannot possibly serve 5 years longer to compl... that he may be allowed to include in his calcu...

4 Teroovengadum appears always to have borne ... Certificate is herewith submitted, and it is requested ...

ment rules that ... applicant is sub... 30 years on the ... lation of service ... good character and ... that the Pension ...

At a Meeting Present.

Monday, 8th August, 1853.

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.—

Read the following Extract—

No. 842.

3

Bd. No. 1951.

From the Secretary to Government.—

Reviewing the report of the Board on the admission of Bombay and Ceylon Salt into the districts under the Madras Presidency for private trade on payment of a fixed import duty of 12 annas per Indian Maund.—

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department under date the 23d July 1853.

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

(Here enter 13th June 1853 No. 259.)

Para 1. In the above Extract from their proceedings, the Board of Revenue, in reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation 30th August last, submit their opinion in respect to the admission of Bombay and Ceylon Salt into the

the Districts under the Madras Presidency for private trade, on payment of a fixed import duty of 12 annas per Indian Maund.—

2. In the Extract Minutes of Consultation above alluded to the Government explained the reasons which had induced them when recommending to the Supreme Government to admit Foreign Salt at the ports of Madras on a fixed import duty to limit their recommendation to Salt from Europe. to the exclusion of Salt from Bombay or Ceylon. as respects Bombay Salt they were apprehensive that as the manufacture of Salt at Bombay is free subject only to the payment of an excise duty whereas the manufacture in Canara is carried on under a Government monopoly, the admission of the former article for private trade, might expose the Salt manufacture of Canara to an unequal competition. It might they suggest be to the advantage of the Bombay Merchant to import into Canara Salt which though of inferior quality could be sold at a cheaper rate than the Government Salt, and which

To Government of India 11th May 1852.

which would therefore command the market to the injury of the home manufacture. supposing the manufacture and sale of Salt in Canara to be like that of Bombay free and unrestricted, subject only in both cases to the payment of the same excise duty there could they remarked be little doubt that the Salt of Canara (which is of better quality) could be sold in the District at a lower rate than Salt from Bombay and the Board were desired to consider the feasibility and expediency of throwing open the Salt manufacture in Canara upon an excise duty, and to submit their views to Government upon the question after communication with the Collector of the District.-

3. As regards Ceylon Salt the Madras Government had intimated to the Government of India their doubts whether the admission of Salt from Ceylon, on payment of an import duty would not have the effect of giving an opening to contrabad trade, and the Board were desired to advise Government on this point after consulting the Collectors of the Southern Provinces.-

With their present proceedings the
4.- Board have submitted a Report from the
11th November 1852. Collector of Canara in which as on a former occasion, he expresses himself in favor of the excise in preference to the Monopoly system as far as his present information enables him to form a judgment and discusses generally the arrangements which it may be necessary to carry out in the event of the former being adopted.- He does not however advocate the immediate introduction of an excise, but would for the present rest content with throwing open the Bombay trade and watching its effects on the Government Sales, and would report at some future period on the expediency of an excise.- In this conclusion the Board concur- They
Para. 5.- remark that the Bombay Salt is not in itself an inferior article as the Board, and Government were led to believe it was from the Collectors' remarks in a former letter.- Though imported in an adulterated shape it recommends itself by the solidity of its crystals to the traders above the Southern ghats by whom it is much preferred to our own, the people of the District however

however inclining to the latter- They observe that many considerations will have to be taken into account in deciding on the comparative advantages of the excise and Monopoly system. They are of opinion that the admission of Bombay Salt will not affect the home sales or injure the Government revenue and that such considerations should not prevent the experiment of an admission of sea borne Salt from whence a healthy trade might spring up along the coast to be productive of much benefit to the District.-

Paras 16- 5- The Board notice that the measure would be no greater concession to Salt from our own territories than has already been made in favor of Salt from the foreign Countries of Goa and Arabia.-

6- The Collector had proposed that Salt should be imported into his District from Bombay on like terms with that from Goa, without allowance for wastage in order that the trade may support itself as a commercial measure- The Board support this proposal and recommend that Bombay Salt be admitted into Canara on a fixed duty of 12 annas the Indian

Para 18.

Indian Maund and without allowance for wastage- They add the Collector will watch the effects of this concession if granted, and should it appear that the sales of home Salt, are materially impeded by it, he will upon further communication with the Bombay Government be prepared with such a plan of local excise as will enable the Salt of the District, to compete fairly with the imported Article-

Para 19.

7- In regard to Salt from Ceylon the Board consider that its admission at 12 annas per Indian Maund without allowance for wastage would not lead to any diminution of the Monopoly sales- They do not apprehend smuggling- but as along such an extensive sea board it may be expedient to limit the ports of receipt they recommend that only at the principal ports hereafter to be named should Ceylon Salt be imported.

Para 22.

8- The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has attentively considered the representations of the Board, and the papers transmitted by them and he concurs with

with them in thinking that the importation of Bombay Salt into Canara as an article of private trade, at a Sea Custom duty of 12 co annas per Indian maund without allowance for wastage may be permitted, it being understood that the Collector will recur to the consideration of an excise in lieu of the monopoly System, co should the concession prove to work injurious=ly to the home manufacture of the District. He also thinks that Ceylon Salt may be admitted on similar terms as regards rate of duty co and wastage at the principal ports at this Presidency.—

Paras 11-17.

9. The Board have in their report co confined themselves to considering the question of the admission of Bombay Salt into the province of Canara or perhaps rather into the port of Cundapoor and the ports in the District to the South of it. There seems however no reason co for limiting the privilege to those ports or to the District of Canara. It appears indeed doubtful whether Bombay Salt will be imported in any quantities northward of Cundapoor, as the people are stated to prefer the home product — but its admission

admission at the northern ports would not subject the home manufacture at Ancola, and Honore to greater disadvan=tage than the Salt manufactured at Cundapoor will be exposed to by the im=portation of Bombay Salt for private trade at that port. The only other District besides Canara into which Bombay Salt is likely to be imported if allowed to became an article of private trade is Malabar where there is no home manufacture, the whole of the Salt required for the consumption of that Province, and for supply to places beyond it (Coimbatore &c.) being procured on account of Government from Bom=bay. In his letter of 17th October 1851, the Collector of Malabar when giving his opinion on the expediency of admitting Bombay, and Arabian Salt into his District for private trade, expressed his doubts (in which however the Revenue Board did not participate) whether co this change in the mode of supply from Government Agency to private enterprize though it might eventually be found co advantageous would for a considerable time be for the benefit of the consumer.

Average quantity of Salt manu=factured at Sources
Ancola — 1122.
Honore — 929.
Cundapoor — 795.

From Collector 17th November 1852. Para 5.

Proceedings 5th February 1852 Para 17.

and

and recommended that if the plans of allowing the import of Salt from those Countries on payment of a fixed duty were adopted it be tried first at one or two ports, and only extended when experience had shewn that it could be done with safety. The import of Arabian Salt has accordingly been limited to the two principal ports of Tellicherry and Calicut. The admission of Bombay Salt for private traffic might at first be similarly limited.

10. On the whole the Right Honorable the Governor in Council resolves to recommend to the Government of India, in modification of the proposition contained in the letter from this Government of 11th May 1852. that Salt whether brought from Europe, from Bombay, or Ceylon or from any other place without the Madras Presidency be allowed to be imported at such Madras Ports as may be determined by the Government, and sold as an article of private trade on payment of a Custom duty of 12 Annas per Indian Maund on each maund actually landed.

landed. The Board have suggested that it may be well to restrict the importation of Ceylon Salt to the principal ports on the coast. but the Governor in Council thinks it might be advantageous for the better regulation of the trade and prevention of illicit practices that the Government should have the liberty of fixing the ports at which Foreign Salt should be imported generally. Care will of course be taken that the places decided on will be both in number and position such as fully to meet the requirements of the trade.

/True Extract/
/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary to Govt.

To. The President and Members of the Board of Revenue.

3-4
B. No. 1723.
Proceedings thereon.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Extract from Minutes of Consultation be circulated for information to the Commissioner Northern Circars. and to the Collectors of all Salt Manufacturing districts.

Copy to the Collectors of Salt Districts and Commissioner Northern Circars.

5
B. No. 2001.
From the Secretary to Government.

Read the following Resolution.

No. 847.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, dated 25th July, 1853.

The Right Honorable the Governor

Governor in Council sanctions the advances of Tuccavy proposed to be disbursed in Fusly 1263 in the districts of Bellary Cuddapah and Trichinopoly, amounting in the aggregate to Rupees (60,125) Sixty thousand one hundred and twenty five also the advance of Rupees (4800) Forty eight thousand Six hundred for the purchase of Salt in the same year in the District of Canara -

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

5-6
Order thereon - Ordered to be recorded

the usual printed Letters will be sent to the Collectors -

B. No. 1985
From the Secretary to Government

Read the following Resolution - Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, dated 25th July 1853 -

/From Board 11th July 1853/

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council grants authority for the service Yeomiah of Rupees (131-4-0) One hundred and thirty one and annas four per annum held by the late Nana Gosamy in the District for Tanjore being renewed in the name of his son Vencabah Gosamy -

By Order -
/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

Ordered

B. No. 1687
7-8
Order thereon - Ordered to be communicated to the Acting Collector of Tanjore with reference to his Tabular Report dated 11th June 1853 -

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Read the undermentioned Extracts -

B. No. 1967
9
From the Secretary to Government dated 20th July 1853. - Passing Endorsement on Petitions Nos 1577. 1844 and 1884 of 1852 and requesting the Commissioner Northern Circars to make over the Villages of Pettapad and Coumbe in Ganjam to Pedda Naidoo Choudry and calling for certain information on the above Villages -

9-10
Order thereon - Ordered to be recorded -

B. No. 2008
11
From the Secretary to Government dated 20th July 1853. - Reviewing the report of the Renters of the Palcondah Estate in the Vizagapatam district for Fusly 1261 -

11-12
Order thereon - Ordered to be recorded -

From

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13
Bd. No. 2009.
From the Secretary to Government Dated 26th July 1853. } Reviewing the report on Extra Source of Revenue in the District of Masulipatam for Fusly 1261 and granting authority for writing off in the accounts certain irrecoverable balances.

Order thereon.

13-14
Ordered to be recorded.

Read

9462 Fort St. George 8th August 1853.

15
Bd. No. 2005
From the Secretary to Government. } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, under date the 26th July, 1853.
(From Board 14th July 1853)

Read the following Resolution.

No. 857.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the Charges reported in the above Proceedings amounting to Rupees 150/ Fifty.

/Signed/ J. Piperoft
Secretary to Government

15-16
Bd. No. 1670
Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Bellary with reference to his letter dated 2nd July 1853.

Read the following Extracts.

17
Bd. No. 1983
From the Secretary to Government. } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, in the Revenue Department, under date the 25th July 1853.

No. 850.

Read the following Letter from the Sub Secretary to the Board of Revenue (Here enter 7th July 1853 No. 300/)

The Right Honorable the Governor

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Governor in Council authorizes the Civil Auditor to admit the charges retrenched in the Accounts of the Collector of North Arcot for Fusly 1258, 1259 and 1260, being the sums paid to the Dehaut Enaundars of that District during the above period, and amounting as exhibited in the abstract annexed to the Statement submitted with the Acting Collector's letter of the 17th June 1853 to Bn/3147/22-5-10 Thirtyone thousand seven hundred and twenty two, annas four and Pice two.-

2. The Civil Auditor is also authorized to admit the sums paid in Fusly 1261 and 1262 on account of Fusly 1259 amounting to Rupees 1042-15-8 One thousand and forty two, annas fifteen and Pice eight.-

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

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Bn. No. 1669
Order thereon

Ordered to be Communicated to the Acting Collector of North Arcot, with reference to his letter dated 17th June 1853.-

In Coun. 7th July 1853

Extract

Bn. No. 1982 (19)

From the Secretary to Government — Communicating the order of Government passed in the Military Department authorizing the Collector of Coimbatore to furnish the Commissariat Officer or Superintendent of Police at Jackatallah from the Abkarry Fund of the District with such sums monthly as may be required for the payment of the Military Police Establishment of that Station.-

Rs. 1,34,605 Collected 1st June 1853
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No. 436.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, in the Judicial Department, under date the 26th July, 1853.-

Read the following.

No. 1808

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, in the Military Department, under date the 18th July 1853.-

Read the following letter

No. 71.

To,

Sir, H. C. Montgomery Bart:
Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from Minutes of Consultation, I have the honor to transmit Copy of a letter from the Officer of this Department at Jackatullah with it's accompaniment, and to request that you will be good enough to move the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to authorize the Collector of Coimbatore to furnish the Commissariat Officer or Superintendent of

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of Police such Funds as may be required for payment of the Military Police Establishment &c. maintained at Jackatallah the Monthly Charge for which for the present being estimated at about 100 Rupees as per Memorandum of particulars annexed.-

Commissary General's Office,
Madras, 11th July, 1853.- } (Signed) A. Tulloch Colonel
Commissary General

Memorandum of Particulars of Police Charges estimated to be incurred at Jackatallah.-

1	Cutwall's Pay	21	-"-
1	Writers ——— do	15	-"-
6	Peons ——— do. at 6 Rs. per each	36	-"-
	Contingent charges Say	28	-"-
	C. Rupees	100	-"-

(Signed) A. Tulloch, Colonel
Commissary General.

No. 52.

To, Colonel A. Tulloch C.B.
Commissary General
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to Major McCally's

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+ No. 484 dated 7th June 1853.-

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McCally's letter forwarding Copy of Extract of Minutes of Consultation notifying that the Government has decided on not permitting an Arrack Contract to be established in the Cantonment of Jackatallah, I have the honor to state that the Collector of Coimbatore is prepared to furnish me with Funds for the payment of the Police Establishment as per Copy of his letter to my address herewith forwarded.-

I have therefore to request that you will obtain the necessary Sanction of Government authorizing him to supply me with money to defray all expences connected with that Establishment at this Station.-

Commissariat Office,
Jackatullah, 26th June, 1853 } (Signed) R. A. Moore
Sub Assistant Commissary General

No. 94.

To, Lieutenant R. A. Moore,
Sub Assistant Commissary General
Jackatallah.

Sir,

With reference to Para 3 of

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of my letter to the Commissary General of the 20th April last and Minutes of Consultation dated 4th Instant, I beg to inform you I shall be prepared to forward to you the Pay of your Police Establishment, from the Arkarry Fund of the District, if you will be so good as to obtain, thro' the Head of your Department sanction for the arrangement.

Coimbatore,
Collector's Office.
Cotacamund,
24 June, 1853.

/Signed/ E. B. Thomas
Collector.

/True Copy/
/Signed/ R. A. Moore
Sub assistant Commissary General.

(True Copies)
(Signed) A. Tullock
Commissary General.

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the Collector of Coimbatore to furnish the Commissariat Officer or Superintendent of Police at Jackatallah, from the Arkarry Fund of the District, with such sums Monthly as may be required for the payment of the Military Police

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Police Establishment at that Station.

/Signed/ C. A. Browne, Lt. Colonel
Secretary to Government.

Ordered to be Communicated to the Board of Revenue

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

19-20
Bd. No. 1671
Order thereon.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing papers with the exception of his letter of 24th June 1853, already on his records be communicated to the Collector of Coimbatore for his information and guidance.

24
Bd. No. 1984

From the Secretary to Government.

Reviewing the report on the Devastanum allowances of the Madras Collectorate and issuing orders for making over and discontinuing certain Establishments and calling for further information on the subject.

No. 861.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department, under date the 26th July, 1853.

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

(Here enter 6th June 1853 No. 246)

Para 1. With the foregoing Proceedings the Board of Revenue submit a Correspondence with the Acting Collector of Madras on the Subject of the Devastanum allowances

allowances payable from his Treasury to Certain Pagodas and Choultries, and reviews the proposition of that Officer for the resumption of the several payments (excepting those made to two Choultrums) and the appropriation of the amount to purposes of public utility.-

2. As regards the Bond for 10,000 Star Pagodas, the property of the Triplicane Pagoda, adverted to in paras 2 and 3 of the Board's Proceedings, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is of opinion that it's retention in the Custody of the Collector is clearly at variance with the orders of the Honorable Court of Directors for the disconnection of the Government Officers from all interference with Native religious Institutions, and he therefore directs that the Bond be made over to the Trustees of the Pagoda in the manner proposed by the Accountant General.-

From Accountant General & acting Collector of Madras 17th February 1833.-

3. In the following paras of their Proceedings, the Board explain the nature and origin of the allowances at present paid from the Madras Treasury for

the support of the Pagodas and Choultrums and with respect to those derived from the Sayer Collections, which form the most Considerable portion, being Ps. 6887-8- per annum, they submit their opinion that the payments should under any Circumstances have ceased to be a charge on the State on the abolition of the land Customs by Act VI of 1844. The Government quite Concur in this view, and they regret that the question was not specially noticed by the Board in their letter of the 11th August 1845; No 505 when soliciting sanction to the Continuance of the allowances then under retrenchment- For want of Specific authority. It is observed from the Correspondence quoted in the Margin, that the fees in lieu of which these allowances were granted, "until further orders" viz 1796 are expressly said to have been originally voluntary Contributions on the part of the Merchants over and above the regular town Customs, and that no accounts were kept of them by the Land Customer, who distinctly states that it

20th December 1794
1st January 1795
30th April —"
2d May —"
7th —"
15th —"
31st —"
25th March 1796
10th April —"
23d —"
26th —"
7th May —"

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it was no part of his duty to interfere in their collection or distribution. There can be little doubt that had these fees which seem to have been objected to by the Merchants in 1795 been left to depend on the feelings of the Contributors they would long since have ceased, and they must in any event have dropped with the general removal of the Sayer duties in 1844. The grant of the allowances was a pure act of indulgance on the part of Govern=ment for which they received an equivalent and which they are in no way bound to Continue, now that the connection of the State with Native Religious Establishment has ceased, and the branch of Revenue on which they were chargeable has become Extinct. The Right Honorable the Govern=or in Council therefore directs that these pay=ments as noted in the Margin be discontinued from the Current Fasly. The amount so resumed must be Considered to merge into the general Funds of

Names of Pagodas	Sayer	
1 Chenna Cesava Perumal at Madras	1748	2
2 Parthasarady ——— Do. ———	1748	2
3 Authecasava at Streeperambatoor	959	15
4 Cullyanavaradraja at Callatypet	733	10
5 Jacambareeswara at Madras	84	.
6 Cundasawmy ——— Do. ———	155	6
7 Cutchaleeswara ——— Do. ———	436	6
8 Arnoorthary Teagaroya at Teroovutchoor	116	11
9 Audecasava at Chintadrepet ———	594	9
10 Ravanyen's Choultry at Streeharacottah	155	6
11 Goolen Choultry at Palaveram ———	155	6
	4887	8

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of the State as suggested by the Board for it must be remarked that the same reasons which require the abolition of the allowances, preclude their being appropriated to any of the purposes recommended by the Collector and thereby forming a permanent public charge.

Rs. 155-6-0 each 4

The Payments to the two Choultries at Streeharecottah and Palaveram rest on the same footing as those to the Pagodas noticed in the last para but Govr. passing orders on these allowances, the Governor in Council would wish for some information in respect to the present Con=dition of the Institutions, whether they are of much public utility kept in good order, and open to all classes of travellers in what manner the sums allotted them are expended, and whether they have any and what other sources of income.

5. Under the Circumstances re=presented in paras 10 and 11 respecting those items of the Devastanum allow=ances which have been granted in lieu of Adkarry and Quitrent Collections resumed

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resumed by the Government, the Governor in Council agrees with the Board that these payments should not be discontinued. The Board have given their opinion that the Collector might with advantage enquire and report whether arrangements cannot be made for leaving the Trustees to collect the duties to the Pagodas from the Parties who now pay them to the Sirkar on a remission to that extent being granted to the Adn. Karry Contractors and Quit rent payers. The Governor in Council, would be very glad if means could be devised for relieving the Officers of Government from the necessity of making these disbursements; but as respects the Adkarry allowances, he does not consider that the management of any portion of this branch of revenue could properly be entrusted to the Pagodas. The balances remaining in the Collector's Treasury on account of Quit Rent should at once be paid over to the Trustees of the Triplicane Pagoda.

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6 The Government think with the Board that it is unnecessary to interfere with the arrangements under

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under which the small payments from the Salt Enams are made.

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

/A true Extract/
/Signed/ T. Pycroft.
Secretary to Government.

Bd. No. 1676

Order thereon.. Ordered to be Communicated with the Board's Proceedings, to the Acting Collector of Madras for his information and guidance.

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Mr. Stokes will place himself in Communication with the Collector of Chingleput respecting the 2. Condition of the two Choultries referred to by Government in para 2, and report the result for the information of the Board.

Bd. No. 2025

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Read the following

Resolutions.

From the Secretary to Government ---

No. 871.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, under date the 29th July, 1853.

/From Board 14th July 1853/

Resolved that the Civil Auditor be authorized to admit the charges retrenched in the accounts of the Collector of Tanjore for Fasly 1261. amounting

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amounting together to Rupees 17-1-1/ seven and annas one.

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government.

(23-24)
Bd. No. 1678

Order thereon. Ordered to be Communicated with the Board's Proceedings to the acting Collector of Tanjore with reference to his letter dated 5th July 1853.

(25)
Bd. No. 2024

From the Secretary to Government. } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 29th July 1853.-

No. 870

/From Board 14th July 1853./

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council authorizes the Civil Auditor to admit the charges of Rupees /533-9-3/ Five hundred and thirty three, annas Nine and pie three, retrenched in the accounts of the Collector of Combatore for Fuslies 1259 and 1260 being the amount paid to Mrs. Ryan for her land included in the Public Gardens at Ootacamund.-

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

(25-26)
Bd. No. 1683

Order thereon. Ordered to be Communicated to

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to the Collector of Dimbatore, with reference to his letter dated 27th June 1853.-

(27)
Bd. No. 2026

From the Secretary to Government. } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 29th July 1853.-

No. 872.

/From Board 14th July 1853/

The Government have received a report from the Board of Revenue on Petitioner's case and decline to interfere on his behalf.-

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary to Government.

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Order thereon Ordered to be recorded.-

(29)
Bd. No. 2044

From the Secretary to Government. } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Judicial Department, under date the 2d August, 1853

Read the following Extracts

No. 442.

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

(Here enter 14th July 1853/

The Government having already under date the 1st of April last authorized

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authorized the Government Pleader in the Sudder Adawlut being supplied from the Office of the Collector of Madras with Stamp papers required on account of the public Service, they have now only to direct that in future application for the requisite Stock of papers be made by the Pleader by regular Indents on the Collector, which should be confined to Stamps for Government purposes and that Monthly Accounts of the Expenditure be furnished to that Office in such Form as may be prescribed by him to ensure the necessary adjustment in his accounts.

2. It will be necessary for the Government Pleader to keep a Separate Account of the Stamps expended in each Suit, with a view to the Recovery of their value in the event of the Action being decided in favor of the Government and the opposite party being adjudged to pay the costs. Such sums when recovered should be duly accounted for and remitted to the Treasury of the Collector of Madras.

/A true Extract/
/Signed/ J. Pycroft
Secretary to Government.

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Bd. No. 1682

Order thereon.

Ordered to be Communicated to the Acting Collector of Madras, with reference to his letter dated 12th July 1853.

By

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Bd. No. 2079.

From the Secretary to Government—

Read the following Memorandum

Memorandum

One Copy of Report on the Financial results of the Abkaree & Administration in the Lower Provinces for 1851-52 forwarded to the Board of Revenue.

By Order
/Signed/ J. Pycroft
Secretary to Government

Fort St. George,
5th August 1853

No. 1

No. 54

To

The Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

Abkaree
H. Ricketts
and
E. Currie
Esquires

Sir,

I am directed to lay before Government the usual Report on the Financial results of the Abkarry Administration in the Lower Provinces, for the year 1851-52. Heretofore this report has confined itself to a view of the Districts managed under the direct system by the two Abkaree & Divisional Commissioners, the Statement now submitted will be found to embrace the management of the Behar, Orissa & and new Regulation Provinces, and some delay has necessarily attended the first attempt at obtaining so many local returns.—

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2 The Board have moreover in examining the materials from which this Report has been prepared, taken the opportunity of glancing at the efficiency of the Preventive system in force, so far as this can be ascertained from the results returned to their office, such Returns are as yet confined to the Districts forming the two Abkaree Divisions.—

1st Division Town of Calcutta.— 3 The new method of taking the duty on Rum introduced from the commencement of the year under Report, has occasioned the transfer of a considerable amount of Revenue from the License to the Distillery Department. The net increase comparing the Collections in both Departments with those of previous years, is 14,447 and this would have been larger, but for a falling off in the sale of Opium, the first effects of placing the system of Opium licensing on an improving footing. The measure was one of necessary reform, the system displaced having been opposed to the orders in force. It is believed that in the course of the current year this branch of the Revenue will quite pecome itself.—

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4 There can be no doubt the Board observe of the successful working of the new plan of taxing Rum. The consolidated duty though considerably higher than that fixed under the former system is realized without difficulty. The Town Abkaree is generally in an improving condition, the results of which are likely to be more manifest in the out turn of the present year, a considerable increase having been obtained in the late Annual adjustment of the Doodsala Licenses.—

5 The Board desire me to add that the credit of this improvement is due to the late Officiating Collector Mr. Grote, whose intelligent administration of the Mehal, and introduction into it of many useful reforms deserve the Boards acknowledgments.—

6 The Board however, have it in contemplation to propose to Government certain amendments of Act XI of 1849 though these concern rather the removal of technical difficulties than increased stringency as required by its provisions, which are

are found generally to work well.— The Returns show 89 cases to have been prosecuted and in 74 of these the parties were convicted, the fines imposed aggregating Rupees 9004.— The realized portion of this was Rupees 3408, of which Rupees 781 were credited to Government; the rest having been distributed between the informers and seizing parties.—

Mofussil Districts.— 7 The net decrease of Revenue in the eight Districts forming this division, is Rupees 726. In Moorshedabad the deficit is most conspicuous, and it is ascribed to the unprecedented low state of the Bhangeruttee. There is a decrease also in Bancoorah and Maunbhoom and in Midnapore and Hidgellee. In Burdwan the Collections are nearly what they were last year. In the other Districts there is a steady advance on the Collections of 1850—51. It will be seen that there is a net increase of Rupees 828. in the Opium Revenue at the expense of that from Spirits &c. in which the falling off is Rupees 8854.—

8 The Board have to remark that

that the out turn of an unfavorable year for the rice crop of 1851. 52 failed in more than one District, is here being compared with that of a very favorable year. The state of the Abkaree Mehal, however, in Midnapore and Hidgellee, is not so satisfactory as might have been expected after so many years of direct administration.—

9 The whole of the demand for the year was realized before its close in this Division.—

10 The Returns show 694 persons as having been arrested during the year and 415 as having been convicted; that is unfortunately they do not distinguish persons remaining under arrest from the previous year, so that the Board cannot ascertain exactly the proportion which the convictions bear to the arrests.— The fines imposed they find also aggregated Rupees 15,410, the liquidated portion of which was very small, amounting but to Rupees 1840.— This apparent disproportion is attributable principally to certain large Opium seizures in the Hooghly District, for which the prescribed penalties amounted to a very large sum.—

sum. The greater number of cases occurred in Beerbhoom, Punchawongong and Moorshedabad. In Nuddeah, Jessore and Bancorah, there would appear to have been scarcely any.

11 The Officiating Commissioner has made favorable mention in his Report of Baboo Kylas Chunder Dutt, Mr. Dove and Mr. Hampton. He is himself entitled to the Board's acknowledgments for the sedulous attention which he has given to all the details of his charge.—

2d Division
The Old District

12 There has been a net increase of Rupees 7143 on the Revenue of 1850-51; but this is mainly owing to the distribution of the charges of the Commissioners Establishment over the whole fifteen Districts. The actual net increase is only Rupees 1271.—

13 There appears to have been some falling off in Country Spirits & consequent on the first introduction of a new scheme for licensing the Retail & vend of Imported Spirits &c.; while there has been a corresponding & improvement in the sales of Opium.

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The falling off in both is most conspicuous in Backergunge with the management of which the Board is by no means satisfied. In this District, however as well as in Furreedpore the Ferazee doctrines are said to be steadily progressing and this may perhaps to some extent account for the deficit. A transfer of some shops from Dacca to Furreedpore and the incorporation in the Backergunge, Tipperah and Chittagong Districts of portion of the abolished & Bullooah Superintendency, are circumstances which must be borne in mind in comparing these Returns with those of last year.—

14 The Officiating Commissioner reports a considerable increase of late in importations within his Division of Europe Wines and Spirits, and foresees in this circumstance a falling off of revenue from Country Spirits, a result which, the Board observe, can scarcely occur without a corresponding improvement in the Customs revenue.—

15 The balance at the close of the

the year amounted to Rupees 3529 8 1 nearly half of which had been realized up to the 15th June on which date there remained due Rupees 1,911 14 2 consisting for the most part of two heavy items in the Districts of Backergunge and Mymensing, a large portion of which will, the Board apprehend, have to be remitted.—

Five new Districts

16 The Net decrease of Rupees 9638 on the revenue here is occasioned mainly by the distribution over these Districts of the Charges for Commissioner's Establishment. The actual decrease is Rupees 3775 and is due in a great measure to the falling off in Chittagong. The declining state of the revenue in this District is ascribed to three causes, to the spread of the Ferazee tenets to the discontinuance of Salt advances, and to the increased importation of European Spirits and Wines from Calcutta. The decrease in Bullocks is nominal, being explained in the remark above made in para 12.—

17 The balances in these Districts at the close of the year amounted to Rupees 1963 3 5 two thirds of which had been realized up to the 15th June when the remainder was in train of liquidation.—

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18 The Monthly Returns for all the Fifteen Districts of the Division show that 320 persons were arrested and that 237 were convicted during the year. This last number probably includes a few cases standing over from the previous year. The fines realized amounted to Rupees 1,810 8 out of Rupees 2471 8 imposed.—

19 The Board find the following Superintendents favorably noticed in Mr. Harrisons report. Baboo Isser Chunder Ghose of Maldah. Mr. Donough of Rungpore Baboo Bry Sonder Mittre of Dacca. Mr. Pughe of Purneah. The increase in the sales of Opium in Rungpore is attributed to Mr. Donoughs vigilance in checking illicit importation from Cooch Behar and Mr. Atherton has more recently submitted a recommendation for raising the salary of this Officer from 350 to 400 Rupees.—

20. On referring to the scale of salaries proposed in the Board's letter No. 1375, dated the 11th July 1848, and sanctioned by Government, Orders, No. 309 dated the 31st idem, it will be seen that one Officer on 400 Rupees per Mensem was allotted to the second Division. None however of the

the Superintendents lately gazetted as Deputy Collectors at present draw more than Rupees 350. It is the Board think highly desirable that the prospects of promotion held out to this branch of the Uncovenanted Service should be maintained in their full integrity and on this ground alone they are prepared to nominate for the vacant grade the most efficient Superintendent. But such a selection they defer making for the present as the position of this class of Officers under the effect of the orders ifsued and about to issue in the case of the Abkaree Divisions is a subject on which they propose shortly to address the government.

Patna Division 21 There has been a net decrease in the five Districts of this Division, including Dinapore, of Rupees 55289, viz. less than Rupees 40773 of this being in the revenue of Behar, which the competition of the last few years is said to have raised beyond the capabilities of the District.

1847-48 Rs. 182902
1848-49 — 235535
1849-50 — 274941
1850-51 — 285051.

* The Commissioner has proposed the substitution of the Bengal direct system for that of farming which prevails in

in this as well as in the Saran and Shahabad Districts, but unless where the measure is forced on them, as it has been in Purneah, the Board are not disposed to authorize resort to it. In Patna however under the able superintendence of Mr. Deputy Collector Muller the system has no doubt been very successful. The unfavorable out turn of the Division for 1851/52 as compared with the previous year seems to be partially accounted for by failures both in the Rice crop and in the Mowah produce.

22 The gross collections of the year were Rupees 7,80,616 and the balance at its close only Rupees 25159 four fifths of which had been realized up to September, when Rupees 5132-3-2 remained due. Of this Rupees 3590-13-3 outstanding in the District of Behar has since been written off with the Boards sanction.

Bhaugulpoor Division. 23 The decrease in the four Districts constituting this Division is Rupees 40,698. The state of the Purneah District has been so recently before the Government, that it will not here

here be noticed — The Talook revenue had been farmed for the years in 1850 — In Monghyr it was necessary to sanction considerable reductions on the farming jumma, the old farmer who had regained possession of the Mehal consequent on the transactions reported in the Board's letter of the 10th March 1851 having refused to renew his engagements except at a very great reduction; and the District has in consequence been leased out by Pergunnahs — In Bhaugalpore, in default of satisfactory offers a portion of the District was held khas —

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Tirhood	25114 - 1-3
Bhaugulpore, including Rajmehal	5950 - 5-3
Purneah	3003 - 8-11
Rupees	34067 - 15-5

The balance at the close of the year was heavy amounting to Rupees 34067 — 15 — 5 — but this had all been since realized or remitted with the exception of a few items considered to be recoverable in Purneah where Rupees 1485 — 7½ are still unadjusted. —

25. The remarkably small consumption of Opium in the producing Districts of these two Divisions will hardly escape the notice of Government. About a

a Maund has been brought in each of the large Districts of Behar and Bhaugulpore, 13 Seers in Monghyr, 1¼ Seer in Shahabad, ½ a Seer in Tirhood and none at all in Sarum. In Dinapore, which is a Military Cantonment, the sale of Opium is perhaps prohibited. The 2½ Maunds which has paid duty at Patna, is, the Board imagine the city consumption only. Looking to the comparatively large consumption in the neighbouring District of Purneah, it is impossible to avoid the conclusion that a large quantity of untaxed Opium is consumed in the producing Districts.

Cuttack Division.

26 The revenue will be seen to be improving in all three Districts of this Division, where the direct system of management is in force. The Commissioner's report on the result of the changes lately made in the Abkaree administration of the Province, has already been laid before the Government, under cover of my letter No. 1284, dated the 23d July last.

Governor General's Agent South West Frontier.

27. There is a decrease in the revenue of Hazareebaugh and Lohardugga to the extent of Rupees 2698 and it is attributed, as in

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the Patna Division to a bad harvest of the Mowrah Flower - Rice, too, is said to have been very dear - The deterioration which commenced before last year is, the Board think, im= perfectly accounted for, and there are still some heavy balances due on previous years. The Agents report, however, leads the Board to believe that the local Officers have their hands fully occupied in the other Depart= ments of their respective charges. —

28. As compared with the out turn of 1841-42, the Abkaree revenue now yielded by the District of Lohardugga is more than double what it then amounted to. As Captain Oakes observes, it is now within 10 per cent of the Demand of Land Revenue in that District.

Assam Division. 29 The Abkaree Regulations are in force only in the three Districts of Gowalparah, Kamroop and Tezpore, into which last Distrct they were intro= duced so recently as 1850-51. The Spirits Mehal in the first two Districts has deteri= orated and the circumstance is not accounted for in the letters forwarded by the Commissio= =er. Kamroop is the only District in which im= ported Spirits are retailed. —

30. As regards Opium, the Revenue realized in the Province is on the increase, — being Rupees 1,20,733, against Rupees 1,11,276 Col= =lected in 1850-51 - The Sales have decreased in Gowalparah and Luckimpore, in which last District the Poppy crop is said to have been particularly abundant - The falling off in Gowalparah is in Consequence of the Eastern Districts being now supplied direct, and for the same reason the Sales in these Districts, more particularly in Nowgong and Seeb= =sagur, have largely increased - This — branch of the Revenue will show very Considerable improvement, as Ranee the local manufacture is — displaced by the Government drug, a measure Conducing to which result was proposed to Govern= =ment in the Boards letter, No. 688, dated the 13th October last. —

Superintendency of Darjeeling 31. There Revenue of the year is — Considerably more than double what was realized in 1850-51. —

Arracan. 32 There has been a net decrease of Rupees 4229 on the revenue of the four Districts comprising this Province. — With the exception of Aeng there is a general falling off=

off in the sales of Opium, which the Com:
=missioner's report does not account for. In
Akyab the falling off is more than made
up by a large increase in the Spirits Me:
=hal, but under this head again, there is a
heavy decrease in Aeng. It should be observed
that in this Province as well as in Assam,
the excise tax is levied only in the towns
forming the Sudder Stations.—

33. The foregoing remarks are based upon Statement No.1 and the results commented on are the increase and decrease of Net revenue after deducting the charges of Collection. This is conformable to the practice which has hitherto obtained in reporting upon the Khas Divisions, in which the whole demand is generally col:
=lected within the year, or if any balance remains the amount is necessarily incon:
=siderable. But for a due appreciation of the state of the Mehal in Districts where it is let in farm, a comparison of the Demand, gross Collections and ba:
=lances, with those of the previous year is necessary and these results will be found in Statement No.2.

34. Statement No.1 shows for the whole Presidency

Presidency a decrease of net revenue to the
extent of Rupees 87,231 occurring princi:pal=
=ly in the farmed Districts of the Province
of Behar. So far as this is real falling
off it has already been accounted for,—
but it will be seen from Statement No.2
that a considerable portion of the decrease
in the Bhaugulpore Division is attri:
=butable only to a brief, and casual delay
in realizing the farming Jumma of Tir:
=hoot. In future Reports the remarks
will be drawn from a Jumma wasil
bakee Statement similar to the State:
=ment submitted in the Land Revenue
Department, a supplementary return
exhibiting the charges and net
revenue being also submitted.—

Board of Revenue
For.t William,
The 23.rd March 1853.

(Signed) A. Sprote
Junior Secretary

Statement

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No. 1. Statement Shewing the Abkaree Collections and Charges in the Several Districts in the Bengal Presidency for 1851-52.

Divisions.	Districts.	Collections: Spirits Drugs and Miscellaneous.	Opium: Rate per seer.	Opium: Sale proceeds.	Total	Charges: General	Charges: Cost of Opium at 5½ Per cent.	Total	Percentage of charges to Collections after deducting the prime cost of opium from both sides.	Net Revenue 1851.52	Net Revenue 1850.51	Increase	Decrease	Remarks
Abkaree 1st Division Calcutta.	License Department	2,07,741	16	29,412	2,37,153	23,205	10,110	33,315	10. 22	2,03,838	2,02,048	1,790	"	
	Distillary Department	63,743	"	"	63,743	15,708	"	15,708	24. 64	48,035	35,378	12,657	"	
	Total	2,71,484	"	29,412	3,00,896	38,913	10,110	49,028	" "	2,51,873	2,37,426	14,447	"	
	24 Pergunnahs & Panchawongong	1,99,008	16	61,606	2,60,614	37,498	21,177	58,675	15. 66	2,01,939	1,98,051	3,888	"	
	Hooghly including Serampore	69,575	16	21,416	90,991	26,700	7,362	34,062	31. 92	56,929	55,213	1,716	"	
	Burdwan	58,712	15	6,341	65,053	17,858	2,325	20,183	28. 46	44,870	44,386	484	"	
	Bancoorah and Maunbhoom	52,152	14	2,621	54,773	13,302	1,030	19,332	34. 5	35,441	36,851	"	1,410	
	Nuddiah & Jessore	43,126	15. 16	13,785	56,911	17,924	5,043	22,967	34. 55	33,944	32,195	1,749	"	
	Bheerbhoom	57,053	14	4,298	61,351	18,104	1,689	19,792	30. 34	41,558	40,690	868	"	
	Moorshedabad	97,572	14	15,232	1,12,804	21,783	5,984	27,767	20. 39	85,037	92,052	"	7,015	
	Midnapore Hedgellee	24,041	16	40,048	64,089	15,683	13,786	29,421	31. 10	34,668	35,674	"	1,006	
	Total	6,01,239	"	165,347	7,66,586	173,822	58,378	232,200	" "	5,34,386	5,35,112	8,705	9,431	

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Division	Districts.	Collection: Spirits Dugs and Miscellaneous	Collection: Opium: Rate per Seer	Collection: Opium: Sale proceeds	Collection: Total	Charges: General	Charges: Cost of Opium at 5½ per Seer	Charges: Total	Percentage of charges to Collections after deducting the prime cost of opium from both sides		Net Revenue 1852-53	Net Revenue 1850-51	Increase	Decrease	Remarks
Sdr Karee 2d Division Dacca	Backergunge	26362	14	19459	45821	13458	7644	21142	35	35	24679	27299	"	2620	
	Fureedpore	16857	14	3128	19985	8634	1229	9863	46	3	10122	8696	1426	"	
	Pubnah	9966	14	4404	14370	7138	1730	8866	56	47	3502	5559	"	57	
	Dacca	50283	13	23011	73274	13753	9736	23491	21	64	49783	51304	"	1521	
	Mymensing	56751	12	12715	69466	16472	5829	22251	25	80	47215	46059	1156	"	
	Dinagipore	20335	11	11236	31571	11318	5618	16936	43	61	14635	12768	1867	"	
	Rungpore	26251	11	53130	79381	17608	26565	44173	33	33	35208	31448	3760	"	
	Rajshahye	23764	13	4834	28628	10381	2045	12426	39	5	16202	15873	329	"	
	Bograh	7957	12	18480	26437	9168	8470	17638	51	2	8799	8158	641	"	
	Maldah	38940	12	15984	54924	13914	7326	21240	29	23	33684	31528	2156	"	
	Total	277476	"	166381	443857	121836	76192	198028	"	"	245829	238692	11335	4198	
	Chittagong	24315	16	15787	40102	13004	5427	18431	37	50	21671	26238	"	4567	
	Sylhet	25900	12	9252	35152	11327	4240	15567	36	64	19585	21802	"	217	
	Cachar	2945	12	2988	5933	1287	1369	2656	28	49	3277	4234	"	957	
	Bullooah	6116	15	740	6856	5291	271	6192	89	91	664	2406	"	1742	
	Tipperah	15151	14-15	1821	16972	8622	704	9326	53	"	7646	8001	"	355	
	Total	74427	"	30588	105015	40161	12011	52172	"	"	52843	62481	"	9638	

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Divisions	Districts	Collections: Spirits Drugs and Musical Licenses	Opium: Rate per Seer	Opium: Sale Proceeds	Total	Charges: General	Charges: Cost of opium at 52½ Percent	Charges: Total	Percentage of Charges to Collections after deducting the prime cost of opium from both sides	Net Revenue 1851-52	Net Revenue 1852-53	Increase	Decrease	Remarks
Revenue 11th Division	Behar	222838	10	410	223248	1035	225	1260	" 46	221988	262761	"	40773	
	Patna	221865	10	1082	222947	9497	595	10092	" 22	212855	223929	"	11074	
	Sarun	189471	"	"	189471	1145	"	1145	" 60	188326	188535	"	229	
	Shahabad	96754	10	15	96769	607	8	615	" 64	96154	95975	179	"	
	Dinapore	48181	"	"	48181	3838	"	3838	7 90	44343	47735	"	3392	
	Total	779109	"	1507	780616	16122	828	16950	" "	763666	818955	179	55468	
Ditto 12th Division	Monghyr	100055	11	142	101197	559	71	630	" 55	99587	123784	"	24217	
	Bhaugulpore	94472	11	473	94945	4758	236	4994	5 20	89950	102991	"	13041	
	Rajmehal	15649	"	"	15649	1250	"	1250	" 90	14398	14324	74	"	
	Tirhoot	127934	10	4	127938	1070	2	1072	" 84	126866	136306	"	9440	
	Purneah	42470	11	12923	55393	811	6462	7273	1 65	48122	46351	1771	"	
	Total	380580	"	13542	394122	8448	6771	15219	" "	378903	423756	1845	46698	
Ditto 13th or Assam Division	Gowalparah	3226	10	12060	15286	120	23133	23253	3 72	22033	26026	"	3993	
	Sezpore	230	10	3510	3740	"	3030	3030	" "	2710	2111	599	"	
	Nawgong	"	10	13910	13910	"	7650	7650	" "	6260	2925	3335	"	
	Seebsagur	"	10	20850	20850	76	11467	11543	" "	9307	4018	5289	"	
	Luckimpore	"	10	15420	15420	36	8481	8517	" "	6903	9747	"	2844	
	Kamroop	1303	10	22970	24273	432	12653	13085	33 16	11208	10021	1187	"	
	Total	4759	"	12207.20	125479	664	66394	67058	" "	54421	54848	10410	6837	

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Divisions	Districts	Collections: Spirits Drugs and Miscellaneous	Opium: Rate per seer	Opium: sale proceeds	Total	Charges: General	Charges: Cost of opium at 5½ Percent	Charges: Total	Percentage of charges to Collections after deducting the prime cost of opium from both sides	Net Revenue 1851 5·2	Net Revenue 1850 5·1	Increase	Decrease	Remarks
Revenue 1st Division	Cuttack	24165	16	16512	40677	6839	5676	12515	28 30	28162	26643	1519	"	
	Pooree	13572	16	6672	20244	2124	2294	4418	15 65	15826	15133	693	"	
	Balasore	4466	16	26504	30964	5697	9111	14808	" "	16156	15459	697	"	
	Total	42197	16	49688	91885	14660	17081	31741	" "	60144	57235	2909	"	
Darjeeling	Darjeeling	2876	"	"	2876	120	"	120	4 47	2756	1220	1536	"	
S.W. Frontier	Hazareebaugh	32815	12	409	33224	606	188	794	1 83	32430	34968	"	2538	
	Lahardugga	41104	"	"	41104	1106	"	1106	2 69	39998	40158	"	160	
	Total	73919	"	409	74328	1712	188	1900	" "	72428	75126	"	2698	
Arracan	Akyab	15240	16	14720	29960	"	5060	5060	" "	24900	23415	1485	"	
	Aeng	1733	16	2624	4357	"	902	902	" "	3455	4803	"	1348	
	Ramree	1559	16	1216	2775	"	418	418	" "	2357	2530	"	173	
	Sandoway	792	16	22288	23080	298	7661	7959	1 93	15121	18714	"	3593	
	Total	19324	"	40848	60172	298	14041	14339	" "	45533	49462	1485	5114	
Grd and Total Company's Rupees		2527390	"	618442	3145832	416756	261994	678750	" "	2467082	2554313	52851	140082	

Deduct Increase Company's Rupees — 52851

Net Decrease Company's Rupees — 87231

Board of Revenue Fort William, the 13th January 1853

/ Signed / A. Grote

Junr Secretary

Comparative

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No. 2 Comparative Statement of Abkaree Demands Collections and Balances in the Districts in which the Mehal is let in farm.—

Divisions	Districts	1850 Demands	1850 Collections	1850 Balances	1851 Demands	1851 Collections	1851 Balances
Patna	Behar	283612 12 7	264820 8 7	18702 4 "	241130 1 4	222857 7 3	18272 9 9
	Sarun	200548 " "	189714 8 3	10833 7 9	191430 8 4	189467 " "	1963 8 4
	Shahabad	96808 " "	96808 " "	" " "	100051 " "	96752 8 4	3298 8 4
Bhaugulpore	Tirhoot	152032 " "	137782 " "	14250 " "	153048 " "	127933 14 9	25114 1 3
	Monghyr	124464 6 9	124464 6 9	" " "	100190 5 4	100190 5 4	" " "
	Bhaugulpore	117235 4 8	117235 4 8	" " "	116118 10 10	110168 5 7	5950 5 3

Board of Revenue
Fort William - -
the 23d April 1853.

/Signed/ A. Grote
Junior Secretary

Appendix

Appendix

No. 423

To

The Junior Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Sir

I am directed by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal to acknowledge the receipt of the letters from your office noted in the Margin reporting on the results of the direct system of Abkaree management in the Calcutta and Dacca Divisions during the years 1849-50 and 1850-51 and to communicate the following observations and orders in reply.

2 His Lordship observes that the percentage of charges to collection during the year 1850-51 was in Calcutta 10-16 percent, in the Moffussil Districts of the Calcutta Divisions 24-5 percent, in the ten old Districts of the Dacca Division 34-6 percent and in the five new Districts 37-32 percent: on the entire two Divisions the per centage of charge is 25-74. This though an improvement upon the year 1848-49 is still very unfavorable and the Returns submitted with the letters under acknowledgement bear out the Boards expectation that this branch

branch of the public resources is susceptible of very little further development.—

3 The object therefore of the separate machinery of a special Abkaree Commissioner and of Superintendents subordinate to him but independant of the proper head fiscal Officers of their respective Districts has in his Lordships opinion ceased to exist and the appointment of Mr. Atherton to officiate as additional Judge of Tirhoot in succession to Mr. Saint Quintin affords an opportunity of effecting a change at once in the Dacca Division where the direct system of Abkaree management has been least successful and where its abandonment will be attended with no difficulty.—

4 His Lordship therefore desires me to request that immediate measures may be taken for abolishing the Dacca Abkaree Commissioners Office, discharging the establishment and transferring the duties to the Revenue Commissioners of the Chittagong, Dacca, Moorshedabad and Bhaugulpore Divisions with such instructions for their guidance as may be necessary.

The service of the Supernumerary second class Superintendents

Superintendents will also be dispensed with — and the Superintendents themselves placed under the direct and immediate control of the Collectors of Revenue in their several Districts with the designation of Deputy Collector. The management of the Abkaree Mehal will thus again become in these Districts an integral part of the duty of the Collector. The Collectors will of course be subordinate to the Revenue Commissioners of the several Divisions in Abkaree matters just as they now are subordinate to them in the Land Revenue Department.

5 The change of designation is rendered necessary by the wording of Act XXV of 1840 which admits of the employment of Superintendents only in Districts assigned to a special Abkaree Commissioner. It will also be beneficial as enabling the Collectors to employ these Abkaree Officers, who at some seasons of the year have very little to do, in general revenue duties. As soon as the Board furnish a list of these Officers showing the Districts to which they stand appointed, their appointment as Deputy Collectors will

will be duly gazetted.

6. In carrying out this measure the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal requests that the Board will impress upon the Commissioners and Collectors of Land Revenue that they will be held strictly responsible for the efficient management of the Abkaree Revenue and for the proper employment and control of the ample force of Mofussil Officers placed at their disposal for the purpose.

7 The Board are requested to inform the Deputy Collectors thus appointed that their position in regard to salary remains unaltered, and that the change in their official designation gives them no claim to promotion or increase of pay which they do not already possess. The Board are further requested to inform these Officers that the object of their original appointment having been attained and the department being now placed on an altered footing, their services are liable to be dispensed with when no longer required. Whenever it is found that the service of superintending the Abkaree

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Abkaree revenue can be carried on by means of the regular Deputy Collectors or otherwise, the Board are requested to recommend a reduction in their numbers

8 I am directed to request that the Board will in future report annually on the whole Abkaree Revenue of the Lower Provinces, Regulation and non Regulation and not simply on that of the Districts in which the direct system of management has been introduced. The form of Statement adopted by the Board in their Report for 1850 51 is an improvement on the former practice of sending up the Commissioners Report in an undigested state accompanied only by a running comment but His Lordship thinks it would be more useful if under the head of Collections were shewn separately the proceeds from Spirits, Toddy, Arrack, Chandoo, Ganjah and all other excisable articles. There should perhaps be two Statements in the same form, the one for the Districts in which Government Excise Officers are employed, the other for Districts let in farm and an Abstract shewing the total results in each Revenue Division.

9 If as the Board remark and as is

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is highly probable, the plan of employing a Deputy Collector in the management of the excise under the immediate control of the Collector has led to a large increase in the net revenue of Patna, there seems to His Lordship no reason why it should not be adapted in every District in which farming now prevails or at least in every such District where the consumption of exciseable articles is large enough to give employment to a Government establishment. And where it is thought expedient to farm, it would perhaps be better to make arrangements for comparatively long periods, say for five or seven years, than to put up the farm to competition every year.

10 His Lordship requests that the Board will take into consideration the above points and favor him with their opinion on them when submitting their next Annual Report.

Fort William
the 29th October 1852

/Signed/ Cecil Beadon
Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal

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Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded.

Read

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Read the following letter

No. 42

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

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Bd No. 2061

From the Collr of Bellary — } Sir,

Fort St. George

Having availed my self from the 9th instant of the leave of absence granted by Government under date the 5th instant I have the honor to report for the information of the Board of Revenue that I rejoined my station yesterday and resumed charge of the District this day from Mr L D Daniell Sub Collector of Bellary.—

2 The usual receipts for the Balance of Cash, Stamp Paper, Bount and other Deposits in the Hoozoor Treasury will be forwarded on Monday the 1st Proximo when the examination of the Cash Accts will be completed.—

Bellary Collectors Office 30th July 1853 — } Signed C. Pelly
Collector

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

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Bd No. 2082

From the Sub Collector in charge of Bellary — } Sir,

I have the honor to acquaint you for the information of the Board of Revenue that I delivered over charge of the District on the 30th ultimo to Mr C. Pelly Collector of Bellary. The treasury examination Yesterday has this day been completed and his receipts for the balance of Cash, Stamps Papers and Deposits, are herewith sent as usual.

Bellary, Sub Collectors Office, 1st August, 1853. } Signed L. D. Daniell
Sub Collector.

Received

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Fort St. George 8th August 1853.

Received from L. D. Daniell Esqr. Sub Collector of Bellary in the undermentioned Coins the Sum of Company's Rupees 1112955 " 10 being the balance of Cash up to this date according to the accounts of the Treasury.

Species.	Coins.	Number of Coins.	Rate of Conversion per 100 pieces of Coins.	Amount.	Total.
			Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p
Silver	Company's Rupees of 1835/40	1004702	100 " "	1004702 " "	
	Do ½ Do	30357	50 " "	15178 8 "	
	Do ¼ Do	156913	25 " "	39228 4 "	
	Do Double annas	80863	12 8 "	10107 14 "	
	Company's Rupees of Coinage previous to 1835	18640	100 " "	18640 " "	
	Do ½ Do	4823	50 " "	2411 8 "	
	Do ¼ Do	2648	25 " "	662 " "	
	Do Double annas	3380	12 8 "	672 8 "	
	Do Single annas	6309	6 4 "	394 5 "	
	Old Company's Rupees	4	100 " "	4 " "	
	Surat Rupees	14722	100 " "	14722 " "	
	Do ½ Do	2048	50 " "	1024 " "	
	Do ¼ Do	356	25 " "	89 " "	
	Furrukabad Rupees	6	100 " "	6 " "	
	Half Pagoda Pieces	4	175 " "	7 " "	
	Quarter Do	34	87 8 "	29 12 "	1107878 11 "
	New Half annas	64055	3 2 "	2001 11 6	
	New Quarter Do	160170	1 9 "	2502 10 6	
Copper	New One pie pieces	92542	" 8 4	481 15 10	
	Europe 6 Pie pieces	960	3 2 "	30 " "	
	Europe 3 pie pieces	3840	1 9 "	60 " "	5076 5 10
			Total Company's Rupees		1112955 " 10

Eleven Lacs Twelve Thousand Nine Hundred & fifty five Rupees and Ten pice.

Bellary, Collector's Office, 1st August, 1853

E. E. Jr.

Signed C. Pelly
Collector

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Fort St. George 8th. August 1853.

Received from L. D. Daniell Esqre. Sub Collector of Bellary — the undermentioned Stamp papers being the balance up to this date according to the Accounts of the Stamp Darogah

Size		Description of Paper.		Roll.	Value. Rs	a
Papers	2	4 Annas Country Paper		2993	748	4
		8 Do.	Do.	465	232	8
		1 Rupee	Do.	628	628	"
		2 Do.	Do.	481	962	"
		4 Do.	Do.	100	400	"
		8 Do.	Do.	401	3208	"
Money		16 Do.	Do.	107	1712	"
		32 Do.	Do.	134	4288	
		50 Do.	Do.	172	8600	"
		100 Do.	Do.	2	200	"
		150 Do.	Do.	3	450	"
		350 Do.	Do.	2	700	"
Cuttacka Decree Papers		8 Annas Decree Papers		377	188	8
		1 Rupee	Do.	648	648	"
		2 Do.	Do.	445	890	"
		Manfee Rowannahs		10,600	"	"
			Total	17,558	23855	4

Company's Rupees Twenty three thousand Eight hundred and Fifty five and Annas four

Bellary Collector's Office, 1st August, 1853. E. E. J. Signed C. Pelly Collector. Received

	Do.	983	2	4
2	1 Veneatapaty Pagoda	4	"	"
	2 Sawamoory Pagodas	8	"	"
		2507	14	"
	Total Company's Rupees	3135	14	6

Three Thousand one hundred and thirty five Annas Fourteen and Pice Six

Government Promissory Notes deposited by the Ab Karry Contractor Mr Abraham -

No. of the Bond.	Amount.		
1	2709	5000	"
2	31374	2000	"
3	33241	5000	"
4	35671	4000	"
5	9665	5000	"
6	51363	500	"
Total Company's Rupees		21500	"

Twenty one Thousand Five hundred.

9512. Fort St. George, 8th August 1853.

No. 43.

To.

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

Sir,

35

B. No. 2081.
From the Collector of Bellary - - -

I have the honor to forward the usual Receipts for the balance of Cash, Stamp Paper Court and other Deposits in my Hoozoor Treasury, received from Mr. Daniell the Sub Collector in charge, of 30th Ultimo

* No. 1 to 3.

Bellary, 1st August, 1853. - - - - -

/Signed/ C. Pelly
Collector

Received -

9512 Fort St. George, 8th August 1853.

Orders Documents -

2 Vouchers on the above subject -
2 Bonds of Sale of Mr. Wm. Stratton Burrows
1 Paper by Mr. Boyle on behalf of Mr. Wm. Cockburn
1 Authority Paper given by Mr. Wm. Shanklin to
Documents of Sale written by Mr. Boyle to the Collector
1/2 of Bellary.
3. Bills of Sale of Mr. Wm. Mellors' House at Bellary
1 Sale Papers of Mr. Wm. Mellors.
1 Duit-rent Bills
1/3 Receipts granted to the Honorable Company
5 Adonis Bungalow Sold by Mr. Wm. Mellors to
with 3 Sigs.
2 Plans
2 Notes of Mr. Wm. Shanks to Mr. Mellors
1 Memorandum of Sale of House Papers written by Mr.
which was received by Mr. Shanks and Sold
Bellary Collectors Office, 1st August, 1853 - C. Pelly

9513. Fort St. George. 5th August 1863.

No. 1. Received from L. D. Daniell Esquire Sub Collector of Bellary in the undermentioned Coins the Sum of Company's Rupees 1112955 " 10 being the balance of Cash up to the date according to the Accounts of the Treasury.

Species	Coins	No. of Coins	Rate of Conversion per 100 pieces of Coins	Amount	Total
			Rs. a P.	Rs. a P.	Rs. a P.
Silver	Company's Rupees of 1835/40	101702	100 " "	1001702 " "	
	Ditto ½ Ditto	30357	50 " "	15178 8 "	
	Ditto ¼ Ditto	156913	25 " "	39228 4 "	
	Ditto Double annas	80863	12 8 "	10107 12 "	
	Company's Rupees of the Coinage previous to 1835	18640	100 " "	18640 " "	
	Ditto ½ Ditto	4823	50 " "	2411 8 "	
	Ditto ¼ Ditto	2648	25 " "	662 " "	
	Ditto Double annas	5380	12 8 "	672 8 "	
	Ditto Single Annas	8309	6 4 "	394 5 "	
	Old Company's Rupees	4	100 " "	4 " "	
	Surat Rupees	14722	100 " "	14722 " "	
	Ditto ½ Ditto	2048	50 " "	1024 " "	
	Ditto ¼ Ditto	356	25 " "	89 " "	
	Furkabad Rupees	6	100 " "	6 " "	
	Half Pagoda pieces	4	175 " "	7 " "	
	Quarter Ditto Ditto	34	87 8 "	29 " "	1107878 11 "
Copper	New Half annas	64055	3 2 "	2001 11 6	
	New Quarter Ditto	160170	1 9 "	2502 10 6	
	New one pie pieces	92542	" 8 4	481 15 10	
	Europe 6 pie pieces	900	3 2 "	30 " "	
	Europe 3 pie pieces	3840	1 9 "	60 " "	5076 5 10
				Total Company's Rupees	1112955 " 10

Eleven Lacs Twelve thousand Nine hundred and fifty five Rupees and Ten Pie -

Bellary, Collector's Office, 1st August 1863. E. E. & P. [Signed] C. Pelly Collector Received

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Fort St George. 8th August 1853.

No 2. Received from L. D. Daniell Esquire Sub Collector of Bellary the under-mentioned Stamp Papers, being the balance up to the date, according to the accounts of the Stamp Darogah -

Size No:	Description of Papers.	Rolls	Value.
			CRS A
4	Annas Country Paper	2993	748 4
8	Ditto Ditto	465	2328
1	Rupee Ditto	628	628 "
2	Ditto Ditto	481	962 "
4	Ditto Ditto	100	400 "
8	Ditto Ditto	401	3208 "
16	Ditto Ditto	107	1712 "
32	Ditto Ditto	134	4288 "
50	Ditto Ditto	172	8600 "
100	Ditto Ditto	2	200 "
150	Ditto Ditto	3	450 "
350	Ditto Ditto	2	700 "
8	Annas Decree Paper	377	188 8
1	Rupee Ditto	648	648 "
2	Ditto Ditto	445	890 "
	Manjee Rowanahs	10600	" "
	Total	17558	23855 4

Country Paper

Europe Decree Paper

Company's Rupees Twenty three thousand Eight Hundred and fifty five, and annas four -

Bellary, Collector's Office, 1st August, 1853. C. C. J. Sd/ Signed / C. Pelly Collector

Received

Three Thousand One hundred and thirty five, Annas Fourteen & Pice Six -

Government Promissary Notes deposited by the Abkarry Contractor Mr. Abraham -

	No. of the Bond.	Amount.	
1	2709	5,000	" "
2	31374	2,000	" "
3	3341	5,000	" "
4	35671	4,000	" "
5	9665	5,000	" "
6.	51363	500	" "
Total Co Rs.		21,500	" " Twenty One thousand Five hundred -

9510. Fort St. George. 8th August 1853.

Other Documents.

2. Vouchers on the above subject.
2. Bonds of sale of Mr. Ibbetson's Bungalow situated at Bellary executed on Stamp paper by Mr. Ross on behalf of Mr. Sharlieb of Madras Vizt.
1 Authority Paper given by Mr. Sharlieb to Mr. Ross.
1/2 Document of sale written by Mr. Ross to the Honorable Company through the Collector of Bellary.
3. Bills of sale of Mr. Mellor's House at Burpumbully and 2 Papers connected with it Vizt.
1. Sale Paper of Mr. Mellor.
1. Quit Rent Bill.
1. Receipt granted to the Honorable Company thro' the Collector of Bellary by Mr. Mellor.
3/3
5. Adonie Bungalow sold by Mr. Mellor to Government for Travellers (Paper connected with 5 (Vizt.)
2. Plans.
2. Notes of Mr. Abraham to Mr. Mellor.
1. Indenture or sale of House paper written by Mr. Mellor to the Honorable Company and on which was occupied by Mr. Abraham and sold by him to Mr. Mellor.

33-36 Bellary. Collector's Office. 1st August, 1853. C. C. Jr. (Signed) C. Pelly Collector.
Dfs Order on the 3 foregoing letters. Ordered to be submitted for the information of Government. Collector.
Read the following Tabular report.
Tabular

Case and Number	Date of Petition	Name of Petitioner	Name of Village	Extent of ground	Value of Property	Remarks
1	1st August 1853	Caloo	Cumeerdutton	2 grounds	8	Proceedings.

Cuddapah Collector
Mudderpore

B.d.e No. 1680.

Proceedings (37-38)

thereon:— As it appears that Condamanaidoo, the eldst son of the late poligar by his 3d wife, has a better title to succeed to the pension, than Vencatappah Naidoo the grandson by the 2d wife, the Acting Collector is requested to explain the grounds on which he considers the latter as heir in preference to the former.—

Read the following letters.

To,

B. Cunliffe Esqre
Sub Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

(39)

B.d.e No. 1966.

Sir,

From the Head assistant Collector in charge of Chingleput. } I have the honor to forward

* No. 1 & 2 with Maratta Statements.—

forward herewith two Statements* one of Mootahs and the other of Shotriems which have been attached for arrears of Revenue due upto 30th June of Fusly 1262. and request the sanction of the Board for the entertainment of the necessary Establishment therein proposed for their Management while under attachment.—

Chingleput District,
Collectors' Cutcherry—
Guindy, 25th July,
1853.—

Signed/ G. F. Fullerton.
Hd. Assistant Collector in Charge.

Statement.

Fort St. George 14th August 1853

No. 1 Statement of Estates attached in the Zillah of Chinglepat in Fasly 1263.—

Number.	1 Names of the Zemindaries or Estates.	2 Name of the Zemindars or Proprietors.	3 No. of Villages included in the Zemindary or Estate.	4 Permanent Jummah of the Entire Zemindary or Estate.		5 Amount of Rist due upto June of Fasly 1262.		6 Amount to be Collected.		7 Balance.		8 No. of Villages proposed to be attached.	9 Actual or Estimated Value of the portion proposed to be attached.		10 Establishment proposed to be employed for attachment.		11 Percentage of the Establishment to the Estimated Value of the portion of the Estate attached.	12 Date of the attachment.	13 Remarks.
				Rupees	A's P's	Rupees	A's P's	Rupees	A's P's	Rupees	A's P's		Rupees	A's P's	Rupees	A's P's			
1	Eesoor	Chattyappa Aroomooga Moodelly	1	658	12 3	658	12 3	481	3 "	177	9 3	1	658	12 3					
2	Amayam pattoo	Vathanta Ramanooja Charry Shadagapa Charry Streenevasa Charry and Varad Charry	1	28	14 "	28	14 "	24	" "	4	14 "	1	28	14 "	Suneenah and Mooshariff	7	"			
3	Othyvelagum	Choonambattoo Aroona Chella Moodelly	5	235	1 2	235	1 2	205	" "	30	1 2	5	235	1 2	1 Boat	3	"			
4	Vennalagarum	Chatty appa Auroomooga Moodelly	1	102	4 2	102	4 2	89	6 11	12	13 3	1	102	4 2	Sauderward	8	"			
5	Serroocalattoor	Vejaya Reddy and Streenevasa Reddy	1	44	1 5	44	1 5	39	" "	5	1 5	1	44	1 5						
			9	1,069	1 "	1,069	1 "	838	9 11	230	7 1	9	1,069	1 "		10	8 "	" 15 8	19th July 1853.	
6	Crombadoo	Chattyappa Auroomooga Moodelly	5	939	" 2	939	" 2	722	" "	217	" 2	5	939	" 2					Do.	Under the Management of Jufty Suneenah of Cheyoor Dist.

Fort St. George

1st August 1853

Number	Names of the Zemindaries or Estates	Name of the Zemindars or Proprietors	No. of Villages included in the Zemindary or Estate	Permanent Jummabundy of the Entire Jummabundy or Estate	Amount of Kist due up to June of Fasly 1262	Amount Collected	Balance	No. of Villages proposed to be attached	Actual or Estimated Value of the portion proposed to be attached	Establishment proposed to be employed for attachment	Percentage of the Establishment to the Estimated Value of the portion of the Estate attached	Date of the attachment	Remarks
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
				Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P		Rs A P	Rs A P			
7	Tharajoor	Ramasawmy Naidoo Pedda Iyaloo Naidoo and Chinna Iyaloo Naidoo	1	147 11	147 11		129 " 18 11	1	147 11				
8	Chittoor	Narayana Naidoo and Maambalum Moottoo sawmy Naidoo	1	165 9 4	165 9 4		129 " " 36 9 4	1	165 9 4				
9	Thoondum Vellary	Torayoor Ramasawmy Naidoo Pedda Iyaloo Naidoo and Chinna Iyaloo Naidoo	1	117 3 6	117 3 6		93 " " 24 3 6	1	117 3 6	Ameenah and Mooshiraff	8 " "		
10	Kalputtoo	Iyaloo Naidoo and Varadappa Naidoo	1	121 3 3	121 3 3		106 " " 15 3 3	1	121 3 3	1 Peon	3 " "		
11	Palacoopputm	Auroonachella Pillay	1	15 2 3	15 2 3		13 " " 2 2 3	1	15 2 3	Sanderward	" 8 "		
12	Kollattanellore	Veerasawmy Naidoo Soobba Naidoo	1	131 15 1	131 15 1		116 " 2 15 14 11	1	131 15 1				
13	Noombal	Mootoosawmy Naidoo and Levarama Gowdan	1	245 15 8	245 15 8		216 " " 29 15 8	1	245 15 8				
14	Seroonagur	Karianappa Naidoo and Vadagherry Moodelly	1	130 1 7	130 1 7		114 " " 15 1 7	1	130 1 7				
			8	1,074 3 7	1,074 3 7		916 " 2 158 3 5	8	1,074 3 7		11 8 "	1 1 2 19th	July 1853.

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8th August 1853

Number	Names of the Zemindaries or Estates.	Name of the Zemindars or Proprietors.	No. of the Villages included in the Zemindary or Estate.	Permanent Jummah of the Entire Zemindary or Estate.	Amount of Kisti due with June of Fasly 1262.	Amount Collected	Balance	No. of Villages proposed to be attached	Actual or Estimated Value of the portion proposed to be attached	Establishment proposed to be Employed for attachment	Percentage of the Estimated Value of the portion of the Estate attached	Date of the attachment	Remarks.
			3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
				Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p		Rs a p	Rs a p			
15	Coomalee	Auroomooga Modelly	1	102 1 7	102 1 7	86 6 .	15 11 7	1	102 1 7				
16	Poodoopút	Chettyappa Auroomooga Modelly	1	208 15 10	208 15 10	183 2 3	25 13 7	1	208 15 10			19th July 1853	Under the Management of Justice Aumeena of Choonam Cuttoo Vda
			2	311 1 5	311 1 5	269 8 3	41 9 2	2	311 1 5				
17	Panayoor	C. Auroomooga Modelly	1	244 5 1	244 5 1	214 " "	30 5 1	1	244 5 1				
18	Vambanoor	Ammay Ummall	3	821 12 10	821 12 10	719 " "	102 12 10	3	821 12 10			Do	Do Do of Mogyoor Vda
			4	1066 1 11	1066 1 11	933 " "	133 1 11	4	1066 1 11				
19	Pondoor	C. Thondavaroya Modelly	1	1024 7 7	1024 7 7	919 " "	108 7 7	1	1024 7 7	Aumeena and Moodaruff 1			
20	Eeshangaranay	Do	1	157 10 2	157 10 2	137 " "	20 10 2	1	157 10 2	Peon 3			
			2	1182 1 9	1182 1 9	1053 " "	129 1 9	2	1182 1 9	Saunderward 8			
												19th July 1853	
21	Vittapoorum	Rookmane Ummall	21	3825 13 4	3825 13 4	2906 " "	919 13 4	21	3825 13 4				
											10 8 "	11 3	
										Aumeenah 10 8 "			
										Moodaruff 8 " "			
										Tursdar 5 " "			
										2 Peons 6 " "			
										Saunderward 1 " "			
											30 8 "	12 9	Do
22	Coonnattoor	Terovangada Nattar & Kistna reddy	1	502 " 6	502 " 6	454 12 "	47 4 6	1	502 " 6				
23	Nareyoor	C. Ramasawmy Reddy and C. Ragava Reddy	1	127 12 6	127 12 6	108 11 4	19 1 2	1	127 12 6	Aumeenah and moodaruff 7			
										Peon 3			
24	Thattambuttoo	Streenevasa Reddy Kistna reddy Venatakistna Reddy Narrayana Reddy and Vadachella Reddy	2	271 12 6	271 12 6	189 " "	82 12 6	2	271 12 6				
											10 " "	1 1 9	Do
			4	901 9 6	901 9 6	7527 4 11	1119 2 2	4	901 9 6				

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8th August 1853

Names of the Zemindaries or Estates	Name of the Zemindars or Proprietors	No. of Villages included in the Zemindary or Estates	Permanent Jummah of the Entire Jummidary or Estates	Amount of First Instalment paid Fusly 1262.	Amount Collected	Balance	No. of Villages proposed to be attached	Actual or Estimated Value of the portion proposed to be attached	Establishment proposed to be employed for attachment	Percentage of the Establishment to the Estimated Value of the portion of the Estates attached	Date of the attachment	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
			Rs a ℔	Rs a ℔	Rs a ℔	Rs a ℔		Rs a ℔				
25 Colattoor	Seetharama Reddy and Coovattoor malay Venkata-rama Reddy	2	109 11 7	109 11 7	81 " "	28 11 7	2	109 11 7				
26 Augarum	C. Thondavaroya Moodelly	1	80 " 4	80 " 4	70 " "	10 " 4	1	80 " 4				
		3	189 11 11	189 11 11	151 " "	38 11 11	3	189 11 11		" " "	9th July 1853	Do Do of Neroomboor Vha
27 Keevalloor	Thundlum Ramasawmy Reddy	2	528 13 8	528 13 8	437 " "	91 13 8	2	528 13 8	Aumeena and Mooshariff	7 " "		
28 Nemmallee	Basheam Venkata Reddy	1	848 1 1	848 1 1	722 1 1	126 " "	1	848 1 1	Tuesdan	5 " "		
		3	1376 14 9	1376 14 9	1159 1 1	217 13 8	3	1376 14 9	Peon	3 " "		
									Saunderward	" 8 "		
										15 8 "	12 "	Do
29 Thadoocaudoo	Comalaswarum Covil Streenevasa Pillay T. Veera-swamy Pillay D. Ramanjooloo Naidoo, C. Ramanjooloo Naidoo P. Soobbaroyaloo Naidoo and P. Rajarutna Moodelly	1	246 8 1	246 8 1	198 " "	48 8 1	1	246 8 1				
30 Caroomancoyanee	Nayer Alamalummall	2	358 14 4	358 14 4	298 " "	60 14 4	2	358 14 4	Aumeena and Mooshariff	7 " "		
31 Pareyantongul	Thacoomulla Teroomala Row	2	70 10 9	70 10 9	60 8 "	10 2 9	2	70 10 9				
		5	676 12	676 12	556 8 "	119 9 2	5	676 12		7 " "	1 " 7	19th July 1853.

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Names of the Zemindaries or Estates	Name of the Zemindars or Proprietors	No. of Villages included in the Zemindary or Estates	Demands Summark of the Entire Summadary or Estates	Amount of Kist due upto June of Fusly 1262.	Amount Collected	Balance	No. of Villages proposed to be attached	Selected or Estimated Value of the portion proposed to be attached	Establishment proposed to be employed for attachment	Percentage of the Establishment to the Estimated Value of the portion of the Estates attached	Date of the attachment	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
			Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs a p	Rs a p		Rs a p	Rs a p			
32 Vyloor — Streeperoomadoor Vencata Ragava Reddy		2	1085 5 1	1085 5 1	950 8 .	134 13 1	2	1805 5 1				
33 Thathanoor — Poodoocharry Colundavaloo Moodelly		1	118 6 2	118 6 2	100 . .	18 6 2	1	118 6 2	Aumeena and Moosharuff 8 . . Turfdar 5 . . 1 Peon 3 . . Saunderward . 8 .			
34 Palanellore — Poodoocharry Mootoo Comaruppa Moodelly		1	455 12 6	455 12 6	418 . .	37 12 6	1	455 12 6				
		4	1659 7 9	1659 7 9	1468 8 .	190 15 9	4	1659 7 9		16 8 . .	15 11	19 July 1853.
35 Maumbalum — Streeperoomadoor Vencata Ragava Reddy		4	2233 4 7	2233 4 7	1928 11	2 304 9 5	4	2233 4 7	Aumeena and Moosharuff 7 . . 1 Peon — 3 . . Saunderward . 8 .	10 8 . .	7 6	Do.
36 Sorangary — Baranee Poottoo Mooneyappa Moodelly and Coottum baukum Choccana Moodelly		6	2188 7 5	2188 7 5	2305 . .	183 7 5	6	2188 7 5				
37 Chumbrumbaukum — Pellayyaukum Bahoocoo Toomby Gopala Charry		1	604 15 11	604 15 11	551 . 3	53 15 8	1	604 15 11	Aumeena — 10 . . Moosharuff 8 . . 2 Peons — 6 . . Saunderward . 8 .			
		7	3093 7 4	3093 7 4	2856 . 3	237 7 1	7	3093 7 4		21 8 . .	12 8	Do.

Fort St. George

14th August 1853

Names of the Zemindaries or Estates	Name of the Zemindars or Proprietors	No. of Villages included in the Zemindary or Estate	Remarks if Summoned of the Entire Zemindary or Estate.	Amounts of Kist due 1st July 1262	Amount Claimed	Balance	No. of Villages proposed to be attached	Actual or Estimated Value of the portion proposed to be attached	Establishment proposed to be employed for attachment	Percentage of the Estimated Allotment to the Estimated Value of the portion of the Estate attached	Date of the attachment	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
				Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘		Rs a ℘		Rs a ℘		
38 Teroomalaroja Poorum	Eechumbandy Vencata Charry	1	254 10 10	254 10 10	222 " "	32 10 10	1	254 10 10	Aumeenah and Moosharuff 8 " " " " 1 Peon 3 " "			
39 Chittoocaudoo	Manamay Pole Naidoo	4	1088 11 4	1088 11 4	948 " "	140 11 4	1	1088 11 4	Saunderward " 8 "			
		5	1343 6 2	1343 6 2	1170 " "	173 6 2	5	1343 6 2		11 8 " 13 8 "	19th July 1853.	
40 Vengal	Yaloomboor Thanala Buctamutchala Naidoo	2	2680 13 "	2680 13 "	2425 6 8	255 6 4	2	2680 13 "	Aumaneed and Moosharuff 8 " " Turfdar 5 " " 1 Peon 3 " " Saunderward " 8 "			
										16 8 " " 9 10	19th July 1853.	
41 Noongumbankum	Thadoo puttry Bauloo Row	1	510 7 6	510 7 6	495 " "	15 7 6	1	510 7 6	Do.			Under the Management of Justy Aumeend of Kacaloor Vean

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August 1853

Names of the Zemindaries or Estates	Name of the Zemindars or Proprietors	No. of Villages in cluded in the Zemindary or Estates	Permanent Jummah of the Entire Zemindary or Estates	Amount of Kist due upto June of Fusly 1262	Amount Collected	Balance	No. of Villages upon which Kist is to be attached	Actual or Estimated Value of the portion proposed to be attached	Establishment proposed to be employed for attachment	Percentage of the Establishment to the Estimated Value of the portion of the Estates attached	Date of the attachment	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
			Rs. a ℘	Rs. a ℘	Rs. a ℘	Rs. a ℘		Rs. a ℘		Rs. a ℘		
42 Padeyanellore	Velangadoo Sauketsum, Mootloo Pillay deceased	2	600 2 8	600 2 8	552 . .	48 2 8	2	600 2 8				
43 Cundegay	Roockamadeenkan Sahib	1	35 15 3	35 15 3	31 . .	4 15 3	1	35 15 3				
44 Thachoor	Do.	2	148 15 1	148 15 1	315 8 .	133 7 1	2	148 15 1	Aumeena and Moodharaffs 7 . . Peon 3 . . Sauderward 8 .			
45 Gureethara: soorum	Rungappa Naidoo and Narrainsawmy Naidoo	2	123 2 1	123 2 1	371 . .	52 2 1	2	123 2 1				
		7	1508 3 1	1508 3 2	1269 8 .	238 11 1	7	5508 3 1		10 8 . .	11 2 19 July 1853	
46 Karingaly	Vulloor Soolburoya Moodelly	1	187 3 7	187 3 7	165 . .	22 3 7	1	187 3 7			Do.	Under the Management of Justy Ameena of Vespattoor
Total		97	25858 1 6	25858 1 6	22035 4 10	3822 12 8	97	25858 1 6		185 8 .	11 6	

Chingleput District Collectors Cutcherry, Guindy,
25th July 1853. E. E. Jft. (Signed) G. F. Fullerton
A. Jgt. Collector in Charge

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Fort St. George 8th August 1853

No. 2 Statement of Shrotriem estates attached in the Zillah of Chingleput in Fusly 1263.

Names of the Shrotriems or Estates	Names of the Shrotriemdars or Proprietors	No. of Villages included in the Shrotriem or Estates	Permanent Summah of the entire Shrotriem or Estates	Amount of Kist upto June of Fusly 1262.	Amount Collected	Balance	No. of Villages pro. posed to be attached = ed	Actual or Estimated Value of the portions proposed to be attached	Establishment proposed to be employed for attachment	Percentage of the establishment to the estimated Value of the portion attached	Date of the attachment	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
			Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘		Rs a ℘	Rs a ℘			
Carangooly Talook												
Taloopadoo	Chinna Putchyeppa Moodelly &c.	1	110 15 4	110 15 4	96 12 6	14 2 10	1	110 15 4	— — — — — —	— — — — — —	19th July 1853	Under the Management of Zillahdar
Conjeveram Talook												
Enam Astaghery Puttada	Gynga Vishtnoo	1	14 4	14 4	— —	14 1	1	14 4	— — — — — —	— — — — — —	D:	Under the Management of Jaffer Ameen of Tanumbaukum
Seevarum	Ramasawmy Naidoo	1	899 8	899 8	554 5	315 7 7	1	899 8	Turuffdar 5	8 10	D:	
		2	900 6 4	900 6 4	554 5	316 5 11	2	900 6 4				
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Chingleput District Collectors Cutcherry

Guindy 25th July 1853. E. E. J.t / Signed / G. F. Fullerton
Ast. Collector in Charge

Bd. No. 1685.
Proceedings thereon.
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The Board of Revenue sanction the employment of the several Establishments exhibited in the Statements which accompany the foregoing letter at an aggregate charge of Rupees 190-8- per Mensem, for the Management of the Shrotriem and Mootahs in the District of Chingleput attached for arrears of revenue for Fasly 1262.-

Read

T.R.

Read the following letter.

No. 125.

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

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Bd. No. 1976.
From the Asst. Collr. in Charge of Chingleput

Sir,

Adverting to Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 7th Instant, I have the honor to report that of the balance of Rupees 82-8-7 therein referred to, Rupees 60-12-7 have been already recovered from the Ryots leaving Rupees 21-12- for which lands have been attached and which may be wholly realized on their sale. The balance still outstanding against the late Proprietor amounts to Rupees 1175-7-10. as stated in Mr. Cochrane's communication dated the 21st ultimo.

Chingleput District, Collectors Office, Guindy, 25th July 1853

Signed G. F. Fullerton
Asst. Collr.
in Charge.

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

To.

Fort St. George 8th August 1853.

No. 362.

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

No. 1689. To the Chief Secy. to Government. } With reference to para 4 of the Board's Proceedings dated 11th November 1852. I am directed to submit for the information and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the correspondence noted in the Margin respecting the late Proprietor of the Madoo-navoyel Mootah.

From Shingleput Collr.	15th Feby.
in Cons	21st March 1853.
Pro.	21st March "
From Shingleput	21st June "
in Cons	7th July 1853.
Pro.	" 7th July 1853
From Shingleput	25th July "
in Cons	8th August 1853.
	1976.

From these it will be seen that the Ex. Proprietor has no property either in Fort St. George or Madras. The Acting Collector of Madras, to whom a requisition was made on the subject by the Collector of Shingleput, states that the father of Goolam Ahmed Ali Khan, is possessed of landed property at Saint Thomé, but that he is in Jail for debt, to a large Amount.

In para 4 of his letter dated 7th October 1852. the Collector anticipated the recovery of Rupees 173-- 2 on account of lands held under permanent Puttah

In Cons 11th Nov. 1852.

Fort St. George 8th August 1853.

Puttah or grants and the value of certain Malvaram produce. Of this sum Rupees 124-14-8. have been realized, and it is expected that the balance Viz. Rupees 21-12-- will be fully adjusted on the sale of certain lands which have been attached.

As there appears to be no property by which the balance of Rupees 1175-7-10. outstanding against the late Proprietor can be recovered the Board recommend, that the Collector be authorized to write it off to Profit and Loss.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 8th August, 1853. } Signed W. H. Bayley Secretary.

Read the following letter.

No. 127.

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

Sir,

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Bd. No. 1977. From the Bd. to Actg. Collr. in Charge of Shingleput

Requesting instructions for the disposal of the Promissory Note No. 21899 for 100 Star Rupees deposited with the

To Bd.	28th June 1838
From Dr.	16th July "
To Dr.	3rd Octr. "
From Dr.	12th Septr. 1839
To Dr.	2nd Nov. "
From Dr.	11th June 1840
To Dr.	10th Augt. "

Referring to the correspondence noted in the Margin I have the honor to forward copy of a letter received from the Accountant General requesting instructions as to the disposal of the Promissory

the Accountant General on Account of the Peishcush of Fyrnundoor.

From 31st August 1840
To Dr. 14th Sept. "
From 28th Sept. "
To Dr. 12th Oct. "
From Dr. 14th Dec. "

Promissory Note No. 11899 of 1674 for S. Rupees 9100 - notified for discharge on the 25th Instant. This Note was deposited with the Accountant General in the year 1840 with the view of the Interest being appropriated for the payment of the Annual Peishcush of the estate of Fyrnundoor irredeemably assigned by the late Proprietor Chellapa Vencata chella Moodelly for the support of a Choultry erected by him on the Cuddapah Road in this District.

2. Colatoor Choc Raliinga Moodelly who now represents the Founder and manages the Choultry Solicits that the present rate of Interest allowed on the Promissory Note may be continued in consideration of the charitable purpose to which it is applied and the terms of the Government Grant which declares that the Villages shall be held free of all demands for Peishcush or Rent.

3. In the Extract from the Proceedings of Government dated 13th August 1840 it is directed that the Villages

Villages shall only be held rent free if the interest accruing on the Promissory Note shall be sufficient to cover the Annual Peishcush should the Note be now transferred from the five per Cent to the four per Cent loan, the interest will not be sufficient to meet the demand. and the deficiency will either have to be made good by the present Managers of the Choultry or the Amount of the difference to be deducted from the Sum available for Charitable Purpose. I am informed that the Choultry is maintained in an efficient state and the Charitable objects of the Founder fully carried out.

Chingleput District, Collector's Office, Gundy, 26th July, 1853.

Signed G. F. Fullerton
Wd. Asst. Collr. in Charge

Circular
No. 133.

To, The Collector of Chingleput

Sir,

The Government of India having given notice in an advertisement dated the 23rd ultimo, a Copy of which accompanies, that the Promissory Notes of the five

No. 11899 of 1674 5th October 1830 for Rupees 9,100 -

five per Cent Loan of 1825-26 from No. 1151 to No. 3500 inclusive will be discharged on the 25th July next we have the honor to inform you that your Promissory Note in your deposit specified in the Margin, is included in the number notified for discharge and to request that you will without delay furnish us with instructions for disposing of the Principal Amount of the said Promissory Note when paid off.

You will perceive by the above mentioned Advertisement, that the Amount of your Promissory Note under discharge can be transferred to the four per Cent Loan now open, and if you have no objection, we will effect the transfer accordingly on receiving your instructions for that purpose but should you prefer the Amount being reinvested in the purchase of other Government Paper you will be pleased to specify the particular Loan into which you may wish the investment to be made.

According to the conditions of your Promissory Note under discharge the Principal Amount is payable at the General

General Treasury at Fort William. It is probable therefore that no payment of the Principal Amount of your Promissory Note will be made at this Presidency. You will therefore be pleased in your instructions to us for that purpose, to provide for the said note being transmitted to the Government Agent at Fort William in order that that Functionary may receive payment of the Principal Amount from the General Treasury at Fort William, and appropriate the same in the manner that may be required by your instructions which will at the same time be forwarded to him.

Fort St. George
16th May 1853.

/ Signed / T. V. Stonhouse
Accountant General
/ Signed / S. D. Birch
Sub Treasurer

/ True Copy /
/ Signed / G. F. Fullerton
1st Asst. Collector
in Charge.

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No. 1693.

Order thereon.

The Collector should instruct the Government Agents to transfer the 5 per Cent Promissory Note of 9100 Sicca Rupees to the 4 per Cent loan, and hold

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hold the new Bond in deposit in lieu of the former one.

2. As it appears from the tenor of the correspondence quoted by the Collector that the exemption from the payment of Peishcush on account of the two Villages set apart for the maintenance of the Choultry was allowed in the Government sunnud dated 8th December 1820 entirely on the supposition of the interest payable on the Bond being adequate to cover the Amount of the said Peishcush the Board are of opinion that the Collector should now inform the present Manager of the Choultry of the reduction that has taken place in the rate of interest and call upon him to increase the Amount of deposit or to make good the Differences of Peishcush from the revenues of the Villages set apart for the endowment of the Choultry.

Read the following letter.

To, J. B. Cochrane Esqre
Collector of Chingleput.

Sir,

I have the honor to request you

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B. R. 2100
From the Collector of Chingleput

Fort St. George 8th August 1853.

you will obtain for me leave of absence for one Month to visit the Presidency on private affairs under Section XI (amended) of the Absentee Rules.

Chingleput District,
Head Asst. Coll. Office,
Guindy, 6th August, 1853.

(Signed) George Fullerton
Head Asst. Collector.

The application from G. F. Fullerton Esqre Head Assistant Collector of Chingleput for leave of absence for one Month to visit the Presidency on private affairs under Section XI (amended) of the absentee Rules is submitted for the favorable consideration of the Board.

Chingleput District,
Collector's Cutcherry
Pullicarney, 6th Aug. 1853.

(Signed) J. B. Cochrane
Collector.

Order thereon.

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Ordered to be submitted through the Channel of the Civil Auditor for the favorable consideration of Government.

Read.

9538 Fort St. George 8th August 1853.

Read the following letter.

No. 59.

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

(47)

Bd. No. 2083.

From the A.J. Collector of North Arcot

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 1st Instant requesting me to expedite the despatch of my lists of Letters remaining unanswered to 30th June 1853 and remarking the delay that has occurred in furnishing the lists, I have the honor to forward the lists in question and to express my regret that by an oversight the lists were not sent at the proper time.

North Arcot,
Collector's Cutcherry,
Chittoor, 5th August, 1853

Signed H. A. Brett
Acting Collector

Order thereon -

Ordered to be record.ed.

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Read.

9539 Fort St. George 8th August 1853.

Read the following letter. -

No. 97.

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

(49)

Bd. No. 2035.

From the Collector of Salem. - Submits an Answer the Sub. Collector proposes in O.S. No. 9 of 1853 file of the Subordinate Court at Salem.

O.S. Suit 9 of 1853. File of Subordinate Court at Salem.

Sir,

1. Adverting to the rules in force relative to suits instituted against the European Officers of the Government; I have the honor to transmit a copy of a Communication received from the Sub Collector of this District and its original enclosures, being a translation of the Plaint in a Suit filed against that Gentleman and a Draft of the Answer which he proposes to present to the Subordinate Court. -

2. The period for filing the answer is limited, your Board will observe, to the 30th Proximo; but I have suggested to Mr. Cochrane to apply for its extension until the 30th September

Salem Collector's Cutcherry,
29th July, 1853. -

Signed H. D. Phillips
Collector.

No. 1.

To H. D. Phillips Esqre
Collector of Salem. -

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a translation of a plaint filed against me in the

O.S. No. 9 of 1853.

the Subordinate Court of Salem and the Draft of the Answer, which I propose to file, and I request you will be good enough to apply for sanction to defend the Suit at the public expense.-

The period for filing the Answer will expire on the 30th August next.-

Salem Sub Coll.r's Office, 27th July, 1853.- (Signed) W. E. Cockburne Sub Collector.-

(True Copy) (Signed) J. A. D. Phillips Collector.

No. 2

O.S. No. 9 of 1853.

Translation of a plaint preferred in the Subordinate Court of Salem by Cottyummal and Namasevoya Moodelly, widow, and brother of the late Cooppa Moodelly of Caulyputty in the Talook of Trichengode in the Zillah of Salem against Cooppien of Malysamoodrum in the same Talook and W. E. Cochrane Esq.re Sub Collector of Salem, by their Vakeel Appa=pasawmy Pillay.-

This Suit is instituted for the recovery of 4 pieces of Nunjah lands hereunder specified yielding an annual profit of Rupees 50 and paying a rent of Rupees 38-5-8- together with a Well constructed with stones valued

valued at Rupees 100-u-u and to nullify the Puttah granted by the 2d Defendant to the 1st and to obtain a decree authorizing grant of a puttah for the lands in the names of the Plaintiffs. The lands which belong to the Plaintiffs and for which puttahs are granted in the names of the 1st Plaintiffs' late husband and the 2d Plaintiff, are situated in the Village of Malysamoodrum and are bounded on the west by the Nunjah lands of Cooppien, on the East by the Nunjah lands of Moottyah Naick on the North by the Nunjah lands of Chinnaveerap=pa Naick Ken, and on the South by the Parasoo=moottyalool's Nunjah lands, and the particulars of them are as follows. No. 381 Chinnary Hoolvoy Nunjah land acres 2-15-13- Assessment Rupees 19-u—4 giving an annual return of Rupees 25-u-u No. 380 Hoolvoy Curpuncutty Nunjah land acres u-21-u Assessment 3-4-2 giving a profit of Rupees 6-u-u No. 383 Hoolvoy Nunjah land acres u-7-15- Assessment Rupees 1-7-8- giving a profit of Rupees 4-u-u No. 379 Hoolvoy Curpuncutty Nunjah acres 1-3-3- Teerwah Rupees 14-9-6 giving a profit of Rupees 15-u-u In this land a Well constructed with stones valued at Rupees 100- is situated. The above particu=larized 4 pieces of lands and another spot No. 380 were

were put up to sale in the year Munmadah in pursuant to a decree of the Court for the recovery of certain sum of Money due to one Shashagherry Rowly one Ramiah, and they were purchased for Rupees 111. by Annamaly Moodaly fatherinlaw of the 1st and father of the 2nd Plaintiffs in whose name a puttah was granted for the same. He enjoyed the lands till fusly 1253 in which year he died. In fusly 1254 puttah was granted for the lands in the names of the 1st Plaintiff's husband and the 2d Plaintiff and they enjoyed the same till fusly 1262 within which period they laid out a large sum of Money and improved the Well under dispute, which was a very small one, besides which they sunk another Well and constructed it with Stones in the piece No. 380. Although the lands are cultivated by the irrigation from the tank or Wells yet when no supply of water is received in the Tank in any one year it is the practice of the Circar to remit the teerwah of such Nunjah lands which may not be brought under cultivation. In conformity with which practice the teerwahs of the said lands were remitted by the Circar in fusles 1252 and 1255 when in the lands were left uncultivated. In like manner in fusly 1261 when

when no supply of water was received in the Tank in the Cultivation season, except the piece No. 380, the above mentioned 4 pieces were left waste. While it was thus the 1st Defendant who is the owner of the adjoyning lands with an intent to appropriate the 4 pieces of land and the Well to himself presented a Durkast for the same to the Tahsildar of the said Talook in March 1852, when this came to the notice of the Plaintiffs they appeared before the Tahsildar and stated that no puttah should be granted in the name of the 1st Defendant and that the husband of the 1st Plaintiff, gave a deposition before the Tahsildar in the Month of November of that year to the effect that he would, if demanded even pay the teerwah of the lands for fusly 1261, in which year they were left waste and moreover proved before the Tahsildar by the Village Curnum and others that the said lands were cultivated by him in fusly 1262, and the produce enjoyed and teerwah of Rupees 13½ paid. This being the case when the 2d Defendant came for Summabundy of fusly 1262 he, without examining the proceedings of the above said examination and the truth of the Case, passed a puttah in the name of the 1st Defendant for the 4 pieces of the lands

lands under dispute which were entered in the names of the 1st Plaintiff's husband and the 2d Plaintiff. As the said lands were formerly purchased by the Plaintiffs at Auction for 111 Rupees and improved by sinking Wells under great cost and enjoyed the same for a series of years and agreed to pay the teerwah of the lands for fusly 1261 in which year they were left waste and e moreover as they cultivated the lands in fusly 1262, and enjoyed the same and paid the teerwah, and yet to this very day retain posession of them it was a great piece of Injustice on the part of the 2d Defendant in passing a puttah for the said lands in the name of the 1st Defendant and removing the names of the 1st Plaintiff's husband and the 2d Plaintiff from the accounts. Coopa Moodelly having died now 20 days ago this action is brought by his widow the 1st Plaintiff who is his representative and the 2nd Plaintiff the joint Puttadar of the lands requesting that the Court will be pleased to annul the puttah granted to the 1st Defendant confirm the claim of the Plaintiffs to the lands and the Well, and to see a puttah granted in the names of the Plaintiffs.

(Filed on the 30th March 1853.
(True Translation)
(Signed) W. C. Cochrane
Sub Collector

Draft

No. 3.

Draft of an Answer proposed to be filed in O.S. No. 9 of 1853 on the file of the Subordinate Court of Salem by W. C. Cochrane Esqr 2nd Defendant.-

The Plaintiffs sue for the recovery of 4 pieces of Nunjah land, assessed at Rupees 38-5-8 together with a Well therein situated which were given on puttah to the 1st by the 2d Defendant for fusly 1262 asserting their own reasons in support of their claim.-

In answer to this suit the 2d Defendant begs to offer the following reasons from which he trusts that the Court will find, there is no just ground whatever to annul the puttah legally granted by him to the 1st Defendant for the 4 pieces of Nunjah lands now claimed by the Plaintiffs.-

The Plaintiffs have no right to the lands in question which are the property of the Government and as such e were given according to the revenue custom of the District to the party who made the first offer for them- It is the revenue rule of the District, and it is well known to all Ryots that if lands are thrown waste and the person who held them ceases to pay-

pay revenue for the lands they revert to Govern-
=ment and are to be given for cultivation to
any person who makes the first offer for
the same. Any person holding lands is res-
=ponsible for the rent unless he makes a
formal relinquishment or throws them
waste thro' inability. But whether the
lands are thrown up by Razeenamah or
whether they are relinquished at the
Summabundy the rule is the same, or
the lands are entered in the accounts
as Bunjer or waste and left to the ad-
=vantage of the first applicant. This is
clearly laid down in the Hoobulnamah
of the District. In adverse seasons when
lands are left waste from want of water
the Ryots beg that they may be allowed to
pay pasture assessment on their waste
lands / one third of the rent / rather
than getting the whole remitted in order
to prevent their being dispossessed of
their holdings. Whether the Ryots obtain
the lands by purchase or by any other
means they are considered as their own
as long as they continue to pay the Govern-
=ment demand on them but not otherwise.
The Plaintiffs case may be considered as
exactly one in point.-

The lands under dispute-

as-

as well as the one No. 380 Acres 1-22-15 assessed
at Rupees 12-8-7 were held on puttah by the
husband of the 1st Plaintiff and the 2nd
Plaintiff from fusly 1254 to 1260 and in the
following year they only brought under cultiva-
=tion the said spot No. 380. and while there
was ample supply of water in the Tank
left waste the 4 pieces under dispute Acres
6-20-1 assessed at Rupees 38-5-8 owing
to inability or indigence.-

At the time of the Summabandy
of fusly 1261 the husband of the 1st Plaintiff
stated that from inability he left the
4 pieces in of lands waste and not
from want of water in the Tank and
pleaded poverty for the discharge of the
rent, a remark to this effect was entered
in the Summabundy Takarar Book at
that time. The Curnum and Monegar con-
=firmed his statement and added that
both of the Puttadars / Plaintiffs / engaged
themselves in looms and that the only piece
of land No. 380 entered in their names was
given by them on lease to one Parasooram
Naick. The Tahsildar also made the
same remark in the Bunjer Book.
Aremission of teervalu of Rupees 19-4-4
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being made to the Plaintiffs in fusly 1259 on account of their indigent circumstances and in the following fusly tearwah of Rupees 40-14-3. having been collected by the sale of the Crops of their lands and the Ryots of their Village having presented a Mazar on the 8th October 1850 to the effect that the Plaintiffs possess no personal property the 2nd Defendant on consideration of these matters and to avoid further loss to Govern-ment and also to save the Ryot further trouble directed that the Plaintiffs should receive a puttah for the land they brought under cultivation and not for those left waste by them and that the said lands should be available for others who might be able to bring them under cultivation.-

As soon as the lands were struck off the Summabundy as bunjer on the same day 18th March 1852 the first Defend-ant applied for them for cultivation by a Durkast to the Tahsildar, and in the er Dittum Chittah of fusly 1262 the lands were entered in his name as "Padoogal" granted on Durkast to which his signature and that of his security were attached.-

attached and attested. He cultivated them in due season and paid the assessment agreeably to his agreement. He/the 1st Defendant/ however obtained the lands with any intention to de-fraud the Plaintiffs as alleged in their plaint-and they/the Plaintiffs/ without any complaint or objection received a puttah in fuslies 1261 and 1262 only for the land No. 380 which they cultivated.-

While the case thus stood, one Arnachella Chetty the Plaintiff in O.S. No. 26. of 1853 on the file of the Subordinate Court of Salem appeared before the Tahsildar on the 19th October 1852. 7 Months after the application of the 1st Defendant for the lands, and stated that the lands under dispute as well as the one No. 380 were become his property by a foreclosed mortgaged bond executed to him by the Plaintiffs that they left them waste with fraudulent intent, and got the 1st Defendant to take up the same, and requested that a puttah might be issued in his name for the lands and promised to pay the rent for fusly 1261, in which year they were left waste. It was decided by the 2nd Defendant that Arnachella Chetty had no

no right to the lands, as he failed to advance his claim to them either at the time they were struck off the Summalundy as Banjer or when the 1st Defendant made his Durkast for them or at the season of Dittum, and that if the Plaintiffs owed him any money he should seek redress in the Civil Courts by an action against them.-

The husband of the 1st Plaintiff in support of Arnachella Chetty's Statement stated before the Tahsildar on the 3d November 1852, that he wished to have the lands for fusly 1262, but that he failed to ask for them at the time of the settlement of fusly 1261 and that while he was intending to cultivate the same the 1st Defendant made his application before he was able to do so, and requested that they may be given to him. At the Jummabundy of fusly 1262, the Plaintiffs were informed by the 2nd Defendant that as the provisions of the Hoskoomnamah allow the grant of lands to any person applying for them which were left waste for one year and the teerwah ceased to be paid, and that as they failed to make a durkast for the lands which were included in waste, and to produce a security for the

the regular payment of the assessment before they were given to another person for cultivation their request could not be complied with.-

With regard to the sum of Rupees 13-8-0 alleged by the Plaintiffs to have been paid in part payment of the teerwah of the 4 pieces of lands under dispute the 2nd Defendant informs the Court that the Curnum of the Village gave the Monegar a "Vareedah" or list of the sums to be collected from respective Ryots for three Months from Arpasy to Margaly of fusly 1262 in which Rs. 1-14-0 was entered as collectible from the Plaintiffs on their land No. 380 and Rupees 30 from the 1st Defendant, but the Monegar with a fraudulent intention and to favor the Plaintiffs or to open for them a path of claim to the lands under dispute collected Rupees 30 from the 1st Defendant as per list and at the same time collected 13½ from the Plaintiffs 12-10-0 above the sum entered in the list. During the time of the Jummabundy of fusly 1262 the 2d Defendant enquired into the matter and returned to the Plaintiffs Annas 15-5. retaining Rupees 12-8-7 being the teerwah of the land No. 380 held by

by them. In the mean time the Monigar was fined 2 Rupees for making the overcol= =lection, and has since been dismissed for e= falsely deposing that the lands were cultivated by the Plaintiffs while they were actually cultivated by the 1st Defendant.-

The Plaintiffs state that in Fuslis 1252 and 1255 remissions of teerwah of Rupees 62-11-11- and Rupees 27-2-1 were respectively made on their lands which were left waste for want of water and that in like manner the teerwah of Fusly 1261 was remitted. In the above said two fuslies remissions was made on the lands owing to their having been left waste under unavoidable circumstances or on account of a total failure of rain, but not for leaving them uncultivated while there was ample supply of water in the Tank. Fusly 1261 was a favorable year the Tank was full and all the lands under it as well as those surrounding the lands under dispute were cultivated. The lands have the benefit of three Tanks Viz.t Paryary Chinnary and Chuckkicotty- the allegation of the Plaintiffs therefore are quite false.

The Plaintiffs assert that

that the lands under dispute were cultivat= =ed and the produce of the same enjoyed by them in Fusly 1262. this is altogether false, because the documents Viz.t Arna =chella Chetty's plaint the 1st Defendants Durkast, Dittum Chittah, Vcs. clearly prove that the lands were culti= =vated by the 1st Defendant.-

It is not all in accordance with the rules of Hoskoonnamah which the Plaintiffs are per= =fectly cognizant of to apply for the lands which they once left waste and ceased to pay teerwah

terrah and which was ex-
cluded from the Gummahundy
as Bunjur and given to another
for cultivation. The rules of the
Hookoommamah are decidedly
against it.-

The 2nd Defendant
therefore trusts that the Court
will take the above reasons
into consideration and dismiss
the Suit with Costs.-

Signed J.W.E. Cochrane.

Sub Collector.

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Bd. No. 1694.

Proceedings thereon.- The Board observe that the
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Collector has not stated his opinion on the
merits of the case reported in the foregoing
letter. He is now requested to supply the
omission amending the draft answer to
such extent as may appear necessary;
meanwhile applying to the Court for
an extension of the period allowed
for filing the answer.-

2. Although the course adopted
by the Sub Collector seems in accordance
with para 30. of the Hookoommamah, yet the Board think
that it was not intended that the rule should
be so rigidly applied.-

Read the following

Memorandum.-

Memorandum

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Fort St. George

8th August 1853.

Bd. No. 2052 Memorandum of the Sevoy Summah revised in reference to the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 12th May 1853.-

Months.	Items.	Demand.			Collection.				Balance.		
		arrears.	Current.	Total.	arrears.	Current.	Total.		arrears.	Current.	Total.
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	Extra Revenue	" " "	296 12 "		296 12 "	" " "	296 12 "	296 12 "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	Total	16,020 11 3	1,658 12 6		17,679 7 9	1,713 14 10	1,658 12 6	3,372 11 4	14,306 12 5	" " "	14,306 12 5
September 1852	Fasly 1262 Do. Do. Land Revenue	14,306 12 5	408 6 11		14,715 3 4	1,375 2 4	408 6 11	1,783 9 3	12,931 10 1	" " "	12,931 10 1
	Extra Revenue	" " "	196 42		196 42	" " "	196 42	196 42	" " "	" " "	" " "
	Total	14,306 12 5	604 11 1		14,911 7 6	1,375 2 4	604 11 1	1,979 13 5	12,931 10 1	" " "	12,931 10 1
October 1852	Fasly 1262 Do. Do. Land Revenue	12,931 10 1	4,617 " 11		17,548 11 "	743 11 3	4,617 " 11	5,360 12 2	12,187 14 10	" " "	12,187 14 10
	Extra Revenue	" " "	201 94		201 94	" " "	201 94	201 94	" " "	" " "	" " "
	Total	12,931 10 1	4,818 10 3		17,750 4 4	743 11 3	4,818 10 3	5,562 56	12,187 14 10	" " "	12,187 14 10
November 1852	Fasly 1262 Do. Do. Land Revenue	12,187 14 10	357 9 11		12,545 8 9	1,440 1 10	357 9 11	1,797 11 9	10,747 13 "	" " "	10,747 13 "
	Extra Revenue	" " "	355 159		355 159	" " "	355 159	355 159	" " "	" " "	" " "
	Total	12,187 14 10	713 9 8		12,901 8 6	1,440 1 10	713 9 8	2,153 11 6	10,747 13 "	" " "	10,747 13 "
December 1852	Fasly 1262 Do. Do. Land Revenue	10,747 13 "	674 7 11		11,422 4 11	524 7 9	674 7 11	1,198 15 8	10,223 5 3	" " "	10,223 5 3
	Extra Revenue	" " "	197 136		197 136	" " "	197 136	197 136	" " "	" " "	" " "
	Total	10,747 13 "	872 5 5		11,620 2 5	524 7 9	872 5 5	1,396 13 2	10,223 5 3	" " "	10,223 5 3

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8th August 1853.-

Demand.

Months.	Items.	arrears.	Current	Total.	Collection. arrears.	Current	Total.	Balance. arrears.	Current	Total.
		CRs. A. P.	CRs. A. P.	CRs. A. P.	CRs. A. P.	CRs. A. P.	CRs. A. P.	CRs. A. P.	CRs. A. P.	CRs. A. P.
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	Extra Revenue	" " "	42 8 9		42 8 9	42 8 9	" " "	" " "	" " "	
	Total	10,223 5 3	1017 " 7		522 9 7	10,217 12 3	500 " "		10,717 12 3	
February 1853 Fusly 1262 Do.	Land Revenue	10,217 12 3	9163 "		435 9 6	10,198 5 9	500 " "		10,698 5 9	
Do.	Extra Revenue	" " "	111 8 3		111 8 3	111 8 3	" " "	" " "	" " "	
	Total	10,217 12 3	1027 11 3		547 1 9	10,198 5 9	500 " "		10,698 5 9	
March 1853 Fusly 1262 Do.	Land Revenue	10,198 5 9	1024 " 2		524 " 2	587 13 11	10,134 8 "	500 " "		10,634 8 "
Do.	Extra Revenue	" " "	49 6 7		49 6 7	49 6 7	" " "	" " "	" " "	
	Total	10,198 5 9	1073 6 9		573 6 9	637 4 6	10,134 8 "	500 " "		10,634 8 "
April 1853 Fusly 1262 Do.	Land Revenue	10,134 8 "	704 " 1		704 " 1	735 11 8	10,102 12 5	" " "		10,102 12 5
Do.	Extra Revenue	" " "	110 13 9		110 13 9	110 13 9	" " "	" " "	" " "	
	Total	10,134 8 "	814 13 10		814 13 10	846 9 5	10,102 12 5	" " "		10,102 12 5
May 1853 Fusly 1262 Do.	Land Revenue	10,102 12 5	284 6 11		284 6 11	809 7 10	9577 11 6	" " "		9577 11 6
Do.	Extra Revenue	" " "	63 1 10		63 1 10	63 1 10	" " "	" " "	" " "	
	Total	10,102 12 5	347 8 9		347 8 9	872 9 8	9577 11 6	" " "		9577 11 6
June 1853 Fusly 1262 Do.	Land Revenue	9577 11 6	535 13 5		535 13 5	540 5 5	9573 3 6	" " "		9573 3 6
Do.	Extra Revenue	" " "	73 9 3		73 9 3	73 9 3	" " "	" " "	" " "	
	Total	9577 11 6	609 6 8		609 6 8	613 14 8	9573 3 6	" " "		9573 3 6

South Arcot, Cuddalore Collector's Cutcherry 30th July 1853.

E. E. P. (Signed) E. Maltby
Collector.

Ordered

51-52
Order thereon.- Ordered to be recorded.-

Bd. No. 2064.
From the Collector of South Arcot.- Read letter reporting that the within-mentioned Monthly Returns and half-yearly Statement are not forwarded.-

53-54
Order thereon. Ordered to be recorded.-

Read the following letter.
No. 55.

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

55
Bd. No. 1505. Sir,
From the Collector of Tanjore.- I have the honor to forward by the bearer the Mercal required by the Board in the Extract from their Proceedings dated the 9th Instant.:

Tanjore,
Kodicaray 27th May,
1853.

(Signed) H. Forbes.
Acting Collector.

Bd. No. 1688.
55-56
Proceedings thereon Communicating the Board's observations on
On the 31st January 1853 the Board in auditing the charges incurred under Estimate for Tanjore

on the Brass Mercals made for the use of the Sea Custom Cutcherry at Mootoopettah and requesting to be informed how many Mercals are required and the Board will have them made up at Madras.- in Cons. 11th April 1853

Tanjore observed that three new Brass Mercals had been made for the Sea Custom Cutcherry at Mootoopettah, and as the subject of Measures had been under particular notice, they called on the Collector to state the Capacity of these Mercals.-

2. On the 1st April the Head Assistant in charge reported that the following were the dimensions.:-

Height. 8. 45. inches.
Diameter 11- 8- "
Circumference 36- 2- "

Stating at the same time that they Contained "4 Country Mercals or 8 Madras Measures" and that similar Mercals were in use at all the Custom houses.-

3. The Board were led to suspect the accuracy of the measure as if the Diameter given were the inside diameter the Mercal Struck would (supposing it to be a Cylender) contain 924 Cubic inches, whereas the Government Regulation Mercal ordered to be used in Government transactions is 800 Cubic inches.-

4. On the question being put, it was.

Pro: Coll.r 11 April 1853.
F. Coll.r 20. April.
in Cons 9th May 1853.

was replied that the 11. 8. inches was the outer diameter the inner being 11. 4 inches.-

5. To say nothing of the inutility of giving the external diameter where the object was to ascertain the content within even the corrected diameter of 11. 4 would give a Capacity of 862 instead of cubic inches.

6. As it was evident the Mercal though professing to be Standard was not so, the Board sent for it.—

Pro Coll.r 9. May 1853.
F. Coll.r 27. May
in Cons. 8th Aug.t

7. They find it to be not a true Cylinder. The inner diamiter at top is 11. 7 and at bottom 11 inches or an average of 11. 35. It bulges out at the bottom so that in the middle it is 9. 1. inches deep, and at the edge 8. 5 or an average of 8. 8. inches in height. This would give a Capacity of 899 Cubic inches.-

8. But as the vessel was not a true Cylinder, the Board requested the Mint Master to guage it with water. He found it to contain 2,27,430 grains of water which at a temperature of 87° he considers equivalent to 906. 7. cubic inches, but by some Tables in the Board's Office framed from

from those sent by Mr. Bate with the Assay Balances to Calcutta, the content would be 903. 2 cubic Inches or 11¼ per Cent. larger than the Madras Standard.-

9. It is evident that the Brass mercal now sent is equal to 4 Tanjore heaped Mercals but not equal to 1 Madras Standard. In the late correspondence with Tanjore on the Subject of the Measures it was shewn that the Struck mercal was 193 Cubic inches, and the heaped (according to the grain used) 230 cubic inches. 4 × 230 = 920 cubic inches, and this Brass mercal filled a little above the rim will hold this

10. Still as Government have decided that in all their Offices the Standard Mercal of 800 cubic inches as set forth in the Gazette of 20th October 1846 shall be used, the Board cannot authorize the employment of one 11¼ per Cent above that Standard.-

11. They resolve therefore to call on the acting Collector to inform them how many Mercals are required for the Sea Customs Offices, and they will have them made up at at Madras.—

To

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Fort St. George 8th August 1853.

Read the following letter

No. 62.

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

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Bd. No. 1846.
From the Ag. Collector of Tanjore —
Reporting on Petition No. 661. of 1853.

Sir,

I had the honor to receive an Extract from the Board's Proceedings dated the 26th of May, requiring that certain Statements made in his petition by petitioner in No. 661 of 1853 be distinctly met. —

These Statements are, that the a Police Javabnavis had stated that he made the alterations in the Urzee; that the Tahsildar had stated that they had been made with his cognizance; and that the assistant Javabnavis had copied the altered Urzee into the diary; and to explain to the Board how far these assertions bear upon the case, it will be necessary briefly to narrate all that occurred. —

The Tahsildar of Perrallum wrote an Urzee to the Acting Sub Collector requesting that one Dhurmalingum, alias Pavandi might be nominated to succeed to a vacant Vishara poogarship, and was directed to send the

party

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party to the Hoozoor for examination. In reply to this order, the Tahsildar reported that he had sent the individual accordingly, and at the same time another person named Govindaraja who, being able to read and write was a fitter man for the vacant Office even than Dhurmalingum. The order from the Sub Collector's Office consequent on this was not written in the unusual form, first recapitulating the contents of the Tahsildar's Urzee and then passing an order upon it, but simply announced that one Veerapah Naik had been nominated to the vacant Office. There are no means of ascertaining with certainty what occurred; but it is believed that the Tahsildar having recommended Dhurmalingum at the request of the Petitioner, was afraid when ordered to send him up for approval that exception would be taken to his extreme youth and accordingly sent Govindaraja with him, and as the Petitioner was for a similar reason unwilling to produce his nominee to the Sub Collector, and unwilling that the Office should go quite away from him, he produced Veerapah Naik, who is Durmalingum's Father, and obtained his nomination to the Office. For this it was however necessary that the Tahsildar's

Urzee

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Urzee should be altered, as the Sub Collector's initials having been placed to the original, another one could not be substituted for it, and an inspection of the document gives rise to the strongest suspecion that the alteration was not made by the same hand that wrote the Urzee.-

The Police Javabnavis stated on his examination, that he wrote the original Urzee, and that on calling for Dhurmalingum and Govindaraja he was told by Veerapah, the father of the former, that his son was ill, that he informed the Tahsildar of the circumstances, producing the parties before him, and was ordered by him to send to the Hoozoor any parties actually present, and to report Dhurmalingum's illness, having no paper, he altered his original Urzee accordingly.-

The Tahsildar stated that being informed of Dhurmalingum's illness, he ordered the Javabnavis to prepare a fresh Urzee, that he did not notice any interlineation in the Urzee, and denied having seen Veerapen.-

The Asistant Javabnavis admitted having copied into the Diary a Copy of the Original

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Original in its interlined condition.-

These statements do not agree with each other, nor with other facts of the case. for Veerapen declared that he was accompanied to the Hoozoor by his son Dhurmalingum when he went up with the Urzee and this tallies exactly with the contents of the Urzee before any alterations were made in it. It should also be noticed that Govindaraja was never produced before the Sub. Collector at all, and declared that he was told by Petitioner, he might go home as the vacant situation had already been given away.-

The only part of the story that is not quite clear, is the admission on the part of the Asistant Javabnevis of having entered the Urzee in its altered state but as the Tahsildar's Cutcherry was at the time in the same Village as the Sub Collectors, it would not have been difficult, if a purpose were to be served, to alter the diary to suit the altered Urzee.-

The Board are aware that I have no personal Knowledge of the case, and that I have derived my information regarding it from Mr. Grant who investigated it at the time of its occurrence.

The

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occurrence, that I have no hesitation in saying that I have sufficient reliance on his judgment & discretion to accept his view of the case as correct, the less that I have it in my power to inform the Board that the Petitioner made a voluntary confession of the whole transaction when first interrogated regarding it by the Acting Sub Collector.-

Tanjore, Kodecaray 11th July 1853. } (Signed) A. Forbes. Acting Collector.

Bd. No. 1691

Proceedings thereon.- The Acting Collector having declared that the Petitioner voluntarily confessed his guilt when first interrogated by the Acting Sub Collector, the Board confirm the dismissal of Petitioner from Office.

(57.58)

Endorsement on Petition No. 661 of 1853.-

"The Board having received a report from the Acting Collector on the subject of this address decline to interfere in behalf of the Petitioner."-

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JF

Read

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Read the following letter:

No. 146

To, B. Cunliffe Esquire
Sub Secretary to the
Board of Revenue,
Fort St. George.

(59)
Bd. No. 1901
From the Collector of Tinnevelly-

Sir,

I have the honor to submit for the information of the Board of Revenue Copy of the correspondence noted in the margin, respecting the attachment of the Pavaly Estate and to forward the usual Statement shewing the amount of balance of Peishcush due to Government by the Estate up to 9th Instant.-

From the Print Sudder ameen 4th July 1853 & Do. 12th Do.

A sum of Rupees 4924-2-1 being the surplus funds of the Estate during the period it was under attachment, or from Fusslies 1254 to 1256, is held in deposit under an injunction of the Civil Court pending the final decision of the claims of the contending parties for which reason the Zemindary is not now considered as under attachment for arrears.-

Tinnevelly, Tencausey, 13th July 1853. } (Signed) C. I. Bird Collector

No. 1

To, C. I. Bird Esquire
Collector of Tinnevelly.

Sir,

In Suit No. 197 of 1847 on the file of this Court the Zemindary of Pavaly is in dispute. The

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The 1st Defendant's Vakeel presented a Motion on the 25th ultimo stating that for the reasons therein specified the Estate should not be allowed to be in the possession of the Plaintiff until good and sufficient Security should be tendered by her 1st Defendant. As this could not possibly be done before the adjournment of the Court on the 27th, it was resolved to request the Collector to hold the Estate under the Circar Management until the Security shall be demanded and tendered by the 1st Defendant.

2. It is therefore requested that you will be pleased to hold the Estate under the Management of the Circar until I shall make a further request to you on the subject.

Tinnevelly, - - - - - - - -
Principal Sudder Ameen's Court,
4th July, 1853 - - - -

/ Signed / Arnachellum Pillay.
Prin.l S. Ameen

No. 750.

To, the Principal Sudder Ameen of
Tinnevelly.

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that in compliance with the requisition contained in your letter of the 4th Instant, I have directed the Parvaly Estate to be taken under Circar Manage: ment, entertaining an Estab: blishment as per margin, and request that you will be good enough to

1 Ameen at	14	Rs	per Month
1 Sumbeady at	7	Ditto	
1 Shroff at	5	Do.	
4 Peons at 3½ each	14	Do.	
Saderward ——	1	Do.	
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to take measures to have the circumstances communicated to the Board of Revenue in the manner prescribed by Circular Order Sudder Udalut dated 27th December 1830. B. The Estate is now indebted to Government in a sum of Rupees 1,623-5-1 on account of Balance of Peishcush up to 9th Instant.

Tinnevelly,
Tencausey,
12th July, 1853

(Signed) C. I. Bird
Collector.

Statement.

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Statement shewing the Balance of Kist due by the undermentioned Zemindary in the Province of Tinnevelly up to 9th July 1853 on account of Fusly 1262.

Name of the Poliput.	Name of the Poligar.	Number of Villages attached to the Poliput.	Amount of annual Peishcush.	Old Balance up to Fusly 1211.	Kist of Fusly.	Collection Balance.	Name of the Villages attached on account of the Balance.	Amount of Beriz thereof	Proposed Establishment.	Monthly allowance.
1	2	3	4							
				Rs a P		Rs a P		Rs a P		
					Iyen				1 Ameen	14 - -
					March	525 - -			1 Sumpricthy	7 - -
					April	350 - -			1 Shroff	5 - -
					May	350 - -			4 Peons at 3½ each	14 - -
					June	350 - -			Sadermaund	1 - -
					Total	1575 - -				41 - -
Paunaly	Soondralinga Auna lappa Naiker	14	2800 - - - - -		Interest up to 8th July 1853	48 5 1				
					Total Company's Rupees	1623 5 1				

The whole Zemindary has been directed to be sold on account of the balance due to Government as mentioned in the annexed Cowle, which is to be completed with the expences contained in Sudder Ameen's letter of 4th July 1853. 7287-10-3

Tinnevelly, Teneausey, 13th July 1853.

E. E. Jr (Signed) C. I. Bird

Collector

Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded.

Read the following Statement

Statement

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Bd No. 2096 Statement exhibiting the actual Charges for Fusly 1262 in the District of Coimbatore.

No.	Description of Servants.	Estimated for Fusly 1262. No. of Servants	Rate of Pay.	Amount of Pay.	Period of employment.	Estimated Charges.	Actual Charges of Fusly 1260.	Comparison between Columns 6 and 7. Increase.	Decrease.	Date of previous correspondence in which the Employment of similar Establishment has been authorized.	Remarks.
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1	Additional Sibbendy for preparing Summahbandy Accounts.										
	Collectors Office										
	Gomastahs	15	10	900 "	6 Months	1620 "	1619 2	" "	" 14	To the Board 29th July 1852 From Dt. 6th Dect Do	
		15	8	720 "							
	Sub Collectors Office										
	Gomastahs	5	10	300 "	6 Ditto	300 "	299 14 5	" "	" 17		
	Total	35	"	1920 "		1920 "	1919 " 5	" "	" 157		
2	Sibbendy employed for cutting Sandalwood.										
	Suttemungalum Peons	2	3½	84 "	July 1262	84 "	84 " "	" "	" "		
	Denaiken Cottah Gomastah	1	10	120 "	Do	120 "	119 14 "	" "	" 2 "		
	Andioor — Motsuddy	1	10	120 "	Do	228 "	227 " "	" "	" 1 "	Ditto	Ditto
	Peons	3	3	108 "							
	Collegal — Ameen	1	10	120 "	Do	228 "	228 " "	" "	" "	Ditto	Ditto
	Peons	3	3	108 "							
	Total	11		660 "		660 " "	658 14 "	" "	" 12 "		
	Grand Total	46		2580 "		2580 "	2577 14 5	" "	" 217		

Coimbatoce, 11th July, 1853

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector

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Read the following letters:-

No. 53.

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

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B.d. No. 1910
From the Coll.r of
Coimbatore

Sir,

With reference to para 1 of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 7th May 1852, and to para 2 of my letter dated 7th January last I beg to report for the information of the Board and Government that I have lately inspected with Mr. Mc Ivor, the land below Kartary about eight Miles west of Coonoor, in the Neilgherries, where he requested the allotment of the remaining portion of land due to him about 931 — 1 — 1789 — (B. G. Sft.)

2. The Valley and site he has selected, is waste land, without claims upon it, or objection to Mr. Mc Ivors Brothers holding it, for one small portion, occasionally used by the Berghers, if taken in, Mr. Mc Ivor will Compensate and satisfy them. Mr. Mc Ivor requests a sketch and Plan which I have promised him whenever I have any one at my disposal to draw it out—

3. I have this day forwarded another

another Lease to Mr. Mc Ivor for the above land.—

Pulchy — — — —
11th July 1853 } (Signed) C. B. Thomas
Collector

(64-65)
B.d No. 1674 —

No. 359.

Resolved that the foregoing letter be forwarded for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to para 1 of Extract from Minutes of Consultation dated 7th May 1852, and the Board's Proceedings dated 27th January 1853.—

Inform 27th may 1853

No. 55.

(66)

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

B.d No. 1975
From the Collr. of Coimbatore } Sir,

1. In reply to the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 14th Instant, I beg to inform them that the 3 years were asked at the time of sale and before all parties and Competitors and for the reasons stated in my letter+

2. The lower offer for the Nellgherry Rent arose from natural and obvious Causes Competition Carried too far in the previous year and a Consequent

x Dated 12 July 1853 Para 4.

Consequent absolute loss to the Contractors under the false expectation that the Barracks and European Soldiery at Jackatalla would consume much spirits an expectation negatived by the vigilance and care of the energetic Officer in Command there — seconded by my own earnest endeavours and a result which though a few Rupees may be lost to Government can hardly think be deprecated —

3. The amount still realized by Government from the sale of ardent spirits at the station of Ootacamund above / for Conoor and Kotagherry Can save but little / is still enormous, and is a tax of all others the least satisfactory that Official duty Compels a Public Officer to — Collect —

Coimbatore, } (Signed) C. B. Thomas
28th July 1853 } Collector.—
B.d No. 1686.
Proceedings thereon.—

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Under the circumstances stated in the foregoing letter the Board of Revenue authorize the rent of

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of the abkarry Farms of the Neil-gherry Talook for a period of three years, Viz from Fusly 1263 to 1265 at a sum of Rupees 20,100 per Annum to Yeddulgee Saib and others.

No. 58.

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

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B.d No. 2063

From the Collector of Coimbatore

Sir,

In reply to your letter of 25th Ultimo, I beg to inform you that the Cotton cleaning Machine forwarded by Major Balfour, has not succeeded as I had hoped it might. The Common Native Churka, of which it seems only a slight modification in principle, though differing in shape, admits of being marked setting on the ground, while Major Balfours requires sitting on a stool, and the use of the foot also to which the Indian women, who alone clean Cotton, are not inclined or accustomed at present. Dr. Wight also tried it, and I believe was unsuccessful in introducing

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introducing it.—

Coimbatore, 1st August 1853

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector.

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Order thereon.— Ordered to lie over.—

Read the following letter.—

No. 92

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

B.d No. 2048.

From the Collector of Malabar

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Sir,

With reference to the 2d para of my letter of the 27th June last, I have the honor to enclose a supplemental Statement of the highest Offers made for the rent of the Abkarry Farms of Avalanche & Sisiparah in this District for Fusly 1263, and to request the Board will be good enough to confirm the same

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same: The renter has given good and sufficient Security—

Collectors Office;
Calicut, ...
30th July 1853....

/Signed/ H. V. Conolly.
Collector.—

Supplemental

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No 1

Supplemental Statements shewing the highest Offers that have been made for the Rent of the Villages of Arakunnoh & Kurrakunnah in the Division of Calicut for Fasly 1263 Corresponding with the Years of the preceding five years.—

Division Talook Arakunnoh and Kurrakunnah in Walloova-naad

	Name of the Bidder	Amount bid for Fasly 1263	Highest amount bid for Fasly 1263	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
Collectors' Division	Parangavany Nairekkan	40 " "	45 " "	Rented for 3 Years from Fasly 1263 to 1265.—
	Total	40 " "	45 " "	5 " "

Average Rent of the five preceding Years 1258 to 1262. 35 " " 35 " " 6 " " 6 " " 6 " " 6 " " 8 " " 8 " " 63 " " 63 " "

E. E. for /Signed/ H. V. Conolly
Collector.—

Proceedings

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Bd No. 1684

Proceedings thereon:

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Before sanctioning the acceptance of the offer for the rent of the Alkairy Farms alluded to in the foregoing letter, the Board request the Collector will be good enough to afford explanation respecting the Cause of the decrease, as the amount bid for Fusslies 1263 to 1265 Viz.t Rupees 40 is Rupees 35 less than the Revenue of last Year, and Rupees 25 below the average of the past five years.

L.R.

Read

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No. 108 Read the following Letter

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To B. Cuntliffe Esqre
Sub Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.

Bd No. 1831

From the Actg Collr of Madras

Forwarding certain applications from the Reverend C.T. Kremmer and recommending that the land therein referred to may be held under Coc emptive certificates.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward an application from the Reverend C.T. Kremmer for the Grant of a certificate free of Quit Rent, for a piece of land to be added to the burial ground attached to the Church of his Mission, and with reference to the Extract from the Board's Proceedings of the 10th January 1853, to recommend that the Sanction of Government may be obtained that his request may be complied with.—

Extent	Quit Rent
Yds. Sft	Rs. a. P.
5 — 2.301 —	1 — 4 — 10 —

At the same time I beg to forward another letter from the same Gentleman with the translation of the Petition to which it refers, requesting the permission of Quit Rent on two pieces of land which form the site of a Church for Native Christians, and to solicit that authority may be obtained for writing off the arrears due for the years noted marginally, and permission to hold the same free of Quit Rent.—

No.	Extent	Quit Rent
4133 —	4 — 480 —	2 — 8 — "
5196 —	1 — 1600 —	1 — 2 — "

No. 1133 from 1826 to 1852 Rs. 15

No. 5196 from 1851 to 1852 Rupees 2-8-"

No. 356

No. 357

Madras 13th July 1853 (Signed) H. Stokes
Acting Collector

No. 1.

To H. Stokes Esqre
Acting Collector of
Madras

Sir,

According to the accompanying Grant No. 6136 our Church possesses a

a Cemetery here in Purswaukum and the Government had sanctioned the exemption of Quit Rent.

But, as the burial place now mentioned is not sufficient for any congregation I and the two Deacons have purchased a piece of Ground next situated to it according to the document I have the honor to enclose.

Sending over also 2½ Rupees I beg to issue a Grant for the land purchased now to exempt it from Quit Rent.

Vepery
12th August 1853

/Signed/ C. F. Kremmer
Missionary.

No 2

To H. Stokes Esqre
Acting Collector of
Madras.

Sir,

Sending you herewith a petition for the remission of Quit Rent (Rup: 17½) from two pieces of ground (Certif. No 4133 & 5496) I state that the particulars mentioned in it are true and recommend it to your Kind consideration. —

Vepery
5th July 1853

/Signed/ C. F. Kreinmer.

No 3.

To
H. Stokes Esqre
Acting Collector of
Madras

The address of M. Swarna Pillay Deacon of the Lutheran Congregation.
Maselamanie Pillay. who was residing at

at Palicat, and a member of the said Congregation on being asked gave his land consisting of 4 Grounds situated in this place on the 20th April 1847 for the erection of a Chapel thereon. As the said land was not enough to build a Chapel we purchased a house and its land adjoining the said Ground for 900 Rupees on the 20th August 1850 for the said purpose. From the time of its purchase up to this date the divine Service is performed in it on Sundays, and Wednesdays by Reverend Mr. C. F. Kremmer Having made an estimate of 6000 Rupees for the building of a Chapel we applied to the Society at Leipzic in Germany for aid in Charity. They accordingly sent us 2,000 Rupees which is now lodged in Arbuthnots house. We made a further application for 2000 Rupees and excpect for an answer for the same this year. As soon as the answer is received we will be prepared to commence with the erection of the Chapel on the said Ground and complete it by the help of God. —

On our requesting the Collector of Assessment he exempted the said house and land from the said tax. We applied to Mr. Budleston late Collector to excuse Quit Rent also upon the said house and land / his Assistant Mr. Taylor ordered his Cutchery Servants to ascertain for what purpose that said house and Ground were used. and on his being informed by them, after inspection that the divine Service is

is performed in it no demand of the Quit Rent Rent upon them is made ever since upto this date but the New Amildar appointed by you makes a passing demand upon the house and land inquestion. We therefore hope that you will inquire into the matter properly and excuse us from the payment of the said tax.

5th July 1853, Poorasaveum Kunn. / Signed / Swarunn

/ True Copy /

/ Signed / H. Stokes

Actg Collr of Madras.

Bo No 1677

72-73

Proceedings thereon, Para 1. Resolved that the foregoing letter with its enclosures be submitted for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council. —

2. The Board recommend that a Certificate for the land alluded to in para 1 Vizt Grounds 5-2301 sft may be granted to the Reverend C. T. Krenmer for the Lutheran Mission Burial Ground free of quit Rent.

3 As the Government in Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 21st October 1857, declined to exempt the land on which Christs Church is built from quit Rent, the Board do not feel at liberty to recommend the remission on the two pieces of Ground, which form the site of a church for Native Christians, in connection with the Lutheran Mission, not for writing off the arrears of the same, as requested in para 2 of Mr Stokes' letter.

In Cons: 27th October 1857

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Bo No 1968

From the Actg Collector of Madras. Read Statement shewing the

the particulars of the case of Syed Hoosain, Son by 1st Wife Rahomed Beebee Second Widow and Muzzah Beebee Sister who were entitled to draw a yearly allowance from his Office.

Bo No 1677

Proceedings thereon. Resolved that the foregoing Statement be returned to the Acting Collector, in order that the proportions in which he considers the lapsed yearly should be distributed among the surviving members of the family of the late Syed Shah Rajoo Kuttak the original grantee, may be specified. —

74-75

No 120.

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

76

Bo No 2087

From the Actg Collr of Madras

+ To Board of Revenue dated 1st Instant From Do No 2 Do

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence noted in the margin. I have the honor to forward the accompanying copy of a letter from the Honorable Company's Solicitor reporting that in the action brought against myself, and Subordinates by Annasawmy Moodelly, the Court decided that it had no Jurisdiction, and nonsuited the Plaintiff. —

Madras, 6th August 1853

/ Signed / H. Stokes
Acting Collector

No 1.

To H. Stokes Esqre
Acting Collector of
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the

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M B 2d augt 1853. Revenue Department No 382.

the minutes of Consultation noted in the margin. I do myself the honor of informing you that the case brought against you and your Officers, was this morning brought on for trial, and after considerable discussion, the Court held that it had no jurisdiction to try the case, and accordingly the Plaintiff was nonsuited.—

2. I have also the honor to return the original Letter addressed by Mr Wilkins to you under date the 22d June 1853 and the original Warrant under which the Seizure was made.—

Madras. 6th August 1853 } / Signed / Clement Dale
Honorable Company's Solr

/ True Copy /
/ Signed / H Stokes
Acting Collector.—

(76-77)
Bd No 1681.

Proceedings thereon. Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, with reference to Extract from Minutes of Consultation dated 2d August 1853.—

Read 4th augt 1853.

Resolved that the following letters be despatched.

(78)
Bd No 1679
To the Colls of Nellore, Bellary, Cuddapah & Salem.

To The Collectors of Nellore, Bellary, Cuddapah and Salem.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will be so good as to expedite the despatch of your

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of your Return of persons convicted and committed under Regulation IX of 1822 for the month of May 1853.—

Revenue Board Office, Fort St George, 8th August 1853 } / Signed / W H Bayley
Secretary.

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(79)
Bd No 1690
To the Actg Collector of North Arcot

To The Acting Collector of North Arcot.

Sir, I am directed to forward for report the accompanying petition No 1117 of 1853 from Syed Abdoollah, Complaining of his claim to succeed to the Service Jeemah No 562 of Syed Ahmed.— which having been set aside in favor of Syed Jeejaimiah

The Board wish to be informed with reference to your Endorsement of the 25th June 1853, whether Petitioner, if he is as he states the next heir, should not be permitted to resign the Jeemah No 497 of 10 Rupees, at present enjoyed by him, and take No 562 of 20 Rupees

Revenue Board Office, Fort St George, 8th August 1853. } / Signed / W H Bayley
Secretary.—

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(80)
Bd No 2094
From the Collector of Canara.

Read detailed List of the Revenue and Magisterial Establishment, as they stood on the 30th April last.—

(80-81)
Order thereon.

Ordered to be recorded.—

From

9588 Fort St George 8th August 1853

82
B. N. 2072

From the Collector of Nellore. Read Abstract Statement shewing the number of persons charged convicted and acquitted &c. under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Half year ending 30th June last. —

82-83
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.

Read the undermentioned Lists.

84
B. N. 2085.

From the Actg Collr of North Arcot. List of letters addressed to the Board of Revenue, and remaining unanswered to the 30th June last. —

85
B. N. 2084

From the Actg Collr of North Arcot. List of letters received from the Board of Revenue, and remaining unanswered to the 30th June last. —

86
B. N. 2101

From the Collector of Canara. List of letters addressed to the Board of Revenue, and remaining unanswered to the 30th June last. —

87
B. N. 2102.

From the Collector of Canara. List of letters received from the Board of Revenue, and remaining unanswered to the 30th June last. —

84-87
Order on the 4 abovementioned Lists... } Ordered to be recorded.

Received

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Received the undermentioned Miscellaneous letters, and Statements

89
M. N. 856

From the Collector of South Arcot. Return of fines imposed and stoppages made from the pay of the Public Servants for the Quarter ending 30th June last. —

90
M. N. 859.

From the Agent at Kurnool. Return of persons charged with offences under Regulation IX of 1822 for the months of May last. —

91
M. N. 857

From the Sub Collr in Charge of Bellary. Stating that no persons were convicted or confined under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Months of January and February last. —

92
M. N. 858.

From the Agent at Kurnool. Reporting the non transmission of certain periodical Returns for the Months of May last. —

From

9590 Fort St George 8th August 1853

93

Pte No 860

From the Agent at Kurnool Return of Village Servants suspended and dismissed under Regulation VI of 1831 for the month of May last.—

" Goldingham

" J Blane

Copy Pte Thos Ritchie.—