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2666	Pro Govt	On the above	"
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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Friday the 15th August 1856.

Read the following Papers

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To G. S. Forbes Esqre

&c &c

Bd Jr 3035

From I. Goldingham Esqre Commissioner

Sir

I have the honor to inform you that the Records of the Commissions were despatched to Madras on board the Earl of Hardwicke, notified to sail from Bimlipatam on the 29th Instant. A Writer and 2 Peons are in charge with directions to make them over to you. Enclosed is a Bill of Lading. I shall be obliged by your giving such orders as may be necessary to ensure their being brought on shore in safety.

Waltair July 31st 1856

(Signed) I. Goldingham Commissioner

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Encl. 1 Bill of Lading

Ordered to be recorded.

Order thereon

Read again letter from the Collector of Madura dated 30th of December 1854 reporting on the settlement of the Land

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B. of C. 2650

Proceedings thereon—

Reviewing the report of the Coll.r of Madura on the settlement of the Land Revenue of his District for Fusly 1263.

land Revenue of his district for Fusly 1263 A.D. 1853/4

The Board having received the Collectors report from the Secretary to Government with whom he had remained for some time, proceed to notice such part of it, as have not been already touched upon in the General report to Government.

Para 2 C.O. 3d Octr/53

2 The Collector reports that in consequence of the Board's orders that the settlement of the Sub Collectorate should once in five years be made by the Collector, he made an exchange of one Taluk with the Sub Collector in the year under report, with reference to this exchange the Sub Collector in the 2 paragraph of his report expresses a doubt whether he should report on the settlement of his own proper division or on the Taluk the settlements of which he actually conducted—the latter course is obviously correct.

para 5

3 The Collector in this paragraph gives an abstract of the quinquennial Statement

From C. Dated 28th Dec.r/53 in Cons: 9th Feby 1854

Statement N.o 3 which accompanied his report on the settlement for Fusly 1262, of the nature and extent of the sources of irrigation in Madura. This abstract shews that there are in the District 2846 tanks the repairs of which are always executed at the expense of Government and 5325 which are repaired by the Ryotts themselves but in the following paragraph the Collector states that these latter "sources of irrigation" are generally small ponds used for drinking water only or irrigating an insignificant extent of cultivation The Board remark that ponds of "drinking water only" should not be included among the sources of the district irrigation, and they wish that future returns should shew those tanks Dug, which are used bonâ fide for agricultural purposes.

para 7

4 It is gratifying to find that the order of Government allowing the ryotts the full benefit of their own improvements are appreciated and acted on in Madura 73 new wells are dug by the ryotts in the

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Collectors Talooks where garden cultivation is not extensively practiced and in the Sub Collectorate where it is more common, these new works numbered 240.

para 11 5 The Collector here noticed that the demand for the year on the highest on record excepting only the previous year and the collections appear to have been made with unusual facility as the season which promised well was eventually by no means a good one. These results must be attributed to the high prices which all kinds of produce commanded owing to the great demand for export.

para 14 6. In remarking on a decrease in the dittum the Collector says that the engagements of the Ryotts "vary much according to the appearance of the season "They knew well that if any favorable "change should enable them to cultivate more, the land will not be wanting any of their usual fields for which "in any particular year they may omit "to engage would rarely be taken up by

"by other Ryotts so strong a feeling of "private property exists in this District "and so much uncertainty as to the respect "which the Civil Courts might pay to the "Koodoomamah." The dittum having been abolished, it is not necessary to say any thing on that point, but the Board cannot pass without remark that part of the Collectors report which they have quoted above. The Board admit to the fullest extent the Ryotts claim to be left in undisturbed possession of his land as long as he pleases to retain it and to pay the Government demand, but they cannot allow his claims to retain a hold upon land which he has once formally Resigned, and on which he has ceased to pay a tax the necessity right is more rigidly in force in Tanjore than in any other Districts, and this land is more entirely private property than in any part of the Carnatic, but even here no such claim is admitted as the Collector of Madura represents to be made by the Ryots of his district and land relinquished

by a Meerassidar is given to the first applicant. The right which a ryott has to his land the Board conceive to consist in a right to cultivate it on condition of paying the Government tax, and they are of opinion that the right ceases immediately that the condition is abandoned. They do not suppose that the Civil Courts would uphold a contrary doctrine and by a decree sanction the principle that land resigned by one ryott, could not be given to another although the latter unwilling to pay the tax which the former refused. they are willing that the question should at once be brought to issue and they now authorize the Collector to give to any applicant land which has been formally resigned, and on which the late holder may decline to pay the demand. The Board refer the Collector to the 8 paragraph of their proceedings of the 22d of October 1856 in review of the settlement of Fusly 1254

1254 in which they said that "the present "system of permitting individuals to retain "an indefinite hold on land to the preju- "dice and exclusion of all others which "they will only plough if it suits their "convenience is destructive of industry "and improvement and at the same time "injurious to the revenue".

para 50 7 The Collector here enumerates the cases in which coercive process was had recourse to in realizing the public revenue, and includes a case of the collection of a small sum embezzled by a Natamgar in Fusly 1260- the Board remark that this collection should properly have been made under the provisions of Re- gulation IX of 1822 and that it does not come within the scope of a report on the revenue settlement.-

8 The Board will now pro- ceed to record their remarks on the statements and accounts which accom- panied the Collectors report.

para 4 9 In this paragraph the Collector subjoins a Statement shewing

	Total villages/hamlets	Permanently settled villages/hamlets	Ryotwar villages/hamlets	Pollums
By Statement No. 1	781	165	605	11
By Sub Collectors Reports	777	178	748	13
Increase	4	13	43	2
Decrease				

Para 8

showing the number of Villages and hamlets in the Principal Division only, but as a Collectors annual report is upon the entire district and not on a part only it is necessary that this and other Statements should include the Sub Division. In accounting for the increase of nine hamlets in the Government Talooks the position of all is given excepting the one formed by the emigration of Ryotts from Tanarum Zemindary, and the Board are not informed to what talook this hamlet is attached the totals, 814 villages and 1638 hamlets are, it is observed exclusive of those Permanently settled and those held in Amany.

10 The discrepancy noted in the margin is observed when comparing the abstract subjoined to paragraph 6 of the Sub Collectors report and Statement No. 1.

11 In this paragraph the Collector

shews comparatively the statistics of his district as regards Ryotts and ploughs and while the adverse nature of the season is represented to have caused a decrease in the former, the Statement subjoined exhibits an increase in the number of the latter connected with this subject the Board wish to know the meaning of the entry of half a plough in the numbers entered in this Statement.

Increase Plough .. 196½

Para 15 12 In this paragraph the berizof the Caboolaty waste land remitted is given as Rupees 55,504 while in Statement No. 13 the same item is entered as Rupees 59,782. the difference being Rupees 4,278. This discrepancy may have arisen from Statement No. 13 including land taken up subsequent to the dittum, but it was intended to have reference to the dittum land only.

para 38. 13 The abstract statement appended to the 62 paragraph of the sub Collectors report contains the full assessment of the

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the land to which it refers as well as the gross tax and is in this respect preferable to the Statements submitted by the Collector. But the Board do not consider it necessary to require the three Statements now submitted connected with the gross tax and they would wish the Collector to substitute a single Talukar abstract shewing talookwar in the gross, the three items of gross tax at ¼ teerwah on ⅕th of the put cut gross tax on Durkast land, and gross tax according to custom the number of ryotts, the extent of their holdings the full tax, and the gross tax will be shewn in the first item, and the gross tax only in the second and third.

14 The Board notice with satisfaction the high terms in which the Collector speaks of all his European subordinates.

Ordered that copy of these proceedings be forwarded to the Collector of Madura for his information and guidance.

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Read again letter from the collector of Tinnevelly dated the 1st of January 1855 reporting on the settlement of the District in Fusly 1263.—

Tuticorin 7th May 1855 No. 588

Bd. No. 2651

A.D. 1853/54.

Proceedings thereon.—

Reviewing the report of the collector of Tinnevelly on the settlement of his District for Fusly 1263.—

The above report is confined to references to the figured Statements it contains and beyond the notice taken of it in the Boards general report to Government dated the 4th July 1855 their present remarks will be confined to the accounts by which it was accompanied.—

Para 10.

2. In this paragraph the collector says "that in place of the Dittum account which is inapplicable to his District he has introduced one to shew the actual cultivation of the Fusly including the caboolaty-bunjer composed of four items which he specifies—but in the Abstract Statement of caboolaty bunjer appended to paragraph 13 its aggregate amount only is entered and no detail is shewn as the proportions that belong to each of the four heads particularized by the collector

By

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Para 13. 11. 3. By the Separate statement No 11 appears

to Rupees 12,352 or 89 Rupees less than the sum entered as the assessment on Cabooleaty Lungur in the extract subjoined to paragraph 13 it is presumed therefore that the latter sum was brought to account and collected this sum of 89 Rupees appears to have been the whole amount of waste charged in the Trusly under review and the difference between it and the similar item in the previous year were probably from the unpropitious nature of the season.

No 11. 4. This Statement shews the wastes charged under two heads one "land left waste by ryotts through neglect" the other "land left waste notwithstanding the existence of water." It is not only clear to the Board what distinction the collector intended to draw between these two headings for even supposing that the one

Trusly 1262 — Cce 4389
" 1263 — 89
Difference 4350

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referred to poonjah & the other to nunjah land, although the former could not have been included under the second head, there would appear to have been no reason why the latter should not have been included under the first. But the Board further remark that the Collectors report does not specify to which of the four heads given in paragraph 10 these two items belong and they would have preferred that the Statement No 11 had shewn the amount of waste charged under each of the four headings given in paragraph 10.

No 17 — 5 This Statement is forwarded to shew the extent of land held on cowle but owing to a clerical error the desired information is not given Columns 24, 25 & 26 should have shewn the land taken up in the year under report but they are blank in the Statement and the information they should have

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have afforded is given in Columns 27 · 28 & 29 which were intended to shew the total increase in the year from progressive bowle and from new land the information these last columns should have afforded being altogether omitted

para 25 6. The particulars connected with the remissions granted on account of ready money items referred to in this paragraph are given in statement No. 15 but as the Board in their General report to Government have to account for all remissions as one General Subject it will be more convenient if in future the amount of these remissions is included in statement No. 14.

para 38. 7. In the abstract statement annexed to this paragraph the Collector has apparently included the items of Chuttrum and Tripaymahs belong more properly to the head of Deposits than to the ain revenue the three items of Cuttoomah Company

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Company Grant and Coopchunds Cowle should appear in Statement No. 15 of the items added to the Settlement.

Statement No. 10 8. Some notice should have been taken in the report of the five Zemindaries represented in this Statement as under attachment In reply to these proceedings the Collector is requested to inform the Board if the attachment has been removed.

At the end of Statement No. 22 re-

para 40 9 ferred to in this paragraph the sum of Rupees 3500 is entered opposite the item of Coopchands Cowle. the Board request to be informed why the sum was not included in the beriz of the Talook within which the Cowle is held.

This part of the Collectors report

para 42. 10. refers to the extent to which coercive processes are accorded to. & he states that owing to the unreasonable refusal to discharge their lists by some

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some Pyotts of Shermadavy. their "moveable property" was sold. It is evident that these men held land which under the law as interpreted by the Government Pleader should have been first made answerable for the demand on the Collectors particular attention is directed to the necessity of keeping his Official acts strictly within the law.

Sub collectors report para 2.

11. The number of Poliput Villages entered in the Table No 2 annexed to the second paragraph of the Sub Collectors report differs materially from the number entered in Column 18 of Statement No 1 submitted by the Collector there being 129 in the former and 211, in the latter this required explanation.

Ordered that extract from these proceedings be forwarded to the Collector of Tinnevelly for his information and guidance.

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Read the following Papers

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To G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Bd. No 1971.
From the Acting Collector of Guntoor

Submitting information called for in the Board's Circular of the 11th April last with respect to the tasing of timber and fuel cut in the Government Forests.—

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Board's Circular No. 1114 of the 11th April 1856, requiring information with respect to the tasing of Timber and Fuel cut in the Government Forests.—

2. The Jungles in this District do not generally produce timber to such extent as to make them a source of revenue to Government. they mostly consist of brushwood and small Trees fit for poles and posts except in the Palnad where timber of the descriptions noted in the margin is met with here and there of a somewhat larger growth which is made use of for building purposes.

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1 Yapechettoo
2 Yagachettoo
3 chendrachettoo
4 cheroomanoo
5 Andoogoochettoo

3. The map of the Survey of Guntoor Proper gives the total extent of hills as 1162 Square miles equal in round numbers to one lac of acres The extent of hills in the Palnad is not given in the records of the Survey but as taken roughly at about 2 lacs of acres more - Some of

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of these tracts do not yield even brushwood for fuel and the timber above described is scarce.

4. The only cases in which taxation is imposed is in the small hills of Cuddaweed and the coast Jungles. In the former the privelege of cutting wood chiefly for fuel is included in the poollary and may amount to about Rupees 200. The Villagers are esccemptted.

5. The coast Jungles range along a sandy belt running parallel to the Sea from the Kistna to chena Ganjam and esctending only a few miles in land. They are rented annually for about Rupees 1,000. These again comprize two classes called the "mada adivi" and "veli adivi" the former consisting of the "mada" trees which grow along the salt water creeks in localities under the influence of the tide and the latter comprizing the open Jungles of brushwood of various descriptions.

6. Both contribute firewood and sticks for building huts. about 1/10 Rupees of the rent is realized from the portion of mada trees cut for esportation to Masulipatam for firewood. The

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The leaves of the tree also are eaten by cattle. The "veli" or open jungles generally furnish the supply of firewood for the populous towns along the coast, and for the arrack stills and also for the dying vats of the weavers.

To Commissioner 21st March 1856 Paras 8. 9 & 10.

7. The tax of the coast jungles has formed the subject of a separate report in which it is recommended that at least "veli adivi" or about one half of the rent should be abandoned on account of the vexation and oppression it occasions to the people particularly to the poorer classes as now realized by the renter.

8. With the above two esceptions the wood is cut for fuel or for building purposes both by the villagers and strangers without restriction or the imposition of any tax.

9. The palmyra forests or topes of which there are considerable tracts along the coast are not included in the above description. Some of these constituting private topes are paid for under the Rules approved in the Board's Proceedings of 20th November 1848, at the rate of 1/8 per tree calculated on those that are productive. This item

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item amounts to Rupees 1013 for fusly 1264. Palmyras on Government lands are included in the abkarry rent a proposition has recently been made to deduct from the abkarry farm those in Ryots holdings at an estimated reduction of about Rupees 2200 " " in the abkarry rent. Several hundreds of palmyras have in the last few years been felled for the Pistna irrigation works to which they have been supplied without cost.

10. The Palmyra trees whether in the private topes or in the public farms are not permitted to be cut down without the previous permission of the collector. The trees in the former are upon application allowed to be cut by the occupants free of charge. For every tree felled on Government ground 8 annas is charged. The amount thus realized was for fusly 1264 Rupees 398 12 3. It is also the practice for the parties cutting trees to put down 5 seeds for each one felled with the view of securing a succession of trees, seeds have also at times been planted at the expense of Government.

11. The Rules in force regarding the Palmyra topes

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topes seem sufficient to provide for their conservation and for securing to Government a return for their appropriation to building and other purposes. If it is thought proper to charge the Maramut Department for trees used for the public works the matter may be easily adjusted in the Estimates.

12. As regards the future taxing of the jungles generally it seems to me very inexpedient to attempt to fix an impost on wood used for fuel. The experience where such is the case in the coast jungles shews that much vexation and oppression must be expected to result from such a measure. It appears that where the brushwood is cut for fuel it is used by the villagers or others in the neighbouring localities and is very rarely, if at all exported beyond the District with the trifling exception noticed in para 6. The state of the people does not appear to be such as to be suitable for the taxation of the ordinary necessaries or comfort of life, in addition to the general burden of land revenue and every encouragement seems to be needed for promoting their social progress.

13. For these reasons also I think that any rules for

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for the taxation of timber should be so contrived as to allow of the smaller descriptions such as are used for native huts by the poorer classes being exempted. The larger descriptions of timber which enter into the dwellings of the wealthier classes or are made the object of trade may be taxed with less scruple.—

11. With the view to securing the above objects I would propose.

1st That with the reservation noted below the Jungles be open free as at present to all parties for the purposes of cutting fuel, and also for small timber not exceeding 6 inches diameter or half a yard in circumference.

2d That no timber of larger dimensions be permitted to be cut without the collectors order the village Officers being the conservators of the same and that this be charged at the rate of Rupees 1/2 per average bandy load.

3d That where practicable certain portions of the Jungles be reserved by the Sircar with the view of promoting the growth of wood and no cutting whatever be allowed in the same for a certain period when arrangements may be made for the disposal of the timber according to circumstances.

4th That cultivators of all castes be allowed to

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to cut wood for agricultural implements free of charge altho' the dimensions above fixed be exceeded except in the reserved localities.—

5th That no restriction should be applied to trees in ryots assessed holdings — except in the case of palmyra trees which for the present till some general rules are laid down with reference to the circular of Board dated 29th October 1855 should not be cut without previous permission.—

15. The growth of timber should I think also be further promoted by introducing new species of trees suited to the soil and climate but this can only be done generally at the Government expense.—

16. The palmyra topes are partly kept up by the practice of requiring several seeds to be planted for each tree cut and in former years large tracts were also sown at the Government expense. It seems very desirable to continue this and particularly to introduce these trees in parts of the western Talooks where timber is scarce and where the soil may be favorable for their growth.

17. Another important thing is the introduction of bamboos which with one or two exceptions are

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are not found in the Jungles a few scattered gardens of these useful trees shew that they may be easily reared and large sandy tracts along the coast might with advantage be appropriated to this purpose I have not been able as yet to collect any seeds of the bamboo and very little is known here regarding its culture I should be glad to receive assistance in the way of information as well as in a supply of seed for experiment It is possible that persons will be found to take up tracts of lands on assessment for bamboo gardens if some advantages are offered in the terms of the Cowl for the first few years but what these should be must depend partly upon the period within which the bamboos come to maturity concerning which sufficient information is not at hand.

Guntoor District
Collectors Office
Moondradoo Dindy
26th May 1856

/ Signed / H. Newill
Acting Collector

(589-590) Order thereon -
Orders to lie

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No. 57.

To, G. S. Forbes Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

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B. No. 2181.
From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam — Sir

Circular No. 3343 13th Dec. 1855
Letter 26th January 1856. No. 224
Do. 10th April 1856. No. 1071.
Do. 21 April 1856. No. 1222.
Do. 15th May 1856.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter noted in the margin and to state for your information that the Iron Press with the packages of printing materials subsequently despatched has arrived safely. The first class Compositor sent from Madras has also arrived.

An Establishment of the strength noted in the margin has been entertained for the present from the 1st Instant and they are to be paid by reductions which I have made in the existing Establishments in the following manner.-

	Rs
1 Head compositor	25
1 Assistant	15
1 Do	5
1 Pressman	12
1 Ballman	5
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	Rs
2. Zilladars of 10 Rs. each to be abolished	20
2 Peons of 5 Rupees each to be transferred	10
1 Sea Custom Goomastah to be abolished	8
1 Do Shroff Do	6
1 Motorpha Shroff of goodewada to be abolished	3-8
Saderward of Reylaloor Talook reduction	5
Sea Custom reduction	1-8
Head Moochy of the Office to be transferred to the Presson Rs. 15, and out of his Salary of Rs. 14 one to be employed on Rs. 6 saving Rs. 8	8
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I have entertained only a portion of the establishment for the present partly because some inconvenience

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and hardship would be felt by making re-
ductions at once to the full amount sanctioned
and partly because I wished to see the work
of the Press a little before employing the full
complement of Establishment, the scale of
charges has not yet been received from the Su-
perintendent of the Gazette Press. For want of
the Printing Ink and several sundries which have
to be prepared here, the Press has not yet been set
a going but I hope to see it in operation in a few
days.-

Masulipatam, ... Collector's Cutcherry 6th June 1856. ...

/Signed/ I Fraser
Acting Collector

Bd. No. 2578.

Resolution thereon.- Resolved that the foregoing letter be sub-
mitted for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor
in Council.-

(591-592)

2. The Acting Collector proposes to deduct Rs. 55
from his permanent Moyen Zabitah and 6½ Rupees
from his saderward in all 62 Rupees to cover the
charge for the Press Establishment amounting to
that sum the Board recommend that he may be auth-
-ed to carry out his proposed arrangements and
after removing the sum named from the perm-
-nent Moyen Zabitah and saderward accounts
credit the same to the Printing Press Fund.

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No. 108

To, G. L. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.
Fort St. George.

(593)

Bd. No. 2317.

From the Asst. Collr. of Tanjore ..... Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 8th Ultimo No. 1371, I have the honor to enclose a list of reductions proposed to be made in the revenue establishment of this Collectorate and in the establishment of the Subordinate Judge at Combaconum, to meet the charges of the Press Office and have to request the instructions of the Board as to whether the Offices named in the List are to be retained in the permanent Moyenza bitah, or whether the salaries attached thereto are to be paid to the Press establishment, or those Offices are to be replaced by those named in Para 4 of Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 21st November 1855. In the latter case, I solicit the sanction of the Board for altering my Moyen Zabitah and further request that the same may be obtained from the Sudder Court to the Subordinate Judge of Combaconam for making similar alteration in the list of his establishment

V. Cir No. 3343

Tanjore, ... Cavery patam, 20th June 1856.

/Signed/ I. W. Cherry
Acting Collector.

List.

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No. 1

List of reductions made in the revenue and Judicial establishments in the district of Tanjore to meet the charges of the press Office

Designations of situation whose salaries are available for the press Office	Amount of Salary.	Fund from which it is paid
Collector's Office	Rs.	
1 Goomastah	15	Kaut Curnum fund
1 Curnums	42	— Do. — Do.
1 Dufterbund	4	1 Peon
Sub Collector's Office		
1 Salwar Goomastah abolished	6	
1 Sheally ameen — Do.	10	
1 — Do. — Do. reduced from Rs. 10 to 7	3	
1 Combaconum ameen from Rs. 10 to 7	3	
Combaconum Sub Court		
1 Goomastah	10	
Total Rupees	93	

Tanjore
20th June 1856

(Signed) J. W. Cherry
Acting Collector

14764. Fort St. George, 15th August 1856.

Bd. No. 2572.
Resolution thereon.
(593-594)

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

2. The Board approve of the reductions proposed to be made by the Acting Collector and Subordinate Judge and request that Government will be pleased to confirm them.-

3 With regard to the enquiries of Mr. Cherry as to the mode in which the proposed changes are to be carried out, the Board are of opinion that both the Acting Collector and the Subordinate Judge should be authorized to exclude from their permanent Mogen Zabitahs the Offices proposed to be abolished, and the former Officer instructed to credit the amount thus saved, viz. 93 Rupees per mensem to a printing press Fund. All other receipts on account of Job works &c. might be likewise credited to this Fund, and all charges for Establishments and Sundries debited to it, at the end of the year the working of the Press will be reported upon, as directed in para 8 of Extract Minutes Consultation dated 7th March 1856 No. 375. And the Statements which the Acting Collector is required to furnish with his report will exhibit the entire pecuniary transactions of the Fund during the whole year.

Bd. C.O. 21st April 1856.

Statement

14766. Fort St. George, 15th August 1850.

B. No. 2575.
Proceedings thereon.—
(595-596)

As the non-attendance of the pensioner Shaha ally Shah at the proper periods to draw his pension is satisfactorily accounted for, and there appears no doubt of his personal identity, the Board of Revenue, under the authority conveyed in Extract Minutes Consultation No. 611, dated 21st May 1855, authorize the Collector to disburse to him the amount of arrears due from January to December 1855, amounting to Rupees seventy eight and annas twelve; and to continue the pension as usual.

Statement

14765 Fort St. George, 15th August 1850.

595
B. No. 2576.

Statement shewing the amount of arrears due to the undermentioned Native Pensioner in the District of North Arcot.—

Explanation of the cause of suspension of payment.

No.	Name of Pensioner.	Amount of Pension per Mensem.	Date of Government authority	Nature of the grant	Periods for which arrears are due.	Total amount of arrears	Explanation of the cause of suspension of payment.
4	Shaha ally Shaw	6 9 0	21st January 1843	For Life	From January to December	78 12 0	His individual resides at Arcot, and is one of those pensioners who were transferred to this District from South Arcot in 1843. His pension is annually paid to him by the Collector of Arcot once in six months. Vide Para 4 Letter dated 21st January and July of each year. He received his pension up to December 1854 and subsequently proceeded as usual to Nagpore, Jaulnah and other places to see his relatives. He has returned and claims the arrears of his pension. As the Barramahal or Pay list submitted by the Tahsildar of Arcot for the month of June 1855, the half yearly pension of this individual, amounting to Rupees 39-0-0 was as usual included. His pension was accordingly debited in the army account and remitted to the Tahsildar of Arcot, but as the pensioner did not personally appear to receive his pension the amount was kept in deposit in the Collectors Office to request sanction for disbursing the said amount of Rupees 39-0-0 and for paying the remainder of the arrears due to him amounting to Rupees 39-0-0 and for continuing his Pension. His age and appearance of this individual correspond with the description Roll in the Collectors Office.—

North Arcot,
Collector's Cutcherry,
[illegible]

(Signed) W. Whitehill
Collector

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Fort St. George 15th August 1855.

Bd. No. 2597

Proceedings thereon.—

(597-598)

As the non-attendance of the pensioner at the proper periods to receive his pension is satisfactorily accounted for and his personal appearance corresponds with the Descriptive Roll in the Collector's Cutcherry, the Board of Revenue under the authority conveyed in Extract Minutes Consultation No. 611, dated 21st May 1855, authorize the Collector to disburse to him (Ameedshah) the amount of arrears due from January to December 1855, amounting to Rupees twelve, and to continue the pension as usual.—

Report

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Fort St. George, 15th August 1855.

Bd. No. 2597.

597 Statement showing the amount of arrears due to the undermentioned Native Pensioner in the District of North Arcot.—

Name of Pensioner	Amount of Pension per annum	Date of Grant	Nature of the Government authority	Period for which arrears are due.	Total amount of arrears due.	Explanation of the cause of suspension of payment
32 Ameedshah	1 " "	21st January 1853.	For life	From January to December 1855.	12 " "	This individual resides at Arcot and is one of those pensioners who pass transferred to the District from South Arcot in 1853. His pension is annually paid to him by the Collector of Arcot once in six months, viz. in January and July. He received his pension up to December 1854, and subsequently for the 8 days, to 31st January, and after which he ceased to draw it. On the Board's Proceedings dated 21st May 1855, the half yearly pension of this individual, amounting to Rupees 6 — — was submitted by the Collector of Arcot for payment to him, and the amount was accordingly debited in the Treasury accounts and remitted to the Collector of Arcot, but as the Pensioner did not appear in person to receive his pension, the amount was kept in deposit. The Collector begs to request sanction for disbursing the said amount of Rupees 6 — — for paying the remainder of the arrears due to him amounting to Rupees 6 — — and for continuing his Pension. The age and appearance of this individual correspond with the descriptive Rolls in the Collectorate Cutcherry.

North Arcot,
Collector's Cutchery,
Dated 12th July 1855.

/Signed/ G. Whittingham.
Collector.

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Bs. No. 2722.

Bellary District.

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Report upon the actual condition of Travellers Bungalows in 1855.

Road	Name of Bungalow	Whether Clean and in good order	Number	By whom	Remarks
Bellary to Secundrabad.	Paroor	Do.	2	Do. 4th March	
	Taleepett	Do.	4	Do. 15th Do. Do.	
	Cogerah	Do.	2	Do. 30th April Do.	The Work completed for Rs. 77-10-0 on an Estimate sanctioned by Government on the 5th November 1851 amounting to Rs. 77-
	Talasamoodrum	Do.	15	Do. 29th Do. Do.	
	Pengondah	Do.	20	Do. 28th March Do.	The Work completed for Rs. 193 on an Estimate sanctioned by Government on the 12th January 1852 and also the amount of Work done to the amount of Rupees 99-14- for the repair of the Verandah on an Emergent Estimate prepared by the Tahsildar in 1854.
	Chennacottay	Clean and in good order	9	Tahsildar 13th May 1856.	
Bellary to Secundrabad.	Muroor	Do.	9	Do. 6th Do. Do.	
	Anantapoor	Do.	16	Do. 6th Do. Do.	
	Caupully	Do.	19	Do. 30th April Do.	
Bellary to Penoor	Herahul	Do.	24	Do. 1st May Do.	

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No. 75.

To,

G: S: Forbes Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George.

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B. No. 2727.

Sir,

From the Collector of Malabar

I have the honor to submit for the favorable consideration of Government an applica-tion from the Police Ameen of the Town of Calicut, to be allowed the privilege of having a Suit preferred against him by the present 3d Rajah of Calicut defended at the Public escpense.

Submits an application from the Police Ameen of Calicut to be allowed to defend a Suit preferred against him by 3d Rajah of Calicut, at the Public escpense for the favorable consideration of Government.

dated 2d Instant

This Suit has originated out of a communication addressed by his Officer, a Tear by Caste, to a servant of the Zamorin, regarding the firing off Guns on the public road.

In his communications referring to the death of the late 3d Rajah the Police Ameen used the escpression "Rajah averkul apayam vann" the Rajah has met with an accident or died. This escpression coming from a Tear is deemed by the 3d Rajah as derogatory to his rank and station and he has consequently brought a Suit for 1,500 Rupees damages. He affirms the

Order sent to Collector to send an Estimate for the repair of the stable.

The amount of Estimate sanctioned by Government for Rs. 120 for the repair of this building is under execution.

(Signed) G. Petty
Collector

Ordered to be filed.

Billary Collectors Office
12th July 1856.

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Fort St. George, 15th August 1856

To

Collector of Malabar

Clean with the exception of Stables

Suspended by

Clean and in good order

Malaverajan

Referring to Consultation of

Referring to Memorandum

the appropriate expression for a Tear, when speaking of the death of the Rajah was "Tomberan Tipates" or. my Lord has caught fire.

+ Dated 25th June 1856
* — " — July — " —

The + Plaint and * answer of the Police Ameen are annexed.

It appears to me that however jealous we should be that all due respect be paid by our Officials to the Rajahs and Lords of this Land we must be careful lest by countenancing and supporting in our Courts such claims as are set forth by the Plaintiff in this Suit, we are made the instruments of preserving and strengthening the bonds of Caste so obstructive to the social and political improvement of the people of the Country.—

Rajah is the term used towards the Zamorin, the head of the family of the Rajahs of this place in the treaty and all other Official Documents of the Government, and I can no where find that he is entitled to assume the title of Tomberan but even if he be, it cannot be shewn that the term

Rajah

Rajah is a degrading one, The one Tomberan, is equivalent I fancy, to our english "my Lord" the other Rajah expresses "the king." In regard to the other two words "has met with an accident" or "caught fire" there does not seem to be much to choose between them. However if the latter be more appropriate than the former the latter should be used, this question whether it is the wish of Government, that caste distinction should so far be maintained in Official Correspondence as that in the public Offices

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an escpression which would be as appropriate in a Brahmin as Official should subject a Teat using it, to heavy pecuniary as damages—

The time allowed for as filing the Defendants' answer escpires, it will be seen, on the 19th Instant.—

Calicut 14th July 1856.

(Signed) T. Clarke.
Collector.

To,

Fort St. George 15th August 1856

No. 1.

To,
T. Clarke Esqre
Collector of Malabar
The Urzee of Canaren, Police
Ameen of Calicut.

I beg to inform you that the Rana as Vickrama 3d Rajah of Calicut has brought an action for damages against me in No. 20 of 1856. It will be evident by the draft of my as answer herewith forwarded, that this Suit as has been needlessly brought, and that the as object thereof is to subject me to inconvenience.

The Notice came to hand only on as Saturday the 28th June last, which required as that the answer should be submitted on Monday the 30th on which date, I obtained a Copy of the Plaint through the Sirkar Vakeel I applied for an extension of the term, for a period of six Weeks, but the Mooftee Sudr Ameen has allowed a respite of only 20 days, as which will escpire on the 19th July Current.

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The Suit has been brought merely because I conducted the duties of my Office properly I therefore beg you will procure the sanction of Higher authority to defend it through the Sirkar Vakeel-

If when the matter is decided, it be determined, that I am guilty, and that the Case owes its origin to my own fault, it would be my duty to submit to the whole responsibility of the matter being laid on me-

Under these circumstances, I here: with forward Copy of the Plaint and the draft of my answer with a transcript of the letter of the 21st May last, which gave rise to the Suit.-

2d July 1856-

/Signed/ Canaren.

Police Ameen.

/True Translation/

/Signed/ T. Clarke.

Collector.

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No. 2.

To,

The Mooftee Sudr Ameens Court

Calicut.

Petition of Syed Latheef, Vakeel in behalf of Mana Vickrama Tumbooran of Calicut, residing in the Vel: = yanaad Umshom of the Calicut Talook, against Canaren of the Tiruvangad Umshom in the Cotteyam Talook now Police Ameen of the Town of Calicut-

The Defendant forwarded a letter to the address of the Caryesten (Manager) of the Palace of the Zamorin of Calicut, under date the 21st May 1856 regarding the firing of Guns for the ceremony called Aryittavalcha (Installation) of Plaintiff into the rank of the deceased Tumbooran- In this letter, the Ameen has not used, as he ought to have done, the words "Tumbooran avergul" and "Theeputtoo," but the words "Rajah avergul" and "Apayam Vanna"-

These

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These words are not only such as cannot be ex-
pressed by people of the Ameen's caste namely
Tears but also contrary to the custom and
usage prevailing in this Karnatam (Malabar
Country) as well as derogatory to the Ex-
Swaroopum or dignity of the Tumboorans
and to the Junior Tumboora Komars.

The Plaintiff therefore prays that
the Court will be pleased to send for the
Defendant and cause payment by him of
of Rupees (1500) One thousand and five
hundred to the Plaintiff, as a reparation
for the disgrace which the letter in question
has occasioned. The said letter is herewith
submitted.

14th Methoonom 1031
25th June — 1856.

Signature

Received 30th June 1856.

Signature of the ameen

/True translation/

/Signed/T. Clarke

Collector.

Fort St. George 15th August 1856.

No. 3

To,

The Moofty Sudr Ameen's Court

Calicut.

Answer of Amboo Pothoo-
-wal Sirkar Vakeel in
behalf of Mangden Veetil
Canaren Police Ameen of
Calicut Defendant in Suit
No. 20 of 1856 of the said
Court.

1. The Defendant addressed the letter men-
-tioned in the plaint and it is a proper one, but it is
to be observed in the first place, that it was not to
the address of the Plaintiff, but to a third party,
and that the two expressions alleged to be dero-
-gatory, do not apply to the former (the Plaintiff)

2. It was never the intention of the
Defendant to dishonor the Plaintiff, neither was
there any occasion for so doing - The intention of
the Defendant was but to honor him -

3. The expressions "Rajah Avergul and
"Ajayum Vunnu" are respectful terms - They are not
at all derogatory - The Plaintiff has suffered no
disgrace by the use of these words in the letter
complained of, nor has he lost a cash thereby -

4. These two words were not new terms
adopted

adopted and used in that letter but are words generally used in public letters addressed in reference to the Rajahs like the Plaintiff, and to their deaths, on various occasions previous to the date of the letter in question by the Defendant himself, and his predecessors, both of his and other castes, and by almost all Revenue and Police Officers in Malabar either Hindoos or Mussulmans-

5. The letter in question was, according to this general practice, drawn out for the De:=fendants signature, by the Moonshee a Nair in the manner which his own mind dictated and the Defendant as usual, signed and despatched the same-

6. The articulation of the word "Rajah" when heard conveys a meaning which impresses the minds of all with the conviction that it is a Government, and the term was brought in use several thousand years ago- It is publicly ad:=mitted by all people as a honorific and proper term, not only in Malabar but throughout the whole of Hindoostan, and in books containing the Hindoo Shastrums-

7. It will be clear that there could not be a better term exopressive of honor than such a respectful word, which the Defendant has

rendered more honorific by the addition of the term "Avergal"-

8. The exopression "Theepettoo" the use of which is urged by the Plaintiff and the term "Arayam Vanun" used in the Defendants' letter are comparatively speaking not at all different (in meaning) as regards honor or rank so far as the Defendants' knowledge extends-

9. While no disgrace or loss can possibly arise from the use of the said exopressions there can be no ground for an action for damages according to the existing Regulations respecting Suits of this nature- The word "Tumbooran" the adoption of which is urged is the one by which the Cloovers (or Teers) of South Malabar address to, and speak of even Barbers and Washermen- The Defendant is sorry to use this low term in Official communications to so great a Rajah- The cause of action is not what is mentioned in the Plaint- The De:=fendant is sorry to state, that it is because he conducted himself with a strict sense of duty in regard to the matter mentioned in the letter in question and because he would not abuse the confidence placed on him

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as a public Officer for the sake of the Plaintiff and others.

The Defendant prays that the Suit may be dismissed with costs.

July 1856. / Signed / Canaren.

Police Ameen.

/ True Translation /

/ Signed / T. Clarke.

Collector.

Ordered to be submitted with the following letter.

(601-602)

To,

The Secretary to Government.

Sir,

Revenue Department.

B. No. 2580.

To the Secretary to Government.

Submitting Correspondence with the Coll. of Malabar relative to a Suit instituted against the Police Ameen of Calicut by the 3d Rajah of Calicut & stating the reasons may the Board deem it expedient to defend it at the Police expense.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying letter from the Collector of Malabar dated 11th July 1856 submitting for the favorable consideration of Government an application from Police Ameen of Calicut to be allowed to defend at the public cost a Suit preferred against him by the 3d Rajah of Calicut.

2. In a letter addressed by the Ameen to the Manager of the Zamorin Palace regarding the

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the firing of guns on the public road a certain form of expression was used when referring to the death of the late Rajah which is considered by the present Rajah as derogatory to his rank and station and he consequently claims one thousand five hundred Rupees damages as a reparation for the disgrace which has thereby been cast upon him.

3. The terms used in the ameens letter when literally translated signify. The Rajah has met with an accident or died but it is maintained by Plaintiff that the proper expression for a Man of the Ameens Cast (Teer) to use when speaking of the death of the Rajah was "My Lord has caught fire".

4. It will thus be seen that the Suit has been brought in consequence of an imaginary loss of dignity on the part of plaintiff in the use of expression by Defendant which are by no means disrespectful of themselves and the defendant in his

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his reply while disclaiming intentional of-
= fence or insult asserts that he is justi-
= fied both by precident and practice in using
the expressions objected to. The Board as
recommend that the Suit be defended at the
public expense as it seems proper to the
Government to shew that they are willing to
support the Police Ameen in as much as
as he did no wrong and acted only in the
execution of his duty.

5. The inconvenience likely to result
if public officers are held responsible for the
use in public documents of terms which
though neither disrespectful nor objectionable
in themselves are deemed by the parties referred
to to be derogatory to their dignity and the con-
sequent necessity of each class of public
officers employing different terms in offi-
= cially addressing others are deserving of
consideration, particularly when as in the
present case it is not the words themselves that are
objected

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objected to, but the caste of the officer who used them.

† Nos. 2013-2067 & 2140 of 1856

6 With the letter above referred to I am directed to enclose Petitions addressed to the Board by the plaintiffs submitting Copies of orders by the Sudr Court on which he grounds his Suit. These orders had reference to expressions used in a Suit between Plaintiffs and a private individual and the Board are not of opinion that they apply to official Correspondence which must be conducted According to form and not according to the caste of the Officer who conducts it.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
15th August 1856

/ Signed G. S. Forbes
Secretary

603

To

No. 85

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

B. No. 2718
From the Collector of Salem ...

With reference to the Boards Pro-
ceedings dated 29th May 1856 No. 1520, requesting
that a Statement may be forwarded in the form
prescribed embracing every Covenanted Officer in
Revenue employ at the time of preparing the
Statement, I have the honor to forward herewith
a Statement prepared accordingly

Salem Collectors Office
Salem 16th July 1856

/ Signed H. A. Brett
Collector

Statement

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Statement of the duties performed by the Collector (Encl) and his subordinates in the District of Salem

Designation of Office and present	Alterations which have taken place within	Duties performed by the Assistant Collector & Tahsildars and Heads of Police and one Police ameen	Special circumstances which were or ought to be considered good reasons for fixing the salaries of the Collector and
	a Collector was appointed on the present footing and salary	and passing final decisions thereon under Regulation XXVI of 1802	a liberal scale

6 The charge and Superintendence of minor Estates

7 Exercising Judicial powers under Regulation V of 1822 in all disputes between the Proprietors of settled Estate and their Ryots and between Ryot and Ryot and investigating charges of Malversation &c against the Subordinate Revenue officers under Regulation IX of 1822

8 The charge and general superintendence of the Police

9 The charge of the entire Maramut of the District.

10 Defending Civil actions filed against the Collector and his subordenates

11 The charges of the whole correspondence with the higher authorities both on the special subjects of Revenue Police and Finance and on various general subjects Connected with the condition and resources of the District.

12 Furnishing supplies to detachments that pass thro' the District.

Sub Collector and Joint Magistrate of Salem at 14,000 Rupees a year

No change has taken place in the salary of the Sub Collector during the last 25 years

The Sub Collector has special charge of 4 out of 14 Talooks and exercises in these Talooks in the Revenue and Magisterial Departments He is also in the Magisterial charge of 3 other Talooks

Head Asistant Collector and Magistrate of Salem at a salary of 9,000 Rupees a year

Upto 1836 the salary of the Head Asistant was 4,200 Rupees a year and Subsequently to 1836 two distinctions were made in the Salary of the Head Asistants with reference to the length of their residence in

The Head Asistant usually has the Revenue charge of two Talooks and the Magisterial charge of 4 Talooks.

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No. 188.

694

From Geo. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Bd. No. 2799.

From the Acting Collector of Tanjore

I have had the honor to receive an Extract No. 2045 from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 4th instant.

There appears to be no objection for making over permanently to the Military Department as Barracks the buildings now occupied by the detachment at Tranquebar.

The Civil Engineer will be requested to visit them and to send an Estimate for putting them in thorough repair.

No application for repairing of any of the buildings or sheds used by the Military guards has ever been received in this Office.

Tanjore
Kodikaray
19th July 1856.

Signed J. W. Cherry.
Acting Collector.

Proceedings.

14780 Fort St. George 15th August 1856

From Geo. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

To the Acting Collector of Tanjore

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will report whether the Revenue Servants who have been in the Revenue Department for the space of ten years and upwards and the Revenue Servants who have been in the Revenue Department for the space of six years and upwards and less than ten years and the Revenue Servants who have been in the Revenue Department for the space of three years and upwards and less than six years and the Revenue Servants who have been in the Revenue Department for the space of one year and upwards and less than three years and the Revenue Servants who have been in the Revenue Department for the space of one year and less have been employed in the Revenue Department of the Collectorate under your charge.

I am Sir
Your most obedient Servant
Signed Geo. S. Forbes
Secy.

14788. Fort St George 15 August 1856

B^d No: 2571.
Proceedings thereon
(604-605)

Resolved that the letter here above be submitted for the information of Government with reference to Colonel Mimtie's Consultation 30 June 1856 Public Works Department No: 1072.

2 The Acting Collector reports that no application has ever been made to his office for repairs to the Buildings occupied by the detachment at Trangabar and that no objections exist to their permanent transfer to the Military Department.

606

B^d No: 2874
From the Collector of Chingleput.

Sent allowance drawn by himself and his subordinates for July 1264.

606-607

B^d No: 2568.
Proceedings thereon

The Extra Sent allowance drawn by each officer for the number of days noted in the margin is sanctioned by the Board of Rev

No: 224.

To,

G. S. Forbes Esq^re
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to the consultation part of Para 2 of your Circular of the 1st instant No: 1993 I have the honor to inform you that the

M. J. Shubrick Collector Rey. 10
B Paunce 2 Sub Pr. Asst Collector 8.
R. K. Pickle Ly D: 138.

608

B^d No: 2919.
From the Collector of Tinnevelly

14789 Fort St George 15 August 1856.

dates borne by the Demand Collection and Balance Statements that are forwarded from this office have reference to the transactions of the Huzoor Treasury and not to those of the Talooks.

Tinnevelly Collectors Cutcheery Tencansey 26 July 1856

Signed S. Silver
Collector

608-609
Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded

No: 61

To,

G. S. Forbes Esq^re
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

610

B^d No: 3025.
From the Collector of Rajahmundry

Sir,

Munnem Veneatarainam and Davary Veneatia Ramaniah Joint Zemindars having transferred by sale their proprietory right in the Estate of Woonacuramilly or Ravenetta to Chavala Lutchmy nroo simhaswamy Naidoo and Inanelepeddy Veerammah I have the honor to report that it has been registered accordingly.

Rajahmundry District Collectors Office, Cocanada. 30 July 1856.

Signed A. Purvis
Collector

Proceedings

14790 Fort St. George 15th August 1856

B.d No. 2581

Proceedings

(610-611)

Thereon The Board of Revenue authorize the Registry of the estate of Voonacanamilly or Ravenetta estate in the names of C. Lutchmy Narroosinhaswamy Naidoo and Manlepeddy Veeramah who has purchased it from the late Proprietors.

No. 60.

To,

Gy. S. Forbes Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue.

612

B.d No. 3026.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry

Sir,

Fort St. George.

Monnem Venkataratnum and 20 Cantiah joint Proprietors having transferred by sale their proprietory right in the Estate of Gunnepatam to Chelecany Venkatroyuin garoo I have the honor to report that it has been registered accordingly

Rajahmundry District Collectors Office Cocanada 30th July 1856

(Signed) A. Purvis

Collector

14791 Fort St. George 15th August 1856

B.d No. 2576.

Proceedings

(612-613)

Thereon The Board of Revenue sanction the Registry of the estate of Gunnepatinam in the name of Chelecany Venkatroyuin garoo who purchased it from the late Proprietors.

No. 415.

To,

Gy. S. Forbes Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue.

614

B.d No. 2952.

From S. N. Ward Esqre Civil Judge of Cuddapah

Sir

I have the honor to request you will be so good as to favor me with Copy of the orders of Government (if any have been passed) on my communication to the Board of Revenue dated 26 January 1856 regarding ecclesiastical to which the work in the Courts may be printed as I remember having seen in the news papers that the report has been before Government I received thro' the Sudder Adalut only a printed Copy of my report with that of the Board's Circular to

14792 Fort St Georges 15 August 1836

to Collectors forwarding it.

Cuddalore Civil Court. 1st August 1836 Bd No. 2606. Proceedings thereon

Signed S. N. Ward Civil Judge.

(614-615)

Ordered that a printed Copy of the Board's Circular dated 21st April 1836 No. 1222 Containing the orders of Government on Mr Ward's Communication of the 26 January 1836 be forwarded to that Gentleman in Compliance with his request.

Govt. 7th March 1836.

No. 262

To

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. Georg.

(616)

Sir,

B. of R. No. 2961. From the Collector of Chingleput

I have the honor to return duly amended the accompanying estimate of Charges proposed to be incurred on account of additional establishment for July 1836. which was returned with your letter No. 2430 of yesterday's Date.

Chingleput Collectors District Cutcherry Chingleput 2 August 1836

Signed C. J. Shuldrick Collector

(616-617) Order thereon.

Ordered to be over-

14793 Fort St Georges 15 August 1836.

No. 157.

To

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St Georges.

(618)

Sir,

B. of R. No. 3131. From the Acting Collr. of Ganjam

With reference to your Circular No. 1520 dated the 19th May last I have the honor to transmit the accompanying Statement in the prescribed form of the Covenanted Officers in the revenue employ in this District.

Ganjam District, Collectors Office, Chetterpoor 4 August 1836

Signed W. Knox Acting Collector

Designation

1791.

Glenville Springs 15th August 1836

Sheet 1

Sheriff's Summons.

United States Circuit & Supreme Court Northern District of New York

To the Marshall of the said District or his Deputy Greeting

In pursuance of a Writ of Attachment issued out of the Circuit & Supreme Courts of the United States for the Northern District of New York, bearing date the 15th day of August 1836 and to me directed, I do hereby attach all the Estate, Goods, Chattels, Rights, Credits, Effects & Property whatsoever of Thomas Hastings of the Town of Glenville in the County of Schenectady & State of New York, Defendant, in the hands, possession or custody of Peter Vrooman of the Town of Glenville in the County of Schenectady aforesaid, Garnishee, to the amount of the Plaintiffs demand in the Writ of Attachment in this cause mentioned, with interest thereon from the 15th day of August 1836 and my fees for executing this Writ, and you the said Garnishee are hereby required to appear before the Circuit Court of the United States for the Northern District of New York, to be holden at the City of Albany in the said District on the first Tuesday of January next, then and there to answer unto such matters as shall be objected against you touching the debts, goods, chattels, effects & credits of the said Defendant in your hands, possession or custody, and further to perform & abide such order & decree therein as the said Court shall make in the premises.

Witness the Hon. Nathaniel Pitcher Judge of the said Court at the City of Albany the 15th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & thirty six & of the Independence of the United States the sixty first.

Attest Wm. Kent Clerk

Wm. Kent Clerk

Marshal's Return.

I have attached all the Estate, Goods, Chattels, Rights, Credits, Effects & Property whatsoever of the within named Defendant in the hands, possession or custody of the within named Garnishee, and have summoned the said Garnishee to appear & answer as within is required.

Dated August 15th 1836

Fees $1.00

Marshal's Return.

I have attached all the Estate, Goods, Chattels, Rights, Credits, Effects & Property whatsoever of the within named Defendant in the hands, possession or custody of the within named Garnishee, and have summoned the said Garnishee to appear & answer as within is required.

Dated August 15th 1836

Fees $1.00

11,795.

Fort St. George, 15th August 1836.

No. 121

To,

G. L. Forbes Esqr.

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George.

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B/N. 3073

From the Acting Collector of Tanjore - - -

Sending an advertisement for the sale of defaulters' land

Sir,

Para 1 I have had the honor to receive your letter of the 3d April last No. 972.

2 The defaulters thereon alluded to was called up before the Collector, and asked if he would consent to the sale of the piece of land not entered in the original notification, in lieu of the disputed one therein entered, and he has declined to do so. The piece of land first mentioned was not sold separately from the others included in the notification, and it is not possible to ascertain the price paid for it. Under the circumstances I have directed the sale to be annulled and the purchase money to be returned to the purchaser, and I enclose an advertisement for the lands really belonging to the defaulter to be sold anew. The lands entered in this advertisement from the defaulter's own holding, and it will be observed that they are taken out of 3 Cuttays two of which are the same that were entered in the Original notification, with this difference that the extent taken in one

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ones of them is in excess of that formerly entered by one "Maw" under a fresh Outlay has been taken up to supply the place of the third.

3 It appears that the Tahsildar suspended the Sale of the disputed portion of the land first advertised because the ownership of it was claimed by the party that produced the exchange from the Civil Courts proceedings on behalf of his ward and also because the defaulter's interest in it appeared to be only that of a Mortgagee. It further appeared that there were other lands undisputably belonging to the defaulter which were available for the satisfaction of the arrears against him.

4 The balance against the defaulter with charges of Establishment and interest up to September last, was included in the Rs. 1153 - 8 - 7 entered in No. 2 K 8 as due by the defaulters of the Codavapel taluk reported by Mr. Forbes in his letter of the 22d November last. This then amounted to Rupees 41. 12 - 11 Further interest up to the day of Sale will be calculated and added to the above amount.

Sanjore 7th August 1830.

I Signed I J. W. Cherry
Acting Collector

Fort St. George, 15th August 1830

Statement of the Lands to be Sold.

Description of the Lands.

No.	Name	Extent	Assessment.	Amount. Deduction of arrears pay able for current Fasly.	
	Mettikeri Nanjaida Pongaida Do.	5	7	9	
1	Nanjaida	Wetland Cuttay	2 50	5 5 10	Rs. 10 0 0 Rs. 100
2	Pongaida	Unmanured ditto Cuttay	" 20	" 1 5	
3	Do.	Mettikeri Cuttay	" 10	" 1 1	
			4 " 2½	" " 6.	
			" 2 82½	5 9 7	5 9 7

Sd/ J. W. Cherry
Collector

Errors excepted

Sd/ J. W. Cherry
Collector

Defaulter's Name. Taluk Village

1 2 3

Mr. Forbes Assistant Collector

Codavapel Sandyashury

Taluk

Sanjore ...

7th August 1830

Bd. No. 3577.
Proceedings thereon
620-621

Under the circumstances stated in the foregoing letter the Board of Revenue authorise resale of the lands of the Defaulter Swamynadan and direct the publication in their Office of the advertisement forwarded by the Collector thereof the 18th September next being fixed for the day of

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No. 334

To
G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary
Board of Revenue

622

Bd. No. 3040
From the Asst Collector of Sea Customs Madras
19 in number
Sea Custom House
Madras 8th August 1850
Order thereon
622-623

Sir,

I have the honor with reference to Proceedings Board of Revenue dated 7th August 1850 No. to transmit the Packages therein referred to.

I Signed I W. E. Cochrane
Asst Collector Sea Customs

Ordered to be recorded.

No. 95

To
G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

624

Bd. No. 3136
From the Collector of Salem

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 21st April last enquiring whether the directions contained in the Board's Proceedings of the 24th December 1834 to discontinue

practice of adjourning sales in the case of Revenue farms put up to auction, are strictly observed I have the honor to state that most of the Minor farms for Fusly 1263 had been put up to sale previous to the receipt of this Circular, and that the abkarry rent for 3 years has not yet transpired.

2 The instructions contained in the Circular of the 24th December 1833 will be strictly adhered to from Fusly 1266 Orders explaining the nature of these instructions have been issued to the general local Officers.

Salem Collectors Office
9th August 1850.
Order thereon
624-625

I Signed W. A. Brett
Collector

Ordered to lie over

No. 160.

626

Bd. No. 3135
From the Collector of North Arcot

To
G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

With reference to my letter of the 10th Ultimo No. 133, which accompanied an Indent in Duplicate for Medium Paper urgently required for the preparation of the Monthly Journals to the Accountant General, I have the honor to bring to the Board's notice, that the paper in question has not yet been received in this Office, and that the preparation of the fair Journal for July last is in consequence retarded.

North Arcot
Collectors Circuit Cutcherry
Wallajapett 12th August 1850.

I Signed S. Whittinghame
Collector

Ordered

11,801

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Fort St. George, 15th August 1850

Bn. No. 2579.

Statement Shewing the State of the Season in the undermentioned District during the Month of July 1850.

District & Date.	Rain fall	State of the Crops and the Cultivation operations	Prices whether high or low rising falling or Stationary	Further Remarks
11,801 1900 Rajahmundry Jun Con: 15 th August 1850.	There had been good falls of rain throughout the District except in the Colepilly Taluk where the rain was not sufficient to enable the Ryots to carry on the Wet Cultivation to the usual extent.	The first Series of dry Crops were generally thriving but in a few places the heavy rain that had fallen injured them. The Cultivation of the early Wet Crops was progressing rapidly. The sugar cane Crops were flourishing as were also those of gingelly Oil Seed and Indigo. Cotton is not generally sown until later in the Season.	Were much the same as in the preceding month.	

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
15th August 1850.

(Signed) G.S. Forbes
Secretary

So.

12802

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23d No 2574

To The Collectors of
Nellore
Chingleput,
North Arcot,
South Arcot,
Bellary
Cuddapah
and Kurnool

Fort St. George 15th August 1835

To

The Collector of
Nellore.

Sir.

In consequence of the abolition of the
Mahratta language, and other changes in their
Establishment it has become necessary to dispo
with the services of several of the Goomastahs
attached to the Boards Mahratta Cutcherry, and
is wished that the displaced Servants should be
vided for in some of the Provinces, the Board have
ed me to forward to you the accompanying list
request that on vacancies occurring you will pro
for the parties entered therein on Salaries near
equivalent to the amount they now receive.

2

It should be mentioned that all
Servants bear good characters while last in most
instances. Much economy in revenue accounts
and are likely to be useful public Servants. Ha
on the list might answer as a Subdivision or
Naib Sheristadar, or for one of the larger Tahsil
others are qualified for the Office of Tahsil
Sheristadar, Peishcar or for Huzzoor
Goomastahships.

Revenue Board Office.
Fort St. George
15th August 1835.

I Signed G. Sutherland
Secretary

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No.

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	Names of the Goomastahs	Situation	Present Salary	Age	Period of Service in Board's Cutcherry. Y.	M.	D.
1	A. Vriddha Row	Head Goomastah	90	36	19	1	3
2	N. Rama Row	2d Do	54	37	8	9	3
3	Vr. Jagunnatheum	Goomastah	33	Off Commissioners Establishment.			
4	Conary Row	Do	48	49	27	0	18
5	H. Rama Row	Do	42	36	3	1	8
6	Coopoon Row	Do	35	31	10	10	5
7	Luchmna Row	Do	25	34	10	10	5
8	Madwa Row.	Do	17	27	9	4	21
9	Seroomul Row	Do	15	34	7	8	21
10	Nagoonauth Row	Do	10	21	4	9	24

To

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To

The Collector of

Nellore

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that the undermentioned Statements which are due have not yet been received in this Office, and to request that you will immediately cause their despatch

Revenue Board's Office
Fort St. George
13th August 1850

/ Signed / L. D. Sim

Sub Secretary

B. of B. Statements for June and July 1850.

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To

The Collector of Madras

and Acting Collector of

Sea Customs

Sir

In consequence of certain arrangements which are under contemplation in the Board's Office it has become necessary to dispense with the services of Mr Scallon and 7 Peons remaining 7 Peons each for the present but as it is wished to provide these persons with other situations of like Emolument instead of dismissing them, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that on the occasions of Vacancies in your Establishment you will fill them up from the Supernumeraries in the Board's Office until they are absorbed.

Revenue Board's Office
Fort St. George
13th August 1850

/ Signed / G. Forbes

Secretary

B. No. 2561
To The Collector of Nellore

B. No. 2562
To Captain Noaks
Commander of the
"Earl of Wardwicke"
Madras Roadstead

B. No. 2563
To The Collector of Madras
& Ag. Collector of Sea Customs

Office Memo:
Office Peons 3.
Cutcherry Do. 4
do Masalchee 1
8

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To Captain Noaks.

Commander of the

"Earl of Wardwicke"

Madras Roadstead

Sir

I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to Sign the accompanying Bill for Rupees 270 being the freight paid to you by the Commissioner Northern Circars for 30 Boxes of Government records shipped in the "Earl of Wardwicke" the document being required by the Civil auditor to enable him to pass the charge incurred.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
13th August 1850

/ Signed / L. D. Sim

Sub Secretary

B. No. 3138
From the Collector of Chingleput dated 13th August 1850. Read Letter

633

Forwarding for audit an Extra Tent allowance Bill of the late Acting Head assistant Collector for the Month of May last.

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Order thereon

Ordered to be sent to the Civil auditor.

Received the undermentioned

635

Miscellaneous Letters and Statements.

Mc. No. 1894
From the Ag. Collector of Guntoor. Statement of Demand Collection

636

and Balance of Revenue for June 1850.

Mc. No. 1902
From the Collector of Salem. Comparative Statement shewing the

Collections

637 Mr. No. 1895 — Collections in Fusslies 1263-55 up to July 1850.
From the Collector of Guntoor. Comparative Statement Showing

638 Mr. No. 1893 — the Collections in Fusslies 1264/53 up to July 1850.
From the Collector of Bellary. Comparative Statement Showing

639 Mr. No. 1901 — the Collections for Fusslies 1263/56 up to July 1850.
From the Collector of Salem. Comparative Statement Showing

640 Mr. No. 1903. — the Collections for Fusslies 1263/65 up to July 1850.
From the Ag. Agent at Tinnevel. Rain Report for July 1850.

Mr. No. 1904
From the Ag. Agent at Tinnevel. Reporting the non transmission
641 of certain periodical Returns for July 1850.

642 Mr. No. 1900 — Statement Showing
From the Collector of Rajahmundry. State of the Season for July 1850.

643 Mr. No. 1897 — Average Bazar Prices and Statement
From the Collector of Bellary. of New Cultivation for July 1850.

644 Mr. No. 1898 — Average Bazar Prices and Statement
From the Collector of Chingleput. of New Cultivation for June 1850.

645 Mr. No. 1899 — Statement Showing the
From the Collector of South Arcot. Gold and Silver Bullion and Specie imported
into South Arcot during July 1850.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Saturday the 16th August 1850.

646 — Read the following Papers.

B. D. 2898. — No. 174.
From the Jt. Sec. to Govt. — Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Public Department Dated 30th July 1850.

Read the following Papers.

From the Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Submitting an application for a Superannuation Pension in favor of S. Veerasawmy Modelly 1st Class Copyist on the Board's Establishment. — Here Enter 17th July 1850 †

From the Civil Auditor
Reports on the Service of S. Veerasawmy Modelly 1st Class Copyist on the Establishment of the Board of Revenue. — " — " — 16th — Do. "

From the Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Informing that a Substitute has been doing duty for S. Veerasawmy Modelly for a period of Forty two Months within the last Twenty years. — " — " — 19th — Do. " —

Age	Period of Service	Average Salary for the last five years of Service	Abstract of the grounds of application
Yrs. Mts. Ds.	Yrs. Mts. Ds.	Rs. A. P.	
60 — 3 — "	20 — 1 — 16	23 — 2 — 3	Age and great Impairment of Vision

Resolved that a Superannuation Pension of Rupees (8) Eight per Mensem be granted to S. Veerasawmy Modelly and that a † Certificate be issued making the same payable as requested from the date of this Order Viz. 30th July 1850.

† No. 1948

True Extract
(Signed) G. A. Taylor
Jt. Sec. to Govt.

ordered

646-647
Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded.

original certificate has been delivered the Pensioner.

648

After B. No. 3027.
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department Dated 5th August 1851.

Stating that the Charge of Rs 5 incurred by the Collector of Sea Customs for the supply of Tatties should have been passed by that Officer on the authority given to him by the Rules for Contingent Charges.....

/See No. 809. in Separate Volume/ P. 29

648-649
B. No. 2605.
Order thereon.

Ordered to be communicated to the Acting Collector of Sea Customs for information and guidance. The Civil Auditor appears originally to have objected to the Charge under a misapprehension that the tatties were for keeping the Office Cool, and the Charge therefore precluded by the Order quoted by him. If it be explained that they were used to form a temporary Office while the permanent building was under repair, he will doubtless pass it without further difficulty.—

650

B. No. 3031
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department Dated 5th August 1850.

Sanctioning the refund by the Collector of Trichinopoly of a fine of Rs 7 imposed on one Peermien.

/See No. 809. in Separate Volume/ P. 30

B. No. 2600
Order thereon.

Ordered that a Copy be forwarded to the Collector of Trichinopoly for information and guidance.—

650-651

652

B. No. 3033.
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department Dated 5th August 1850.—

Concurring with the Board and the Collector of Canara that the division of the talook of Soopah into two separate talooks is highly desirable, requesting to submit a Statement of its present Establishments together with a Statement of that proposed for each of the 2 new talooks, and stating why the proposed transfer of the 7 Villages from the Dehul to the Buntwall talook appears to the Government to be of doubtful expediency.—

/See No. 808 in Separate Volume/ P. 31

652-653

B. No. 2602
Order thereon.

Ordered to forwarded to the Collector of Canara, who will furnish the Statements and report called for by Government.—

654

B. No. 3040
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department Dated 7th August 1850.—

Communicating Orders with respect to certain Service Enams under Sequestration in the District of Bellary

/See No. 833. in Separate Volume/ P. 33

654-655

B. No. 3593
Order thereon.

Ordered to be forwarded to the Collector of

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of Bellary who will furnish the information
for by Government in para 3.

656

B. No. 3047.
From the Secretary
to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Revenue Department Dated 7th August 18

Requesting the Board to submit the
Reports on lapsed Enams that may be
received from the Collectors in reply
to their Circular and to submit a
general Statement when the whole
shall have been received.

/See No. 833
in Separate Vol.
P. 34

656-657

Order thereon.

Ordered to be recorded & the request
Government will be duly attended to.

658

B. No. 3048.
From the Secretary
to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Revenue Department Dated 7th August 1850

Confirming the purchase of the
Village of Bundaseeroom in Rajahmundry
on account of Government for Rupees
200. and directing that a Survey be
made of the Enam land in that
Village held by the Mocaseedars
and also an investigation of
the title on which it is
held.

/See No. 834
in Separate Volume
P. 35

658-659

B. No. 2585
Order thereon.

Ordered to be forwarded to the
Collector of Rajahmundry for information &
guidance.

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B. No. 3049.
From the Secretary
to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Revenue Department Dated 7th August 1850.

Communicating Orders with
respect to the configuration of
the Talooks of the Districts of
Guntoor, Tinnevelly and
Coimbatore.

/See No. 828
in Separate Volume/
P. 36

660-661

B. No. 2630.
Order thereon.

Ordered that Copies be forwarded to the
Collectors of Guntoor, Tinnevelly, Coimbatore and
Tanjore, for information and guidance.—

662

B. No. 3050
From the Secretary
to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Revenue Department Dated 7th August 1850

Granting Sanction for the refund
of Rupees 2219 being the fine imposed on
Hakurlah Lutchmeenurseah by the
late Special Assistant Collector of
Masulipatam under Regulation IX of
1812; and directing that the Amount
be debited to the head of
"Refunds of Duties Revenue"—

/See No. 827
in Separate Volume/
P. 37

662-663

B. No. 2587.
Order thereon,

Ordered to be forwarded to the
Acting Collector of Masulipatam for
information and guidance particularly
as regards the mode of debiting the
Refund in the account.—

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B. No. 3051
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consult
Revenue Department Dated 7th August 1

664

Declining to accede to the application of the Commissioner, Northern Circars for the Employment of a Survey Clerk by the Collector of Vizagapatam at an expense of Rupees 72 per Mensem

/See No. 834 in Separate Vol P. 38

664-665

B. No. 2583
Order thereon

666

Ordered to be forwarded to the Coll of Vizagapatam for information

B. No. 3052
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Revenue Department Dated 7th August 1850

Declining for reasons stated to comply with the recommendation of the Collector of Cuddapah and the Board to Continue the pension enjoyed by the late Syed Muhamed Khan to the claimant Syed Khader Hoosain Khan

/See No. 835 in Separate Vol P. 39

666-667

B. No. 2595
Order thereon

Ordered to be forwarded to the Collector of Cuddapah for information and guidance

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B. No. 3057
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Revenue Department Dated 8th August 1850

668

Resolving to recommend to the Government of India that the Share of the Enam in the District of Bellary held by the late Abdoorah be resumed and that an allowance of Rupees 25 per mensem be continued to his son Syed Hadree for his life

/See No. 837 in Separate Volume P. 40

668-669

B. No. 2592
Order thereon

Ordered to be forwarded to the Collector of Bellary for his information and guidance

670

B. No. 3090
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Revenue Department Dated 9th August 1850

Passing Endorsement on Petition No. 368 of 1850 permitting Petitioner to sue in the Courts of Adawlut for her Share of Certain Shrotriems and Manieums in the Nellore District

/See No. 842 in Separate Volume P. 41

670-671

B. No. 2588
Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated through the Collector of Nellore for information of Petitioner

672

B. No. 3093
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Revenue Department Dated 9th August 1850

Remitting the Charge of Rupees 89-5-4 made by the Acting Collector of Masulipatam for ferrying the families of the 30th Regiment N. I. across the Kistnah

/See No. 843 in Separate Volume P. 42

672-673

B. No. 2586
Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Masulipatam for information and guidance

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674

G. L. Forbes Esqr
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

D. No. 1129
From the Asstt. Agent to the Govt. at Kurnool in charge
Furnishing information respecting old Gardeen lands.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from Board's Proceedings of date the 25th November 1852, I have the honor to report that the utmost publicity of the Order has been given throughout the District and availing themselves of the indulgence there bestowed certain Ryots have already sunk Sweeps Wells under the conditions of this rule and many likely to do so—

2.

In reply to the 1st clause of the 5th Para. I beg to subjoin a Statement shewing extent and Teerwa of land under well Cultivation as well as Teerwagastee and Fusulgastee levied on some of the lands as also those taken for Cultivation and left waste. It is necessary to observe here that acres 197—2—5½ of land originally classed as bagayet but on which no assessment was fixed during the Pymash. were never brought under Cultivation. and are therefore excluded from the Statement.

Particulars.

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Particulars.	Land	Assessment: Ordinary assessment	Assessment: Teerwagastee	Assessment: Fusulgastee	Assessment: Total	Average between Columns Nos. 2 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Bagayet { Land highly assessed	387 12 3½	6366 9 8	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	6366 9 8	16 7 .
Bagayet { Do. lightly assessed	7323 38 9½	16936 10 8	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	16936 10 8	6 11 3
Total	7911 10 13	23303 4 4	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	23303 4 4	.. .. ..
Land originally classed as Bagayet on which Tuzzy Crop has been reared and Teerwagastee has since been levied	15 .. 7½	58 13 8	81 .. 5	.. .. ..	139 14 1	.. .. ..
Land—Do—as one Crop on Bagayet on which a 2nd Crop has since been raised and Fusulgastee Charged	57 37 11¾	166 5 9	.. .. ..	88 14 11	255 4 8	.. .. ..
Total taken for Cultivation	2979 9 3¼	23528 7 9	81 .. 5	88 14 11	23698 7 1	.. .. ..
Land relinquished by Ryots and left waste owing to high assessment or impoverishment of Ryots	204 25 3¼	1610 11 10	.. .. ..	.. .. ..	1610 11 10	7 14 ..
Total Bagayet land entered in the Pymash	3183 34 6½	25139 3 7	81 .. 5	88 14 11	25309 2 11	.. .. ..
Land Originally classed as dry but now paying Teerwagastee and Fusulgastee	821 11 13¾	2814 10 7	1909 14 1	36 12 9	4761 5 5	5 11 11
Present extent and Teerwa of land	4005 6 3¾	27953 14 2	1990 14 6	125 11 8	30070 8 4	.. .. ..

Classed as Bagayet on the Pymash and left for Cultivation

Classed in the Pymash as dry but subsequently converted into Bagayet and taken for Cultivation

With

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3. With reference to clause 2 Para 5 I beg to observe that reductions when urgently necessary have at different times been made on highly assessed lands.

4. Of acres 387—17—3½ after a careful enquiry, the assessment on acres 371—7—11½ was reduced to Rupees 16—7—0 an acre, but these lands yielding two crops the ryots are well able to pay that is average acres 15—3½ Situated in the Village of Tungadancha Kundicotcon Taluk are assessed at the rate of Rupees 38—12—0 an acre. Since the Moghulye days these lands had acres 771—7—8¼ attached to them rent free these have been assessed this year, and a reduction made on the Bagayet lands according to the Board's Proceedings dated 28th May last.

5. The following Statement contains the information called for in Clause 3 of the 5th Para.

	Land			Assessment			Average
Cultivable Bagayet land left waste	118	27	8½	992	4	3	9 5
Do wholly unfit for Cultivation	97	27	10¾	818	7	7	8 5
	204	25	3¼	1810	11	10	7
Lands taken up for Cultivation during the Villaway of 1264 Fusly	27	18	2¾	184	1	9	6
Land originally classed as Bagayet but left waste and which may be eventually taken for Dry Cultivation	11	4	9½	3	4	..	..
	38	23	2¼	187	5	9	..
Land on which high assessment has been levied and on which a reduction is requisite	68	4	6¼	874	11	6	12 8

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6. Owing to the unsettled state of the assessment in this District former Commissioners have reduced the Teerwa on this description of land as well as on other lands whenever the Goatta was found to be too high.—

Kurnool District—
Govt. Agents Office
On Circuit Calwah
27th March 1856

(Signed) J. G. Russell
Asst. Agent to the Govt. in Charge

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.—

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To,
The Officiating Agent
at Kurnool.

B. No. 2590
To the Officiating Agent at Kurnool ----

In Copy: 16th August 1856.

Sir,

Adverting to your letter, dated 27th March 1856 reporting on the Old Garden lands in your District with reference to the Board's Proceedings dated 25th November 1852, I am directed to state in respect to the small extent of Cultivable Bagayet left waste, that you are at liberty to act on the General Authority you already possess for reducing excessive assessment, and to grant relief where it may be found necessary; and that as there seems no pressing call for waste lands the Board are of opinion that other changes in the assessment of the Garden lands may be deferred until the General Survey and reassessment

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reassessment of the District.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
16th August 1850

/Signed/ G. S. Forbes
Secretary

No. 79.

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G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

B. No. 2608.
From the Collector
of Canara

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to inform me what has been the result of an application submitted by my predecessor under date the 8th April 1850 for sanction for two Peons employed in the Civil Dispensary at Honore, and for the entertainment of an equal number at Mangalore.

Collectors Cutcherry
Mangalore 5th July 1850

/Signed/ Wm. Fisher
Collector

B. No. 2603.

Proceedings thereon.

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The Government have ordered the discontinuance of these Peons in Extract Minutes Consultation 19th July 1850. Copy of which was forwarded to the Collector with the Board's Proceedings of 6th August 1850.

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678 B. No. 2749

Statement shewing the Amount of arrear due to the undermentioned Puttas Enam Peishcush on the District of South Arcot submitted for the Sanction of the Board of Revenue.

Number in the Register	Name	Amount of Peishcush Fanam	Date of Government authority	Nature of the grant	Explanation of the cause of suspension of Payment.	Order of the Board of Revenue
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6	Emaccadapatty	97	2 to 31st January 1842	Sastry	From the enquiry held by the Tahsildar of Memargoody it appears that the pensioner died on the 2d March 1834 leaving a Widow and a daughter only the said Brattee by absence from the place and through sickness allowed the pension to remain undrawn for upwards of 13 years The Collector now solicits authority of the Board to discharge the arrear due Pgs. Rs. 13.5 as herein exhibited to Noobaradivy, the daughter of the deceased to whom the daughter has given her consent. The grant Sastry has lapsed to Government. —	

South Arcot Collr's Circuit Cutcherry
Pondi Nore, 15th Augt. 1850

/Signed/ G. Mall
Collector

Madras

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Bd No 2598
Proceedings thereon
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Under the circumstances stated by the Collector, the Board of Revenue, with reference to the authority conveyed in Enclosed Minutes Consultation dated 21st May 1853 No 611 authorize the Collector to disburse to the brother of deceased the amount of arrears due to the latter up to the date of his death amounting to Rupees 31-13-6 from 13th July 1853 to 20th March 1854.—

To

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1856

G. S. Forbes Esqr
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George

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Bd No 2871
From the Collector
of Malabar

Sir,

As I have not the means of procuring printing Ink at present, I have the honor to request that measures may be taken in view to my being furnished with a supply of the same together with a Press which I believe is still in the Sea Custom House at Madras.—

2 I observe by the Memorandum annexed to your letter of the 12th April last that no Malyalum Type or Brass Lines are sent with the Press, as the former alone can make the Press a paying speculation and render it useful to me, and without the latter it would not be practicable to print forms of Statements, I beg further to request

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request that I may be supplied with a sufficient amount of these articles also.

/ Signed J. Clarke
Collector

Calicut
24th July 1856

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply:—

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Bd No 2616
To the Collector of
Malabar
* Sn Cons 16 Aug 1856 No 2891
† Sn Cons 1st Aug 1856

To, The Collector of
Malabar

Sir,

With reference to your letters of the 24th ult and 28th July 1856 I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that they have this day despatched by 5 Carts containing 20 Packages of Printing Press and materials &c as stated in the accompanying Memorandum

The Board desire me to state that a portion of the Bandy hire Viz Rupees 120 has been paid at this Office and request that you will be so good as to pay the balance Rupees 40 on the arrival of the said articles. The amount Rupees 120 advanced to the Bandy men you will be pleased to remit to me at your earliest convenience.—

Revenue Board Office
Fort Saint George
16th August 1856

/ Signed G. S. Forbes
Secretary

No 1

Memorandum

3. Cases containing a Washington Iron Press
1 Wooden Press.
4 Benches.—

4 Damping Boards
1 Imposing stone with Stand & Trough
4 Stands for English Cases.—
10 Wooden Galleys
6 Do Composing Sticks
2 Mallets & 2 Planers
250 Quoins
1000 Reglets
1 Turn Screw & 2 Friskel pins
6 Dozens Head, foot & Side Sticks

Box No 1/1

4 Boxes containing English Type marked C1, C2, C3, C4
1 Box containing English Type Cases, Wm & Cs.
1 Inking Table
1 Roller Mould with Stock and Frame
1 Canister containing 18 lbs black Printing Ink

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To

G. S. Forbes Esqr
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George

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Sir

B. No 2888
From the Collector
of Chingleput

In reply to your letter No 2346 of the 26th Instant, I have the honor to inform you that a sketch of the ground to be appropriated for building purposes at each of the Railway stations in this District which was called for by the Board will be forwarded to you as soon as it is received from the District Engineer to whom application has

has been again made on the subject.—

2 Referring to Para 2 of your letter under acknowledgment, I beg to state that the extent of land proposed to be allotted to each building site Viz. ⅛ of a Cawney or 3 grounds is perfectly correct but that the error noticed by the Board has occurred in the conversion of the extent into Square feet which I request may be rectified as pointed out by them.—

Chingleput District,
Collectors Cutcherry,
Sydapet 29th July 1856

/Signed/ C. J. Shubrick
Collector

Order thereon

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Ordered to be recorded the error having been corrected previous to the receipt of this letter.—

No 154

To

G. S. Forbes Esqr
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George

684

B. No 2940
From the Collector
of North Arcot

Sir

I have the honor with reference to my letter of the 25th Instant No 144 to submit a Statement of the Beriz and balance due by a few Ryots paying more than 20 Rupees to Government as a further proof how little attention has been paid by the Thasildar of this Talook /Cuttoor/ to the important subject of sending notices on

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on defaulters.—

2 In not one of the instances adduced has a notice been served, tho' it will be observed that in 6 or 7 cases not a single puc has been paid up to this date.—

3 I have as yet distributed the puttahs of only 100 Villages in this Talook and yet I have found very many more instances than those I have stated of large outstanding balances of beriz for which no notices have been served.

4. The instances cited are those only in which the beriz is above 20 Rupees. It is not probable that the state of the Collections from puttadars within that amount has been more diligently attended to—

North Arcot
Collector's Cutcherry
Chittoor 30th July 1856

/Signed/ C. W. Cullingham
Collector

Statement

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No—

Statement shewing the beriz and Balance due by certain Ryots in Chittoor Talook of the North Arcot District.—

Names of Villages	Names of Ryot	Amount of Beriz	Balance due by Ryots
Pauparauty pully	Mullah reddy Chengumah Vencutreddy	133 4 «	52 9 11
Cattapully	Munnaroo Tippabah	61 14 «	29 13 1
Sadacoopum	Chemapah	74 3 3	47 7 3
	Tummanah	24 16 3	23 10 3
	S. Chengadee Mottagan Masen	21 2 7	17 2 9
	Ramadoo	42 7 2	29 11 2
Sanakarapully	Bunder Kistna Row	31 2 9	31 2 9
Yagana Calwah	Soobrow	23 8 8	23 8 8
Buttavany pully	Ramasawmy Lutchmiah	59 1 1	53 4 8
Vuyyareddy pully	Bolenany Mooneypah	65 4 6	52 « 4
Valachacabuah	Chenganah	93 6 5	35 3 3
Madavarum	Vencutreddy	42 « 8	26 « 2
	Chinna narainreddy	31 1 11	15 6 8
Gandlapully	B. Vencutroy Chetty	40 8 4	40 8 4
Konapully	Moonereddy	72 14 2	31 4 2
	Veneatapah	38 9 5	38 9 5

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Names of Village	Name of Ryot	Amount of Peiz			Balance due by Ryots		
Ugavanampully	Chenganah	26	4	0	26	4	0
Manedy Gottapully	Bundla Mallapah	25	0	0	15	15	0
Yechanany	Lingareddy and others	27	4	6	27	4	6
	Manyam Ramy reddy	43	3	9	31	10	0
Pautoor	Gulla Vurdappah	57	1	7	28	8	0
Mookarapully	Gulla Vencatappah & others	39	3	5	21	11	0
	Gulla Vencatapah						
	Vencatramunnah						
	Chengunnah	33	0	11	33	0	0
	Goorumppah						
Oottara Brammanapully	Chengama Naicken	54	12	9	32	13	0
Dutchana Brammanapully	Goly Permallo & others	130	0	0	130	0	0
	Fakeerreddy	32	8	0	22	8	0
Pota chinna campully	Moneyem Lidda reddy	26	13	6	24	8	0
Kookalapully	Moneyem Chinna Chengulreddy	29	1	1	23	7	0
Poonapully	Vencatapah & others	103	14	0	65	11	0
Total Persons 28	Total Rupees	1471	11	8	1023	11	0

North Arcat
Collectors Cutcherry
Chittoor 30th July 1856

(Signed) C Whittingham
Collector

Ordered

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Order thereon
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Ordered to be recorded the on Boards instructions on this subject having been already communicated to the Collector.—

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To
G. I. Forbes Esqr
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue

B. S. 2931

Sir,

From the Dy Register of the Court of Suder Udalut

I am directed by the Judges of the Suder Udalut to state in reply to your letter of the 19th ultimo, that the decrees received from the Civil Judge of Calicut are too few in number and not sufficiently varied, to be published in illustration of the local usages on which the mutual rights of landlords and tenants in Malabar are based and that the Court have consequently called upon the local judicial Officers to select and forward if possible one or two decrees bearing

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bearing on each of the different tenures.—

2 I am further directed to state that the Court will be prepared to avail themselves of any information which the Board may possess on the subject, or of any assistance which the Board may afford them in making a selection from the printed decrees of the Courts in Malabar.—

Sudr. Udalut
Registers Office
1st August 1856

/ Signed / C. F. Chamier
Deputy Registr

Order thereon

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Ordered to be recorded

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No. 91

To G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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B. No. 3168
From the Actg Collr
of Masulipatam

Sir,

With reference to the Board's Circular of the 3d ultimo No. 2015, I have the honor to state that I do not see any objection to the provisions of Act XXII of 1855, being made applicable to the only Port in this District, Viz.t, Masulipatam.—

2 In reply to Para 2 I have to state that prior to the receipt of the Circular a draft of the Port rules considered applicable to this Port, was prepared by the Master Attendant at the requisition of the Marine Board, and believing that it may be of some use in the preparation of the rules by the Revenue Board I send a copy herewith with one of Captain Maiden's

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Maidens letter forwarding the rules.

3. It will be observed from Para 2 that Captain Maiden states the limits which in his opinion, should constitute the Port of Masulipatam for the purposes of the Act. In regard to these I concur with him.

Masulipatam Collectors Cutchery 4th August 1856

(Signed) J. Fraser
Acting Collector

No 50

To J. Fraser Esqre.
Acting Collector of
Masulipatam

Sir,

In reply to your letter No 37 dated 9th Instant referring to a Circular letter from the Marine Board of Madras having reference to Act XXII of 1855 I have the honor to enclose a draft of Rules for this Port consisting of 18 in number which I have used to think will be found to embrace the

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the Act necessary to be enforced for the benefit of the trade and the protection of Roads, Rivers and Canals of Masulipatam.

Para 4 of the Board's letter appears to be the first calling for any remark I would suggest that a line drawn from Point Deny to the Bungalows at Tavesepoody four miles to the N.E. of Masulipatam be the outer boundary line of the Port of Masulipatam for all purposes of Act XXII of 1855 I would also suggest that the Masulipatam River in general use the Pettah Canal leading therefrom to the Custom House. The branches of the River known as the Soomala Polem and Chinnaspoor Canals the Pier at the Sea gate of the Fort and the Custom House Basin be included within

within the limits of the Port for all purposes of this Act.-

Para 6 of the Board's letter does not appear to require any remark as Section VI of the Act provides for a conservator at all Ports where there is a Master attendant.-

Out of 13 Classes for local Port Rules laid down in Section VII the 2d and 5th appear to me to be the only ones necessary to be made applicable to this Port, and have been provided for in proposed Rules 1 and 3 I have said nothing regarding Clause 11 not being aware that the Board wish any change in the Boat Rules now in force.-

Paras 9 and 10 of the Board's letter require no remark.

Paras 11 having reference to Section XII of Act XXII cannot be made applicable to this Port.

With regard to Para 12 the proposed

proposed Rule 4 provides for Section 13 proposed Rule 5 for Section 14 proposed Rule 6 for Section 36 of the Act the latter need not be strictly enforced.-

With regard to Section 19 I am not aware of any obstructions requiring to be removed in any part of the River in general use I am not sure that impediments to navigation do not exist in the two Canals before named leading from the Masulipatam River and proposed to be included within the limits of this Port but shall give you positive information on this subject as early as possible.-

Two Buoys having been sanctioned by Government and ordered to be made for the purpose of making the Anchorage, they have been mentioned in proposed Rule 1. There being an uncertainty as to what time these buoys are likely to be supplied I do not know if any Rule could consistently be framed under Section XX of the Act.-

Proposed

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Proposed Rule 8 has been drawn in accordance with Section XXII of the Act and should be strictly enforced as I have reason to believe much injury has been done to the Roads as well as the River and Canals of this Port by Ballast and rubbish being thrown over board and to enable the authorities to carry out this Rule more fully I beg to suggest that the informant against persons transgressing against this Rule receive a portion of the fine.

No place at present can be laid down as a permanent one to take sand ballast from or to deposit ballast landed as much must depend on the shifting of the sand and the new cut proposed / when commenced / may alter the place necessary to deposit stones &c from time to time.

The place for docking and repairing Vessels has been provided for

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in proposed Rule 8 which with proposed Rule 9 should be strictly enforced as I feel certain that the Canals suffer much injury from the causes provided against entailing great expense on Government and much inconvenience to the Mercantile Community of the place.

Section XXVI need not be enforced at this Port.

Regarding Paras 20 to 23 of the Boards letter, I beg to suggest that no Rules be enforced with regard to Vessels having Gun powder on board the same being likely to add much to the detention in a Port like this more Vessels are obliged to move at so great a distance from the shore. It is very desirable that no Rule be introduced in any way likely to add to that already so much a subject of dissatisfaction to Commanders frequenting the Port.

I beg respectfully to observe

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observe that I think you will be able to reply much more satisfactorily to Paras 29. 30. 31 than I could do..

The suggestion in Paras 33 and 34 have been provided for in proposed Rule 2..

Para 33 has been provided for in proposed Rule 10 regarding the Person charged with the Collection of Port dues &c, will be a matter for the consideration of the Collector of Sea Customs. The Board requires the amount of Port dues to be levied under the new Rule should be stated in the New Port Rules and recommend the remaining the same. Taking into consideration that a Light is again to be established on the Fort Flag staff and Buoys are to be laid down I would respectfully suggest that the Port dues be increased

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50 per Cent and do not think this could on any way be a subject of complaint considering two Light Establishments will have to be kept up- This being a question for consideration the Rule is left blank..

Para 36 requires the Officer to be named who is to grant a Port clearance this I have also left for your consideration and decision--

Para 37 of the Board's letter I presume refers to Ordnances forbidding certain Flags to be worn by British Merchant Vessels under a penalty and the seizure of the Flags, and not Flags to be in possession of the conservator.

I have the honor in conclusion to inform you that there is very little reliable information to be obtained from the merchants

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and people of business of this pla
and as Masulipatam differs so
much from the other Ports on th
Coast I do not think any inform
could be gained by correspondenc
with them likely to be in any wa
useful to the matter under consider

The proposed Rules have
been drawn up to the best of my
ability to meet all the requirement
of this Port and I have made the
as concise as possible knowing
from experience Commanders sel
take the trouble to look through
Rules, if very long.

I beg to enclose a form of rep
to be sent to vessels with the
new Port Rules and would sugge
a schedule shewing the graduate
scale of Boat hire sanctioned in
Minutes of Consultation dated 31st July
1855 be printed with the Port Rule

Masulipatam Master
Attendants Office
31st June 1856 ----

(Signed) J. W. Maiden
Master Attendant

(True Copy)
(Signed) J. Fraser
Acting Collector

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Letter

To,
The Captain or Commanding Officer
of the Ship or Vessel Coming into
Masulipatam Roads.-

Sir

I am directed by the Marine Board
of Madras to call your attention to the
annexed Rules and Regulations of this
Port.-

I am also directed to request you
will be particular in filling up the
Columns of the accompanying Report and
despatch the same to my Office by the
bearer with as little delay as possible stating
the time the report left your ship.-

No boats will be permitted to leave
the shore for your Vessel until the report of
your arrival shall have returned duly filled
up to my office.-

I shall be obliged by your filling
up the accompanying Light report and for
any remarks as to distance seen bright or
not, state of the atmosphere &c.-

N. B. state on the back of the report
the quantity of Cargo in Tons you may have
in

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in for this report to save delay in getting the required number of Boats ready.

Rules for the Portance of Masulipatam.

1st All Vessels not Dhonies shall anchor with the Fort Flag staff bearing from West to W. 3/4 North in 3/4 less 3 to a 3/4 less 4 fathoms. In a line with the Buoys + or inside them of the draft of water will admit of it Particular Mention to this rule is required to save detention by Boats not being able to get off.

Extra boat hire will be charged according to depth of water for Boats plying to Vessels not in the prescribed limits laid down, Dhonies and other Native Craft of Light draft of water shall anchor with the Flag Staff bearing W. by N. in shore of the Buoys as close as their draft of water will admit of

+ not yet laid down

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2. Within twenty four hours after the arrival within the limits of this Port of every Vessel liable to the payment of Port dues the Master of such Vessel shall report his arrival at the Master attendants Office in the Fort who will receive reports any time between sun rise and sun set any Master of a Vessel who shall without lawful excuse fail to make such report shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred Rupees.

Master of Vessels reporting themselves as above should bring with them the Ships Register - and other Documents in accordance with Section 48 Act XXII of 1855 here annexed.

If registered.

Clause 1. If such Vessel be a British registered Vessel or a Vessel registered under Act X of 1841 or Act XI of 1850 or under the laws for the time being inforce for the registration of Vessels in India. the Conservator may require the owner or Master of such Vessel or any person having possession of the Register of such Vessel to produce such

such register for inspection and if any such Master or other person shall without lawful excuse neglect or refuse to produce such register as aforesaid. he shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding one hundred Rupees. If any such owner Master, or other person as aforesaid shall neglect or refuse to produce such register or otherwise to satisfy the Conservator as to what is the true tonnage of Vessel in respect of which such Port dues shall be payable it shall be lawful for the Conservator to cause such Vessel to be measured and the tonnage thereof to be ascertained and in such case the owner or Master of such Vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of such measurement.

Clause 2. If such Vessel be not a British registered Vessel or a Vessel registered under Act X of 1841 or Act XI of 1850, or under the laws for the time being in force for the registration of

If not registered

Vessels in India and the owner or or Master thereof shall fail to satisfy the Conservator as to what is the true tonnage of such Vessel according to the mode aforesaid of measurement prescribed by the law in force for the time being for regulating the measurement of British registered Vessel the conservator shall cause such Vessel to be measured and the tonnage thereof according to the mode aforesaid to be ascertained and in such case the owner or Master of such Vessel shall be liable to pay the expenses of such measurement.

3. No Vessel within these Roads shall discharge stone or single Ballast by throwing it over board in less than ten fathoms water and no Vessel shall throw sand over board in less than seven fathoms water any person offending against this rule and the Master of any Vessel or board of which any person shall have offended against this Rule will have the penalty Viz.t Two hundred Company's Rupees enforced against them and if any Ballast or rubbish of any kind likely to form bank or prove in any way

detrimental

detrimented to navigation shall without lawful excuse be thrown into the River Canals or channels of this Port or on the shore from which the same shall be liable to be washed into the said River, Canal, or channels, by ordinary or high tides or by storms or land flood. The person who shall so throw or cause to be thrown as aforesaid and the Master or Sindal of any Boat or Vessel from which the same is thrown shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Two hundred Rupees.

4. Master of any Vessel in this Port shall permit warps to be made fast his Vessel when requested to do as by the Master Attendant or any person acting under his authority for the purpose working any other Vessel and shall not allow any such warp to be let go until requested so to do. A Master or other person in charge of a Vessel offending against this rule will be liable to a penalty for every each offence not exceeding Two hundred Rupees.

5. The Master of any Vessel within this Port who shall cause or suffer any work Hawser or other rope to be left out after sun set in such a manner as to endanger the safety of any Boat or other Vessel in this River, Cannel, or channel within the limits of this Port shall be liable to a penalty for every each offence not exceeding Two hundred Rupees.

6. If any person shall without lawful excuse discharge any Gun Musket or other fire arm within the limits of this Port except a Gun loaded only with Gun powder for the purpose of making a signal of distress or for such other purposes as the local Government may allow such person shall for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding fifty Rupees.

7. No Vessel shall across the Bar of this River to or from the roads (except registered Cargo Boats and

the small Vessels belonging to this Port known as (Firewood Dhonies,) without a Pilot unless first permission to do so shall have been obtained of the Master attendant who will at all times send a Competent pilot on application being made to his Department personally or in writing. Masters of Vessels offending against this rule will be liable to a penalty of Fifty Rupees.

8. All Vessels intending to undergo repairs or to dock in Masulipatam river should do so at the Village of Gilculdindy or as near thereto as possible. No Vessel or Boat of any description can be permitted to haul on the bank or to undergo repairs any where between the Pier at the Fort and the Custom House Basin any person offending against this rule in addition to the expenses of removal of the Vessel and repairs of any injury done to the Canal or bank will be subject to a penalty not exceeding one hundred Rupees.

9. No raft or loose logs of Timber

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can be allowed to remain in the Canal between the Pier Head of the Fort and Custom House Basin or to be hauled on the banks from the Canal or thrown into the Canal from the Bank any person offending against this rule in addition to the expenses incurred in repairing any injury done to the Canal or banks and the removal of the raft or logs of Timber from the Canal shall be subject to a penalty not exceeding one hundred Rupees.

10. Any vessel within the limits of this Port liable to the payment of Port dues who shall be without proper marks on the stern and sternpost for denoting the draught of water of such vessel. The Commander will be liable to pay the expense of ascertaining the draught of water by hooking of the vessel. Viz.t Thirty Company's Rupees.

Port dues to be stated and the person to be named charged with the duty of collecting port dues & who will grant a receipt for the same.

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12. Vessels or boats proceeding up the Canal for the purpose of taking in or discharging merchandize - or Cargo of any kind shall pay a Canal Toll of one Company's Rupee,-

All Vessels not being registered Cargo boats intended to discharge or to take in Cargo in the Basin as the Custom House shall be allowed - Three full working days for taking cargo vessels exceeding this time shall pay for every day or portion of a day they may remain in the Basin one Company's Rupee sunday shall not be counted a day providing it intervene

All registered Cargo boats discharging or taking in Cargo shall be allowed 24 hours for that purpose providing sunday does not intervene and if Sunday should intervene then 48 hours shall be allowed and any registered Cargo boat remaining in the Basin over the time above specified shall pay one Company's Rupee for every day or portion of a day they shall so remain.-

Penalty

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Penalty for injury done to Buoys to be inserted after they are laid down and their posession by bearings from the Flag staff to be mentioned. — 13

Penalty for the unlawful use of certain Flags to be inserted. — 14

/ Signed / J. W. Maiden
Master Attendant.

Schedule shewing the hire of boats and Cattamarams plying to and from Vessels at Masulipatam.

	Hire of single boat. Rs a p	Hire of one and Half boat Rs a p
Boats plying under 3½ fathoms usual hire	3 12 "	5 4 "
Boats plying beyond 3½ fathoms hire to be advanced one third	1 4 "	1 12 "
Do plying to ships in 4 fathoms hire to be increased one half	1 14 "	2 10 "
Do Do beyond 5 fathoms double hire	7 8 "	10 8 "
Hire of a Cattamaram per trip	" 8 "	" 8 "

N. B.

Said Ballast can be supplied by application at the Master Attendants Office at 2 Annas per Ton on boat hire.

/ Signed / J. W. Maiden
Master Attendant

/ True Copies /
/ Signed / J. Fraser
Jr Collector

688-689 Order thereon.
Ordered to lie over.

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No. 170

To.

G. S. Forbes Esquire
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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B. No. 3096

From the Collector of Nellore — Sir,

I have the honor to forward for publication in the Boards' Office the accompanying 2 advertisements for the sale of land for arrears of Revenue and beg to solicit sanction for the sales.

Nellore District Collectors Office
Ristnapatam
7th August 1856

/ Signed / F. B. Elton
Collector

Advertisement

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Statement No 1 of the lands to be Sold.

Defaulters Name	Description of the lands			Fields								
	Taluk	Village	Whether Nunjah, Punjah &c.	No	Name	Extent			Assessment			Amount, exclusive of arrears payable for current fasly.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7			8			9		
						A	C	Rs.	A	C	Rs.	A	C	
Yanoogà Ramireddy	Poonmul-tul poor	Todaroo	Dry	241	Conalumma Chinta	10	11	12	13	6	12	13	6	
				263	Chanoo Bundaroo Ragada Chanoo	4	14	8	7	3	6	2	3	
				280	Chinta Chetlae Bredoo	1	2	12	1	5	12	1	5	12
				274	Poolladey Manicha Na	1	11	12	1	9	10	1	9	10
				286	Ely Kala patty Chanoo	1	17	12	1	12	11	1	12	11
				287	Ditto	0	38	4	1	3	2	1	3	2
						19	5	4	23	11	8	23	14	8
				259	Bundaroo Rayuddachanoo	6	10	0	3	14	6	3	14	6
				86	Anandy Benjer	0	33	3	0	14	0	0	14	0
						26	8	7	28	1	2	28	1	2
			Wet	532	Chinta Metta Chanoo	8	5	0	22	12	14	22	12	14
			Bagayet	551	Chamika Thota	0	1	2	0	3	7	0	3	7
						29	14	9	51	1	1	51	1	1

Nellore District
Collectors Office
Kistnapalam
7th August 1856

(Signed) F. B. Elton
Collector

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Enclosure No. 2

Statement of the lands to be Sold

No.	Description of the lands	Fields					Amount			exclusive		
4	Chaultoor Venkatanursa reddy	Do.	Do.	Do.	2190	Chanoo	8-28-6-0	61	2	10	61	2 10
					115	Ravolderavvobadana Chanoo						
					116	Madeywamy Thiendyoonta	0-17-8-0	3	1	7	3	1 7
5	Anoopully Narapareddy	Do.	Do.	Do.	2809	Paroomalayoonta Chanoo	3-16-13-0	18	8	6	18	8 6
6	Poondla Nursareddy	Do.	Do.	Do.	2874	Madumpalum Chanoo	9-19-6-0	84	15	5	84	15 5
					2875	Madumpalum Chanoo	8-20-1-0	76	2	5	76	2 5
7	Anadata Chetamburum	Do.	Do.	Do.	2123	Valaga Chanoo	6-37-4-0	37	8	8	37	8 8
					2122	Ditto	9-33-3-0	53	3	11	53	3 11
					720	Poova Chanoo	11-13-15-0	61	7	7	61	7 7
					551	Ditto	0-29-1-0	3	5	6	3	5 6
					63	Numbevany Dinna	14-31-3-0	66	7	1	65	7 1
					1976	Chamondla Kooroo Chanoo	14-20-8-0	66	8	3	66	8 3
					1977	Ditto	7-22-11-0	34	10	10	34	10 10
					72	Numbevany Dinna	5-38-9-8	24	12	8	24	12 8
					2134	Vudlavanygoonta Chanoo	12-23-10-0	52	7	4	52	7 4

					2138	Ditto	1-18-10--	6	1	8	6 1 8
					2136	Ditto	5-34-10--	24	16	--	24 16 --
8	Indoorpoor Venkatasoobarreddy son of Venkarreddy	Do.	Do.	Do.	2322	Modoogumany Chanoo	1-----|	7	1	4	7 1 4
9	Cuntumreddy Vobuloorreddy	Do.	Do.	Do.	2781	Polarumma Chanoo	4-16-8--	20	3	9	20 3 9
10	Tolamuncha Venkiah	Do.	Do.	Do.	2111	Yarapagoonta Chanoo	3-26-1--	16	11	11	16 11 11
11	Do. Pariah	Do.	Do.	Do.	2188	Chinna Mullaiah Chanoo	7-26-15--	41	9	10	41 9 10
12	Yarabalee Veerangee	Do.	Do.	Do.	193	Ubbarazogoontah	2-0---0	14	2	8	14 2 8
13	Do. Pollareddy	Do.	Do.	Do.	475	Covala Chanoo	5-38-2--	41	11	3	41 11 3
					599	Chavundla Coorroo Chanoo	3-----|	16	4	0	16 4 --
14	Gundracota Venkatanasoo	Do.	Do.	Do.	1999	Auruyagoonta Nursia Chanoo	4-5-12--	18	15	10	18 15 10
15	Yarabalee Ramakistareddy	Do.	Do.	Do.	2715	Ullumcheroovoo Chanoo	2-----|	25	--	--	25 -- --
					2723	Ditto	4-25-6--	41	8	--	41 8 --
16	Dandy Konaty	Do.	Do.	Do.	241	Puntumvitta Chanoo	1-29-4--	7	15	--	7 15 --
					85	Seddareddy Nurseah Chanoo	2-----|	9	2	8	9 2 8
					307	Pooreny Cheroovoo Tetoo Chanoo	2-20----	7	13	--	7 13 --
17	Polyreddy Varadia	Do.	Do.	Dry	2884	Savia Yogeum	--22----	4	11	--	-- 11 --
				Bagayet	2690	Polarumma Tota	--32----	6	6	5	6 6 5
18	Boorla Konaiah	Do.	Do.	Wet	470	Kooly Verramakoola Chanoo	5-33-9--	42	5	--	42 5 --
19	Anadata Venkatapaty	Do.	Do.	Do.	587	Chavundla Kooroo Chanoo	15-21----	70	14	6	70 14 6
					2200	Savia Yogeum	2-2-4--	9	6	9	9 6 9
					2195	Ditto	4--12-8	18	6	9	18 6 9
					773	Kasanyreany Chanoo	2-----|	10	13	4	10 13 4
					2033	Polarumma Chanoo	11-18-4--	49	11	11	47 11 11
					2032	Ditto	5-27----	23	10	5	23 10 5

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						2,054	Ditto	8-0-0-0	33	5	4	33	5 4
						2,396	Savia Yogeum	0-3-0-0	0	3	9	0	3 9
						2,397	Ditto	0-9-0-0	0	11	3	0	11 3
						2,388	Ditto	0-14-13-0	1	2	6	1	2 6
						2,396	Ditto	0-18-9-0	1	7	6	1	7 6
						2,349	Pomapoorny goonta Chanoo	1-19-9-0	8	4	2	8	4 2
						2,434	Chinnapagoontah Chanoo	5-19-14-0	22	13	8	22	13 8
						2,613	Cundlagoontah Chanoo	2-5-0-0	8	10	3	8	10 3
20	Toomala Ramoodoo	Do.	Do.	Do.		196	Calavalah Gundoo Chanoo	1-20-0-0	8	2	0	8	2 0
21	Kavaly Ronkaly gundoo	Do.	Do.	Do.		195	Sunnoola Mutta	8-6-12-0	43	2	10	43	2 10
22	Beerla Kistareddy	Do.	Do.	Do.		2,191	Chunna Mullaiah Chanoo	1-24-8-0	21	2	3	21	2 3
						2,190	Ditto	1-24-3-8	7	6	0	7	6 0
23	Unnunghe Chenchoo gundoo	Do.	Do.	Do.		1917	Moolanada Chanoo Siddareddy	10-0-0-0	45	13	4	45	13 4
24	Ullor Shakkelar	Do.	Do.	Do.		86	Narasia Chanoo	1-10-0-0	8	13	8	8	13 8
						730	Pullepaty Chanoo	4-0-0-0	12	8	0	12	8 0
25	Rayana Venkataramia	Do.	Do.	Dry		121	Savia Yogeum	0-17-1-0	0	10	9	0	10 9
						123	Ditto	7-4-11-0	8	14	5	8	14 5
26	Malagutta Vaboloo	Do.	Do.	Wet		2841	Goonoopoody Chetty Chanoo	7-10-13-0	65	2	0	65	2 0
27	Panaka Soobareddy	Do.	Do.	Do.		2,494	Toomalagoota Chanoo	6-32-5-0	31	3	2	31	3 3
28	Chillara Soobbia	Do.	Do.	Do.		1830	Munnana pul = Iwany Chanoo	10-3-3-0	42	0	0	42	0 0
						1825	Ditto	6-37-12-0	26	6	5	26	6 5
29	Indracunty Kistumbuttoo Emany Venkata Soobia	Do.	Do.	Dry		71	Nunbewany Deino	2-0-0-0	3	2	0	3	2 0
30	Boocha Palia	Do.	Do.	Wet		85	Siddareddy Narsia Chanoo	8-0-0-0	36	10	8	36	10 8

31	Nedemoosaly Chenchooria moodoo	Do.	Do.	Do.	657	Chamoondala Hooroo Chamoo	3-20-0-0	16	0	8	16 0 8
					705	Chavoota Chamoo	1-0-0-0	4	2	8	4 2 8
32	Goonoopaty Rodundara moodoo Cheluncherla Mootia loo Epagoonta Selaramoodoo Ponaka Chenchooramoodoo	Do.	Do.	Bogayet	2682	Konyadaroovoo Pata	5-26-14-0	28	5	9	28 5 9
33	Cuttoola Bungaroo	Do.	Do.	Wet	2881	Bety Maggany	1-35-8-0	8	9	5	8 9 5
34	Soopakala Venkatasawmy	Do.	Do.	Do.	2055	Podeya Sandoo Chamoo	1-32-12-0	7	9	6	7 9 6
					2606	Soomoolagoontah Chamoo	3-0-0-0	12	8	0	12 8 0
35	Yaraboloo Pitchuma Lutchmana ma	Do.	Do.	Do.	188	Mungalavany Goontah	4-0-0-0	18	5	4	18 5 4
				Bogayet	1689	Polarumma Pata	0-24-8-0	4	14	5	4 14 5
36	Pulla Luchmeyandoo	Do.	Do.	Wet	2379	Bamavoraroo Joyaloo	2-20-0-0	10	6	8	10 6 8
37	Buggala Rondadoo	Do.	Do.	Do.	2707	Menaka Sana goo	2-0-0-0	10	13	4	10 13 4
38	Bunda Pararaddy	Do.	Do.	Do.	2032	Yalam Padiya	9-26-12-0	44	3	2	44 3 2
39	Bunda Narsareddy	Do.	Do.	Do.	666	Lodi Chamoo	1-0-0-0	4	9	4	4 9 4
					665	Ditto	2-0-0-0	8	5	4	8 5 4
					674	Ditto	0-20-0-0	2	1	4	2 1 4
					574	Chavoota Chamoo	1-0-0-0	4	2	8	4 2 8
					679	Lodi Chamoo	0-16-0-0	3	2	0	3 2 0
40	Chendaty Paty Belagandoo	Do.	Do.	Do.	710	Lodi Chamoo	2-36-8-0	12	0	6	12 0 6
	Do. Narsagaud				679	Ditto	2-14-14-0	7	6	7	7 6 7
41	Pakala Nursana	Do.	Do.	Do.	1939	Malavada Chamoo	9-10-12-0	28	15	5	28 15 5
42	Cutta Rogaya	Do.	Do.	Do.	804	Malaragana Chamoo	2-0-0-0	6	4	0	6 4 0
43	Mangagary Mullia Easi Kolla Soobia	Do.	Do.	Dry	71	Kumbivany Dinna	6-0-0-0	9	6	0	9 6 0
44	Machala Venkatagandoo	Do.	Do.	Wet	2104	Savia Yageum	1-8-12-0	6	1	3	6 1 3

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						2105	Ditto	1-9-12	5	2 10	5 2 10
						2064	Ditto	-16-12	1	4 11	1 4 11
						2064	Ditto	2	6	4 -	6 4 -
						388	Pada Chavoo Tatoo	-30	3	2 -	3 2 -
46	Poondigum Ile Rooloo gandoo	Do	Do	Do	86		Suddareddy Nursia Chanoo	1	7	1 4	7 1 4
46	Pamoory Rondia	Do	Do	Do	1872		Vad Re doo	5	14	3 1	14 0 1
						382	Venkatakumaroo Gorunta Chetty	1	4	9 4	4 9 4
47	Pulla Runyadoo	Do	Do	Dry	2392		Dodlavary Vanum Tapoo	1-30	2	3 -	2 3 -
						2396	Ditto	-4	-	2 -	- 2 -
						2394	Ditto	1-10-3	1	9 2	1 9 2
						2295	Ditto	-35	1	1 6	1 0 6
						2391	Ditto	-28-14	-	14 6	- 14 6
						2393	Ditto	1-17	1	12 6	1 12 6
						Bagayet 2395	Ditto	1	5	- -	5 - -
								469-63-8	2296	9 0	2295 9 9

Nellore District
Collectors Office
Ristnapatam
7th August 1856

(Signed) F. B. Elliott
Collector

14850 Fort St. George 16th August 1856

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B. No. 2589

Proceedings thereon The Board of

Revenue authorize the sale, for arre

of revenue, of the lands alluded

to in the foregoing letter, and direct

the publication in their offici

of the Advertisements

forwarded by the Colle

-tor, Friday the 19th Sep

-tember next being fixed

for the day of

Sale.

T. C. B.

To

14857 Fort St. George 16th August 1856

No. 91

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To

G. S. Forbes Esquire
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

B. No. 3113
From the Collector
of Bellary } Sir

I have the honor to submit the correspondence noted in the Margin for the consideration of the Board of Revenue relating to an instance in which Postage has been charged and recovered by the Bellary Post Office on two Service letters from my Office in consequence of those packets having been posted without receiving my frank as they were intended for delivery in Bellary only.—

My letter to the Inspecting Post Master Bellary Division dated 25th June 1856
From Post Master General dated 9th July 1856
To Do. dated 23d Do.
From Do. dated 2d August.—

It has been the practice for my peons entrusted with Service letters for delivery to public Office at the Station, (and which are generally sent from my Office without my frank but simply marked as from the Collectors Office and which should have been delivered direct by the peons) to put them into the Post Office; and these letters have

have been invariably received without objection by the Postal Authorities until the 25th. June last, when even the enclosed 2 Covers were, (it is clear) first stamped with red Ink as usual, which shows that they were at first received as free letters, and afterwards the mistake being discovered (probably by the superior officials of the Post Office) they were restamped in black Ink and charged with an aggregate Postage of Rupees 5-8- On the refusal of the addressees of these two packets they were presented to me and the sum charged thereon was paid by me. I referred the matter to the Post Master General pointing out the facts of the case and requested a refund of the Postage. in reply the Post Master General requested me to inform him if I was certain that letters of the description had been allowed to pass thro' the Bellary Post Office within the last 6 Months to which I replied in the Affirmative; but nevertheless the Post Master General has declined to authorize the refund of the Postage levied on the unfranked Covers in question.

Under the above circumstances I have the honor to request the Board will be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government for

for the refund of the Postage levied on the enclosed 2 Covers amounting to Company's Rupees 5-8-- or to permit of my including the charge in a Contingent Bill as it is clear that the error, which must be attributed to the peons, was accidental, and caused in consequence of the practice having been allowed before without objection being taken by the Post Masters.—

The Deputy Post Master of Bellary discovering as he did the mistake that had been made might have brought it at once to my notice and sent the letters to me, but he did not do so and of course was not obliged to pursue that course.—

Bellary Collectors Office
7th. August 1856.

/Signed/ C. Polly
Collector.

Enclosure No. 1

To The Inspecting Post Master
Bellary

Sir

As you have not power to authorize the refund of Rupees 4-12- charged on the Official Covers transmitted to you by me this day, I have the honor to request you will refer the matter as you suggest to the Post Master General Explaining to him that I find on enquiry that it has been long

long customary for my Office people to send Official letters through the Post Office for transmission to Public Officers at the station, simply noting on them the words "Collectors Office" but without procuring my Frank as they would no doubt have done. These Packets have hitherto been received and passed without objection at the Post Office which certainly is irregular. This irregularity having only to day been discovered by the very heavy Charge of £ 12 - - on a single Cover having to be made good by any Office, which I trust be deemed Sufficient reason by the Post Master General to remit the same as the letter was Bonafide on the Public Service containing the accounts of Vaccinators to be sent to the Garrison Surgeon. It would be very hard on my Writers to make them under these circumstances pay the charge which they will be liable for unless it is remitted and which I have no doubt the Post Master General will direct to be remitted on your forwarding him this letter. —

Bellary Collectors Office 25th June 1856

(Signed) C. Pelly
Collector

To

Enclosure No. 2
No. 686

To
The Collector of
Bellary

Sir

To the Inspecting Post Master Bellary No. dated 25th. June 1856

Adverting to your letter as per Margin I have the honor to request that you will be so good as to state, if you are certain that letters of the description therein referred to have been allowed to pass free through the Bellary Post Office within the last six Months, as the Deputy Post Master states, that none have been permitted to do so, during his incumbency. I annex an Extract from his letter to the Inspecting Post Master on the subject, for your information. —

dated 1st July 1856 No. 94

Madras Post Master Generals Office 9th July 1856

(Signed) B. H. Williamson
Post Master General

Extract

From enquiry I find that it is the custom of the Collectors Peons, to bring over letters entrusted to them for delivery to public Officers and others at the station and hand them over to the servants of the gentlemen for whom they are intended, on their coming

to

14802 Fort St. George 16th August 1856

to the Post Office for letters for their Mast
This might have led the Collector to suppo
that they were hitherto passed, which has not
happened since my connexion with the Offi

/True Copy/
/Signed/ C. Pelly/
Collector

To Enclosure No 3

The Post Master General

Sir Fort St. George

With reference to your letter of the
9th Instant, I have the honor to state that
on referring to the Post Book Kept at this
Office and on enquiring of the Peons employed
in pasting letters I believe that the practice
of putting into the letter Box letters intended
for Bellary but not bearing my frank has
been permitted during the last 6 Months
and prior thereto. In further Confirmation
of this opinion I beg to send the accompany-
ing Cover which was pasted it seems on the
same day as the letter about which I am
was pasted and was (after I had despatched
my letter of 25th June to the Inspecting
Post Master) returned to me as it had
been refused by the Officer to whom it was
addressed, as it was charged with Postage - you

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will observe that this letter bears the Post Office
Stamp first made in red ink which induces
me to think that it was at first received as
usual as a free letter and afterwards the
Mistake being discovered it was restamped
in black and charged and I feel confident
that letters frequently have been received free
without my frank or some would ere this have
been returned to me. It was not the duty
perhaps of the Post Office to have sent the
letters to me pointing out that they were not
properly franked but this might have been
done when the mistake was first discovered. I
trust therefore you will direct the return of the
Postage charged on the letter already sent to
you Rupees 4 - 12 - - and also on the enclosed
cover Rupee - - 12 - annas in all Rupees 5 - 8 - 0

/Signed/ C. Pelly
Collector

Bellary Collector Office
23d July 1856

/True Copy/
/Signed/ C. Pelly

Enclosure 4
No 1016

To The Collector of Bellary

Sir I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter No - dated 23d instant and

14804 Fort St. George 16th August 1856

and in reply to state that I am unable to authorize the refund of Postage levied on unfranked service Covers.—

I beg to return the envelope transmitted with the above letter as also that which accompained your Communication of the 24th June to the address of the Inspecting Post Master Bellary Division.—

Madras - - - - - - - - -
Post Master General's Office
2d August 1856 - - - -d

/Signed/ R. H. Williamson
Post Master General

/True Copy/
/Signed/ C. Pelly
Collector

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B. No. 2591

Proceedings thereon

The Board observe that the levy of Postage was in accordance with rules, and that a refund cannot with propriety be claimed, as the only ground which could be brought forward is that the Peons made use of the Post Office for the transmission of letters which it was their duty to deliver in person.

Mr. Pelly will therefore recover the amount of Postage paid by him on these letters from the Peons entrusted with their delivery.—

J. E. B.

To

14805 Fort St. George 16th August 1856

No. 162

To

G. S. Forbes Esquire
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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B. No. 3097

From the Collector of South Arcot } Sir

I have the honor to submit an Advertisement in the prescribed form, for the sale of lands belonging to certain Defaulters in the Talook of Villapooram against whom there is a demand of Rupees 778 - 15 - 3 for the ensuing Fusly, and to request that you will be so good as to obtain the sanction of the Board for the disposal of a sufficient quantity of land to cover the amount outstanding against them severally.—

South Arcot - - -
Collectors Cutcherry
Palamcottah - - -
7th August 1856

/Signed/ Arthur Hall
Collector

14806 Fort St. George 16th August 1850

Statement of Lands to be sold

Defaulters Name	Description of Lands			Fields			Assessment			Assessment Payable for Fusly 1266.		
	Talug	Village	Whether Nunjah or Punjah	No.	Name	Extent						
19 Caroopha Counden	do	do	do	1		15¼	2	9	0	2	9	0
20 Ponnen	do	do	do	1		6½	1	8	3	1	8	3
21 Perumbakum Coopen	do	do	do	1		8¼	2	4	6	2	4	6
22 Naeroyna Counden & Co.	do	do	Nunjah	2								
23 Ramalinga Reddy	do	do	do	1		12½	2	14	4	2	14	4
24 Runga Pelly Putchy annah Pillay	do	do	do	9		3½	13	2	10	13	2	10
			Nunjah	3		3½	1	6	8	1	6	8
25 Parasa Counden	do	do	do	1		¾	0	4	3	0	4	3
26 Para Shook Ren	do	do	Poonjah	1		¾	3	14	6	3	14	6
27 Para Calle	do	do	do	4		6¼	1	4	3	1	4	3
28 Sashagerree Venkatasayengar	do	do	do	1		10	1	12	9	1	12	9
29 Vencatachella Counden	do	do	do	1		8¾	4	7	2	4	7	2
30 Vencataputhy Iyengar	do	do	do	2		12½	6	1	11	6	1	11
31 Coottya Counden	do	do	do	2		2¾	5	13	5	5	13	6
32 Govenda Pillay Vencata Chella Counden	do	do	do	1		3 12	10	2	6	10	2	6
33 Para Rungen	do	do	do	1		1	3	0	10	3	0	10
34 Padiachy Chinna Narroynen	do	do	do	1		12½	2	3	11	2	3	11
				68	0	44 2¼	145	9	8			
1 Chinna Mreenevasa Charry and Cundavatharum	do	Perumbay	do	1		8¾	0	14	9	0	14	9

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				Nunjah	2	"	"	4½	1 3 5	1 3 5
2	Pasega Iyengar	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	3	1 9 6	1 9 6
3	Shadagopa Vencata Charry	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	5½	2 14 9	2 14 9
4	Renjah Charry	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	8	2 13 6	2 13 6
5	Appavoo Pillay	Do	Do	Poonjah	1	"	1	6¼	1 9 "	1 9 "
6	Poongavanum	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	4¼	" 15 1	" 15 1
7	Ponnum	Do	Do	Nunjah	1	"	"	4¾	1 4 6	1 4 6
8	Annamalay Counden	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	3½	2 " 5	2 " 5
9	Rowanappa Chetty	Do	Do	Poonjah	1	"	"	8	" 13 6	" 13 6
10	Mottaya Counden	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	10¾	2 6 3	2 6 3
11	Thathoo Ayemperoomaul	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	3½	" 7 8	" 7 8
12	Lutchmanen Cooren & Co	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	1½	" 4 "	" 4 "
13	Pinjana Mottayen	Do	Do	Nunjah	1	"	"	1¼	" 14 5	" 14 5
14	Padavettaun	Do	Do	Poonjah	1	"	"	3	" 6 7	" 6 7
15	Para Mottayen	Do	Do	Nunjah	1	"	"	1¾	" 10 6	" 10 6
16	Para Mottakishnen	Do	Do	Poonjah	1	"	"	5¼	" 11 6	" 11 6
17	Sabapathy Pillay	Do	Do	Nunjah	1	"	"	1½	4 10 6	10 6
18	Annamalay	Do	Do	Poonjah	1	"	"	4½	1 3 "	1 3 "
19	Para Coollen	Do	Do	Nunjah	1	"	"	6¼	3 13 2	3 13 2
20	Caroopen	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	6	3 10 8	3 10 8
21	Sookaramonyen	Do	Do	Poonjah	1	"	"	15	3 15 6	3 15 6
22	Para Chinnacootty	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	12¼	3 3 10	3 3 10
23	Shengainy	Do	Do	Nunjah	1	"	"	4¼	3 " 11	3 " 11
24	Para Soudavaroyen	Do	Do	Poonjah	1	"	"	8	2 1 11	2 1 11
25	Seenevassa Charry	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	10	1 " 11	1 " 11
26	Soobaraya Grainy	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	13¾	" 5 "	" 5 "
27	Para Nurryen	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	7	1 13 8	1 13 8
28	Para Moottyen	Do	Do	Do	1	"	"	1¼	" 3 4	" 3 4

29	Augusta Henry	do	do	do	Planked	1	"	"	12	3	2 10
30	Allen	do	do	do	do	1	"	"	13¾	8	10 3 3 2 10
31	Emma Camden	do	do	do	do	1	"	"	6	1	0 2
32	Mary	do	do	do	do	1	"	"	13	3	8 9
33	Ann Green Baker	do	do	do	Planked	1	"	"	4	2	9 2
34	Rena Camden	do	do	do	Framed	2	"	"	4	1	1 0
35	Ann Seamour	do	do	do	do	1	"	1	8	6	8 8 6 8 8
36	Alexander Grammy	do	do	do	Planked	1	"	"	7¾	3	6 9 3 6 9
						39	"	16	3¾	71	18 3
1	Hattie Allen	do	do	Mumaloe	Framed	8	"	4	1½	14	9 4 14 9 4
					Planked						
2	Ann Hall	do	do	do	do	4	"	4	11½	8	4 6 7 3 4 3 7
3	Sarah Hall	do	do	do	do	1	"	"	12	2	11 - 11
4	Caroline Cathy	do	do	do	do	2	"	"	12	11	- 11
5	Rebecca Mary	do	do	do	do	1	"	1	9	13	3 9 13 3
6	Hannah Mary Allen	do	do	do	Framed	1	"	"	12	2	10 9
7	Nancy Allen Matamora	do	do	do	do	1	"	1	4	6	3 6 6 3
8	Hannah Allen	do	do	do	do	6	"	4	9¼	16	14 11 16 14 11
					Planked	1	"	"	2	¼	21 4 8 21 4 8
9	Anna Brandon Allen	do	do	do	Framed	1	"	"	"	6½	1 9 9 1 9 9
					Planked	6	"	4	"	3¼	38 13 1 38 13 1
13	Charlemboro Allen	do	do	do	Framed	2	"	1	1	4	5 8 4 5 8
11	Elmira Allen	do	do	do	Planked	1	"	"	"	10¼	4 8 4 4 8
12	Rebecca Ann	do	do	do	Framed	1	"	"	"	6¾	1 9 2 1 9 2
					Planked	1	"	"	"	8½	4 18 8 4 18 8
13	Ezra	do	do	do	Framed	1	"	"	"	6	1 5 5 1 5 5
14	Charles Rebecca Hall	do	do	do	Planked	1	"	"	"	3	3 11 4 3 11 4
						43	"	30	9	208	10

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1	Sooboo Royer sashagee ree Royer	Do	Mongleput	Poonjah	3	0	9	2 3/4	29 11 7	29 11 7
				Nunjah	5	0	5	14 1/2	39 4 7	39 4 7
2	Kistnayer	Do	Do	Do	1	0	2	3/4	11 10 3	11 10 3
				Totacal	1	0	0	12 1/4	0 12 4	0 12 4
3	Soobbier	Do	Do	Poonjah	2	0	2	13/4	9 8 6	9 8 6
				Nunjah	4	0	5	11	36 7 11	36 7 11
4	Narroyana Counden	Do	Do	Do	1	0	2	9 3/4	11 4 2	11 4 2
5	Venkatarama Iyer	Do	Do	Do	3	0	7	8 3/4	35 14 0	35 14 0
6	Venkatarama Iyer	Do	Do	Do	2	0	0	14	5 10 2	5 10 2
7	Cheppany Counden	Do	Do	Poonjah	2	0	1	11/2	7 8 0	7 8 0
8	Para Tillay	Do	Do	Do	1	-	1	1/2	2 15 0	2 15 0
					25	0	39	9/2	190 8 6	
1	Terovvangada Seenivassa Iyengar Vencatasa Iyengar	Do	Rondanjee	Nunjah	1	0	0	11/2	7 9 5	7 9 5
2	Pitcha Cathan	Do	Do	Do	1	0	1	10	19 4 9	19 4 9
3	Chinna Coppen	Do	Do	Do	1	0	0	7/4	4 12 7	4 12 7
					3	0	2	12 3/4	31 10 9	
				Grand Total	178	0	133	7/4	644 13 2	644 13 2

South Arcot
Collectors Circuit Cutcherry
Palamcottah
7th August

Errors Excepted per / Signed / A. Hall
Collector

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B°. N°. 2599

Proceedings thereon

Fort St. George 16th August 1850

The Board of Revenue authorize the sale, for arrears of revenue of the lands alluded to in the foregoing letter, and direct the publication in their Office of the Advertisement forwarded by the Collector, Wednesday the 17th September next being fixed for the day of sale.

J.B.

14871

Fort St. George 16th August 1850.

No. 129

To,
G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir

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B°. N°. 3107
From the Collector of Trichinopoly

Paras

In reply to your Circular N°. 2458 of date the 1st Instant, I have the honor to state that the several Circulars mentioned were replied to by me on the dates as entered in the Margin*.

2 It is my practice always to keep by me a list of unanswered letters for every Department, and I may with confidence assert, the arrears with me are most trifling and letters do not remain any length of time unreplied to.

I Signed I. Bird
Collector

Ordered to be recorded.

*Parcoal & Co's Gov. Letter 30th May 1850 N°. 88

Bells for Peons 5th April 1850 N°. 39

Peons employed on Maramut works 5th April 1850 N°. 38.

Trichinopoly Collector's Office 8th August 1850.

Order thereon

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No. 173

To. G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

698

B°. N°. 3095
From the Collector of Madura

Sir

I have the honor to forward an advertisement for the sale of lands of Revenue in Defaulters for Fasly 1265, in the Village of Meylore Taluk, for publication in the Board's Office.

I Signed I. D. Parker
Collector

Statement

*Vari Aiyoor Kovelamalum.

Madura
1st August 1850

11,873

Fort St. George 16th August 1856.

Statement of the Lands to be sold.

Deputy Collector's Name.	Description of the Lands	No.	Name.	Residence.	Amount for which sold.	Amount of Purchase Money.	Amount of Arrears of Land Revenue.	Amount of Interest.	Amount of Charges.	Total.
Vellore	Meyloor Varicolum	1	Soyad Hadey	Meyloor	1	1¼	9 6 5			9 6 5
Chittoor	Village	2	Palany Vegeal	Palany	1	13¾	1 12 4			1 12 4
				Total	2	6	11 2 9			11 2 9

Madura
8th August 1856.

(Signed) D. Parker
Collector.

Fort St. George 16th August 1856

11,873

13th No. 2051
Proceedings thereon.

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The Board of Revenue authorize the sale for arrears of Revenue of the lands alluded to in the foregoing letter and direct the publication of the advertisement forwarded by the Collector Thursday the 18th September being fixed for the day of sale.

700

Resolved that the following letters be despatched.

13th No. 2573
To the Secretary to Govt.
Rev. Department.
To Govt. 5th March 56 P. 11
To Do 21st April " P. 4.

To The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

Sir

With reference to the correspondence noted in the margin, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that they may be furnished as early as possible with a list of Prices to be charged for printing at the provincial Presses several of the Presses have commenced works and applications have been received from some of the Collectors of the price list which induces the Board again to remind Government that they have not yet been furnished with it.

I have &c.
(Signed) G. L. Forbes
Secretary.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
16th August 1856.

701

2d No. 2590
To the Collectors of
Nellore and North Arcot.

To The Collectors of Nellore and North Arcot.

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that the undermentioned report now due has not yet been received in this Office, and to request that you will immediately cause its despatch.

(Signed) G. L. Forbes
Secretary.

Report on Lungerkhanas for 1855.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
16th August 1856.

702

3d No. 2594
To the Collector of
Bellary

To The Collector of Bellary

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that the undermentioned Statements now due have not yet been received in this Office and to request that you will immediately cause their despatch.

(Signed) G. L. Forbes
Secretary

Statement of Persons committed and charged under Reg. IX of 1822 for the Months of January February March and April 1856.
Do of Villages Officers suspended and dismissed Do Do

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
16th August 1856.

703

2d No. 2581
To the Collector of
Canara

To The Collector of Canara.

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will explain the cause of the large increase in the amount of arrears of Land Revenue outstanding in your District at the close of the last four Faslies.

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Fort St. George, 16th August 1856.

	Demand	Balance
Fusly 1255	18,60,844	20,503
56	18,66,367	24,992
57	1875.195	22,227
58	18,83,524	19,748
59	18,96,952	17,999
60	19,04,731	18,218
61	19,14,102	23,706
62	19,17,441	11,6891
63	19,19,284	19,5473
64	1929,995	2,80,336
65	1939,477	2,41,392

you will observe from the Marginal Abstract that whilst these Balances never amounted to Rs. 25,000 in any of the 7 Fusles ending in the Fusly 1261 they have latterly reached the large amount of Rs. 280,336 in Fusly 1264 & Rs. 241,392 in Fusly 1265. the increase in the demand is insufficient to account for the increase in the Balances.

Revenue Board Office Fort St. George, 16th August 1856. /Signed/ J. D. Sim
Sub Secretary.

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Bd. No. 2607

Official Memorandum.

To Messrs. Orr & Co. Madras

The Secretary to the Board of Revenue begs to inform Messrs. Orr & Co. that he has retained two of the three Prismatic compasses forwarded with their letter of the 7th Instant the Stand of the other being found defective; it is returned for repair or to be exchanged for another. It is requested that the Stands for the compasses may be made up with as little delay as possible.

Revenue Board Office Fort St. George 16 August 1856

/Signed/ G. S. Forbes
Secretary

5 3150 From the Collector of Rajahmundry 9th July 1856. Submitting with reference to Board's Circular of the 19th Ultimo Statement of Extra Field allowance for past Month.

6 3153 From the Collector of Chingleput 11th August 1856. Forwarding for audit the Extra Field allowance Bill of the Melvicy Head Assistant Collector for July 1856.

7 3141 From the Collector of Nellore 12th August 1856. Statement of Extra Peritage drawn by himself and his Subordinates for July last.

705-708 Order on the 3 abovementioned Letters and Statements. Ordered to be sent to the Civil Auditor.

9 My No. 1907 From the Collector of North Arcot. Received the undermentioned Miscellaneous Letters and Statements.

My No. 1910 From the Collector of North Arcot. List of letters addressed to the Board of Revenue and remaining unanswered up to 30th June last.

My No. 1913 From the Collector of Vizagapatam. List of letters received from the Board of Revenue up to 30th June last.

My No. 1906 From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Average Bazar Prices of Grain and Arams of Jyem cultivation for July last.

My No. 1905 From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Average Bazar Prices of Grain and Arams of Jyem Cultivation for June last.

My No. 1909 From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Statement of Demand Collections and Balance of Revenue for June last.

My No. 1908 From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Comparative Statement Shewing the Demand for fusly 1265 and 1264.

My No. 1911 From the Collector of North Arcot. Rain Report for July last.

My No. 1912 From the Collector of Nellore. Register of Petitions for July last.

My No. 1913 From the Collector of Vizagapatam. Informs that the returns for July last are blanks.

My No. 1914 From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Statement of the value of Gold and Silver Bullion and Specie imported by Sea for July last.

9 From the Collector of North Arcot. States no cases were disposed of under Regulation IX of 1822 during July last and that no persons were during that Period in confinement.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Monday the 18th August 1856.

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Read the following letter

Bd. No. 2148

From the Secretary to Government — Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department dated 12th June 1856 Communicating with the Orders of Government thereon an Extract from a letter from the Honorable Court dated 5th March 1856 No. 1 embracing several subjects. (See No. 398. in Separate Volume Page 43)

720-721

Bd. No. 2639

Order thereon

Ordered that Extracts from the above Despatch and the Minutes of Consultation accompanying it be forwarded to the undermentioned Collectors who will in each case communicate the decision of the Honorable Court to the Memorialists.

M.	C.	L.	E.	M.	C.	
6			2			To the Collector of Nellore
10			4			To the Collector of Canara
13			7			To the Collector of Tinnevelly
16			9			To the Collector of North Arcot
19			12			To the Collector of Rajahmundry

The following paras will also be forwarded

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Forwarded to the Collector of Rajahmundry.

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Paras 11 and 12 of the Courts Despatch will receive separate attention.

Read again Extract Minutes Consultation dated 7th and entered in Consultation 14th July 1856

Read also again letter from the Collector of Malabar dated 16th April and entered in Consultation 22d May 1856.

To

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No. 80

To

G. S. Forbes Esqre

Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

722

A after
Bd No. 2835
From the Collector
of Malabar

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 14th Instant No. 2207 and with reference to the requisition contained in para 6 of the Minutes of Consultation of Govt. of the 7th Idem thereto annexed regarding the dismissal of the Sea Custom Manager of Calicut, I beg to state, that the explanation called for by the Board was furnished by me under date the 16th April, and the same approved of in their Proceedings dated 22d May last No. 1584.

Calicut 21st July 1856

/Signed/ T. Clarke
Collector

Ordered to be submitted with the following letter.

722-723

Bd No. 2627
To the Secretary
to Government

To

The Secretary to
Government

Sir

With reference to Extract Minutes Consultation dated 7th July 1856 No. 695 I am directed

In Con. 14 Aug 1856

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In Cons.ⁿ 22ⁿᵈ Aug.ᵗ 1836

directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying letter and its enclosures from the Collector of Malabar dated 16th April 1836. reporting the cause of the dismissal of the Sea Custom House Manager of Calicut—

2 A defalcation of 222 Rupees having been discovered in the cash Chest under charge of the Manager the Collector called upon him to explain how the deficiency occurred. In reply Mr. Fernander stated that he had expended the Money for the payment of Coolies employed in saving portions of the cargo and Wreck of the Ship "Juliana", and to prove this he produced accounts showing that a sum of Rupees 112-4-5 had been thus appropriated, the remainder he alleged was paid to coolies on the spot without taking receipts from them for the money, but the parties themselves denied his having done so— On this latter point the Collector very properly remarked "that if it were possible to take receipts for part of the amount disbursed it was also

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also possible to take them for the whole" The Manager had been already forbidden by the late Collector to make use of the public money for such purposes. But from the high character previously borne by the Manager and from there being no proof that he had appropriated the money to his own use the Collector acquitted him of fraud, and attributed the deficit to carelessness and gross irregularity on the Managers part— The Collector however considered that the irregular manner in which the Custom House accounts had been kept and the great neglect the Manager had shown in the discharge of his duties justified his removal from the public service as unfit for the responsible post he had filled.—

3 Under these circumstances the Board have confirmed the dismissal of the Manager but at the same time observed that in consideration of his past services of 39 years and previous good conduct they would not object to his re employment in a situation of minor importance if the Coll.ʳ saw a reasonable prospect of his abandoning the

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the habits of intemperance into which it was stated he had lately fallen The Manager it appears can only reckon 21 Years service for pension under the Rules in consequence of his having been three times out of employ, but this period the Board observe would entitle him to a retiring allowance of 1/3 of the salary of the situation he recently held.—

4 The reports called for in paras 2 & 5 of the above Extract regarding the dismission of certain other public servants will be submitted to Government as soon as they are received from the Collectors.—

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
18th August 1856 } Signed/ G. S. Forbes
Secretary

Bd. No. 2759

From the Secy. to Government } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department dated 21st July 1856.—

724

Stating that the two Estimates submitted by the Board for repairing the Travellers Bungalow at Beypoor and Gunnoth in Malabar should be sanctioned by the chief Engineer.— (See No. 1222 in Separate Volume P. 46.)

Ordered

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Ordered that the following Official Memo. be sent in reply—

Official Memo.

724-725

Bd. No. 2582

To the Secretary to Government } The Secretary to the Board of Revenue has the honor to request that the Secretary to Government Public Work Department will be so good as to return the letter from the Civil Engineer 5th Division enclosing two Estimates for repairing 2 Bungalows in Malabar, submitted to Government with letter dated 4th July 1856 No. 2021.—

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
18th August 1856 } Signed/ G. S. Forbes
Secretary

Bd. No. 3014

From the Secy. to Government } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 4th August 1856.—

726

Desiring the Collector of Salem to report on certain points respecting the Yeddacheecolum Tank with reference to the construction of two new Tanks for the irrigation of the Lands of the Vuleyapuddy Village in that District.— (See No. 1345 in Seprate Volume P. 47.)

726-727

Bd. No. 2612

Forwarded to the Collector of Salem for report on the points noticed in Paras 4 and 5.—

Resolution thereon

Extract

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Bd. No. 3091

From the Secy. to Government — } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 8th August 1856.

728

Declining to sanction the Estimates submitted by the Chief Engineer for the Construction of 4 Chultrums in the Coimbatore District. (See No. 1379 in Separate Volume) P 49.

728-729

Bd. No. 2615

Order thereon — Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Coimbatore for information and guidance.

730

Bd. No. 3089

From the Secy. to Government — } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 9th August 1856.

Transmitting to the Collector of Tanjore an Extract from a Report from the Deputy Chief Engineer in the Southern Division and requesting him to investigate and report to Government the circumstances under which Coolies working under the Engineer Department were ordered away to other works by the Tahsildar. See No. 1394 in Separate Vol. 250

No. 1

Extract from a Report from Major Sawford Deputy Chief Engineer Southern Division dated 20th July 1856 — No. 7 —

Para 4 — I am the more anxious that the

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the success of these works should be brought to your notice because they from the first great experiment in Tanjore of the employment of executive agency unconnected with the Revenue Department, and the result would have been still more satisfactory if the Tahsildar had not interfered with the coolies who were authoritatively taken away for other works.—

Tanjore — Camp Trivad — 20th July 1856 } (Signed) C. Sawford Major

(True Copy)

(Signed) J. D. Bourdillon

Secretary to Government

730-731

Bd. No. 2644 Resolution thereon — Referred to the Collector of Tanjore for report.

732

Bd. No. 3119

From the Secy. to Government — } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Depart. dated the 11th August 1856.

Sanctioning the change proposed by the Collector of Rajahmundry in respect of the salaries of his Cutcherry Establishment. (See No. 851 in Separate Volume) P. 57.

732-733

Bd. No. 2632

Order thereon — Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Rajahmundry for information and guidance.—

Extract

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Bd No 3120

From the Secy to Government } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department dated the 11th August 1856.—

734

Remitting as recommended by the Commissioner Northern Circars the balance of Rupees 526 of the penalty adjudged against Vamoory Soobroydoo of Masulipatam and directing that his house be released from attachment

(See No 830 in Separate Volume P 52)

734-735

Bd No 2635.

Order thereon Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Masulipatam for information and guidance.—

736

Bd No 3122

From the Secy to Government } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department dated the 11th August 1856

Granting authority for the continuation to the holders of the lands given for the support of a Mosque at Chicacole.—

(See No 846 in Separate Volume P 53.)

736-737

Bd No 2631

Order thereon Ordered to be communicated to the Collector Vizagapatam who will inform the parties concerned of the decision of Government and carry out their instructions regarding the reventual resumption of the Enams.—

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After Bd No 3116

From the Secy to Government } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department dated the 12th August 1856.—

738

Sanctioning the refund of Rupees 38-6-5 being the excess duty levied on certain Pine spars imported by Messrs Gahan Caton and Co into Coringa and desiring the Board to make known by Circular the proper classification under which this article is to be treated for the future.—

(See No 852 in Separate Volume Page 54)

739

Bd No 2633

Order thereon Ordered that copy of the foregoing Extract Minutes of Consultation be furnished to the Collector of Rajahmundry who will refund to Messrs Gahan Caton & Co the amount levied from them on the Pine spars here alluded to over and above the duty of 3½ per Cent

Ordered

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the Collectors of
Maritime Districts

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Ordered also that the following Circular Order be issued to the Collectors of Maritime Districts—

Circular

Sir

It having been ruled by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council that Pine spars not made of one piece into Masts shall be classified as unenumerated articles, and as such subject to a duty of 3½ per cent you will be pleased to direct the observance of this Rule on all future occasions at the Sea Ports of your District.—

evenue Board Office
ort St. George
th August 1856

/Signed/ G. S. Forbes
Secretary

To

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To

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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Bd. № 2685
From the Collector of
North Arcot.....

Sir,

With reference to the Boards Circular of the 21st September 1854. I have the honor to forward two Statements №s 1 and 2 of the Anjeecat cultivable and waste lands in this District, Statement № 1 refers to the Circar lands, and № 2 to the Zemindaries and Poliems.—

With reference to Boards Circular of the 21st September 1854 forwards two Statements №s 1 & 2 of the Anjeecat cultivable and waste lands in this Districts.

2. The total Anjeecat of Circar land exclusive of Poramboke is after deducting enams 7,32,323 Cawnies The uncultivable assessed land amounts to 81,911 Cawnies some of this land is covered with Jungle, and it includes also small rocky tracts which should more properly have been entered as Poramboke in the survey accounts.—

The extent of cultivable land is 3,52,999 Cawnies assessed at 14,67,931. The breadth of cultivable land in Fusly 1260 was 29,413 Cawnies which yielded a revenue of Rupees 18,20,425—a

The

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The average rate per Caumey of assessed cultivable land was of Nunjah Rs 11-6-6 and of poonjah Rs 2-6-9 The average rate per Caumey of land cultivated was of Nunjah 10—12—9 and of Poonjah Rs 2—9—9

3. The Accounts received from the Zemindars are not sufficiently full to enable me to give in respect to them the information called for.—

Great delay has occurred in the transmission by some Zemindars of the Statements required from them. The accounts from the Arnee Jaghiredar were received only 10 days ago.—

4 So long as the Collector's inability to enforce the production of such of the accounts of Zemindaries Vz as are required for public purposes, continues, statistical accounts embracing the Zemindaries and Poliems cannot be furnished by him with the accuracy

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accuracy required and can be submitted even in their imperfect state only after long delay.—

North Arcot.....
Collectors Cutcherry.
Chittoor.....
12th July.....
1856...

(Signed) C. Whittingham
Collector

Statement

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... waste lands in the ... Government Talooks in the District of North Arcot.-

	Total						Deduct Manieum					
							Pongah			Nungah		
	Land		Teerwah		Land		Teerwah		Land		Teerwah	
6			7		8		9		10		11	
	Cs	A C	Rs	A C	Cs	A C	Rs	A C	Cs	A C	Rs	A C
	6	8 61749	a 6	328446	13 4							
	3 9	4 22774	10 4	143475	15 a							
	4 9	8 74905	8 a	403959	11 11							
	9	9 64148	6 12	240545	14 9							
	3 7	7 65734	8 8	370206	14 9							
	13	10 67723	9 12	328595	8 a							
	12	10 44081	5 4	138612	10 7							
	5 a	10 52602	3 4	27726	a 7							
	9 13	1 82226	13 4	430398	13 3							
	5 9	9 62316	2 10	406415	1 8							
		10 10 60928	13 14	301678	12 a							
	4 15	8 55978	1 12	341066	12 5							
	5	6 63899	12 4	139943	15 2							
	39 2	7 50869	8 6	247831	7 1							
	4 3	2 23509	10 12	71071	11 6							
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Total						
Land		Teerwah				
12			13			
Cs	A C	Rs	A C			
4774	6 12 12719	5 3	2633	12 6	49659	9 4
7264	10 a 14024	3 8	4763	13 8	58276	14 7
4290	1 8 9798	2 4	3767	10 a	38055	10 2
3342	13 8 6639	11 6	1711	8 8	14 1513	1 7
6611	8 a 19538	12 11	1964	2 4	22677	13 10
7237	8 12 25372	a 9	1901	11 a	31237	11 6
7321	12 8 20249	11 a	2146	12 a	20441	2 5
4353	7 12 12286	10 1	2438	a 4	27537	a 8
3719	11 4 11919	9 3	1478	13 4	20379	9 2
4242	5 4 10261	6 4	4249	2 6	41508	1 5
2959	2 2 8416	13 1	1699	6 6	17746	10 3
4233	6 2 12603	5 10	2255	8 a	28743	a 8
4020	3 12 4718	3 7	3585	a 8	15233	2 9
13953	2 6 41189	10 4	3860	a 2	75680	4 10
3356	3 12 7890	1 6	989	5 4	9810	7 3
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81680	6 14 21625	11 5	39444	9 12	471500	4 5

Total						
Land		Teerwah				
13						
Cs	A C	Rs	A C			
7408	3 2	62378	14 7			
12028	7 8	72301	2 3			
8057	11 8	47853	12 6			
5054	5 8	21152	13 1			
8575	10 4	42216	10 9			
9139	3 12	56609	12 3			
9468	8 8	40690	13 5			
6791	8 a	38823	10 9			
5198	8 8	32299	2 6			
8491	7 10	51769	7 9			
4658	8 8	26161	7 4			
6488	14 2	41346	6 6			
7605	4 4	19951	6 4			
17883	2 8	116869	15 2			
4345	9 a	17700	8 9			
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Remaining Rim Circar land

Poonjah				Nunjah				Total			
Land		Teerwah		Land		Teerwah		Land		Teerwah	
14		15		16		17		18		19	
Co	A C	Rs	A P	Co	A C	Rs	A P	Co	A C	Rs	A P
43785	3 8	93922	13 3	10555	9 "	172145	1 6	54340	13 4	266067	14 9
7165	12 "	18634	6 1	3580	6 12	52540	6 8	10746	2 12	71174	12 9
39551	2 2	95276	15 7	27296	10 6	260828	15 10	66847	12 8	356105	15 5
43281	15 "	84813	2 5	15812	2 4	134579	15 3	59094	1 4	2193931	8
42697	3 12	137364	1 "	14461	10 8	190626	3 "	57158	14 4	327990	4 "
48432	4 "	132622	3 1	10152	2 "	139363	8 8	58584	6 "	271985	11 9
28987	7 "	55283	" 8	5625	5 12	42638	12 6	34612	12 12	97921	13 2
31372	1 4	70674	5 8	14438	10 "	169228	" 2	45810	11 4	239902	6 10
62743	" 8	194327	15 10	14285	4 4	203771	11 "	77028	4 12	398099	10 10
32107	6 8	87666	1 9	21717	4 8	266998	2	53824	11 "	354645	9 11
38657	12 4	98567	3 11	17612	9 2	176950	" 9	56270	5 6	275517	4 8
34601	14 2	110396	4 7	14887	5 8	189324	1 4	49489	3 10	299720	5 11
35711	6 8	39822	1 4	20583	1 8	80170	7 6	56294	8 "	119992	8 10
29038	5 12	65171	9 1	4018	"	146789	14 10	33056	5 14	130961	7 11
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Assessed cultivated Land

Poonjah				Nunjah				Total			
Land		Teerwah		Land		Teerwah		Land		Teerwah	
20		21		22		23		24		25	
Co	A C	Rs	A P	Co	A C	Rs	A P	Co	A C	Rs	A P
21949	4 13	45677	1 7	2868	3 4	46496	3 11	24817	8 1	92173	5 6
3454	4 4	8637	14 3	1192	124	17267	9 4	4647	" 8	25905	7 7
31082	15 10	73679	4 3	9826	5 8	85853	15 3	40909	5 2	159533	3 6
27658	1 "	52930	14 7	6288	8 "	53615	9 2	33946	9 "	106546	7 9
20514	13 4	65764	15 3	5032	9 8	69230	7 9	25547	6 12	134995	7 "
18375	3 12	50126	1 2	2339	1 4	30540	15 6	20714	5 "	80667	" 8
13898	1312	25240	9 3	1511	14 8	9079	4 6	15410	12 4	34319	139
16736	1312	35334	9 9	5709	11 12	70914	13 5	22446	9 8	106249	7 2
28780	7 "	85329	1 10	3916	11 12	62839	9 10	32697	2 12	148168	11 8
21747	14 14	59143	1 3	9820	" 6	119893	4 "	31067	15 4	179036	6 3
13088	15 4	33473	5 6	5117	4 "	56742	" 10	18206	3 4	90215	6 4
22207	13 6	71867	11 4	7659	1 14	103689	" 11	29866	15 4	175556	12 3
12888	8 "	15338	7 3	4962	3 "	18372	9 7	17850	11 "	33711	" 10
24165	13 4	51899	5 9	1737	10 8	28502	1 8	25903	7 12	80401	7 5
8298	1 "	15860	2 3	669	4 8	4591	1 2	8967	5 8	20451	3 5
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Court of Exchequer 1856

Account of Duties on [illegible]
Alphabetical [illegible]

Counties	Names	Value
Cornwall	Hezekiah Carnell	£ 4 6
Devon	Ambrose Tremaine	£ 12 7
Somerset	Jeremiah Bowden	£ 3 14
Dorset	Nathaniel Pike	£ 1 2
Hampshire	Obadiah Crowley	£ 7 19
Wiltshire	Silas Merrifield	£ 2 4
Berkshire	Ezekiel Thorpe	£ 5 11
Oxfordshire	Josiah Wainwright	£ 9 3
Buckinghamshire	Reuben Hartley	£ 6 8
Hertfordshire	Caleb Ashworth	£ 2 15
Essex	Daniel Whitcombe	£ 11 2
Kent	Thomas Fairbrother	£ 14 6
Sussex	Edmund Larkin	£ 8 9
Surrey	Walter Kingsley	£ 3 7
Middlesex	Richard Osborne	£ 21 4
Norfolk	Peregrine Dudley	£ 4 12
Suffolk	Matthias Holbrook	£ 6 3
Cambridgeshire	Lancelot Greaves	£ 2 10
Huntingdonshire	Percival Stanhope	£ 1 5
Bedfordshire	Gideon Marlowe	£ 2 8
Northamptonshire	Simeon Whitaker	£ 5 14
Leicestershire	Barnabas Fletcher	£ 3 9
Rutland	Ephraim Goodall	£ 1 2
Lincolnshire	Jonathan Pettigrew	£ 8 16
Nottinghamshire	Samuel Ironside	£ 4 11
Derbyshire	Francis Wetherby	£ 3 6
Staffordshire	Hezekiah Underwood	£ 5 13
Shropshire	Walter Blackmore	£ 4 7
Herefordshire	Timothy Ashcroft	£ 2 19
Worcestershire	Nicholas Pemberton	£ 3 4
Gloucestershire	Abraham Whitlock	£ 7 2
Monmouthshire	Josiah Trevanion	£ 2 6
Wales	Ebenezer Morgan	£ 9 11
Cheshire	Matthew Langford	£ 6 14
Lancashire	Zebulon Crompton	£ 18 5
Yorkshire	Reginald Fairfax	£ 22 10
Durham	Cuthbert Ridley	£ 4 3
Northumberland	Oswald Carrington	£ 3 17
Cumberland	Hezekiah Bowman	£ 2 9
Westmorland	Jeremiah Dawson	£ 1 14
Lancaster	Nathaniel Crabtree	£ 5 6
Isle of Man	Thomas Kneale	£ 1 4
Channel Islands	Philippe Le Marchant	£ 2 8
Scotland	Alexander Macpherson	£ 14 12
Ireland	Patrick O'Donnell	£ 11 5
Foreign Ports	Various Agents	£ 6 3
Colonies	Various Agents	£ 9 17
Miscellaneous	Sundry Persons	£ 1 11

Total £ 218 14 6

Examined and found correct, 14 March 1856.
Henry Aldridge, Auditor.
Frances Aldridge, Clerk.

Hornemanns collectaneal Forsøg

Thomsdal

Dam	Ein Hauswald	Thujabusk forskj Hauswald	Hytte	Dam	Ein Hauswald
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14618	2 " 19784	2 10 1013	9 2 31797	12 " 9219	15 4 78490
13206	14 12 5112	5 5 1676	11 6 53902	2 11 8126	8 8 10703
2106	" 8 5848	2 " 1684	15 8 6016	9 1 6490	8 4 93383
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10146	2 14 2809	0 10 4 766	6 5 2883	7 " 9 1292	7 2 14593
14758	15 " 3864	3 12 4 1170	9 10 3981	6 2 1016	9 14 9470
1236	5 12 3846	" 10 332	14 6 3879	15 4 7220	15 2 8556
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Note. Amal. Collectan Botanic. Lit. Thuay 15 July

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1856 Sjømoell Fl. Hafniæ Collector Flatbomm

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Ytelse

Hushøj forskj Hauswald	Hytte	Dam	Ein Hauswald	Thujabusk forskj Hauswald	Ytelse
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Br Ad	Br Ad	Ab	Br Ad	Br Ad	Ae Ad
1078 13 1	11987 6 4 1	2173 51	5 15 4389	12 5 1524	6 13 1 1611
667 9	5 3135 1	11 " 3880	15 4 3630	0 15 4 1021	5 6 3792
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5245 11	9 1123	49 3 " 2333	1 7 4 1593	28 8 6922	7 3 1662
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boke		Total				Deduct Maneem					
						Poonjah		Nunjah		Total	
Teerwah	Land	Teerwah				Land	Teerwah	Land	Teerwah	Land	Teerwah
5	6	7				8	9	10	11	12	13
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50,246 15 5	196563	11	42162	9 7 8		2 24572 5 4	9,245 13 0	6,428 14 9	47,690 8 3	33000 9 13	54,936 5 3
6,924 12 6	47860	3 8	12,280	15 6		25047 7 12	15884 7 5	4,769 11 12	34,216 5 5	29817 3 8	80130 12 10
3835 3 6	5989	11 4	42508	6 8		1998 1 8	8,781 2 5	783 1 4	15634 10 9	2,781 2 12	21,115 13 2
2194 10 5	5890	3 4	24205	15 2		2687 15 4	6590 6 3	366 13 8	5536 0 1	3054 12 12	12126 6 4
3571 4 8	8146	0 2	40795	4 2		2499 0 10	6614 10 5	671 8 12	11128 0 1	3170 9 6	17,742 10 6
7,944 14 7	18859	4 10	94,366	9 5		5111 7 0	1,166 2 6	1,206 14	21,273 11 9	6317 8 4	1,139 14 3
5,513 11 6	2,402	2 4	11519	13 7		607 12 8	2166 0 0	166 4 0	2,626 11 7	774 0 8	4,792 11 7
7,131 2 1	9932	10 4	34,841	2 1		2516 11 12	7,424 5 11	860 10 0	12,903 15 2	3,377 5 12	20,328 5 1
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Remaining am cirear land.

Poonjah		Nunjah		Total	
Land	Teerwah	Land	Teerwah	Land	Teerwah
14	15	16	17	18	19
Cs A M	Rs A P	Cs A M	Rs A P	Cs A M	Rs A P
108,435 15 5	64136 11 3	55,126 14 9	302,556 7 2	163,562 13 14	366693 2 5
15752 8 8	30001 11 7	2290 7 8	12678 7 1	18043 . .	42680 2 8
2709 4 4	9892 . 9	499 7 4	8200 8 9	3208 11 8	18092 9 00
2854 3 8	5720 14 6	484 3 .	6658 10 4	2835 6 8	12079 8 10
4404 9 12	10609 5 1	870 13 .	12443 4 7	4975 6 12	23052 9 8
11482 3 14	29255 8 4	1539 8 8	23671 2 10	12541 12 6	52926 11 2
4433 4 12	3840 2 6	196 13 8	2886 15 6	1630 1 12	6227 2 .
6147 5 62	10283 10 10	107 14 12	4227 2 11	6555 4 8	14502 13 9
151936 7 3	163142 . 10	61416 2 1	373322 13 2	213352 9 4	536764 12 .
79137 5 8	. . .	29945 12 12	. . .	109083 2 4	. . .
24408 13 8	73445 9 1	14097 1 12	147152 1 9	38505 15 4	220597 10 10
255482 10 3	. . .	105459 . 9	. . .	360941 10 12	. . .

Fit for cultivation

Poonjah		Nunjah		Total	
Land	Teerwah	Land	Teerwah	Land	Teerwah
20	21	22	23	24	25
Cs A M	Rs A P	Cs A M	Rs A P	Cs A M	Rs A P
24426 8 15	10788 11 5	12328 7 2	122862 1 7	36755 . 1	133650 13 .
6601 8 4	8670 5 8	743 4 .	3780 7 11	7344 12 4	12450 13 7
1948 2 12	6712 10 10	235 6 8	4073 14 1	2183 9 4	10786 8 11
1596 6 .	3073 10 5	190 8 4	2378 8 1	1786 14 4	5452 2 6
2217 . 11	4976 12 4	274 7 12	3174 11 8	2491 8 10	8151 8 .
8455 . 10	21539 10 6	586 8 .	7872 4 8	9041 8 10	29411 15 2
1209 9 .	3112 10 4	62 8 4	899 10 11	1272 1 4	4022 5 3
5409 10 4	8371 . 2	329 14 .	3350 8 9	5739 8 4	11721 8 11
51863 14 11	67255 7 8	14750 15 14	148392 3 8	66614 14 9	215647 11 4
51525 4 12	. . .	15338 14 4	. . .	66839 3 .	. . .
. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .	. . .
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Deduct Bunjer or immemorial unfit for cultivation.

Poonjah		Nunjah		Total	
Land	Teerwah	Land	Teerwah	Land	Teerwah
26	27	28	29	30	31
Cs A M	Rs A P	Cs A M	Rs A P	Cs A M	Rs A P

waste.

Poonjah		Nunjah		Total	
Land	Teerwah	Land	Teerwah	Land	Teerwah
32	33	34	35	36	37
Cs A M	Rs A P	Cs A M	Rs A P	Cs A M	Rs A P
24,426 8 15	10,788 11 5	12,328 7	2,122 862 1 7	36,755 . 1	13,365 013 .
6,601 8 4	8,670 5 8	743 4 .	3,780 7 11	7,344 12 4	12,450 13 7
1,948 2 12	6,712 10 10	235 6 8	4,073 14 1	2,184 9 4	10,786 8 11
1,596 6 .	3,073 10 5	190 8 4	2,378 8 1	1,786 14 4	5,452 2 6
2,217 . 14	4,976 12 4	274 7 12	3,174 11 8	2,491 8 10	8,151 8 .
8,455 . 10	21,539 10 6	586 8 .	7,872 4 8	9,041 8 10	29,411 15 2
1,209 9 .	3,112 10 4	62 8 4	899 10 11	1,272 1 4	4,022 5 3
5,409 10 4	8,371 . 2	329 14 .	3,350 8 9	5,739 8 4	11,721 8 11
57,863 14 11	67,255 7 8	14,750 15 14	148,392 3 8	66,614 14 9	215,647 11 4
51,525 4 12	. . 2	15,333 14 4	. . .	66,859 3 .	. . .

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Remaining cultivated in fasly 1260.

Poonjah Land	Poonjah Teerwah	Nunjah Land	Nunjah Teerwah	Land	Total Teerwah
38	39	40	41	42	43
Cs. A 16	Rs. A P	Cs. A 16	Rs. A P	Cs. A 16	Rs. A P
84,009 6 6	53,347 15 10	42798 7 7	179694 5 7	126807 13 13	233,042 5 5
9151 . 4	21,331 5 4	1547 3 8	8897 15 2	10698 3 12	30,229 5 1
761 1 8	3179 5 11	264 . 12	4126 10 8	1025 2 4	7,306 . 7
754 13 8	2347 4 1	293 10 12	4,280 2 3	1048 8 4	6627 6 4
1887 8 14	5632 8 9	596 5 4	9268 8 11	2483 11 2	14901 1 8
9547 3 4	7715 13 10	953 . 8	15798 11 2	3500 3 12	23514 12 .
223 11 4	717 8 2	134 5 4	1987 4 7	358 . 8	2704 12 9
737 4 8	1914 10 8	78 . 12	876 10 2	815 12 4	2791 4 10
100072 8 8	96186 9 2	46665 2 3	224930 7 6	146737 10 11	321117 . 8
27612 . 12	108730 11 2	11611 14 8	191742 . 4	42223 15 4	300472 11 6
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "

In the accounts received these Zemindaries and Poliems the extent of land fit for cultivation is not distinguished from that "unfit for cultivation". These particulars cannot therefore be given in this Statement.

In this Zemindary the teerwah is not fixed but is levied partly in money and partly in kind according to the nature of the crop cultivated. As there are accounts to shew the amount of teerwah both in money and kind on the cultivation of fasly 1260 the teerwah columns under this head have been filled up.

As the Board of Revenue have in their Proceedings of the 3d March 1856 stated that it would be sufficient if the total extent of assessed lands in arnee Jaghire were given the Jaghiredar has furnished the Aurjacut accounts only.

North Arcot Collectors Cutcherry Chittoor 15th July 1856. (Signed) C. Whittingham Collector

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Order thereon—
(741-742)

Ordered to lie over

No. 155.

743

To G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Bd. No. 2703
From the Collector of Nellore

Sir,

I have the honor to submit an application on behalf of one V. Narsareddy a Ryot of this District for a grant of waste land of the annual value of 60 Rupees in endowment of a Choultry built by his Brother and himself.

2. The building is conveniently situated on the bank of a salt water creek on the road leading from Nellore to the terminus to the new Canal at Doogarauzepalam. It was built in 1847 with the sanction of the then Collector Mr. Bishop Vieth with a Moosaphirkhanah which has been recently added affords accommodation to all Classes of Native Travellers. The Buildings have been inspected by the Talook maistry & are estimated to have cost about 2700 Rupees.

3. Under these circumstances, I beg to recommend the grant of the Endowment solicited Viz. waste land bearing an assessment of 60 Rupees per annum.

Nellore Collector's Office,
15th July 1856.

/ Signed / F. B. Elton
Collector

Bd. No. 2618
Proceedings thereon

(743-744)

Resolved that the foregoing letter be forwarded for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with the recommendation of the Board that as the Choultry and Moosafirkhanah attached have been examined and estimated to have cost Rupees 2700 are open to all classes of the community and are stated to be conveniently situated the waste land now applied for, bearing an assessment of Rupees 60 per year, may be granted as an endowment for the Choultry.

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No. 12

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To G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Bd. No. 2867
From the Collector of Coimbatore

Sir

With Reference to para 11 of my letter to the Chief Engineer dated 8th January 1856 No. 5 which was transferred to the Board under orders of Government dated 21st September 1855 No. 1072. I have the honor to Request that the sanction of Government may be obtained as early as practicable for the Revised Estimate of 31000 Rupees for working the Annamaly Forests Captain Hamilton has already drawn from my Treasury 13990 Rupees as an advance in anticipation of sanction and he has now applied to me for a further advance of 8000 Rupees.

2 I take this opportunity to observe that the Revised account Current of the Annamalay Forest operations for the year 1854/55 which was forwarded with my letter of the 8th January 1856 and which the Board submitted to Government on the 22d April 1856 was returned to me direct by Government for further Correction which was accordingly

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accordingly made and the account Retransmitted

Copies of my Reply to Government and of the ac:

=count Current as now Corrected are herewith sub

as the Board will probably Require for examining

the accounts of 1855/56 which are under prepara:

=tion by Captain Hamilton and which will

be submitted shortly—

Coimbatore — —
Collectors Cutcherry
21st July 1856 —

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector

Encl. No 1
No 24

To J. D. Bourdillon Esqre
Secretary to Government

Sir, Fort St. George.

1 With reference to Extract from the Minutes of Consultations dated 3d ultimo No 46/50 I have the honor to forward a Revised account Current in the prescribed forms for the official year 1854/55

2 The account Contains 2 extra Items amounting to Rupees 9500 — paid in advance for the value of Teak Trees in a forest in District of Malabar taken on Rent by Government as per Sanction of the Co dated 25th October and 7th

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December 1850 these Items having been omitted

in the previous accounts under the Reasons stated

in the enclosed Extract from a letter from Captn

Hamilton are now entered in the account—

Dated 1st May 1856

3 I take this opportunity to Request

the sanction of Government for writing off the

sum of Rupees 34,354-6-8 Viz.t Rs. 33947-2

=the value of 600 Superior Planks burnt in the

Forest in the year 1852 which formed the subject

of the Correspondence Marginally indicated

and Rupees 407-4-8

the outstanding

balance against

=workmen and which are irre:

=coverable as stated in the Memo: No 1—

*Vide Memo: No 2 annexed to the account Current

To Board 18th February 1852 No 14—
Extract Minutes Consultation
8th March 1852 No 230
Extract Minutes Consultation
15th March 1853 No 296—

Coimbatore
Collectors Office
23d June 1856

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector

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The Bombay Government ——————————————— Dr.
To The Annamalay Forest for Teak supplied during the year 1854-

Class	No. of Planks	Rate per 100 Rolls	Cubic Contents Rolls By	Amount
		Rs.		
1st	261	68	19942 5 8½	13560 14 1
2d	702	65	42038 2 3	27324 13 2
3d	1092	55	50897 6 5½	27993 10 4
4th	177	50	6821. 2 1	3412 1 5
Total Number of Planks & Rolls-	2232		119702 1. 2	
		Total Company's Rupees ———		72291 7 "

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(Signed) D. Hamilton Capt.
Asst. Supt. Annay. Forest

(True Copy) (Signed) E-B- Thomas

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Memorandum of Permanent Establishment-

No.	Employment	Names	Amount
1	Superintendant	Captain D. Hamilton	250 " "
1	Carpenter	T. Reid	100 " "
1	Head writer	Mootoosammy Pillay	30 " "
1	Deputy Writer	Rungaroon	20 " "
1	Tonady Writer	D. L. Rodrigues	20 " "
1	Floater	Nunderum Singh	25 " "
1	Duffadar	Lonah	8 " "
6	Forest Peons	at 5 Rupees each	30 " "
2	Tonany Peons	at 4 Rupees each	8 " "
1	Mungera Peon	at 4 Rupees each	4 " "
2	Hkeders	at 3 Rupees each	6 " "
		Total Company's Rupees -	501 " "

Annamalay Hills 12th November 1855.

(Signed) D. Hamilton
Asst. Supte. Anay. Forest.

(True Copy) (Signed) E-B. Thomas
Collector

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Memorandum shewing outstanding on different workmen -

Planter Contractor	1200	11 4
Road Contractor	11	11 "
Elephant Contractor	9	8 "
Cart Contractor	1258	" "
Slip Contractor	692	13 "
Sundries on well Contractor	110	" "
Float Contractor	46	7 6
Total Company's Rupees	3329	5 10

Annamalay Hills 12th November 1855

(Signed) D. Hamilton Capt.
Ag. Supt. Annj. Forests

(True Copy)

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector -

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The Bombay Government — Dr.
To The Annamalay Forest for Teak supplied during the year 1853

Class	No. of Planks	Rate per 100 Rolls Rs.	Cubic Contents Rolls B Y	Amount
1st	128	68	9351 2 15½	6358 13 7
2d "	364	65	21973 " 7½	14282 7 8
3d "	340	55	17081 2 3	9394 10 5
4th "	21	50	992 7 4	496 4 10
Total Number of Planks & Rolls	853		49398 " 14	
Total Company's Rupees				30532 4 6

Annamalay Hills 12th November 1855

(Signed) D. Hamilton Capt.
Ag. Supt. Annj. Forests

(True Copy)

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector

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Memorandum Showing Sums Lost upon Contractors absconded and dead-

On Plank Contractors	381	1	8
On Slips	20	"	"
On Road Coolies	2	"	"
On Sawyers	4	3	"
Total Rupees	407	4	8

Annamulay Hills 12th November 1855- (Signed) D. Hamiltons Capte
Acting Supte Army Forest

(True Copy)
(Signed) E.B. Thomas
Collector

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The Bombay Government - Dr.
To the Annamulay Forest for Teak supplied during the year 1853-

Class	No. of Planks	Rate per 100 Rolls	Cubics Contents Rolls	B	Y	Amount
		Rs				
1st	149	68	9868	5	4½	6710 8 8
2d	425	65	23228	6	14½	15098 9 3
3d	594	53	25227	5	2½	13875 1 5
4th	233	50	8089	2	3	4024 9 6
Total Number of Planks & Rolls	1401		66413	7	8½	

Total Company's Rupees 39728 12 10

Annamulay Hills 12th November 1855. (Signed) D. Hamilton Capte
Ag. Supte Army Forest

(True Copy)
(Signed) E.B. Thomas
Collector

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No. 2

Allowance of the quantity of Teak timber unreduced sent

2000 Plants to be under Trees to Poonany Conservancy containing about 3000 Cubic feet Timber at 2 Rupees per Cubic foot — 6000

2000 Plants under Trees to Chelagherry Barracks containing about 3000 Cubic feet at 1½ Rupees per Cubic foot — 4500 " "

129 Plants under Trees to Pookkoo Conservancy containing about 24,00 Cubic feet at 8 annas per Cubic foot — 750 " "

38 days labour (Rupees) containing about 2500 Cubic feet at 1½ annas per Cubic foot — 237 4

180 Plants under Trees to Coimbatore at 4 annas each — 45 " "

Total Company's Rupees carried forward — 11932 13 "

Conveyance to Coimbatore 2000 Cubic feet at 1½ annas per Cubic foot — 1562 8 "

600 Plants Conveyance about 15000 Cubic feet Timber at 2½ annas per Cubic foot — 2343 12 "

Barracks for which Bills have been submitted but money not received — 641 1 "

Coimbatore Expenditure viz. as entered in the Accounts — 7032 13 "

Conveyance to Store at 17000 Cubic feet at about 2½ annas per Cubic foot — 1562 8 "

600 Plants Conveyance about 15000 Cubic feet Timber at 2½ annas per Cubic foot — 2343 12 "

To Forestry Expenditure deducting Cost of Plants — 3350 910 "

Company's Rupees — 10542 3 "

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Dr. Account Current of the Annamalay Forests Coimbatore District for the Official Year 1854 and up to 30th April 1855 — Cr.

To Cash paid by the Collector of Coimbatore to the Colungodo Rumbody as an advance for 1500 Teak Trees	7500	" "	By amount to be Received from the agent of the Bombay Government on account of the Timber supplied to Coimbatore for Timber		
Implements &c.a	3066	5 9	to Neilgherry Barracks	2129 5 4	17611 8 2
	10567	11			
Balance in favour of Government	5442	8 7	Total Company's Rupees		16194 6
Total Company's Rupees	16194	6			

(Signed) D. Hamilton Capt.
Ag. Supt. Anny Forest

(True Copy)

(Signed) E. B. Thomas
Collector

By pay of fixed Establishment — 22509 56

By amount of Forest expenses per account Current — 83259 25

105768 11

Balance — 633 54

fresh, occupies from 2 to 4 hours, according as the boatmen are alert or not. To add to this delay the road from hence to the river bank and for 4 or 5 Miles on the other side, is one sheet of tenacious mud through which the bearers travel with difficulty perhaps 2 Miles an hour. The consequence of all these evils combined is that a traveller leaving Masulipatam at 3 or 4 P.M. of one day takes, during the Monsoon fully 24 hours to reach Baupetlah to his very serious inconvenience, and it might be the detriment of his health from exposure to the sun.—

3 I would therefore recommend that a second class bungalow be built on the North bank of the Kistna and as near to the river as a good site can be found for it. A traveller would then start early one morning to this spot spend the heat of the day there, cross the river early and by day light and get into Baupetlah in good time the next morning i.e. by 7 or 8 A.M. Beyond the first 4. or. 5 Miles into

into the Guntoor District the soil is sandy and bearers cango quicker perhaps in wet weather than in dry. The materials for the Bungalow could be prepared at Bezoarah where stone or brick and lime can be had in any quantity from the Anicut Department and at reasonable rates.—

4 I have been induced to make this proposal, in consequence of the many complaints, I have heard from parties who have experienced the delay and inconvenience caused by the bad state of the roads for 15 to 20 Miles and the intervention of a large river the Kistna in the course of one nights run at this season too, the road via Bezoarah is of any thing worse than via Sullapully being as bad in regard of mud and worse in regard of length 42 Miles instead of 20. I hope therefore that the Board will feel justified in supporting my proposal by their favorable opinion

opinion in submitting it to Government.—

Masulipatam ——
Collectors Cutcherry
22d July 1856 ——
} / Signed / J. Fraser
Acting Collector

Board No. 2617
Resolution thereon
747-748

Resolved that the above letter be forwarded for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.—

2 The Coast road on which for the convenience of travellers the Acting Collector proposes to build a 2nd Class Public Bungalow, runs thro Sandole, Bâputla, and Chinna Ganjam in the Guntoor district, and forms a junction with the Northern trunk road at Nagulapoolly pâd in the Nellore district. Bungalows have been built both at Banputla and Chinna Ganjam but between Masulipatam and the former station a distance of 54 Miles no building of any sort exists for the accommodation of travellers, and as the coast road is said by the Acting Collector to be most frequented, and is connected with the Northern trunk road by a much shorter distance than via Bezoarah

Bezoarah, the Board consider it desirable that a Bungalow should be built in the locality described by the Acting Collector, and according ly beg to recommend his proposal for the favorable consideration of Government.—

No. 92

To
G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

749

Bd No. 2870
From the Collector of Salem ——
} Sir

With reference to the Boards Circular Order dated the 21st July —— 1855 No. 1821 forwarding the rules sanctioned by the Government for the Commutation of certain Pensions payable from the Public Treasuries and desiring that all Pensions of trifling amount may be brought up when the parties consent thereto, I have the honor to report that one Beemacharya Roosoomdar of Tripatore drawing an annual allowance of Rupees 4—— has applied for the commutation of this present allowance at the rate

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rate fixed by Government—

2.

Beemacharry is one of the four Roosoondars named in the Roosoom Certificate No. 7, is between 30 and 40 years of age and according to the rates entered in the Schedule is entitled to ten and a half years purchase money in commutation of his present allowance. The Pensioner is in good health as certified by the apothecary attached to my Establishment. The Apothecary's certificate is enclosed.—

3

Under the above circumstances I beg to recommend that Beemacharry's present annual allowance of Rupees 4—"—"— may be brought up for 42 Rupees, which is equivalent to 10½ years purchase Money; and that his name may be struck off from the list of Roosoondars who are drawing pensions from the Salem Treasury.—

Salem Collector's office
Salem 26th July 1856— } /Signed/ H. A. Brett
No. 1 Collector

This is to Certify, that I have this day

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examined Beemacharry, Pensioner Aged 39 years, and consider him in good health and to the best of my belief free from any mental or bodily disease.—

Oosoor 11th June 1856 } /Signed/ R. Huffton
Apothecary
Collectors Department Salem

Board No. 2611
Proceedings thereon
(749-750)

The Board of Revenue Sanction the payment of Rupees 42 to Beemacharry in commutation of the annual Roosoom of 4 Rupees hitherto paid to him. The name of this individual will henceforward be struck off the list of Roosoondars—

No. 166

To
G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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Bd. No. 2949
From the Collector of Madura— }

Sir

In returning the accompanying Petition No. 1825 of 1856 I have the honor to state that the Mosques in question is the one alluded to in my letter of the 8th April 1853. The Manager is perfectly willing that the sharers in the surplus income should have access to the accounts and

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and take copies or Extracts, and it appears to me that unnecessary labour would be imposed on the Establishment by directing that he should furnish them with a copy under his signature. In case of a complaint the original accounts could be inspected—

Madura ——— }
29th July 1856 } /Signed/ R. D. Parker
Collector

Bd No. 2622
Order thereon
(751-752)

Ordered that the following Endorsement be passed on Petition No. 1825 of 1856.—

"The Collector reports that the Manager is willing to afford the sharers access to the original accounts, and to permit them to make copies of them or Extracts from them. The Board, consider this sufficient."

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To

G. S. Forbes Esquire
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

(753)

Bd No. 2925
From the Collector of Chingleput } Sir

I have the honor to report on the accompanying Petition No. 32 bearing the Boards endorsement

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endorsement dated the 28th February 1856.—

2 The Petitioners statement that Mr. Freese issued a Cowle to a Poyakarry for 22 and odd Cawnies of land in Fusly 1249 without making any arrangements for the payment of the fees due to him as Merasidar is perfectly correct. But at this distance of time, and in the absence of any Enactment empowering the Revenue authorities to realize and pay the usual Swatunthrums due from Payakaries to Meerasidars, there appears no alternative by which Petitioners grievances could be redressed but to refer him to the Civil Courts as was done by the late Mr. Cochrane.—

3 The Cowle issued to the Petitioners opponent is progressive, and not limited to any definite period. Petitioner maintains that the term of 5 years by which the Jaum or regulated assessment was required to be paid in full having expired long since, the lands should be made over to him. His request in this respect seems to be inadmissible under the circumstances, and cannot be granted without injury to his opponent who has spent his labour and capital in the improvement of his holdings. Petitioners objections to the entry of the names

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names of other Parties in the Puttah issued to his adversary are likewise groundless as it was done with the Puttadars consent.—

Chingleput District Collectors Cutcherry Sydapet 30th July 1856 } /Signed/ C. S. Shubrick Collector

Bd No 2636

Proceedings thereon— Under the esplanation furnished by the Collector, the Board decline to interfere on Petitioners behalf or to recognise his claims. He is at liberty to prosecute his claims in the Civil Court if so disposed.—

(753-754)

To

No 230

G. S. Forbes Esqre

Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Fort St George

(755)

Bd No 2980

From the Collector of Tinnevelly— } Sir

With reference to your Endorsement on Petition No 1822 of 1856— herewith returned, I have the honor to refer to my letter to your address of 23d Instant reporting upon two Similar Petitions Nos 1089 and 1485 of 1856 sent to me for report.—

Tinnevelly Collectors circuit Cutcherry Tencansey 30th July 1856 } The enclosures to the said 2 Petitions are herewith returned.— /Signed/ J. Silver Collector

Bd No 2623

Order thereon

(755-756)

Ordered that the following Endorsement be passed on Petition No 1822 of 1856

"The Board have received a report from the Collector and decline to comply with Petitioners request."

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No 119

To

G. S. Forbes Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

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Bd No 3009

From the Collector of Coimbatoor } Sir

I have the honor to forward a Statement showing the amount of Rupees 12-14. paid as compensation for Palmira Trees, cut down in tracing the line for Railway during the Quarter ending 30th June 1856 and to request that the sanction of Government may be obtained for the same—

2 No compensation having been paid during the first Quarter 1856 similar Return for that period is blank.—

Coimbatore— Collectors Office 1st August 1856 } /Signed/ C. B. Thomas Collector

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Statement of Compensation for land, Trees Buildings or damage to Property of other kinds paid on account of the Railway distinguishing the land required for the way and works and made over by Government under deed of Contract from that taken for Brick fields Ballast pits or other such purposes and paid for by the Railway Company in the District of Coimbatore from April to June 1856—

Taluk and Village	Description of Property	Extent of ground	For what purpose required	Name of the Proprietor	Amount of compensation awarded	When paid	Remarks
Erode Taluk							
Erode	Palmira Trees	"	For tracing line for Railway—	Palany Goundon Chelluppa Goundon	12 14 "	6th May 1856	Paid as compensation on account of value of 50 Palmira Trees cut down from the fields of these Ryots for tracing line for Railway.—

Coimbatore—
Collectors—
1st August 1856

E C Per/

Signed/ C. B. Thomas
Collector

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Bd. No. 2620

Proceedings thereon- Resolved that the letter recorded above and its enclosure be submitted for the information and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to the Circular letter of Inl. 28th Sep/55 Government dated 21st September 1855 No. 2230

2 The Board recommend that Sanction be granted for the disbursement of Rupees 12-14- being the amount of Compensation paid by the Collector during the 2d quarter of 1856 for 30 Palmira Trees felled in tracing the line of Railway. payments the Collector states were made during the first quarter on account of the Railway.—

To

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Bd. No. 3021

From the Offg. Agent to the Govr. at Kurnool-

No. 83.

To G. L. Forbes Esqr. Secretary to the Bd. of Revenue Fort St. George.

Sir,

1. Agreeably to the instructions conveyed in the Board's Circular No. 2100 of the 10th July 1856. I have the honor to subjoin a Statement shewing the number of cases of lapsed Inams in this District from 1849 up to the present date, together with the number already reported on during that period, and the number yet to be reported upon-

2- The reports on the latter number of cases are in the course of preparation and they will be submitted to the Board with all possible despatch-

Statement

Number of Cases of lapsed Inams.

Division	1849	1850	1851	1852	1853	1854	1855	1856	Total	Number reported to the Board	Number ready for report	Number unexamined.
Agent to the Govr.	37	64	14	14	11	13	33	20	206	33	74	"

Kurnool Govt. Agents office
759-760 2d August 1856

/Signed/ John G. Purcell
Offg Agent to the Govr.

order thereon- ordered to lie over- To.

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B.C. No. 3171

From the Collr of Tinnevelly -

Submitting a statement of Yeomials in the District as they stood on the 1st July 1855 prepared in the form prescribed in the Board's Circular of 29th ult. last and furnishing the necessary particulars connected therewith -

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To

G. L. Forbes Esqr
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George

No. 241

Sir

Para. 1. With reference to your Circular dated 29th August last I have the honor to submit a Statement prepared in the form prescribed by the Board, from which it will be observed that the number and amount of Yeomials of the several classes as they stood on the 1st July 1855 and the total amount attached to them were 85 and Rupees 3514 — respectively as shewn in the margin. These Yeomials are now disbursed from Ayan under the sanction of Government dated 24th June and 21st October 1851.

Inquiry directed	Subsistence or Life grants	Total	Amount
No. of Yeomials	Amount	No. of Yeomials	Amount
			Rs a ps
21	19	40	1552 7 2
17	12	29	880 4 11
"	5	5	373 5 4
"	9	9	70 12 7
"	1	1	155 13 8
"	1	1	36 4 5
38	47	85	3514 4 1

Former days now Ayan
Former Chuttrum now Ayan
2 Collar Kaval family
4 Pangini and Sepoys
5 old Karnam family
6 Cavan Jamdari
= gurry charque

1. The Sayer Yeomials No 1 amounting to Star pagodas 1479-13-04 or Rs 5177-9-2 which were originally sanctioned by Government under date the 6th January 1813 were subdivided into two classes Viz. Service Yeomials Rupees 1653-2-3 Subsistence Do Rupees 3524-6-11 Of the former Sum of Rs 1653-2-3 Rs 128-9-7 having been discontinued by the former Collectors at their discretion the remainder on Rupees 1524-8-8 received the sanction of Government bearing date the 21st February 1846 This latter added to the Sum of Rupees 338-9-4, being the amount of Yeomials No 110 in the Statement referred to in the 1st Para brought to this Head under the orders of Government and of the Honorable the Court of Directors dated the 19th May 1848 and 30th October 1850 respectively the total amounted to Rupees 1863-2-. From this sum Rupees 359-5-4 having been since discontinued under the sanction of Government dated 3d April 1849 the Service Yeomials now actually disbursed amount to Rs 1503-12-8 as shewn in the margin -

2. The Statement prepared with reference to Mr Hepburn's List dated 21st November 1812, and forwarded by Lieut Thomas to Board on the 3d June 1845 contains the following entries -

	Rs a ps
Mosque allowance Continued	1524-8-8
Do discontinued	128-9-7
	1653-2-3
Subsistence allowance	3524-6-11
	5177-9-2
Mosque allowance exclusive of that discontinued	1524-8-8
Amount formerly drawn as Peons in the Village but Carried to the Head of Ayan under the orders of Govt	338-9-4
	1863-2-.
Deduct amount granted to Canonicals	359-5-4
Mosque but discontinued under the orders of Govt	
Remainder as it stood on the 1st July 1855	1503-12-8

3. The subsistence Yeomials amounting to Rs 3524-6-11 were sanctioned by Government on the different dates of which Rs 3126-14-8 having lapsed to Govt the remainder now paid from the Treasury amounts to Rupees 478-10-6 as shewn in the margin melusive of Rupees 81-2-3 being the amount formerly enjoyed as Palapattada Yeomials in No 39 in the List but now carried to this Head agreeably to the sanction of Government dated the 14th April 1846. This Sum of Rupees 478-10-6 will likewise be carried to the credit of Government on the occurrence of lapses -

	Rs a ps
Amount of Subsistence allowance entered in the List sent to Board on the 3d July 1845	3524-6-11
Deduct amount lapsed to Government	2431-15-6
Remainder	1092-7-5
Add amount carried to this Head under the orders of Govt	81-2-3
	1173-9-3
Deduct amount of lapsed Yeomials enumerated in the subjoined Statement	694-15-2
Remainder as it stood on the 1st July 1855	478-10-6

4- As regards the Chuttrum Yeomials Nos 2-3 and 21 sanctioned by Government on the 24th June and 21st October 1851 to be disbursed from Ayan, I beg to state that Ekbal Khan Saibdar during his Foujdarishup erected 5 Chuttrums, and a Mosque at his private Cost and obtained a grant of certain wet and Dry lands on favorable rent from the Nawab of the Carnatic for their support and for paying Yeomials to the poor and infirm people. After the resumption of the Country by the Honorable Company the said Institutions were in the hands of the Descendants of the Original Founder until Fusly 1215 when on account of gross mismanagement and mis-appropriation of the Funds by them the Chuttrums were taken under the management of the Circar by the then Collr Mr Cochrane. As the reports submitted to the Board of Revenue on the 29th January and 3d September 1851 (enclosing Statements shewing the number of Yeomials &c the amount entered for each of them in the List of Cottons Register, and that actually drawn by them) contain all the information from the first Establishment of the Charitable Institutions in question it is unnecessary for me to enter into any more details on the subject - A reference to the above Statements will show that in Fusly 1226 there were 55 Yeomials forming the Item No 2 amounting in value to Rs 2702-13-3, from which the allowance of Rupees 1629-13-11 of 29 persons, who died previous to Fusly 1259 being deducted, the remainder amounted to Rupees 1113-a-4, which as reported by the Subsidar of Nellicumbalum and the Town Sanzy of Tinnevelly, is subdivided into two classes Viz.

	Rs a ps
Mosque or Service Yeomials	669-5-9
Subsistence or life grants	443-10-7
	1113-a-4

5- As stated in a letter from this Office to the Board, dated 29th January 1851, the former or Service Yeomials amounting to Rs 669-5-9 are continued in consideration of the services they perform, and the latter or personal Grants amounting to Rupees 443-10-7 will be resumed on lapse of the present incumbents. The marginal Statement will exhibit the number

	Service Yeomials			Subsistence Yeomials			Total		
	Rs	a	ps	Rs	a	ps	Rs	a	ps
As it stood at the Commencement of Fusly 1264	669	5	9	443	10	7	1113	a	4
Deduct the amount lapsed to Government by the death of the following recipients to the end of Fusly 1264-									
Mummud Cassim No 27	26	11	7	a	a	a	26	11	7
Saul Beeby No 1	42	9	1	a	a	a	42	9	1
No 34	a	a	a	22	3	10	22	3	10
Sayd Sahool Hoosain No 46	a	a	a	126	2	11	126	2	11
	69	4	8	148	6	9	217	11	5
Remainder as it stood on the 1st July 1855	600	1	1	295	3	10	895	4	11

number of casualities that occurred among the yeomiahdars enjoying the service and life grants from Fusly 1261 in which they were ordered to be disbursed from Sygen and the amount of these stipends as they stood on the 1st July 1858.

6- The amount composing the 3d Item Vol. Rs. 379—5—4 was allowed for the maintenance of Ettar Khan's family. One of its members by name Ayathbeeby No 5 died, not appearing from 12th April of Fusly 1254 to receive her allowance of Rupees 18—10—8 per annum. The others are drawing their respective allowances which will be resumed on their death.

7- Of the 10 individuals drawing the sum of Rs. 75—2—7 forming Item No 4 granted for the performance of ceremonies called Buckree and Ramjan, one named Awzee by name Abdul Khader No 7 having died his allowance amounting to Rs. 4—6—11 was carried to the credit of Government and the remainder will likewise be resumed as lapses occur.

8- The 5th Item amounting to Rupees 155—13—8. allowed for the performance of Moharum feast is now drawn by the Grandson of Ettar Khan on whose death it will be resumed.

9- Item No 6 amounting to Rs. 30—4—5. allotted for the performance of a Ceremony called "Coroos" in the Voy Kangaray Mosque is in abeyance from Fusly 1254 in consequence of the non attendance of the persons in charge of the Mosque.

10- With reference to Para 5 of your Circular under reply, I have the honor to inform you that some of the grants have been formally subdivided under the sanction of Government adverted to in Column 11 of the Statement above mentioned. On the death of any of the joint holders of a subsistence grant, it is usual to resume his share immediately and to send for and record the Certificate granted to him. A list of the yeomiahdars, as furnished by the Town Cauzy, is forwarded by the Tahsildar to the Durgoot monthly, after testing the correctness of the same with his signature affixed to it. As in this list the deaths among yeomiahdars are mentioned, the names of the deceased are struck off the yeomiah list. and besides, the yeomiahdars in general are mustered quarterly either by the Collector or his Subordinates with reference to the Register, in which their names indelible marks &c.a are described, and their allowances are ordered to be disbursed in the presence of the Treasurer who takes receipts from each of them. Consequently

there

there is no room for the commission of any fraud-

11- There are as shewn in the

	Inhabitant Yeomiahs Service Yeomiahs	Total
Males	11	8
Females	7	5
Total Males & Females	2	3
Number of Family	9	"
Sayer		/
Cauttum		"
Ettar Khan's Family		/
Buckree and Ramjan		"
Moharum		/
Coroos		"
	31	16
		47
		38
		"
		38-09
		10
		85

margin 85 yeomiahdars, of whom 69 are males and the remaining 16 are females. Of the latter there are only 2 Joshua females named Khalos Beeby and Saurau Beeby in No 22 in the Statement, whose ages being below 50 are represented or certified by Khan Mahomed who is a yeomiahdar attached to the Same number on the Vakalutnamah and Certificate produced by him being attested by witnesses before the Tahsildar, he affixes his signature to them. On the production of which at the Durgoot by the Vakeel, a deposition on Solemn affirmation is taken from

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from him and then the Collector signs the above said documents (Vacaluttiawals and ~~Certificate~~) and orders the payment of their Yeomiah, but as their rank and birth regarding which enquiry was lately made do not entitle them to exemption under the Circular order of the 13th May last A° 1454. they may be called upon to appear in person hereafter as stated in my letter of 12th Instant A° 208. All the rest of the female Yeomiahdars appear for musters 12-

The Separate Memo. called for in the Concluding para of the Circular will be forwared hereafter.

Tinnevelly Collection
Circuit Cutcherry
Tenneasy 4th augt 1856

Signed J. Silver

Collector

List

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List of Subsistence Yeomiahdars died from Fusly 1255 to 1264 referred to in the Margin of Para 3.

Subsistence Yeomiah formerly disbursed from Sayer but now from Assessment.

Description.	Register No.	Name of the deceased Yeomiahdar.	Amount of allowance per annum	Remarks.
		Fusly 1255.		
	32	Ayna Lebbay	47 11 "	
		Fusly 1256		
	38	Mehommed Aleem	23 13 7	
	46	Mehommed Khan	65 4 "	
			89 17	
		Fusly 1257		
	14	Seid Aboobaker Mooftee	49 2 "	
		Fusly 1258		
	25	Mehommed Kows	109 " "	
	45	Rajay Mehommed	6 8 6	
		Fusly 1259	115 8 6	
	9	Nabee Khan	15 4 4	
	37	Aul Cauzy Khan	31 14 5	
		Fusly 1260	47 12 9	
	14	Seid Bagaroo theen	49 2 "	
	23	Seid Mayoathoom	47 11 "	
		Fusly 1261	96 13 "	
	45	Coolamoothen	6 8 6	
	51	Noorsaibah	50 6 "	
		Fusly 1262	56 14 10	
	40	Shaick Mehommed thaleebillow	15 4 4	
		Fusly 1263		
	13	Seid Baup	10 4 2	
	37	Koolabthum	18 6 "	
	39	Abeis Mohommedoosha thaleebillow	81 2 3	
			109 12 5	
		Fusly 1264.		
	26	Pauthma Beebee	26 1 8	
	29	Saloora Beebee	24 4 9	
	40	Vovais Ninab	15 14 4	
		Total	66 4 9	
			694 15 2	

(Sd) J. Silver
Collr.

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List of Yeomiahs payable in the District of Tinnevelly as they stood on the 1st July 1855 Fusly 1265.

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No. or Collectors Register	Name of present incumbent	Present age	Amount of Yeomiah per annum.	When and by whom granted.	Name of original grantee	Relationship of present incumbent to Original Grantee	Whether held under sunnud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbent title	Date of last order of Government regarding Grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Service Yeomiah from Sayer Fund Hereditary						Held under Nabobs Purwanah	For lighting lamps in 2 Mosques at Pettah	By Descent	21st February 1846 and 29th July 1847.	
2	Syed Mahideen	33	7 19 4	Granted by Nabob Mahomed ally Cawn on the 29th Jamathee Lanul of Fizree 1161.	Syed Mahomed Cathceb Manager of Pettah Mosque.	Grandson					
5	Menullee Hoofsainee	50	95 7	Granted by Do on the 27th Do of Do 1161.	Mahomed Shaw Manager of Asanoothan Cawns Tomb	Son					
4	Shaik Ebrahim	"	94 "	Not known	Abdulnaphy Manager of Nynar Mosque.	Do					
8	Laulashah	53	109 " "	Do	Either shah Manager of Avoolia shah Mosque.	Brother					
							Do	Do	Do	21st February 1846.	
							Do	For the support of the Tomb	Do	Do	
							Manool Nosunnud	For lighting lamps in the Mosque.	Do	Do	The incumbent has not appeared to receive his allowance from 12th January of Fusly 1249.
							Do	Do	Do	Do and Extract from Board's Proceedings dated 20th January 1828.	

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No. in Collectors Register.	Name of present incumbent	Present age	Amount of yearly Assessment	When and by whom granted.	Name of Original grantee	Relationship of present incumbent to Original grantee	Whether held under Sunnud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbents title	Date of last order of Government regarding Grant.	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
11	Muckbool ally shah	44	54 8	Not known	Emam shah Saiba Manager of Goolam Mully Shah Mosque	Grand son	Mamool No Sunnud.	For Subsistence and for lighting lamps in the Mosque.	By Descent	21st Febuary 1846 Extract from Board's Proceedings dated 20th January 1848. 21st Febuary 1846.	
12	Syed Mohideen	56	47 11	Granted by Nabob Mahomed ally Cawn on the 9th Jamathees anee of Hizree 1161.	Syed Mahodeen Manager of Syed Pagoortheen Mosque.	The same party.	Held under Nabobs Purwanah.	For Do.			
17	Mohadeen ally Ausary	68	27 4	Not known	Mohideen ally Ausary Manager of Aushary Shareeb.	Do.	Mamool No Sunnud	Do.	Do.	Do.	
18	Mohideen Cawn	62	54 8	Do.	Mohideen Cawn Manager of Coothseena Kulk Mosque.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	
30	Syed Peer Mahomed	70	95 7	Copy of an Enoyrtnamah of the Nabob dated 12th Jil caathoo of Hizry 1169.	Syed Peer Mohomed Manager of Abdool Maqsoodoo Cawn Mosque.	Do.	Held under Nabobs Enoyuth namah not original but a copy.	For lighting lamps		Do.	
33	Sanjanshah	51	95 7 4	By Sooloo mootraw on the 5th Shaaban of Hizry 1178.	Ranjanshah Manager of Palamcottah Mosque.	A Disciple	Under Sooloo mootraw Sunnud bearing seal of Anawarkhan dated 5th Shaban of Hizery 1178.	For Mosque esc pense.	A Disciple of the original grantee.	Do.	

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No. on Collectors Register	Name of present incumbent	Present age	Amount of Jeomiah per annum.	When and by whom granted	Name of original Grantee	Relationship of present incumbent to Original Grantee	Whether held under Sunnud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbents title	Date of last order of Government regarding Grant	Remark
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
15	Syed Ahomed	56	36 44	Not known	Alavoltheen Manager of Mustan Tomb	Brother	Mamool No Sunnud	For lighting lamps &c.	By descent	21st Febru-ary 1846.	Not disbursed from 12th January of Fusly 1264.
43	Syees Mahomed Esoomaul & Lubbay	45	50 15 8	Granted by Kallajah on the 22d Moogarum of Fizy 1185.	Mahomed Kulmuttoo Man-nager of Jamaloltheen Moothasully Mosque.	Nephew	Under a Purvanah	Do.	Do.	Do. and Extract from Boards Proceedings 20th Janu-ary 1848.	
58	Syed Emam Ud-deen	43	72 104	Held under Tinnevelly Cutcherry Sunnud bearing date 8th Shaban of Fizery 1208.	Syed Jaloodo ltheen Cauthem Manager of Jamaloltheen Moothamully Mosque.	Son	Held under Tinnevelly Cutcherry Sunnud.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.
110	Syed Mohideen	34	338 94	Granted by Mahomed Esapoo Khan Bauhader on the 10th Rubyulla-wal of Fizery 1175.	Shaik Abdul-cauder Syed Manager of Thenpathaca-vum Mathany Mosque.	Do.	Under a Purs-vanah.	For lighting lamps &c.	Do.	19th May 1848 and sanction of the Honor-able Court of Directors 30th October 1850 & Extract Minutes Con-sultation 14th January 1851, 21st Febru-ary 1846.	Enjoyed Separately by the incumbents under this sanction.
16	Syed Fayaroltheen	46	28 64	Not Known	Nabee Cawn Cuttack Moosque.	Reader of Koran	No Sunnud	Do.			
	Syed Mohideen	46	28 64	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.			

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No. in Collectors Register	Name of present incumbent	Present age	Amount of yeomiah per annum	When and by whom granted	Name of Original Grantee	Relationship of present incumbent to Original Grantee	Whether held under Sunnud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbent title	Date of last order of Government regarding Grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
19	Ebbraw Cawn, Mohideen Cawn	41, 37	27 4 "	Not known	Causeen Cawn Manager of Alledy Tomb	Cousins Son	No sunnud	For lighting lamps &c.	Desent	21st Februay 1846.	This is in the joint enjoyment of the parties ~~parties~~
26	Almahomed Nathad Cawn	"	109 " "	Granted by Nabob Omtha-thul Omrah on the 28th Rujeb of Fizery 1210.	Shaik Mocdoom manager of Pardhes miah Tomb	Son	Under an Enoyet-namah.	For lighting lamps &c.	Do.	Do.	Not paid to the party from the 12th October of Fusly 1254 in consequence of his non appearance
31	Almahomed Nathadoo Cawn	"	56 12 8	Not known	Do. Do. of Nabykher Cuttack Mosque.	Do.	No Sunnud	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.
49	Abdool Cawder	"	95 6 "	Granted by Annavanur Khan and Bookoomoot-pow on the 4th Jaffer of Fizry 1183.	Abdul Cawder Manager of Syed Meeraputher Syed ally's Tomb.	The same party.	Under a Sunnud	For Subsistence and for lighting lamps	Do.	Do. Do. from 12th April of Fusly 1250 Do. Do.	
Total			1503 12 8								

The deaths among the Yeomiahdars were being reported to Board agreeably to the instructions of Government dated 21st February 1846 but since the receipt of Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 20th January 1848, the Yeomiahs are on the death of Yeomiahdars being continued to their heirs without any report being made.

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No. of Collectors Register	Name of present incumbent	Present age	Amount of Yeomiah per Annum	When and by whom granted	Name of Original Grantee	Relationship of present incumbent to Original Grantee	Whether held under Sunnud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbent title	Date of last order of Government regarding Grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Service Yeomiahs from Chuttrum Funds to be reported for orders as Lapses occur.										
1	Syed Mahomed	35	429	Granted by Ettabar Khan Sail from Chuttrum Revenue previous to Fusly 1216 Exact date not known	Jamashah	Grandson	No Sunnud.	For lighting lamps in the Sham shairs Mosque.	Descent	24th June and 21st October 1851 and Board's Proceedings 14th November 1855.	
20	Goolam Idroos Roosoo	52	44	8 10	Do.	Mahomed Cavoosoo	Son	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.
								For reading Calamoottah and for the expence of Cauthery in the month of Rumjan			
30	Syed Mahomed	76	44	8 10	Do.	Coujamoo-saper oasar Sheriff.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.
								For lighting lamps in the Ausara Mookreek Mosque in the Tinnivelly Batcher Market Street			
1/2 of 34	Syed Bully	51	22	3 10	Do.	Abdul Rahman	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.
								For light-ing lamps in the Wallajah New Mosque answer Mooba peck.			

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No. in Collector's Register.	Name of present incumbent	Present Age	Amount of Yeomiah per annum.	When and by whom Granted.	Name of original Grantee	Relationship present incumbent to Original Grantee	Whether held under Sunnud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbent title	Date of last order of Government regarding Grant	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
36	Shaik Rowter	49	89 1 5	Granted by Ellar Khan Sahib from Chattrum Revenue previous to Fusly 1216 Extract date not known	Essomaul Rowter	Grand Son	Sunnud	For lighting lamps in the Esmall Rowter Mosque	Descent	21st June and 21st October 1851 and Boards Proceedings 14th November 1855.	The lapses of these Yeomiahs are as they occur reported to the Board of Revenue agreeably to the instructions of Government dated 24th June and 21st October 1851.
38	Syed Sully	51	29 10 10	Do.	Ausethooram Vazett	Do.	Do.	For service of Manager in the new Mosque of Nabab Wallajah at Pettah	Do.	Do.	
40	Shaik Ebbram	59	44 8 10	Do.	Maleem Abdul Cawder	Nephew	Do.	For reading Calamoottah in the Nabob Wallajahs new Mosque	Do.	Do.	
46	Shaik Ebbram	59	22 4 5	Do.	Mustahn ally	Son	Do.	For reading Jalvathoo vathum in the same Mosque	Do.	Do.	
48	Casoo Mahomed allem	41	44 8 10	Do.	Casem Mahomed allem	Grand Son	Do.	For teaching Koran to the Mahomedans in the same Mosque.	Do.	Do. and 24th January 1853	
52	Afsoom Shareef	59	14 13 5	Do.	Authavoollah	Son	Do.	For reading Kalamoottah and for the expense of Chaultry in the month of Ramjan.	Do.	Do.	
			39 8 4 3								

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18th August 1856.

From Collectors Register	Name of present incumbent	Incumbrance	Amount of Grant or Allowance	When and by whom granted	Name of Original grantee	Relationship of present incumbent	Whether holder under Sunnud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present in enjoyment of the title	Date of last order of Government regarding grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
5.	Syed Ismaul	31	89	18 Do.	Syedda Soo Pokeer	Grand Son	Do.	For lighting lamps in the Syedda Soo Pakeers Mosque.	Do.	Descd 21 Inst and 21st October 1851	
	Syed Caussa Ofsanee	25		Do.							
	Syed Abdul rejuck	19		Do.							
9	Mohedeen Saib	29	51	15 Do.	Geveu shar	Sons in laws	Do.	For lighting lamps in the Shady Khans Mosque	Do.	Do.	
	Shahi Saib	27		Do.							
	Sufees Mahomed		64				No Sunnud	For reading Calamoollah in the Nabob Wallajah new Mosque	Do.	Do.	
32	Aboobaker			Granted by Elbar Khan Saib from Chuttrum Revenue previous to Fusly 1261 Exact date not Known.	Sufees mahomed Aboobker	Sons					
	Sufeesully	60	11								
	Total	600	11								
	Life Grants from Sayer Fund						Mamool	Full		4th Augt 1846	No. 1 This incumbent who is the original grantee Stands entered under No. 7 in Mr. Cottons Register and continues to enjoy his stipend as a Subsistence grant under the tenure of mamool from the assumption of the District.
7	Nabeeshah	91	4974.	Not Known	Nabeeshah	Same man	No Sunnud	life time			

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18th August 1856.

Fort Collectors Register	Name of present incumbent	Per cent age	Amount of grant per annum	When and by whom granted	Name of Original Grantee	Relationship of present incumbent to Original Grantee	Whether held under Sunnud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbents title	Date of last order of Government regarding grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7					
14	Syeddasoo Pathreen Cathreeb	49	49 2	Granted by Nabob Mahomed ally Cawn on the 7th Rujub of Hejery 1161	Syed Bagoodoon Leauzy	No relation but Servant of the first grantee	Under a Purwannah	Till life time	Descent Do	2	An allowance of Rupees 196-8-0 per annum was granted to one Syed Bagoodoon Cauzy by the Nabob Mahomed Ally Cawn and it was sanctioned by Government under date the 5th January 1813 on the death of the Said individual the yeomiah was registered by Mr. Cotton in the names of 4 persons of whom 3 having died their Shares amounting to Rupees 147-6-0 were resumed by Government The remaining one Share will be carried to Syen on the death of its holder
37	Roshun Beeby	65	31 14 5	Not Known	Elder Panes Family	Daughter in law	No Sunnud	Do	Do	12 December 1845	3 This yeomiah was registered in the names of 7 individuals agreeably to the sanction of Government dated 5 January 1813 of whom 5 died previous to 29th September 1853 and one named Govlbadar on that date and their Shares have been carried to Syen the remaining one Incumbent now continues to draw his Stipend

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No.	Name of present incumbent	Cusbah	Annas	Pie	When and by whom granted	Name of Original Grantee	Relationship of present incumbent to Original Grantee	Whether held under Summd or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbents title	Date of last order of Government regarding grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4		5	6	7					
42	Cawder Mohedeen	16	18	2	8 Not Known	Shaik Mohedeen Caveroyer	Son	No Summd	Till life time	Present	4th August 1846	4 An allowance of Rupees 36–5 was originally granted to one Shaik Mohedeen Caveroyer and after his death and previous to the preparation of Mr. Cottons Register one of his two Sons having died his Share was carried to Syen the other Son enjoys his Share agreeably to the Sanction of Government dated 4 August 1846.–
13	Cattheershah Beeby / Syed Causeem / Syed Ally	63 / 48 / 41	10 / 10 / 10	4 / 4 / 4	2 / 2 / 2 Granted by Nabab Mahomed Ally Khan on the 13th Rajab of Hezery 1161	Syed Loo Roo mann	Daughter in Law / Grand Son / Do.	Under a Purwanah	Do. / Do. / Do.	Do. / Do. / Do.	Do. 5 / Do. / Do.	5 An allowance of Rupees 54–5–7 was granted to one Syed Sookoonan by the Nabob Mahomed ally Cawn under a Purwanah and it was sanctioned by Government under date the 5 January 1813 after his death it was continued to his Son Syed Mohadeen and on his demise it was registered in the names of Kathey abeebees Syed Causim and Syed ally the present incumbents and in the names of Syed Serag and Syed Camboo and they were enjoying the yeomiah jointly up to 14th May 1846 when the former of the two last mentioned individuals having died his share amounting to Rupees 10–4–2 was carried to Syen and the remainder was being enjoyed in 4 Shares as per Sanction of Government Dated 4th August 1846 the latter Syed Camboo having died his Share Vizt Rupees 10–4–2 was also resumed by Government.–

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No. Collectors Register	Name of present incumbent	Pagoda Cantage	Amount of Grant per Annum	When and by whom granted	Name of Original Grantee	Relationship of present incumbent to Original Grantee	Whether held under Sunnud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbents title	Date of last order of Government regarding grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7					
	Pathoon Beeby	55	5 93			Grand Daughter					
	Marrayum Beeby	56	5 95								
22	Pannoo Beeby	"	5 68	Granted by Nabob Valajah on the 20 Rajub Hezery 1168	Nusseer Azem	Do					
	Sanboo Beeby	47	5 68		Do Sister	Do					
	Soraru Beeby	51	5 59		Do Brothers wife	Do					
	Cawn Mahomed	61	11 94			Grand Son					
29	Causeem Beeby Shaik Davoo thro Chittagig	60 61	24 4 10 24 4 10	Granted by Meenatchy Ummal on the 12 Magarum of Calyookkee year or Sagabtham 1660	Enam Saib Pakeer	Daughter in law	Under a Copper Deed	Do Do	12 and 9 September 1844	4 August 1846	b A Sum of Rupees 247-9- per Annum was granted to Ayee Asum and 2 others by the Nabab Valajah in the Hzery 1168 and it was enjoyed by 12 persons in different Shares on account of a Mosque of their having died the Shares enjoyed by them were carried to Jyen the remaining 6 enjoy Rupees 30-15-1 per annum as per sanction of Government dated 12th December 1848 The first 5 are Grand Daughters and the last the Grand Son of the Original Grantee Panoo Beeby has not appeared and received her allowance from 12 July of Fusly 1246
						Grand Son					
							No Sunnud	Full life time	Descent	12 December 1845	7 An allowance of Rupees 97-3-4 per annum was granted to Enam Saib Fakeer for his Subsistence by Meenachee Ummal under a Copy deed on the 12th Mangum of Caulayookkee year Sakabdom 1660 and it was Subsequently registered in the names of persons of whom one having died his share was carried to Jyen and the remaining 3 persons were enjoying Rupees 72-14-5 under the Sanctions of Government dated 9th September 1844 12 December 1845 and 4th August 1846 one of the 3 named Sabora Beebee died on the 24 February 1855 and her Share Rupees 24-4-9- was resumed by Government on the death of the remaining 2 the same course will be adopted.

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No. of Collector's Register	Name of present incumbent	Caste & Sect	Amount of yearly Allowance	When and by whom granted	Name of Original grantee	Relationship of present incumbent to Original Grantee	Whether held under Sunnud or otherwise	Conditions of title	Present incumbents title	Date of last order of Government regarding Grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Enoyet Cawn	M	65	4 2	Granted by Nabob Mansoor Khan and Mahomed Ally Cawn under date 21st Ratzy of Crothana ylar or 9 21 Ameedo and 26 Sana theeos aned of Hyjry 1161 respectively.			Till life time		24 November 1845	8 A Subsistance allowance of Rupees 326-48- per annum was originally granted to 5 persons by Nabob Mummadully Khan of whom 2 died and their Shares of the allowance were resumed the remaining 3 are enjoying their shares under the Sanction of Government dated 4 August and 24 November 1856 which will be resumed on the occurrence of lapses.
46	Meer Abdul Cawder	M	65	4 2		Enam Saib Peer Jatha	Under a Cowlpeer deed and	Do		4 August 1845	
	Ahmed Cawn	M	65	4 2			Purwanah	Do		Do	
	Ahomed Cawn	M	15	11 4	Granted by Nabob Mansoor Khan on the 16. Shaban of Hyjry 1168.	Nasus Cawn	Under a Purwanah	Do	Descent	12 December 1845	9 An allowance of Rupees 31-12-8- per annum was originally granted to Kavas Khan by the Nabob Baboo Khan under a Purwanah dated the 16th of the Sabana month of Hyjry 1168 and was Santioned by Government on the 5th January 1813. After his demise the yeomiah was registered by Mr. Cotton in the name of Ally Khan son of the deceased on his death it was divided into 2 equal shares which were continued to his son Haley Khan and his grand son Ahmud Khan up to 7ber 1847. but it appeared from the Purwanah that the yeomiah was granted for the subsistence of the defendants of the orig. Grantee it was agreeably to the instructions contained in extract from Proceedings of the Bd. of Revenue dated 15th January 1838. limited to the life of the holders and life Sunnuds were accordingly granted. Haley Khan died on the 14th March 1850 and Ahmud Khan did not appear from 12th July 1848 to receive his Stipend.
	Grand Son										

These yeomiah which are granted for the subsistence of the parties will lapse to Government on the death of the yeomiahdars.

Total — 478 10 6

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18th August 1856.

No.	Name of present incumbent	Present Age	Amount of Allowance per annum	When and by whom granted	Name of Original Grantee	Particulars of Grant	Conditions of Grant	Whether held under Sunnud or otherwise	Present incumbent's title	Date of last order of Government regarding grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6		9	8	10	11	12
	Life Grants from Chuttrum Funds										
3	Mahadeen Cawn	62	44 8 10	Granted by Ellore Rham Sah Chuttrum Surplus Revenue previous to Fusly 1216.	Shaik Pottan			No Sunnud	Till life time	Descent	24th June and 21st October 1857.
4	Magamm Beeby	62	23 4 5	Do.	Anska Beeby			Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.
10	Ebram Cawn	62	25 15 11	Do.	Anthacan Cawn			Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.
	Mahadumm Cawn	62	23 11 9	Do.				Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.
	Maddar Beeby	56	11 13 7	Do.	Goolam Ghaus Shah			Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.
	Awah Beeby	a	19 7 6	Do.				Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.

His allowance was not received by the incumbent from 12th April of Fusly 1258.

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No.	Name of present incumbent	Present age	Amount of Allowance per annum	When and by whom granted	Name of original Grantee	Relation of present incumbent to original Grantee	Whether held under Summud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbent's title	Date of last order of Government regarding Grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Abdul Cauder			Granted by Ethaw Khan sail from Chattrums surplus Revenue previous to July 1216							This allowance was not received by the incumbent from 12th July of July 1255
15.	Peer Mahomed	"	66 13				Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	
	Cauder Saib	"	37 1 10	Do.	Shaik Natha	Daughter	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. from 12th October of July 1250
43	Mohedeen Beeby Leoloosum Beeby	"	37 1 10	Do.	do	Daughter	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	
47	Shaik Magutham	"	6 4 11	Do.	Peer Mahomed Maleme	Son	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do. from 12th January of Do.
	Total		295 3 10								These Yeomiahs granted for the subsistence of the parties will lapse to Government on the deaths of the Yeomiahdars

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No. on Collectors Register	Name of present incumbent	Present age	Amount of Yearly Allowances	When and by whom granted	Name of original Grantee	Relation of present incumbent to original Grantee	Whether held under Summud or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbents title	Date of last Order of Government regarding grant	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	Grants to Ettiarkans Family										
1	Pookum Beeby	62	168 " "	Granted by Ettiarkan sub from Chuttrums surplus Revenue previous to July 1216	Ettiarkhan	Daughter	Summud	Life time	Descent	24th June and 21st October 1851	
2	Ahmakomed Nathadoo Cannu	35	84 " "	Do.	Do.	Grand Son	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	
3	Ahmakomed Camdoo Cannu	33	84 " "	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	
4	Rabeen Beeby	63	18 10 8	Do.	Do.	Grand Daughter	Do.	Do.	Do.	28th January 1853	
5	Ayathoo Beeby	"	18 10 8	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	24th June and 21st October 1851	This allowance was not received by the incumbent from 12th April of July 1251.
			37 3 5 4								
	Ramzan feast										
1	Canoo Syed Inchadoo Moideen	51	7 2 7								
2	Syed Moideen Noorthoo	14	4 12 4								
3	Syed Mahadoo Cutheree	37	4 12 4								
4	Canoo Syed Pegoorthoo	36	7 2 6								
5	Syed Peer Mahomed	69	1 6 6								
6	Canoo Syed Assen Moideen	55	2 3 4	Do.	Do.	Servants					
8	Assen Syed Abdula Camdoo	45	2 3 4								
9	Syed Isoomal	35	1 6 4								
10	Syed Assen	47	1 6 4								
			35 6 3								
									Do.	Do.	Do.
									Do.	Do.	Do.
									Do.	Do.	Do.

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8th August 1836.

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No. and Collectors Register.	Name of present incumbent	Present age	Amount of Annual Jumma	When and by whom granted.	Name of original Grantee	Relationship to present incumbent to original Grantee	When relinquished or otherwise	Conditions of Grant	Present incumbrances title	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	Buckbreed Syeds.									
1	Canoo Syed Mahodum Hussain = dass	51	7 2 7							
2	Syed Moideen Hoosain	44	4 12 5							
3	Syed Mohodum Cathick	37	4 12 4							
4	Canaw Syed Pagoorthum	30	7 2 6							
5	Syed Peer Mahomed	69	4 6 6	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	
6	Canaw Syed Assen Mahdum	55	2 3 4							
8	Anow Syed Abdul Cauder	15	2 3 4							
9	Syed Joonnal	35	1 6 4							
10	Syed Assen	47	1 6 4							
			35 6 4							
			70 12 7							
	Mohoraw Seats.									
1	Abdulah Mouk	35	155 13 8	Do.	Do.	Grandson	Do.	Do.	Deceased	
	For the performance of the Cars: many called Corosso in the Vay Kunneury Moogum									
1	Almohamed Nathadar Canna	44	36 4 5	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	Do.	
	Grand Total		3511 4 1							

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Cutcherry Tuesday 4th August

Ordered to lie over.

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Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George

I have the honor to report that
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the Proceedings of the Board
1863 dated 16th June last,
y put up to public
lots and fetched the sum
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The ground will in due
e over to the purchaser and
be brought to the credit

/ Signed / A. Bell
Collector

The Board of Revenue con-
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Forbes Esqre

Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St George.

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types mentioned in the accompanying List not having been supplied to me with those transmitted with the Printing Press. I have the honor to request you will be good enough to furnish me with them as the Press is incomplete when these Capitals &c are wanting.

Truchinopoly Collectors Office 8th August 1856 } Signed J. Bird Collector

BR No 2626

Proceedings thereon. Resolved that the above letter be forwarded to Government with a request that the articles required may be furnished.

To

14950 Fort St George 18th August 1856.

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To G. S. Forbes Esqr

Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

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BR No 3185 From the Coll of Coimbatore

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract from the Board's Proceedings dated 17th May last No 1508, and in reply beg to forward 3 Statements No 1 to 3 shewing the number of Native Officers employed in the Joint conduct of the Police and the Collection of Revenue and also their dismissal together with the Land Revenue &c in 1813, 1830 & 1853 as therein called for.

2 In Statement No 1 is entered, the total number of the then Mongars as the Police authority was vested in them subsequently in 1816 under Regulation XI of that year; and not in 1813 to which the account refers.

3 In the same Statement, the columns intended to shew the dismissal of the Police officers, are left blank, the old records of this office not shewing correctly the requisite particulars of this dismissal.

4 Proonshees under the Tahsildars having been vested with Police authority as per order of Government dated 7th April 1835, I have included such functionaries also in Statement No 3 for 1853.

Coimbatore 8th August 1856 } Signed E. B. Thomas Coll Return

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No 1 Return shewing the number of Native Officers employed in the Police conduct of the Police and the collection of Land and other Revenues in the District of Coimbatore for the year 1855.

Talook Establishment

| Number of Villages | Total Number of Villages | Number of Villages disinfested | Number of Villages Disinfested | Number of Villages disinfested | Number of Villages disinfested | Number of Villages

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18th August 1856

No 3 Return shewing the number of Native Officers employed in the Joint conduct of the Police and the collection of Land and other Revenues the number dismissed, and the total number of Contributions to it in the District of Coimbatore for the year 1853.

	Total	Village Monneyffs annual emoluments in Land	Number of dismissals in the establishment paid in ready money																					Nº of village Monneyffs who were dismissed			Land Revenue including moturpha &c	
			Talook Establishment paid in ready money										Police Ameen		Head Rayten		Total											
			Tahsildar and Head of Police		Sheristadar & Sub Police Officer		Peishcar Head Peishcar		Deputy Peishcar & Sub Police Officer		Total																	
Talook			Nº	Pay	Nº	Pay	Nº	Pay	Nº	Pay	Nº	Pay	Nº	Pay	Nº	Pay	Nº	Pay	Bad condition	corruption	Low living	Bad condition & corruption	corruption & Low living	Low living & Bad condition	Bad condition & corruption	corruption & Low living	Low living & Bad condition	corruption & Low living	Bad condition & Low living

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No 121

B.t No 3074

From Lieut.t Cotton
District Civil Engineer
8th Div.n in charge of
Madura District

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.

Sir.

I have the honor to report for your information that on the 14th June last I visited the Travellers bungalow at Pulny to inspect the repairs that were then being carried on upon it for which an Estimate amounting to compangs Rupees 504-10- had been framed by Lieutenant Paynes 2d Assistant Civil Engineer 8th Division.

2 The work was progressing very slowly under the Shanbogue of Igempully the operation of new roofing having taken more than 3 months and being still incomplete at the time of inspection so that for more than 3 months the bungalow could not be used by Travellers a great inconvenience at a place like Pulny there being no bungalow and along the high road between it and Palghaut nearer than Coimbatore a distance of 21 Miles with 2 large unbridged rivers on the way.

3 My visit was of too hurried a nature to admit of my taking accurate measurements of the work done but the timbers of the roof did not appear of sufficient strength.

4 I subsequently ordered Assistant overseer De Lima of the 8th Division to examine and report upon the work which he did on the 30th June and attached is a copy of his report from which it would appear that the wood work of the roof is not satisfactory and will not I should think last for above 2 or 3 years. The Shanbogue is to blame for this as the Estimate was sufficiently liberal to allow of the roof being well repaired although not large enough to admit of repairs to the walls or verandah pillars

Dindigul
7th August 1856

(Signed) C. Scott Lieut.t
Assistant Civil Engineer
in charge Madura District

Report upon the Public bungalow at Pulny made by Assistant Overseer F De Lima.

In examining the work done

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done to the Public Bungalow, I found that the Girders are placed on the walls without wall plates of any kind which is very injurious to the side walls and more so to the walls of the middle and last apartments as they rest just over the doors and windows, the rafters of the rooms are very slightly made, but resting on Purlins, will in my opinion be strong enough to support the weight above, but for the rafters of the Verandah I fear a little, as I find them already bounding through the weight and during the monsoons probably the weight will be greater to bear many of the rafters are also cracked and some of them of a tender kind mixed with white / or outer surface of trees / being very easy for bees and insects to get about, already I find the latter at work on a few of the rafters, the reapers throughout are very narrow the average width being about 1½ inches, that is bad as the tiles will be constantly breaking and falling in, only one breast Summer has been replaced by a new one, three or four pillers are cracked across slightly. the both room walls

walls being of brick in mud admits of passage to the roof for white ants, it will be of importance that room also should be built with Brick in Chunam like the others, at least 1½ feet to prevent the white ants destroying the roof the general workmanship are tolerably good and tiles of both kind are of pretty good quantity. the roof of the Bungalow will be completed to day, the minor works to the Bungalow and out houses are not commenced as yet the out houses are in a miserable state and require thorough repairs the Maramut Maistry states that it will take a month to complete this work altogether. The annexed are the dimensions of new materials put to the Bungalow.

61. Rafters for rooms of 11½ ft. length by 3½ x 2 inches

5	Purlins	60 ft.	4 x 2¼
4	Collorbeams	6 ft.	5 x 2
4	Hip rafters	16½ ft.	4½ x 3
10.	Jack Do.	8 ft.	4 x 2¼
16.	Verandah Do.	11½ ft.	1. x 2¼
1.	Breast Summer	13 ft.	6 x 5
560	Repers	18 ft.	1½ x ¾

The distance apart of rafters from centre to centre is about one foot six

six inches.

/Signed/ Edw. De Lima
Assistant Overseer 8th Dn.

Pulny — 30th June 1856

/True Copy/
/Signed/ C. Scott-Leuitt
Assistant Civil Engr. in charge of Madura district.

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B. No. 2019.

Proceedings thereon — The Board resolve to forward Copy of the accompanying letter to the Collector of Madura who will exact from the Tahsildar a rigorous account of the expenditure which has taken place; and will cause defective work to be replaced by the Contractors who have undertaken the work.

No. 123.

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To G. S. Forbes Esqre.
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

B. No. 3164

From the Asst. Collector of Tanjore — Sir,

I have the honor to submit the usual detailed accounts of the expenditure incurred from the Davastanam funds in the Lunger Khanahs at Combaconum and Negapatam for the official year 1855/56 together with separate statements for the first four months of 1855.

	Rs.	a	p
Combaconum for the first four months of 1855	185	11	4
Do. for 1855/56	462	2	10
Negapatam for the first four months of 1855	197	15	2
Do. for 1855/56	537	13	10
	1383	14	2

The Lungurkhanah at Combaconum is under the superintendence of the Zillah Surgeon & that of Negapatam under that of the Wesleyan Missionary and the Head Assistant Collector.

Tanjore 9th August 1856

/Signed/ J. W. Cherry
Collector

Statement

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Statement shewing the extent of relief afford

Combaconum from 1st January

18th August 1856.

and the charges incurred at the Lungerkhanah at

to 30th April 1855.

Months	Number relieved: Residing in the Building	Residing outside	Total	Rate of relief	Average Rate	Cost	Add Establishment and Sadarward	Medicines &c.	Total Cost	Expenditure during the preceding year.	Amount Sowing of the preceding year.	Sowing in the Sanction	Sanction
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13.	
				Puddies	Puddies	Rs As	Rs As	Rs As	Rs As	Rs As	Rs As	Rs As	
January	595	6	601	15/2	15/4	106 1/2	6 13 6	1 5 4/2	189.	26 11 3	50 " "	1 7 "	
February	663	36	699	14	13/8	39 8 4	6 11 "	" 4 6	46 7 10	29 6 5	50 " "	3 8 2	
March	664	37	701	15/2	14/4	36 2 10	6 11 4	" 5 11	43 4 1	28 3 6	50 " "	6 11 11	
April	746	42	788	15	14/8	40 5 2	6 11 "	" 3 3	47 6 5	36 8 10	50 " "	2 9 7	
Total	2668	121	2789	"	"	156 6 5/2	27 1 10	2 3/2	185 11 4	120 14 "	200 " "	14 4 8	

Tanjore 9th August 1856. (Signed) J. W. Cherry
Asst Collector

Statement

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Fort St. George

No. 2.

Statement shewing the extent of relief afforded at Combaconum for the official year 1855/56 and the charges incurred at the Lunjerkhanah 18th August 1856

Months	Number relieved: Residing in the building	Residing outside	Total	Ratio of relief	Average	Cost	Add: Establishment and Sadarward	Medicines &c.	Total Cost	Expenditure during the preceding year	Amount of Sanction	Sowing in the Sanction
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	Rs a p
May	449	38	487	15 1/2	14 1/4	26 15 11	7 4 11	7 2	34 12 0	35 14 9	50 0 0	15 4 0
June	279	63	342	15	12 7/16	18 11 1	6 14 6	2 2	26 11 9	36 0 3	50 0 0	23 4 3
July	514	134	648	15 1/2	12 5/16	28 11 4	7 1 9	9 1	36 6 2	40 7 2	50 0 0	13 9 10
August	476	148	624	15 1/2	11 7/16	23 11 10	6 10 4	11 10	31 2 0	41 10 2	50 0 0	18 14 0
September	528	158	686	15	11 1/4	29 1 10	6 11 5	8 6	36 5 9	47 14 0	50 0 0	13 10 3
October	460	132	592	15 1/2	11 1/8	26 4 8	7 2 5	8 2	33 15 3	56 2 3	50 0 0	16 0 9
November	359	176	535	15	9 1/2	22 3 2	6 14 4	11 5	29 12 6	56 14 7	50 0 0	20 3 6
December	503	208	711	15 1/2	10 1/8	30 9 8	6 9 2	7 3 5	38 6 3	38 15 8	50 0 0	11 9 9
January	491	101	592	15 1/2	11 5/8	28 9 8	7 13 0	8 4 1	39 10 9	18 9 0	50 0 0	10 5 3
February	327	35	362	14 1/2	13 1/8	18 7 10	7 11 1	4 2	27 3 11	46 7 10	50 0 0	22 12 1
March	322	60	382	15 1/2	13 1/16	19 12 2	7 10 1	9 8	27 11 8	43 4 1	50 0 0	22 4 4
April	523	111	634	15	12 5/16	32 8 5	6 8 2	1 0 3	40 0 10	47 6 5	50 0 0	9 15 2
Total	5231	1364	6595			305 11 9	83 9 9	12 13 6	402 2 10	539 10 2	600 0 0	197 13 2

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(Signed) J. W. Cherry
Acting Collector

Statement

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No 3

Statement shewing the extent of relief afforded and the charges incurred at the Lunger Khanah at Negapatam for part of the 18th August 1856

Official year 1854/55.

Months	Number relieved			Rice		Cost	Add		Total Cost	Expenditure during the preceding year	Amount of Sanction	Sowing in the Sanction
	Residing in the Building	Residing out side	Total	Rate of relief	Average rate		Establishment & Saderward	Medicines				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1855				Puddies	Puddies	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P
January	502	217	719	3/4		29 6						
February	428	196	624	"	3/4	24 3						
March	447	217	664	"	1	27 6						
April	481	210	691	"	1	23 1						
Total	1858	840	2698									
									23 5 2	1 " "	53 5 8	54 6 7	50 " "	3 5 8
									22 9 9	1 " "	47 12 9	49 14 4	50 " "	2 3 3
									22 5 1	1 " "	48 11 1	57 10 7	50 " "	1 4 11
									24 " 8	1 " "	48 1 8	52 7 4	50 " "	2 1 4 2
									" " " " "	"	197 15 2	" " "	200 " "	2 " 10

(Signed) S W Cherry
Ag Collector

(Signed) W. O. Simpson

Statement

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No. 168

To
G. L. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

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B. No. 3175
From the Collector of South Arcot.

Stating that the system of using the new Forms &c. was only partially introduced in this District during the past Fusly 1265.

Sir.

I have the honor to acknowledge Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 15th Ultimo No. 2204 with Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date 3d Idem and in reference to the last part of it to report that the System of using the new Forms alluded to was only partially introduced into this District during the past Fusly 1265.

2. The principal difficulty in the matter is, that which arises from the use of paper for these accounts in substitution of the Cadjan leaves on which the Curnums and village Officers have hitherto been in the habit of keeping all their accounts.

3. Finding it expedient to bring the system into operation gradually, I did not insist on the Forms being at once used but thought it best to give the Curnums time to make themselves acquainted with them and to

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Statement showing the extent of relief afforded and the Charges incurred at the Sungeram Khanah at Nagapatam for the Official year 1855/56.

Signed W. C. Simpson

Collector

Signed J. W. Cleary
Acting Collector

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to practice writing on paper. For this purpose I furnished them all with print=ed copies in the vernacular of the papers relating to the revision of the village accounts and also with the new Forms themselves. At the same time I gave instructions to the Tahsildars to ex=plain to the Curnums the nature of these Forms and to see that they exercised themselves in studying them and writing on paper.

4. Those Tahsildars who under=stood English took copies of the Papers in that language and verna=cular ones were distributed to each of the Subordinate Talook servants the price being collected from each per=son as directed by Government.

5. All the principal servants in my own and in the Sub Collector's Office also took copies of the Manual and Forms, so that the system is now very generally understood.

6. Being anxious for the issue of Puttahs written on Paper instead of as hitherto on Cadjans I had a large

large quantity printed in readiness for the settlement.

7. Mr. Mc Donell the Sub Col=lector used no others in his division and in three of my Talooks they were also given in full while in the other six they were only distributed partially.

8. The people did not at all object to this change which will be carried out in full at the settlement of the current Fusly.

9. This gave the Curnums an opportunity of writing on paper as the puttahs were filled in by them many of them liked the method but it will take some time before the whole body of Curnums become apt at the pen and ink with paper instead of the instrument they have always used with Cadjans.

10. I beg to state that I am now adopting measures in view to effect the complete introduction of the new Forms and System for this Fusly but I fear it will be found

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a difficult thing to do.-

South Arcot.
Coll.rs Ct. Cutcherry
Pollicemottah
13th August 1856.

/Signed/ A. Ball
Collector

Order thereon.-

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Ordered to lie over.

To

The Collector of
Chingleput.-

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B.R. No. 2610

To the Collector of Chingleput.

Sir.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request an early reply to their Proceedings of 29th July 1856 desiring to be informed of the quantity of salt shipped on board the "Fortescue" for Chittagong.-

Revenue Bd. Office
Fort St. George.
18th August 1856.

/Signed/ G. L. Forbes
Secretary

Received

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Received the undermentioned

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Miscellaneous Letters and statements

Mis. No. 1918.
From the Collector of Nellore...

Return of village Officers referred to in section VII Regulation VI of 1831 suspended or dismissed during July 1856.-

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Mis. No. 1919
From the Collector of Nellore

Return of Persons charged with Offences under Regulation IX of 1822 in July 1856.

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Mis. No. 1920
From the Collector of Salem.

Rain Register for July 1856.-

779

Mis. No. 1921.
From the Collector of Bellary

Statement exhibiting the actual charges incurred on account of Additional Establishment in Fusly 1265.-

From

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Mr. No. 1916.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry

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Average Bazar Prices of Grain and Memorandum of Iyen cultivation for June 1856.

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Mr. No. 1917.

From the Acting Agent at Ganjam

Diary of the Agent for July 1856.

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A after No. 1921.

From the Collector of Madras.

Account Current of Salt for July 1856.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue Tuesday the 19th August 1856.—

Read the following Papers—

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Bd. No. 2935

From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department dated 1st August 1856.—

Desiring to be furnished with certain particulars of information from the Collector of North Arcot relative to the loss of a Cart supplied by one Roodruppa in 1854 to an Officer of the 3d Regulation Madras Europeans.—

See No. 796 in Separate Volume P. 55

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Bd. No. 2629

Order thereon

Forwarded to the Collector of North Arcot for early report.—

Bd. No. 3034

From the Chief Secretary to Government

Extract from a letter to the Commissioner for the Hyderabad Assigned Territories Political Department dated 7th August 1856.—

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Para. 3 The Government have authorized the Superintendent of Stamps to supply upon your Indent at prime cost such stamps as may be required for the use of the Districts under your charge.—

/ True Extract /

/ Signed / T. Pycroft

Chief Secretary

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Order thereon.

Ordered to be recorded.—

To.

Bd. No. 3056

From the Secretary to Government

(787.)

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department dated 7th August 1856.

Prescribing the Rule to be observed in all Madras Custom Houses with respect to the description of articles that may be treated as Manufactured Goods not included in the schedule and be required to pay an import duty of 5 per Cent and refusing to comply with the application of Messrs. Bainbridge & Co. for a refund of the excess on all such articles which have paid 10 instead of 5 per Cent duty.

See No. 829 in Separate Volume P. 56

(787-788)

Bd. No. 2638.

Order thereon

Ordered that a Copy be forwarded to the Acting Collector of Sea Customs, Madras for his information and guidance.—

(787-789)

Bd. No. 2646

Circular to Maritime Districts

Ordered also that the following Circular be issued

Circular.

Sir

The Board of Revenue have recently submitted to Government the question regarding the rate of duty leviable on articles of Foreign manufacture composed of metal or of metal and other material. That authority has decided that such articles are to be classed as "Metals wrought and unwrought" when the leading idea presented by their designation is that they are of metal, as for instance a pig of lead, iron railings sheet copper &c. &c. but that when the idea naturally suggested is that of manufacture, as in the case of a watch or of jewellery such articles are to be classified as "Manufactured articles" not included among the commodities enumerated in the schedule appended to Act IX of 1845 and for which a rate of 5 per Cent has been fixed you will therefore be guided by this rule of classification in disposing of future cases.—

Revenue Bd. Office
Fort St. George
19th August 1856

/ Signed / G. S. Forbes
Secretary

Bd. No. 3058

From the Secretary to Government

(790)

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department dated 7th August 1856.—

Stating that Government will forward the draft Section respecting the numbering of houses &c. to be included in the Madras Land Revenue Act to the Member of the Legislative Council for this Presidency and requesting the Board to expedite their reply to the reference of the 23d April last relating to Act XII of 1851.

See No. 825 in Separate Volume P. 57

Order

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.—

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Bd. No. 2621
To The Secretary to Government

To

The Secretary to
Government
Revenue Department

Sir

With reference to the concluding portion of Extract Minutes Consultation dated 7th August 1856 Revenue Department No. 825 I am directed by the Board of Revenue to report that they forwarded a copy of Extract Minutes Consultation 8th April 1856. No. 403 and the papers which accompanied it, to the Collector of Madras, who submitted his remark on the same in a letter dated 6th May 1856. The Board however recorded this letter as it appeared that the principal points to which Mr. Cunliffe alluded regarding the Bill for amending Act XXIV were already within the cognizance of Mr. D. Elliott the Member of the Legislative Council and they accordingly deemed it unnecessary to trouble Government any further on the subject.—

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
19th August 1856

/ Signed / G. S. Forbes
Secretary

Rd. 19 Aug. 1856
Entered 14th Sept.

[14] A Note to this effect was made in the last arrear list submitted by the Board on the 1st Instant.—

Bd. No. 3126
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department dated 12th August 1856.—

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Desiring the Board to enquire and report on the probability of the Road between Chittoor and Cuddapah being frequented by European Travellers; and if ultimately of opinion that Bungalows ought to be built, to submit a list of the stations where they would propose to have them.—

See No. 856. in Separate Volume P. 58

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Bd. No. 2641
Order thereon

Ordered to be Communicated to the Collectors of North Arcot and Cuddapah who will state whether it is their opinion that this road from Chittoor to Cuddapah would be generally used if completely provided with Bungalows.—

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Bd. No. 3127
From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department dated 12th August 1856.—

Stating the views of Government with respect to the proposal for the erection of a Bungalow for travellers at the 96th Mile upon the road from Madras to Bangalore by Chittoor, and observing that they do not consider the proposed site desirable as respects the convenience of Travellers.

See No. 855 in Separate Volume P. 59

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Bd. No. 2640
Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated to the Colls. of North Arcot for his own information and that of the Civil Engineer.—

Memo

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Bd. No. 3199

From the Secretary to Government

Memorandum

In reply, to the Memorandum from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue dated 13th Instant No. 2551 the Secretary to Government has the honor to inform him that no Statement of the duties of Covenanted Officers has been received either from Ganjam Rajahmundry or Tanjore in any of the Departments of the Government office—

Fort St. George 16th August 1856

/ Signed / J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary to Government

To the Secretary Board of Revenue

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Bd. No. 2624

Ordered that the following letter be sent—

To

The Collector of Rajahmundry

To the Collectors of Rajahmundry and Tanjore

Sir

With reference to my letter of 2nd July 1856, I am directed by the Board of Revenue again to request that you will expedite the despatch of the return required by Mr. Ricketts and called for in their Circular of 19th May 1856.—

2 The Board trust that no further delay will be allowed to occur in this matter.—

Revenue Bd. Office Fort St. George 19th August 1856

/ Signed / J. D. Sim
Sub Secretary

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To

G. A. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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Bd. No. 3076

From the Acting Collr. of Tanjore....

Sir

With reference to the accompanying Copy of the Extract from the Proceedings of the Civil Court of Combaconum under date the 18th July 1856 reversing the decision passed by Mr. Forbes under Clause I Section V Regulation IX of 1822 in the case referred to therein, I have the honor to request the Board's permission for refunding the amount of fine Collected and brought to account from the party in question.—

Tanjore 5th August 1856

/ Signed / A. W. Cherry
Collector

No. 979

Extract from the Proceedings of the Civil Court in the Zillah of Combaconum under date the 18th July 1856. 11 of P. No. 788/1856

Read

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Read again Miscellaneous Petition presented by Gopaoniem of Caduimbengaudy in Keenalore Talook.-

Read also record forwarded by the Pg Collector on the 12th July 1856 to 1st "The Petitioner appeals from a sentence passed upon him by the Collector under Clause 1st Section V Regulation IX of 1822.-

2. "The following was the charge on which the Petitioner was tried.-

Defendant is charged with having fraudulently misappropriated Rs. 25 — of public money by executing Certain Maramat Works with which he was entrusted, not according to the plan laid down by the Engineer Department but so as to benefit some Nunjah land which he had lately purchased in the name of one of his defendants.-

3 "The Civil Judge observes that there is no proof that any misappropriation of the

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the public money has followed the act alleged in the Charge against the Petitioner for so far as the record goes it does not appear that any disbursements has been made on account of the work which he is stated to have incorrectly executed.-"

There is no evidence whatever to support the allegation that the land to the benefit which the deviation from the original estimate was made belongs to the Petitioner On the contrary the witnesses who depose to that point all speak of Veerasawmy Iyen as the Bona fide purchaser of it.-

5. "The Maistry on whose report the conviction of the Petitioner is chiefly based appears not to have been examined by the Coll^r for all that is on the record is a report with an account appended purporting to have been written by him as

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as he was not examined on solemn affirmation in the Petitioners presence his statements are not admissible against the Petitioner

6. It has not been proved that the Petitioner had charge of the work or did any thing beyond what he himself admits viz. mark it out and visit it once 4 days afterwards.—

7. A single glance at the plan is sufficient to show that the work was not marked out according to the Original project for the purpose of favoring the owner of the land whoever he may be for the new Channel takes a turn at a right angle instead of gradually slanting off as the old one did and so impedes the flow of water The same inference is to be drawn from the accounts which show that ⅓ only of the work executed on the north bank has been performed on the south bank.

8. The evidence however is wholly insufficient to warrant the Petitioners conviction of the charge on which he was tried and the Sentence passed on him is reversed accordingly.—

Ordered that Extract from these Proceedings together with the record be forwarded to the Collector of Tanjore for his information and guidance by Precipit returnable in 3 days.—

True Extract
Signed G. A. Bennachamp
Civil Judge

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Bd No. 2625

Proceedings thereon (798-799)

Resolved that the letter recorded above and its enclosure be submitted for the information and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with the Board's recommendation that sanction be granted for the refund of Rupees 25, carried to the credit of Government being the fine imposed by the late Collector on one Gopoorien for not executing certain maramut work's according to the plan laid down by the Engineers Department and which amount the Civil Court has now ordered to be repaid to the party.—

Bd No. 2726

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Duplicate

Diary of the Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George in Ganjam for the month of June 1856.—

1856

June 14th

Letters Received

From the Zemindar of Purlakemedy states that he has permitted the Zemindar of Chigaty to use certain insignia and requests that an order may be issued allowing him to use them without interference.—

May 29th. From the Zemindar of Vizianagarum informing that he has adopted certain plans for the capture of the escaped Dundasena and that he believes that he will succeed in apprehending him.—

June 15th From the mother of the minor Zemindar of

of Bodagada informing that the monthly allowance which she is now permitted to draw for the support of herself and her son the minor Zemindar is not sufficient.-

Letters despatched

June 6th To the Zemindar of Chigaty informing him that the Acting Agent has received a letter from the Zemindar of Purlakemedy in which he states that he has given him / the Chigaty Zemindar / permission to use certain insignia and that as it appears that these belong specially to the Gazapati family alone he cannot be allowed to use them.-

D.o 6th To the Zemindar of Purlakemedy to the above effect.

D.o 10th To the Zemindar of Turlah informing him that the Acting Agent would beat Kasibugah on the 14th and desiring him to see him that day.-

Interviews

14th June 1856 Kasebugga

The Zemindar of Turlah came and paid his respects to the Acting Agent. He complained that some of the armed retainers of his estate refuse to pay him the Chowtapi or one fourth cess on their lands. He also stated that there were some bad characters in his Estate who always threw obstacles in the his way of doing business.-

The Acting Agent told him that if he proved that the armed retainers really refused to pay him his due measures would be taken to realize the sums to which he had right at the same time the Acting Agent pointed out to him that he should not drive to extremity men who had long served his family but rather try to bring them to reason on which the Zemindar said they would not listen to him. With regard to the bad characters the Acting Agent asked him to send him their names together with an account of what they were doing.-

Ganjam District....
Governor Agent's Office..
Chitterpore.....
8th July 1856.....

Signed / W. Knox
Acting Agent to the
Governor

Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded

(800-801)

No. 79

To

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

(802)

Bd. No. 2964
From the Offg. Agent
to the Govt. at Kurnool

Sir

Since the date of the Boards letter

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† Dated 20th Decr 1852
‡ 11- 6th Jany 1853 Para 7

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† Letter under reply discretionary ‡ authority has been vested in the Agent to introduce such modifications in the Assessment of this District as he might deem equitable, and necessary towards attaining a fair and equal assessment this previlege has been acted on to a considerable extent, and the result reported annually.-

2 A survey is indispensable before attempting the introduction of a fixed assessment and perhaps the Board may agree with me in thinking the opportunity a favorable one of testing the feasibility of carrying out the arrangements proposed by Mr Bayley in his report dated 29th July 1843 by availing themselves of the professional experience of the Officiating Agent and with the assistance of some of the people still living who accompanied Mr Bayley in his surveys, to begin a fresh survey of some of the villages nearest Kurnool.-

3 In the event of Government having prepared to furnish the Agency requisite to carry out the

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the survey and assessment of the District on approved principles it is probable that Mr Bayleys views will be taken as the data upon which this assessment should be based it would facilitate the work. Should Mr Grove be called upon to ascertain the outturn yield of various soils the value of which is much but used since Mr Bayleys time.-

Kurnool.....

Govt Agents Office. } Signed / J. G. Russell
18th July 1856... } Offg Agent to the Govr

Bd No 2642

Proceedings thereon. The Board observe that the instructions already issued regarding modifications in the assessment appear to them sufficient to meet requirements of the case until general survey which has been projected shall be undertaken in this District. They are not disposed therefore to recommended that any immediate steps should be taken in anticipation of that period.-

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No. 165

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Bda No. 2942
From the Collector of Madura.

To

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

* Forwards for consideration and orders of the Board translation of an Urzee from the Tahsildar of Shenkurray shewing the inclination of the Ryots to extend cultivation if they can obtain sites for Hamlets &c.

With reference to my letter of the 27th March last No. 68, I have the honor to transmit a translation of an Urzee from the Tahsildar of Shenkurray shewing the inclination of the Ryots to extend cultivation if they can obtain sites for Hamlets.-

2. In this Talook particularly there was a very large extent of Anadee waste at the Fuysul. This was included in the nearest Village which is often very distant from portions of its Ayacut, and not possessed of Grama Nuttum to accommodate a sufficient number of Cultivators for the whole.-

3. I note the Beriz in 1265 and Ayacut of sum of the Villages

	Ayacut Cawls	as	Beriz of 1265 Rs	A	P
Cumbum	10,806	- 15 -	20,288	-	- 4
Andiputty	20,687	- 2½ -	15,527	- 4	- 7/6
Combay	13,459	- 2 -	5,973	- 12	-
Goodaloor	27,213	- 8½ -	5,395	- 6	-

Drawn

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from which this application is received and which lies at the extremity of the Cumbum Valley.

4. Evidently the Establishment of Hamlets which should some day be made separate Villages is quite essential to the spread of cultivation in this Villages and the present is only one of several applications which I have received. Some liberality of the kind which I now suggest and increase of Establishment for which I am about to apply, is all that is wanted to the rapid developement of the resources of this fine Talook. For the 3 last years the Seasons have been unfavorable. nevertheless there has been considerable progress and when in the Valley in the early part of June, I was astonished at the great increase of cultivation expected. should the season continue as favorably as it had begun.-

5. It will be remembered, that if cultivation had been equally extensive at the survey, lands now included in one Village would have been divided into 3 or 4. In this Talook, which yields a Revenue of 1,60,000 there are only 42 Ayn Villages, while Madacotum (Cusbah Madura) the

the Revenue of which is 174.783 contains 133 Villages.-

Madura
28th July 1856

/Signed/ R. D. Parker
Collector

No 1

Translate of an Urzee from the Tahsildar of the Tenkurray Talook No 393 dated 14th July 1856 to the Collector of Madura.-

An application was made in the Talook on the 5th January last by Sodalamoottoo Tavee and others inhabitants of Comaya Cowden putty hamlet of the Cumbum Village requesting a permission to erect a Village on a spot overrun with jungle of large trees, measuring / Goolies and situated within the limits of Goodaloor, North of Pothey Caradoo, west of Pumdaratturay River South of the limits of Cumbum and east of Semboday.-

This application was referred to the Zilladar of Cumbum, with orders personally to inspect the said spot, institute enquiry, and to report the extent of the waste land fit for cultivation in

in the neighbourhood of it and he accordingly made a report on the 22d Idem with a plan.-

Before a conclusion could be arrived at upon inspection of the documents Goodaloor Cur panapillay and others, the very persons who had given a Mazernamah during the 1st enquiry stating that they had no objections to the undertaking sent a Mahazernamah also to the Talook by Tapal on the 14th April requesting that Sodalamoottoo Tavee and others attempting to erect a Village on the lands cultivated by them / Goodaloor Carooppana pillay and others / might not be permitted to do so.-

This Mahazernamah also was referred to the said Zilladar who reported on the 4th June with a deposition taken from the Curnum stating that the spot on which Sodalamoottoo and others wished to build a Village did not belong to Carooppana pillay and others, the addressers of the Mahazernamah which they submitted, being ignorant of the limits of their lands. The Zilladar also accompanied his said report with depositions given by Carooppana pillay and

others

others/ the addressers themselves of the Mahazernamah/ acknowledging that ignorant of the limits they addressed the Mahazernamah mistaking the spot referred to for their own that on subsequently visiting the spot they were convinced of its being unconnected with the lands in their cultivation and their having no right to it inconsequence and that they had no objection whatever to Sodalamoottoo Javen and others building a Village on it.-

From the above documents it appears that the spot situated within the boundaries gerien in the address/ Mahazernamah/ of Sodalamoottoo Javen comparizes 5 1/2 Goolies of which 1/2 Gooly has been 30 years waste and the remaining 5 were once cultivated but has been neglected for 10 years past, that it is included in the Sunjah Puyacut and taxed at 3 Fanams per Goontah, that near it 50 Goontahs and at a distance of 1 or 2 Miles from it 300 Goontahs in all 350 Goontahs taxed also at 3 Fanams per Goontah have been immemorial waste and are

are fit for cultivation, that no numbers were assigned to the lands of the Village in Fryaul, and that there is no objection to permitting erection of the houses on the land measuring 5 1/2 Goontahs

In their deposition Sodalamoottoo Javen and others engage to cultivate 200 Goontahs for fusly 1266 out of the arable land if they are permitted to erect the Village and subsequently to increase cultivation every year proportionably to the accession of inhabitants.-

As this is the season of cultivation as there is no objection in permitting applicants to build their houses, as they wish and as they are anxious about it, I beg to submit my opinion that they may be permitted to build a new Village and cultivate the lands.-

/Signed/ Puttabheramien
Tahsildar

/True Translate/
/Signed/ R. D. Parker
Collector

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.—

To

14991 Fort St. George 19th August 1856

(804-805)

Bd. No. 2637
To the Collr.
of Madura

To

The Collector of
Madura

Sir,

With reference to the Board's Proceedings under date 1st August stating their views on the subject of extending village sites, I am directed to request that you will submit detailed applications for the lands which you propose in your letter of the 28th Ultimo to allot as sites for new hamlets. The case of the villages in the Shencurray Valook is, the Board observe one in which such grants are rendered expedient by peculiar circumstances.-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George . .
19th August 1856 . . . .

/Signed/ G. S. Forbes
Secretary

No. 230

To

806

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Bd. No. 2889
From the Collector
of Chingleput.

Sir

In returning the accompanying Petition No. 1739 bearing the Board's endorsements

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To the Board
28th May 1856
From the Board
12th June 1856

endorsements dated the 7th Instant, I have the honor to refer them to the correspondence marginally noted, from which it will be seen that the salt adverted to by the Petitioner was ordered to be confiscated and sold consequent on its having been found to be in excess of the quantity specified in the Rowanah under clause 4 Section XII Regulation I of 1805 for which he endeavours to account by stating that he had measured the portion of the salt he had sold to Cassim Saib in "heaped mercals" and that its remeasurement in this Department in "struck mercals" occasioned the excess. This explanation is any thing but satisfactory and cannot be allowed in the face of the rule requiring "the seizure and confiscation of all salt which may be of a greater quantity than that specified in the Rowanah" covering it and clause 17 of the salt rules sanctioned by Government in Minutes of Consultation under date the 23d December 1850. His application for the restoration of the salt which has been sold and the Proceeds of

which

which have been credited in the Public accounts is therefore inadmissible.-

Chingleput District..
Collectors Cutcherry..
Sydapet - - - - -
29th July 1856.
Bd. No. 2652

/Signed/ C. S. Shubrick
Collector

Order thereon Ordered that the following End.s be passed Petitions 1739 and 2228 of 1856.-

(806-807)

" The Board see no reason to modify their order of the 12th June last confirming the confiscation of Petitioners' salt.-

To,

No. 91

(808)

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Bd. No. 3023
From the Acting Collector of Guntoor

Sir,

Adverting to Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue No. 2294 of the 22d Instant, I have the honor to state for their information that the Demand Collection and Balance statements will in future be forwarded punctually as directed but that for the month of June closing the Fusly of 1265 is

is unavoidably delayed for the adjustment of the several receipts and disbursements which have necessarily to be made. It will however be sent as early as practicable in a few days.-

Guntoor District
Collectors Office...
Condawed - - - - -
2d August 1856..

/Signed/ H. Newill
Collector

Order thereon. Ordered to be recorded

(808-809)

(810)

No. 156

To,

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Bd. No. 3005
From the Collector of North Arcot.

Sir,

With reference to an Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 12th April 1856 No. 1094, authorizing the sale of certain Puttah lands belonging to the Defaulters in Palmanair Talook as specified in the Margin, I have the honor to state for the information of the Board that the lands were purchased by the Ryots named in the Margin, who have paid the purchase money in full. I have therefore the honor to request you will be so good as to obtain the sanction of the Board for registering the

Extract of the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 15th April 1856 No. 1094.

Name of defaulters	Land and Kernel Purchaser	Purchase Cl. as 15th Pd as O	Pd. as O
Camasala Chin Gum	1-2-5	5-14-6	Chaigoo. 3-4-4 Anoohapho 6-3-4
Patapogolo	5-6-4	13-12-9	Codumalara 3-4-4
Venkatapah	5-6-4	13-12-9	ma Naick 3-4-4
Coraseyah	2-8-1	5-14-6	maibnaic 3-13-4 Siddapah 3-13-4
Malayalooloo	4-4-4	1-14-8	Khaik Hyder 1-0-0
Do Yennamah	4-4-4	1-14-8	23-1-2-0
		2-14-12-22-14-11	

Land

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Land in their names.-

North Arcot . . . . .
Collector's Cutcherry . . .
Chittoor 2d August 1856
Bd No 2628

/Signed/ C. Whittingham
Collector

Proceedings thereon

(810-811)

The Board of Revenue confirm the sale of the lands alluded to in the foregoing letter and authorize the Collector, after carrying to the credit of Government the amount of arrears against the late Proprietors to disburse to them respectively the remaining sale proceeds.

No 95

(817)

To

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Bd No 3086
From the Acting Collector of Guntoor

Sir,

Referring to the subject of the Board's circular of 26th February 1855 repeated in their Circular order of 4th Ultimo, I think it proper to state for their information that the village Moonsiffs in this District are not subjected to the same habitual inconvenience and want of consideration which are described as being exercised towards themselves elsewhere. The Office in this District is by no means in a perfect state, but is gradually progressing towards more more efficiency thro' the endeavours that have been perseveringly made by my predecessors to impress the useful class of servants to a sense of their position and duties.-

The principles of the Circular order alluded to will continue to be borne in mind.-

Guntoor District Collectors Office
Condanced 6th August 1856. . . .

/Signed/ H. Newill Collector

812-813 Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded

P.R.

11996 Fort Saint George 19th August 1856

No 164

To

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George

(814)

Bd No 3200

From the Acting Collector of Ganjam . . . .

Sir,

Subj: a report on the present system of forming the dittum in the Ganjam district

I have the honor to submit a few remarks on the present system of forming the dittum or Veel called for in Extract Minutes of Consultation No 285 dated 11th March last and in your Proceedings No 2164 under date the 12th Ultimo.

2. I have for some years back been of opinion that the veel as made in this district was worse than useless. I found the Tahsildars running it up to prove their zeal and activity, or letting it lie over in hopes that if the season proved favorable more land would be taken up the ryots suffering from being forced to take more land than they wanted or being sent for at unseasonable times. This I have in a great measure put a stop to by making the val when the Jummabundy is made the two works go on at the same time there is less chance of any underhand work for the ryot has the European authority to appeal to if he

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he thinks he has been unfairly treated and he loses no times, In a district like this where the rains begin very early it is a great object to get the settlement made so early that the first rains may be taken advantage of I tried last year in Ganjam and made the veel for last July in January, the plan gave great satisfaction and I acted on it again this year

3. As to the doing away with the Dittum I confess I look on a good dittum as a most difficult work and one that tests a revenue Officers powers more than a Jummabundy in an unsettled district like this, indeed the work of the latter is but small if the former is well done if care has been taken to distribute assessment equally over all the land to get rid of pauper ryots any give each man his due share of land, when this has been done once well matters will go smoothly in most districts unfortunately here there is no survey no assessment and the ryot has but little conviction of permanence many villages have been reduced from various causes below their proper cist and it will be for some time still necessary to settle for them giving renters an opportunity of coming forward with offers

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of higher rents as of course the ryot will not and till we have a survey the difficulty of discovering concealed cultivation will not be got over no doubt the price of grain tempts men to make large offers, but I feel sure from observation that a large breadth of land is brought under the plough every year which is not shewn in the accounts.

4 There is not much land taken up and left Bunjur as remarked in para 3 the practice is one that doubtless should be put a stop to as a general rule though in many poor soils, it is necessary the ryot not being able to manure the ground sufficiently for want of cattle.—

Ganjam District,
Collectors Office,
Chetterpoor
8th August 1856

/Signed/ W. Knox
Acting Collector

Order thereon — Ordered to lie over

814-815

No 763

To G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George

816

B/ No 3201

From the Acting Collector of Ganjam

Sir,

I have the honor to

forward

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+/ List compared with Pharoahs Map.
/ Do Compared with the large Map.

forward a list of the names of places incorrectly spelled in the survey Map. I much regret the delay that has taken place, but my Office establishment is very small. I have had many other more important duties on hand, and have been frequently absent from my Head Quarters.

The names are taken as they come from south to North beginning at Chicacole.

Ganjam District
Collectors Office
Chetterpoor
8th August 1856

/ Signed W. Knox
Acting Collector

No 1

Memorandum

Names in Pharoahs Map	Correct names Read
Jaganalapoorum	Juganadapoorum
Singatavulsa	Singatavulsa
Chenavulsa	Chinnahvulsa
Honinapilly	Homanapully
Guzapellypoorum	Guzapully poorum
Shelapoorum	Seetapoorum
Askala Nudegam	Aukoola Nundegam
Pinerungy	Pendr

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Cowdapatta	Gowdoopatta
Canandy	Carundy
Poolipully	Pootipully
Casergodo	Caserejoda
Cosaulla	Cosauly
Madda	Magada
Kekedegam	Ickedegam
Rentichotta	Rentecotta
Gooragub	Gooragul
Sandepoandy	Sundipoody
Batoonwah	Batoowah
Coottoor	Cootoomery
Goomdapoon	Govindapoor
Comlapoore	Comlapostos
Nodelalapootee	Loddapoote
Pectatooree	Pectatolee
Kurriah goova	Caureyagoodah
Comme	Cooseme
Kalava	Kalaba
Borepuara	Borepudra
Limany	Lima Kundy
Narampoor	Narainpoor
Ullandupata	Kutteyapata
Banchendrapoor	Ramchendrapoor
Coolacooda	Poorvacooda
Gooneradan	Coomerada

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Conakee	Conaka
Maudumaranm	Moondemaroye
Parcojee	Poorcopoo
Benapetta	Banepully
Puntaboolly	Punchabootty
Bavasanoo	Bavasaro
Mootahudi	Mooseabady
Cerepootha	Errepeegotta
Ronahdee	Honadee
Radaloonda	Radaloondy
Nooseepully	Noovapully
Runeegoda	Kareegooda
Joymungly	Jayamungalo
Soo Roo Romera	Sonkoo Romore
Seekally	Rageonadapoor

Signed W. Knox
Acting Collector
No 2

Memorandum

Names in the printed Map Correct Names Read

Goontee	Gontay
Archilly	arsavilly
Bafsagwalsa	Bafsimvulsa
Oopingy	Oppungy
Coonee	Cornee

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Umberilly	Womaravilly
Sudlegam	Cottoor Sayeregam
Peddapordoo	Peddapaudoo
Boreilly	Booravilly
Mamalwalsa	Maumeedeevulsa
Rangole	Raugoloo
Tundawalsa	Tundumvulsa
Ongungy	Wonjung
alligam	alliRam
Marapaum	Madipum
Origam	Viragam
Deregashe	Deergasee
MacRwalsa	MacRevulsa
Ambageepettah	Ambajeepatah
Naveenumbadoo	Navanumbaudoo
Wadeepaudoo	Wodapaudoo
Balinacan	Boroobadra
Gopadoopatah	Gopaloopatah
Naveenambaudoo	Nejambaudoo
Jojupattah	Jogeepattah
Jilleryvalsa	Jilledevulsa
SaleRam	AlleRam
Taloogoovulsa	Talagavulsa
Raglepaud	Raveepaudoo
Pedda Bomady	Pedda Bommally
Raglepaud	Raveepaudoo
Rotavulsa	Raulavulsa

Thontada	Thotauda
Aatakam	Antagam
Peddasovalaposaram	Peddasavarapoorum
Honimnapilly	Hommanapilly
Soosaram	Sooravarum
Jillavulsa	Julloowulsa
Thalepuruwoo	Thateepurtee
Lutchmursupatah	Lulchmenursoopatah
Bidrapuram	Soobidrapoarum
Hidingy	Hittungby
Sungoobandapetta	Sungoolumdoopatta
Granapoor	Ganapoor
Vandegopalapoorum	Vanoogopalapoarum
Akala Nadegam	Aukoola Nundegaum
Shody	Shoda
Beemaram	Beemavarum
Palasittee	Palasilly
Takally	Raganadpore
Takally putnum	Teekally putnum
Maradechota	Marady cottah
Bolebudra	Boreebudra
Gardabuddra	Gurroodabudra
Penlybuddra	Nelly budra
Andoocada	Allookoda
Dummigam	Dameedeegam
Coodigan	Koreegam

Nerady	Nearady
Caseryode	Caserejoda
Tarabuddra	Talabudra
Soamnapoorum	Somanadapoorum
Dwery	Davade
Mukoojulla	Muckarajolla
Gooroody	Goorandy
Munchoomarry	Muchoomara
Sibada	Soobada
Seerisoda	Sirsoovadah
Pulwalsa	Paulavulsa
Peir Bada Singo	Veerabudrasing
Kukedegaum	Ickedegaum
Adungooda	Arungodah
Kurreen Gudra	Kurrenabudra
Chalapootoo	Julloopootoka
Toontpoorum	Tookepoorum
Koorpanadepetta	Koormanadepetta
Deywullmuddree	Davulmurry
Cadrapoorum	Cadaurepoorum
Coturpaudoo	Cottapaudoo
Bonchurriah	Bamoalliah
Persummah	Parsumbah
Soldavepettah	Somadavepatah
Moogundapoorum	Mookundapoorum
Toorbuddee	Tiorobully

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Chinna Endaruche	Chinna Indrachy
Bada Eindaruchee	Boda Indrachy
Masinpatta	Masingepatah
Madaraujzpoor	Murdaraujzpoor
Varadingy	Varadunga
Berasola	Gereesolah
Thotadapilly	Thuttapilly
Summah coonah	Summacadeya
Pollenlo	Pollunko
Mosumpoorum	Moo Rundpoorum
Kundrapalem	Kundrapalem
Doovoopuny	Doopoopilly
Enyarapilly	Kungoolapilly
Kootapilly	Carlekapilly
Kelava	Kalaba
Carapara	Sarapada
Kenama	Kenamanah
Bodapoor	Bodapoolly
Poonoocoapully	Poolooscorapilly
Kodarsinghy	Khoda singhy
Bavanapoorum	Bavaneepoorum
Moda	Mohoda
Vananthy	Anumthaye
Nagalu	Nagaredeyee
Magarapoovah	Magurapunyah
Seetenumpilly	Seetasumpully

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Pekhatumreepilly	Pickapully
Pentaputtam	Paulaputnam
Kullavellapully	Kolloovapully
Bekarepoor agt	Veeramapoorum agt
Nudindellapoorum	Naraindrapoorum
Varanapoorum	Naranapoorum
Bankapilly	Bonthapully
Moovapully	Moovakully
Nursingapoor	Nursingapully
Kayodoo	Kayoola
Bowlgodoo	Bohawlepully
Boodaky	Boodaka
Berrywady	Berrewadeya
Toorapoudoo	Teekarapada
Goodely	Goodeyalle
Chodungapoorum	Codundapoorum
Poladra	Polundra
Darampoorum	Danumpoorum
Puggernatpoor	Juggernath poor
Cullinapoor	Cullianapoor
Nongoree	Loongoor
Mullara	Mollada
Serallum	Seereebana
Beepatingy	Beepalingy
Kaneegantapilly	Kaneegampully
Doovianapully	Doonapully

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Mayeepill	Mojapully
Nonbosoo	Nundabavooso
Baladeen	Balaginghe
Condadeywall	condadavully
Nolahet chimpoor	Nolanatchepoorum
Moohundapoor	Mookundapore
Hoandeloo Agr	Hoodethoo Agr
Bogrootoly Agr	Bagoghorry Agr
Dagapeda Agr	Degapadah Agr
Talbulla	Tabumno
Conaker	coracara
Conundapilly	Corandapully
Wodia Boorgam	Wodeboorgam
Pogulabady	Ponkalabady
Hundapadra	Hendoopadra
Goodagota	Gottoo Koodee
Moovapadra	Noovadudro
Pusamundolo	Rasamundolo
Mogelly pore	Moudepoor
Gonaredolan	Gonaregoodah
Mondemarum	Mondemarayee
Mamkeepoor	Manekepoor
Sundavepoor Agr	Samadavpoorum Agr
Dagapootee	Devarapootee
Chumchadapilly	Chumcharapully
Sudapooram	Surdapoorum

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Behapore	Betchapore
Chimcharapully	Chuncharapilly
Haganalapoor Agr	Nagapoorum Agr
Nanda	Londa
Bajegerry	Venjeegerry
Goondibera	Goondechera
Hoanadlo	Hemundolo
Halapenkalo	Tulapenkalo
Reehana	Bechana
Godebunbee	Goodebundoo
Hanookoolos	Hanookootooroo
Nunnapadra	Nunnapadra
Gogindra	Gazendra
Badragooda	Vajragooda
Salungy	Salasingy
Goosapully	Coosapully
Steechendrapr	Steechendrapoorum
Donekanady	Dolokawady
Jathral	Juthra
Dengery	Pingedy
Soonunda	Koomunda
Hadapada	Ghodapada
Koombady	Koompatee
Gulliagoolia	Bulleyagoolia
Coopauty	Coompaty
Dasabosa	Boosaboosa
Baghwabary	Bhagwamarry

(816-817)

Order thereon

/ Signed/ W. Knox
Acting Collector

Ordered to lie over

15009 — Fort Saint George 19th August 1856

To

No. 243

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George

818

Pr. No. 3188

From the Collector of Tinnevelly — Sir,

Referring to the concluding part of my letter of 12th Ultimo, in which I stated that the Police of this District having been under the Criminal Judge in the year 1813 the Cols under that year in the returns therewith forwarded is left blank I have now the honor to inform you that from a letter from the Sessions Judge of Tinnevelly, and its Enclosure (dated 7th August 1856) copy of a communication to him from the Acting Sessions Judge of Madura received in reply to one from me on the above subject it appears that the information required is not procurable in consequence of the records of the late Zillah Court of Tinnevelly which were transferred to Madura in 1823 having been destroyed among other old records by order of the Sudder and Foujdaree Adalut.—

Tinnevelly, Collectors Circuit Cutcherry Tencausey 11th August 1856

(Signed) J. Silver
Collector

Order thereon
(818-819)

Ordered to lie over JP

15010 — Fort Saint George 19th August 1856

No. 244

To

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort Saint George

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Pr. No. 3196

From the Collector of Tinnevelly — Sir,

With reference to Para 2. of Extract from Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated the 12th Ultimo, on the subject of Para 2 of Extract from Minutes of Consultation dated the 11th March last regarding Dittum I have the honor to inform you that Dittum is not observed in this District.—

2 In this District but little of the Seegal or cultivable lands are left waste in good seasons The owners of the lands either Cultivate themselves, or let them to others for Cultivation. If any good lands are aban=doned by their owners or occupants for more than 5 years the ryots of the same or other Villages give Durkasts or offers at the cutcherry, binding themselves to cultivate the lands on payment of pro=gressive rates of assessment, or the full teerwah of the lands whether cultivated or not when the consent of the owners or occupants of

the lands is asked, if they agree, to take up the lands on the same terms proposed by the Dirkastdar preference is given to them, but if not, the lands are made over to the Dirkastdars, and they are allowed to enjoy them. This is found to be a sufficient check to prevent arable lands being left waste without sufficient cause.—

3 When land is left waste in Tinnevelly it is mostly land that is highly assessed and it is not usual to assess such waste unless on a formal offer made as above described.

4 From the records it appears that a former Collector Mr Eden attempted to introduce the Dittum but having found it not suited to this District recalled his Orders on the subject.

5. The instructions contained in the other Paras of the Circular under reply regarding the preparation of accounts &c will be duly attended to.—

Tinnevelly Collector's Circuit Cutcherry. Tencausey, 13th August 1856. } (Signed) J. Silver Collector

820-821

Order thereon

Ordered to lie over

Read

Bd No 3124

From the Secretary to Government 12th August 1856 } Read the undermentioned Extracts Communicating with the remarks of the local Government thereon, the orders of the Government of India on the Projects included in the Budget of this Presidency for the current Official year 1856-1857.

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822-823

Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded.

Bd No 3141

From the Secretary to Government 13th August 1856 } Communicating the orders of Government with respect to the expenditure for public works in certain districts which remained incomplete at the close of 1855/56 but were not entered in the Budget.

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824-825

Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded.

Received the undermentioned

826

Mf No 1933 From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam. Miscellaneous letters and Statements. Return of Revenue defaulters in Jail during the Quarter Ending 30th June 1856

827

Mf No 1928 From the Collector of Malabar. Reporting that no Revenue defaulters were confined during the Quarter ending 30th June last.

828

Mf No 1925 From the Acting Collector of Ganjam Statement of Demand Collection and Balance of Revenue for July 1856.

829

Mf No 1923 From the Collector of South Arcot. Statement of Demand Collection and Balance of Revenue for July 1856.

830

Mf No 1922 From the Collector of Tanjore. Average Bazar Prices of grain and Memorandum of Iyen cultivation for July last.

From

831 MJ No. 1926
From the Collector of Trichinopoly. Average Bazar Prices of Grain
832 and Memorandum of Syen Cultivation for July
MJ No. 1929 last.
From the Collector of Malabar. Average Bazar Prices of Grain
833 and Memorandum of Syen Cultivation for July last.
MJ No. 1930
From the Collector of Vizagapatam. Account current of Salt for
MJ No. 1927 July last.
834 From the Collector of Malabar. Account current of Salt for
835 July last.
MJ No. 1924
From the Collector of South Arcot. Comparative Statement
shewing the collections in Fuslies 1265 and 1266
836 up to July last.
MJ No. 1931
From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam. Return of Persons in
837 confinement under Regulation IX of 1822 for June
MJ No. 1934
From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam. Return of Persons in Confine-
ment under Regulation IX of 1822 for July 1836.
MJ No. 1932
From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam. Statement shewing the
838 quantity of Salt in store available for exportation
at Calcutta at each of the Ports of Export in the month
839 1836.
MJ No. 1935
From the Collector of Malabar. Reports that no Import
or exports of Gold and Silver Bullion
and specie took place during July
last.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
Wednesday the 20 August 1836.

Read again List of Letters from the Acting Collector of Ganjam dated 4th and entered in Miscellaneous Consultation 6 August 1836. remaining unanswered for the Quarter ending
840 30 June 1836.
B. No. 2617.
Proceedings thereon The Acting Collector is requested to exclude from future lists all letters addressed to the Government Office.

Read the following Papers

No. 151.

To.
G. S. Forbes Esqr.
Secretary to the
Court of Wards.
Fort St. George

841
B. No. 2609.
From the Collector of Madura } Sir.
I have the honor to request
the sanction of the Court of Wards for the
construction of the Parapet and Garden
Walls recommended in the accom-
23 April 1836. panying Diary of Temporary Sub Assist-
ant Surveyor Kemp.
2 The Manager considers
the Parapet Wall very necessary
to

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prevent accidents but would be consider
with a mud wall to the Garden.

3 Both Teppacolum and Garden
are in a kind of Square opposite the
Mansion of the Zemindar at Shevagungah
which is a handsome building provided
with an entrance gate with a room
over it of considerable pretension. It
seems to me desirable therefore that
mud walls in front should be
avoided, and as they require constant
renewal they are not really more economi
cal. The Teppacolum has recently been fully
repaired and only requires the parapet
wall to be complete It is of great use
to the people of the Town.

4 I take this opportunity to submit
again the Estimate for a wall to
protect the Gardens of the Minor Zemin
dar and his Tutor at Madura from
the depredations of Cattle At present
every attempt to keep the precincts
of the houses in decent order and
plant Trees and Shrubs is quite
useless Madura is infested by
Donkies and Travellers alighting
the neighbouring Tope at night

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let loose their Cattle to find food
in the Gardens in question I would strongly
recommend therefore that although the
Bridge which was recommended for
Sanction to the Supreme Government has
not yet been authorized, the wall
may be built The two houses form
a nice property which is well worth
protection.

Madura
8th July 1836

Signed R. D. Parker
Collector.

—Enclosure No 1—

General Observation &c. of Tempo
rary Sub Assistant Surveyor C. W. Kemp from
the 15th to the 30th April 1836.

Shevagungah District
Kanoor Talook.

23 Shevagungah Teppacolum Parapet Wall.

The Manager of the District
having brought to my notice and pointed
out the necessity of having a Parapet
wall erected round the border
of the Teppacolum for the safe passage
of Carts, Cattle, and people on its
boundary road and as I also
find that a Parapet wall is
indispensably

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indispensably necessary to prevent accidents taking place which do occur occasionally - I have therefore framed the undermentioned Estimate under the head of emergent and strongly to recommend its erection as early as possible.

Emergent Estimate

540 × ¼ × ½ = 67½ Foundation of Parapet Wall on North South and East boundary

540 × ½ × 1½ = 405 Parapet Walls on North South and East boundary.

Total Cubic yards 472½ Brick in Chunam at 2½ Rupees each — 1062 2 —

3240 × 5 = 16200

Total Square feet 16200 Plastering at

2 Rupees per 100 Square feet 324 — —

1387 2 —

Sundries at 5 per Cent — 69 6 —

Total of Estimate Company Rs — 456 8 —

Minor Zemindars Garden Hedge on the border of the Road near the Jaffpatnam.

Instead of a permanent Wall having been erected for the preservation of the Garden, Mud Hedges and Shorn bushes are in existence and in consequence of this, snakes are breeding enormously and people fear to pass this way in the evenings about dusk. Furthermore from this Hedge &c being near the boundary

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boundary road of the Jeppocolum when the Sandiminds set in they are broken down by the force of the wind and blown into the water and this it is said corrupts it and makes the water unwholesome - Should a permanent Wall with Brick and Mud, and Chunam Plastering be erected all this inconvenience need not be borne up with and will also prevent cattle thrusting into the Garden and destroying it and as I find that this work is actually required I have therefore framed the undermentioned Emergent Estimate in hopes that it will obtain sanction.

Emergent Estimate

300 × ½ × 2½ = 375 Wall of Garden including foundation.

Total Cubic yards 375 Burnt Brick and Sand at Rupees 2 — — each — 421 — —

1800 × 6 = 10800

Total Square feet 10800 Plastering at 1 Rupee per 100 square feet — 108 — —

529 — —

Excavating foundation and removing Hedge &c at 6 per Cent — 26 7 —

Total of Estimate Company's Rupees — 551 6 —

I have personally inspected and duly measured the above works or proposed Sites.

Shevagungah Districts
Kanoor Talook
Camp Shevagungah
1st May 1836

Despatch 17

Received 27 May 1836
Despatched 29 Do

Signed C M Kemp
Temporary Sub Assistant Surveyor
8th Division

Signed R. A. Roberts
Acting Civil Engineer 8th Division

Sworn before
Signed R S Parker
Collr

Estimate

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Enclosure No. 2 Estimate of the expense required for Constructing the above mentioned Compound wall in the District of Madura.

Sl. No.	Names of Works	Measurements: Length	Breadth	Height	Cubic Contents	Sq. Feet	Square Feet	Particulars of Work	Price: Rupees	Annas	Pie	Rate per	Artificers: Rupees	Annas	Rupees	Annas
		100	1½	3	450			Foundation to								
		560	1½	1½	1260			Compound walls								
		660	1½	4	3300			Do — above								
		Cubic feet	5010					Cubic yards 185 2/10 of which								
		New Bt and						Mud Cubic yards 125 7/15 at								
		Old do						Do — Do to at	1	4	"	Cyd.	156	15		
		10	2½	4	100			Foundation to 4 Gate pillars	1	"	"	Do	60	"		
		8	2	7	112			4 Gate pillars above								
		660	2	½	660			Coping to Compound walls								
		Cubic feet	872					Cubic yards 32 5/15 Brick in Chunam at	2	4	"	Do	72	11		
		32	"	8	"	256		Plastering 4 Gate pillars								
		660	"	11½	"	7590		Do to Compound walls								
		Square feet	7846					Plastering Rough Coat with Chunam at	1	"	"	100 Sft	78	8		
								2 Gates with Hot Rolings bolts & c complete at	15	"	"	each	30	"		
								Excavating foundation and Sundries	"	"	"	"	21	14		
								For removing the old wall of Stable	"	"	"	"	15	"		
								For levelling the Litches in the Compound	"	"	"	"	30	"		
								Total Estimate Rupees								465

Madura Compound wall Estimate

Compound wall Estimate for the Collectors Bungalow at Madura

Madura 10th November 1856

Signed A Palaneavaloo Mootelly
Head Mr. Superintendent.

Signed P. B. Parker
Collector

Pet No. 2648
Proceedings thereon
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Under the circumstances explained by the Collector the Court of Wards authorize the Construction of a Parapet and Garden walls to the Sethacolum and a Compound wall to the residence of the Minor zemindar of Shevagungah and his Tutor at the expense of the zemindary the three abstract Estimates submitted in the foregoing letters for these works amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 2477-14-0.

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No. 156.

From

G. S. Forbes 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 forward herewith Copy and Translation of the Decree passed by the Principal Sudr Ameen of Nellore in the Smt No. 382. of 1853 regarding the Dope at Vengareddypolliem in which the Collector was a defendant.

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Pet No. 2728.
From the Collector of Nellore

To Bd 2d Nov. 1855
Bd Pro. 1st Dec 1855
To Bd 7th 17th Jany 56
Bd Pro. 1st February 1856.

Nellore District
Collector's Office
Kistnapatam,
18th July 1856.

Signed F. B. Elliot
Collector

Enc. No. 1.
No 382 of 1853.

The Heir of the Plaintiff	Defendants
Venkatareddy	Narasareddy and 4 others
Vakil Bhomaragoolos	Vakil on behalf of
Romaya	the

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is to bear all the costs of the Suit.

18th June 1856.

/True Copy/
/Signed/ A. Singaracharyalu
Government Pleader

/True Translation/
/Signed/ F. B. Elton
Collector

(843-844)

B/d No 2613.
Resolution thereon.

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

2 This Suit was brought to obtain possession of a piece of ground and certain Illupa trees growing thereon

3 The claim of Plaintiff has been disallowed as he has not been able to prove that the garden he sues for was planted by his ancestor as alleged by him; the accounts moreover shew that the garden was entered in the name of a person who died himself

The P.S. Ameen would not do therefore

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therefore disturb the possession of the parties who now hold the land on Puttah.

No 131

To,

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.
Fort St George.

(845)

B/d No 3156.
From the Collector of Trichinopoly

Sir

Para 1 Rev Dept 1661 Referring to your Circular No 31st May 1856, I have the honor to request I may be favored with a list of rates of Printing Charges to be asked for work done for the Courts and other Departments.

2 My Press has been at work fully two Months and a vast deal of business has been struck off for my own Office, and as I could now with ease and profit do business for other departments if I only know what rates to Charge.

Trichinopoly;
Collectors Office
21st August 1856,

/Signed/ J. Bird
Collector

Order thereon Ordered to be recorded.

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END
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application has again been made to Government

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the 3d Defendant Ammatha Chariyalo 5th Defendant the Collector of the Zillah Vaseek Singarachariyar &c.-

It does not appear from the Revenue Records or otherwise that such a Garden as the one the Plaintiff sues for as having been planted by Papireddy his Maternal Grand father for Charitable purposes exists in that Village.

But on defining the boundaries of the waste land Nos. 22.23 and 24 in the Pymash Chitta accounts for July 1225 it is stated that a garden belonging to Papireddy is situated on its eastern boundary. even if it is admitted that the said Papireddy was the Plaintiffs Maternal Grand father and that he had a Garden in that Village yet from the Goodicuttah accounts and accounts particular of Gardens &c. it appears that a Garden to an Extent of 7 1/4 Guzes stood in the name of Latchamaddy

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that several of the trees thereon had been destroyed; that there are 23 trees standing thereon that she died childless; and that one Abhaya afterwards planted some Mango trees on an Extent of 2 1/4 Guzes a part from this however there is no mention whatever made either of the Plaintiff or his ancestors, nor could such a thing be supposed.

Although the 3d Defendant alleges that the name "Papireddy" contained in the Pymash Chitta is his yet the evidence adduced on his behalf respecting the same is insufficient neither could the Plaintiff prove that Papireddy was his Maternal Grand father.

It will be Contrary to the facts above shewn to adjudge the Plaintiff to be the owner of the Garden and to consider as his right sufficient to alter the Puttah Jointly held by the Defendants since July 1256.-

The suit is therefore dismissed The Plaintiff is

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is to bear all the costs of the Suit.

18th June 1836.

/True Copy/
/Signed/ N. Singaracharyulu
Government Pleader

/True Translation/
/Signed/ F. B. Elton
Collector

(843-844)

Bd No 2643.
Resolution thereon.

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

2

This suit was brought to obtain possession of a piece of ground and certain Appa trees growing thereon

3

The claim of Plaintiff has been disallowed as he has not been able to prove that the garden he sues for was planted by his ancestor as alleged by him; the accounts moreover shew that the garden was entered in the name of a person who died before the D. S. Ameen would not therefore

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therefore disturb the possession of the parties who now hold the land on Puttah.

No 131

To,
G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George.

845

Bd No 3106.
From the Collector of Trichinopoly

Sir
Para 1 Referring to your Circular No 1661 Revenue Department of date the 31st May 1836, I have the honor to request I may be favored with a list of rates of Printing charges to be asked for work done for the Courts and other Departments.

2 My Press has been at work fully two Months and a vast deal of business has been struck off for my own Officer, and &c. I could now with ease and profit do business for other departments if I only Know what rates to Charge.

Trichinopoly Collectors Office 8th August 1836,

/Signed/ J. Bird
Collector

Order thereon Ordered to be recorded.

(845-846)

application has again been made to

Government

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Government for a scale of Charges.

No. 96.

To

(847)

G.S. Forbes Esqr.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Circular No. 1111 under date 11th April last on the subject of the taxation of Timber and Fuel cut in the Government forests. and to submit in reply the following observations.

2 None of the Jungles in this District furnish any Timber deserving the name, the timber imported into the District by land being entirely from the Nizams territories bordering on ours. Fuel therefore is all that is cut in the Jungles They are situated chiefly within the limits of the Subdivision that is in the Talooks of Noonnasalum Gallapully Soivoor and Nundegam, Low Jungles are also met with in parts of the Collery and Rentahpand Talooks

There

B.d. No. 3209.

From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam

Intimating certain observations in reply to Board's Circular No. 111 dated 11th April last on the subject of Taxation of Timber and Fuel cut in Government Forests in the District of Masulipatam.

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There is also a scattered forest, &c principally of Soapnut trees lying between the Goodewadah and Kykaloor Talooks The hills of Soyoor and condapully yield &c &c small bamboos which are cut down extensively and floated down the Kistna for sale in nearly all the Country below the river. and finally there are two mangrove Jungles one adjoining the Fort of Masulipatam the other and the more extensive one on the months of Kistna River some miles below Point Deevi.-

3 None of these Jungles yield any very valuable products they being confined to wood apples Tamarinds country Goosberries Gallnuts and the like. When trees of any size other than the above fruit bearing ones exist, they are used by the poorer ryots for the timber work in their thatched huts On the cutting of fuel in these Jungles, no restriction whatever is imposed nor is any tax levied here and there on firewood till a few years ago when they were discontinued, because the petty impost was found to cause more inconvenience to the poorer classes than the revenue brought in by the taxes was worth. The Soapnut forest &c mentioned

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mentioned in the preceding para yields an annual revenue to Government of from Rupees 1000 to 3000 according to the crop by the sale of the nuts. This forest is for this reason under the immediate care of Government being guarded by a few peons - On the fuel cut in this forest a small tax of 2 pice per load used to be levied till a few years ago when it was discontinued for the reason already explained.

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I shall now proceed to say a few words about the mangrove Jungles from which principally the supply of fuel for the town of Masulipatam is brought. The one near the Fort is of small dimensions and is preserved with a view of protecting the banks of the Bunder River and preventing the drift of sand into the Channel on which it grows - The other situated in the Villages of Muruppollem in Deva is a large one. A full description of its present condition will be found in the accompanying Report made upon it by Mr. C.G. Master. It is

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particularly desirable that this Jungle should be conserved and a tax re instituted to restrain waste from cutting. A tax once existed but has been of late suspended by order of the Judicial Courts Its revival cannot apparently be effected without either a review of Judgement or a special Legislative enactment. The rates of tax I would propose are those mentioned in Mr. Master's report. A revenue of 4 to 500 Rupees used to be so derived from this source when the tax was in force and in the event of its revival I would suggest that the net revenue after defraying the cost of conservation be applied to the extension of the Jungle in localities where it is possible to do it.-

Extract Minutes Consultation 27 August 1852.—

On a boat load of 2500 grown logs —	Rs	1 — 12 —
On — Do — of young logs 35 to 40,000		5 — 4 —
On nada nipahs for rafters per 100 —		1 — " —

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Regarding all the other Jungles I do not think it necessary to frame any restrictions. The only one of them which is liable to be cut down too profusely is the bamboo and if the Board think it fit tax upon its cutting also may be

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lee reserved. The neighbouring villagers were till recently in the habit of taking a small fee from the bamboo Cutters.—

Masulipatam Collector's Cutcherry 11th August 1836. } I have &c Signed J. Fraser Acting Collector

Enclosure No 1.

To,

I. D. Lisbington Esqre
Collector of Masulipatam

Sir

Para 1 With reference to the direction contained in your Memo of the 29th Ultimo desiring me to enquire into the extent &c of the Mada Jungle growing on the Sea shore and on the Islands at the mouth of the Kistna River the honr to forward such information as it was in my power to obtain:-

2 On the 2d Instant I started by boat from Patamogacherovaram just below which the river divides into three branches Of these I chose the most northerly, viz, the one which separates the main land from Najagontla Lunka and which runs through the thickest part of the Jungle.

On

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On the main land the Jungle begins almost immediately but is low and thin and as far down as Gorlulmotam can be made of little or no use for fuel Below that it gradually becomes thicker and near the sea is of considerable height extending in land as I was informed for about two cos towards Sawlagoondy The Jungle here does not appear to be so much cut as that on the Najagoontla Lunka, one reason for which arises from a great portion of it being Tilla Jungle which grows to a good size but is of no use as firewood another is that this portion of the Jungle is cut only during the rainy season when the water rising to a greater height than is usual at this time of year boats are enabled to penetrate the Jungle along the channels of which there are several and the wood can be cut and put on boards at once During the dry season however there is not sufficient water for boats, neither is it possible for the wood cutters to pursue their work on shore when every step would take them up to the middle in mud - The Jungle on this side may be roughly estimated at three Cos in length by two in breath:-

3 On the Najagoontla side of the river

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river. the Jungle begins shortly below the Village of Yadalymoondy but is inconsiderable till a little way above Bullylairoo or about opposite to Goolulmotan, on the Bunder side Below Bullylairoo again it branches off in land leaving the river side bare a mile or so lower still it again approaches the river, and is very thick down down to its termination, a quarter of a mile or so from the sea are two channels which lead into the interior of the lunka having various diverging branches - By this reason Dhonies are enabled at high water to traverse the Jungle at pleasure, and can go as far as Nagapoonta Village. I went for about a mile up one of these Channels it was low water, and the mud prevented further advances but I saw enough in that distance to satisfy myself that the Jungle is being cut away very rapidly, and that very little discretion is exercised by the woodmen - Trees and bushes of large and small are cut away, as if they thought the supply never could fail - There is no doubt a great deal of thick Jungle left but from

what

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what I could learn from the boatmen and others the impression was that at the present rate of going on it would be exhausted in 10 or 12 years, and then have to be left to recover itself This Jungle extends in a southerly direction for about two Cos towards Nagapoonta Village and beyond and as its length east and west may be taken at three cos It is to the Jungle on this lunka that the boats mostly resort as it is available at all times of the year.-

4 I did not visit the smaller Lunka of Blachettoo Dibba from what I could learn the Jungle is naturally not so thick as on Nagapoonta lunka and of course much less in extent but it has been much cut away.

5 I saw about a dozen Dhonies laden with firewood in different parts of the river - Four of them belonged to Nursapore for which place three were on the point of starting - Of the remainder those that I questioned belonged to inhabitants of Deevi Talook and were going to Bunder.

6 You have requested me to give an opinion on the restrictions to be adopted for the prevention of the destruction of this Jungle It appears to me that nothing could be easier than

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than to levy a small tax on each boat load as was done formerly Whatever the reasons on account of which that tax was abolished can be put aside is not for me to Judge It appears to have been but small On each boat load of Moodooroo Karralos containing about 25,000 the tax was 1—12—0 Salab Kurrala each boatload of 35 or 40,000 Rupees 5—4—0 Madavacum per 100 Rupees 1—0—0 such a tax would as I think prevent a whole sale destruction of the Jungle I do not see however that the present high price of firewood in Bunder can be attributed to the export of fuel to Madras Nursapore and other places unless it is that the boats so employed were formerly in the habit of carrying on the same trade with Bunder in which case their defection might cause a decrease of competition and a consequent increase in price.—

7 I have been informed that there is a small jungle at Annasaladeeny Deeve Talook but it is not much frequented.—

Masulipatam Assistant's Collector's Cutcheery 8th February 1836.

(Signed) G. G. Master
Assistant Collector

True Copy
(Signed) J. Fraser
Acting Collector

Order

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Order thereon Ordered

to lie over.

No. 98.

To

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G. S. Forbes Esqr
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George.

B. No. 3217.
From the Collector of Salem

Sir

With reference to the Board's Circular letter dated the 19th March 1836 No. 849 requesting me to furnish a return of the number and description of peons on my Establishment who should be furnished with cloth belts and to inform the Board whether suitable cloth can be procured in the District and if so the probable price of the cloth and the charge for making each belt, I have the honor to state that cloth belt

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belt are furnished in the District to
74 peons of the description specified in
in the margin

2 No cloth of the
quality used for belts
in the Salem District
can be procured in this
District, but the pro-
per kinds of cloth can
usually be purchased
in Bangalore. The
price of blue cloth of a suitable quality
for belts is about 6 Rupees a yard,
and of red cloth for edging 7 Rupees
the yard. If cloth of the two kinds,
above referred to be taken as the
material the cost for a single belt
including material and tailors charge
is as follows:

5/8 yard of Blue cloth at 6 Rupees a yard	1	14	"
1/8 yard of Scarlet cloth at 7 Rupees a yard	"	14	"
Rettoo or Coarse cloth	"	2	"
Silk thread &c.	.	1	0
Tailors Charge	.	4	0
	3	4	"

3 I concur with the Board
in thinking that the belts need not
be renewed oftener than once in
two

Collectors Establishment.

1	Jamadar
2	Sheffadars
47	Peyals
50	

Sub Collectors Establishment.

2	Sheffadars
22	Peyals
24	

74 — Total

two years.-

Salem Collectors Office
Office
14 August 1856
} Signed H. A. Brett.
Collector

849-850 Order thereon Ordered to lie over.

Bd. No. 3210.

From the Collector of Masulipatam dated 13 August 1856.

851 Read Statement of the Extra Tentage drawn by the Acting Sub Collector for the Month of July 1856.

851/852 Order thereon Ordered to be sent to the Civil Auditor.

853 Received the undermentioned Miscel. Revenue Letters and Statements.

Mr. No. 1938 From the Acting Collector of Sea Customs. Comparative Statement of the Collection of ordinary Revenue in Fasles 1265/66.

854 Mr. No. 1945. From the Collector of Tinnevelly Comparative Statement shewing the Collection in Fasles 1265/66

855 Mr. No. 1948 From the Acting Collector of Ganjam Average Bazar Prices of Gram and Mem. of Gyen Cultivation for May 1856.

856 Mr. No. 1942 From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Account Current of Salt for June 1856.

From.

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Mg No. 1944
From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam. Return of
857. village officers referred to in Section
858 Regulation VI of 31 suspended or dismis
Mg No. 1943. during the month of June 1856.
From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam. Return of Vill
859 Officers referred to in Section VII Regulati
Mg No. 1946. VI of 31 suspended or dismissed during
From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam. Return
860 Persons charged with offences under
Mg No. 1945 Regulation IX of 22 for June 1856.
From the Acting Collector of Masulipatam. Informing
that no cases cognizable under
861 Regulation IV of 1822 have occurred
Mg No. 1934 during July 1856.
From the Collector of Tinnevelly. Informing that
862 no Revenue Defaulters confined
Mg No. 1947. or released from Jail during the
From the Agent at Kurnool Average Bazar
863 of Grain and Mems of Sycr Cul
Mg No. 1940 for July 1856.
From the Collector of Tinnevelly Average. Bazar
864 Prices of Grain and Mems of Sycr
Mg No. 1936 Cultivation for July 1856.
From the Collector of Malabar Rain Report
Mg No. 1937. July 1856.
From the Collector of Tinnevelly Rain Report for
865 1856.

J.G.B

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Thursday the 21st August 1856.-

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Read the following Papers-

Bd. No. 1552.
From the Sect.
to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Revenue Department Dated 8th May 1856.-

Communicating a letter from the Government of India respecting the proposed change in the system of selling Salt above requesting to be furnished with the information called for in Extract Minutes of Consultation 14th March 1856.....

(See No. 472. in Separate Volume) Page 60.

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Bd. No. 2659.
Proceedings thereon.

In the papers noted in the margin it was proposed to introduce the Bengal System regarding Salt whereby the revenue or duty on all Salt is the same, while its price is made to vary with the cost of manufacture, in an Extract from Minutes of Consultation dated 22d February 1856. No. 196 para 5. the Government prescribed a rule for ascertaining the proportion of charges on account of Salt Establishments, which should be assigned to the Export and Home &c. Sales respectively. With a view to carrying out the orders of Government, the Board circulated form of Statements to

In Cons: 9th Oct. 1855 Ep: M. Cons: 13th Septr 1855 P: 22
In Cons: 12th May 1856 Ep: M. Cons: 14th March 1856 P: 10811
In Cons: 21st Augt 1856 Ep: M. Cons: 8th May 1856. P: 22.

In Cons: 14th March 1856

Circular 14th March 1856.

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to the Collectors of Maritime districts, designed to shew the items of expense incurred both in manufacturing and exporting Salt. Several of the Collectors have furnished the information called for, but the Board have thought it advisable, in the first instance to take the data obtained from one of the districts, and after framing Statements therefrom, in apparent conformity with the instructions received, to submit them to Government in order to its being ascertained whether the intention of Government has been correctly understood.—

D/26. Appl. in Cons. 4th July 1856 No. 1372

2. The reply received from the Collector of South Arcot seemed to the Board to afford full materials for framing the necessary calculations, and they have accordingly had two Statements prepared, one relating to the Mercanum depôt in that district, where there is a Sea Export Trade, and the other relating to the remaining depots, where the sales are confined to the Home and inland traffic. In accordance however with the suggestion of Government, the Board have noted in the second Statement what the price would be for a hundred maunds at the last mentioned depot if sold for Sea Export.—

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3 If Government approve the manner in which these Statements have been made out as being in accordance with their instructions the Board will proceed with the preparation of similar Statements for the other Salt manufacturing districts.—

Memorandum.

15043 Fort St. George, 21st August 1858.

No. 1

Memorandum.

Mercanum Pans in South Arcot.

A Coodeewarum.

Home and Inland sales 154031 Mds. at Rs. 9-15-4½ per 100 Maunds				15,342 14
Exports by Sea — 7808 — at — D:— D:				777 12
French Government 2886½ — at — D:— D:				2,875 6½
Total — 190706 — at — D:— D:				18995 1

B Charges.

9 Sadeewared			
10 Construction and repairs	Rupees	126	"
11 Repair of Plat forms		94	"
12 Measuring		280	"
13 Storing and thatching		217	"
17 Purchase of Measures		2103	"
		48	"
		2868	"

As 190706 2868 : 100 : 1. 8. 1. That is, the Charges amount to Rupees 1 8 1 per 100 Maunds

C Wastage

Total Sales 190706. wastage on same 12918 Maunds. which is 6¾ per Cent therefore the Coodewarum value of 6¾ Maunds is to be distributed over every 100 Maunds and amounts to per hundred Maunds. Annas 10-9

D

The charge for Establishment Rupees 3007 is to be rated upon the value of the Export Salt and upon the value and duty of the Home and Inland Sales, thus.

154031 Maunds at say 100 Rupees per 100 Maunds — 154031 "
36675 D: at say Rupees 15 per 100 Maunds — 5501 4
159532 4

If 159532	Rs. 3007 :	Mds. 154031	Rs. 2,903		
If 159532 :	3007 : :	5501¼	103	or Rs. 1-14-2 per 100 Maunds	
			4 6	D:	

Rem[ainder]

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Recapitulation.

Price of Salt for Home and Inland sales per 100 Maunds

Coodewarum	9	15	4½
Charges	1	8	1
Wastage	"	10	9
Establishment	1	14	2
Total Cost price	14	"	4½
Monopoly duty at 14 annas per 100 Maunds	87	8	"
Total Monopoly price	101	8	4½

Price of Salt for Export per 100 Maunds.

Coodewarum	9	15	4½
Charges	1	8	1
Wastage	"	10	9
Establishment	"	4	6
Actual Cost price	12	6	8
Export Charges	5	8	4
Total Export price	17	15	½

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No. 2.

Memorandum.

Pragavilly, Killay and Cuddalore Pans in South Arcot.

A Coodewarum.

Home and Inland Sales 67590 Maunds at 6-2 Rs. per 100 Maunds 4181 .

Supply to the French Government at Pondicherry — 4275 — at D: — D: — 263 .

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B Charges.

9 Saderward — 4420 .

10 Construction and repair of buildings — 101 .

11 Repairs of Flat forms — 27 .

12 Measuring — 104 .

13 Storing and thatching — 4 .

14 Purchase of measures — 89 .

59 .

As 71865 - 384 : 100 :: 8-6½ That is, the charges amount to Rs. 8-6¼ per 100 Mds. — 384 .

C Wastage

Total sales 71865. Wastage on same 4730 Maunds.

which is 6 9/16 per Cent therefore the Coodewarum

Value of 6 9/16 Maunds is to be distributed over

every 100 Maunds and amounts to Rs. 6-5½ the hundred Mds. — 6-5½

D Charges of Establishment

The charge of Establishment is Rupees 2671- therefore

Mds. 71865 : Rs. 2671 :: Mds. 100 = Rs. 3 11 5½

Recapitulation

Price of Salt for Home and Inland sales per 100 Maunds.

Coodewarum — 6 2

Charges — " 8

Wastage — " 6

Establishment — 3 11

Actual cost price — 10 13

Monopoly duty at 14 annas per Maund — 87 .

Total Monopoly price — 98 .

Price of Salt for Export per 100 Maunds Exclusive of shipping Charges

Coodewarum — 6 .

Charges — " 8

Wastage — " 6

Establishment in the proposition of 15 to 100 as in Mercanum — 3 11

Total Export price — 4 .

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P. No. 3121

From the Secretary to Government

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department Dated 11th August 1850

Confirming the changes proposed by the Collector of South Arcot with respect to the limits of the Talooks of Villapooram and Cuddalore; and Sanctioning the modifications proposed in the Establishments of those Talooks as well as that of Trivandy

/See No. 847 in Separate Volume/ Page 87

868-869

P. No. 2665.

Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of South Arcot, for information and guidance. The Collector will be careful to make no change until further orders in the Statement of the Sunbah Villages prepared annually to show the Amount of the Pangam Hijsah.

870

P. No. 3125

From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department Dated 12th August 1850.

Reviewing the operations of the Annamalay Forest Agency from its first formation in 1850 to the 30th April 1855: and enjoining greater punctuality in the transmission of the yearly account Current connected with the same

/See No. 854 in Separate Volume/ Page 92

870-871

P. No. 2664.

Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Coimbatore, for information and guidance.

Extract

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872

B. No. 3142.

From the Secretary to Government

Fort St. George 21st August 1850

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department Dated 13th August 1850

Returning the Original Proceedings in a case of alleged torture Imposed of by the Head Assistant Magistrate of Nellore

See No. 862 in Separate Volume Page 63

872-873

B. No. 2862.

Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Nellore for information and guidance

874

B. No. 3143

From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department Dated 13th August 1850

Resolving to forward to the Honorable Court the Memorial from Kitchanna Nair of Madura and Directing that intimation of its despatch be made to the Memorialist

See No. 865 in Separate Volume Page 64

874-875

B. No. 2867.

Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Madura for information

876

B. No. 3154.

From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department Dated 14th August 1850

Declining to authorize the entertainment of the Sepoy and Sweeper for the new Bungalow at Chingia Lakon in Kurnool; and requesting to submit a Tabular Statement for the same for transmission to Calcutta

See No. 865 in Separate Volume Page 64

876-877

B. No. 2858.

Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated to Officiating Agent at Kurnool

Extract

15048

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B. No. 3158

From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Revenue Department Dated 14th August 1850

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Calling for information on certain points with respect to the Extra Establishment entertained by the Collector of Madras from the protection of the Abkarry Revenue; sanctioning the employment of that Establishment since January 1855 and its continuance for 6 months; and drawing the Board's attention to the punctual Submission of all periodical Reports required of them

See No. 867 in Separate Volume Page 66

878-879

B. No. 2668.

Order thereon

Ordered to be communicated to the Collector of Madras for information and for a report on the points noticed in para 4

Extract

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B.P. 3177.
From the Secretary to Government
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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Public Works Department Dated 15th August 1850.

Communicating the Orders of Government on a letter from the Chief Engineer with respect to the construction of the road from Berhampoor to Rajahmundry. — See No. 11849 in Separate Volume Page 97.

No. 1.

Extract from the Observations made on a tour in Ganjam by Lieutenant Colonel A. C. Cotton Deputy Chief Engineer Northern Division in March and April 1850 dated 12th July 1850.

Para 43.

Road to pass this or round the town of Berhampore.

There is one portion of this valuable line of communication which has not been sufficiently provided for, the passage through or round the town of Berhampore. The Road has been made up to the out skirts of the place from both sides, and it was intended to widen the Main street a trifle, and carry the traffic through the town; but this was a mistaken arrangement. The traffic is already much too heavy for that, and if a suitable road way was made for it, it would be at great cost to the government, and inconvenience to the inhabitants. As the town is very crowded, a good open thoroughfare would be advisable as a sanitary measure, but there are great objections to leading a heavy distant traffic through any crowded town, and as the inhabitants of Berhampore are very generally employed in weaving and dying, the filth and dust from the passage of four or five hundred

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hundred carts daily, would be a serious loss to them. Lieutenant Harington has traced a good line round the town, and that line should be adopted. By means of it, the town will be relieved from the dust and confusion of the carts, while their drivers escape in some degree the danger of diseases, which when once they break out in Berhampore are said to cause great mortality, and linger in the town for months. In recommending the removal of the line of the traffic, I hope I shall not be the cause of the town Containing in its present confined and unhealthy condition. Though the main street is not converted into a thoroughfare, it should be opened for Ventilation; as should also more than one of the cross streets. The place as I have said, is one of great importance, and there is no good reason why it should be dreaded for its Cholera if means were taken to cleanse and open it. —

Berhampore requiring ventilation.

(True Extract)
(Signed) J. D. Boardillon
Secretary to Government

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Order thereon — Ordered to be recorded. —

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B. N°. 2739:
From the Military Board ..... Intimates that the Superintendent of Stationery will furnish him with a List of Stationery and Prices &c.

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No. 3530

To, The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue

Sir,

I am desired by the Military Board to state in reply to your letter No. 2346 dated 10th September 1855, that the Superintendent of Stationery will furnish you with a List of Stationery and Prices.

The Board also desire me to acquaint you that in accordance with orders issued nearly 30 years since, the Civil Auditor prepared about 2 years since a Statement of the Cost of Stationery supplied to all Civil Departments during each year from 1827 to the past year, and that he is now preparing a Statement of Cost of Stationary supplied for the year ending 1854/55.

From this Statement of Revenue Board would be able to frame a Money Value for each Department under their Control, and after all the experience the Military Board have had of the working of the Stationery Supplies, they are quite satisfied that the present System of Supplying Stationery might be improved by fixing a Money Value for the different Departments, and allowing each Department to draw the quantities required from the Stationery Office, or to substitute others for

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for the Europe articles.—

The only effectual check which any Controlling Department can have over the Stationery Expenditure, is a Money Check, and with the efficient Officers at the Head of Departments, there can be no difficulty in devising means for the proper Custody of the Supplies.—

But this point the Board would particularly recommend to the attention of the Revenue Board as essential for the proper expenditure of Stationery. In this Office a System of delivering out Supplies and of making the individuals responsible for the quantities has been acted on with a great Saving, and although this may appear to occasion some trouble, yet it is of no great moment as ¼ to ½ an hour once a week Suffices.—

With this change of System it will be necessary for the Superintendent of Stationery to publish Quarterly or Half yearly or yearly a List of Stationery Supplies and Cost, to enable Officers to regulate

regulate their demands, and there is one Contin
which must be attended to as regards Supplies
in that the Superintendent of Stationery should
not be forced into the local Market where
every article is from 50 to 100 Per Cent higher
than the English Prices, and that timely Notice
be given of articles as needed, to allow of the
demand being made on England.—

The Board observe that your allude
to a Standard Indent for each Office, but
from the above remarks your Board will see that
the Standard should be only a total money
value, and not one of quantity of Paper &c.

Again, in order that each Office
should be alive to the expenditure, the
money value of the Supplies should be
sent with the Indent, and this can
easily be arranged by each Officer at
the Head of the Office drawing the
Amount in a Bill, and obtaining a Transfer
Receipt payable at Madras for the
Amount.—

These Transfer Receipts are
in general use in the Military Department
being

being drawn by one Paymaster on another
under the Authority of the Accountant General,
and are quite suitable for the Civil Treasuries,
so that no obstacle need exist in carrying out
the Process.—

The Civil Auditor would keep an
account of the Amounts drawn for Stationery
in the Bills which come in to his Office, and
the Superintendent of Stationery would keep
an account of the Value of Supplies made to
Offices, and as these latter accounts pass yearly
through the Accountant General to the Civil
Auditor, there is a most perfect System of
Check ensured.—

There are other points which might
require attention to make the System work, but
by its operation it would remove from your
Board the necessity of receiving Indents, and
from this Board the duty of passing them, and
the only reference which need arise, would
be Complaints from the Offices of not being
Supplied with Suitable articles, and an
Annual call from the Civil Auditor for
your Board to investigate any unusual
expenditure

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expenditure on the part of Officers subordinate to your Board.

If this question should be taken up by your Board, the necessity will exist of looking into the expenditure for Country Supplies of Stationery Articles and of having a money standard fixed for these, and that the amounts be drawn in separate Bills.

Any expenditure above the Standard would be met by a Special grant of money on an application to your Board, setting forth the reasons for requiring it; but keeping this contingent outlay distinct from the regular expenditure, until such time as your Board may see fit to revise the annual outlay.

Military Board Office
Fort St. George
22nd September 1855

(Signed) A. H. Hope
Secretary.

Order thereon,
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J. F. B.

Ordered to be recorded.

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No. 75.

To. G. S. Forbes Esqre.
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Bd. No. 2586
From the Offg. Agent to the Govt. at Kurnool
Furnishing information respecting Lunger Khanah at Kurnool.

Sir

Agreeably to the resolution conveyed in Para 6 of the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue No 1964, dated 27th June 1856 with reference to my suggestion to transfer the grant of 48 3/4 — — balance reverting to Government of the Inam yeomiahs enjoyed by Gauzee Shah and Soukshah (both deceased) and calling upon me for a brief report of the Lunger Khanah at Kurnool, I have the honor to state that this charitable institution was established under orders of Government dated 18th May 1848 on a monthly allowance of Rupees 30 — — —

Three Fackeers* enjoyed a yeomiah⊗ for the purpose

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* Fofukrati Shah Gauzee Shah, Souk Shah.
⊗ Rs. 1432 — 13 — —

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purpose of feeding travellers &c. of which
drew their own subsistance. Tofuk ali
died first on the 2d February 1847 and
14th April 1848, the then Commissioner
Phillips brought to the notice of the Bo
the great number of helpless poor in
Town of Kurnool and requested Govern
would sanction a monthly disbursem
of Rupees 30—— out of the to be
sumed share of a grant to Tofuk ali
for a similar purpose.

3. The Board in Para 6 of their lett
in reply to Mr Phillips' proposition, admi
ted the worthiness of the suggestion to establi
a Sunger Khanah but observed that the
ber of persons fit objects for such an institut
as stated in Mr Phillips' Report numbering
in the town of Kurnool alone the proposition

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be reconsidered and submitted on a more libe
ral scale.

Dated 21st May 1848. No 26.

4. Mr Phillips again addressed the
Board on this subject and attributed to a miss-
statement the erroneous entry of 500 for 90. How
the census was taken I am unable to ascer
tain but am inclined to think that what
ever may have been the number of pau
pers in 1848 they certainly in 1856 amount
to nearer 500 than 90, and by a private
subscription amongst the European Gentle
men amounting to about 74 Rupees
a month, many a lame, blind, hatt
widowed poor or infirm aged is preserved
from

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from starvation.—

5. The population in 1848 was 23,[illegible] in 1856 it has increased to 26,966 where within the same period a great many pensioners have died whose stipends spent the place relieved much distress among the lowest classes.—

6. In conclusion I beg to bring the notice of the Board that the endowments to the Lungur khanah of the lapsed yeomiahs enjoyed by the late Gauzee Shah and Souk shah appears to be a legitimate continuance under better supervision of the original object of the grant.—

Kurnool
Govt. agents Office
4th July 1856.

/ Signed / J. G. Russell
Offg. agent to the Govr

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Bd. No 2624
Proceedings thereon.
(884-885)

Resolved that the foregoing Report be forwarded for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.—

2. The Board observe that in their Proceedings to Government dated 27th June 1856 No 1964 relative to certain lapsed yeomiahs and Enams in the District of Kurnool allusion was made to a monthly sum of Rupees 48 3/4 which had been paid to Gazee shah and souk shah during their life time for feeding travellers and for their own subsistence. The Officiating agent was directed in those Proceedings to report briefly on the Lungur khana to which he proposed to transfer that amount.—

3. From the correspondence on the Boards records and from the foregoing report it appears that the allowance paid to Gazee shah and souk shah form part of an annual grant of Rupees 1,482—13. made by Nuwab Munwarkhan of Kurnool for feeding poor travellers and maintaining a number of cripples and that the administration of the charity was at first entrusted to Fofakali shah and Gazee shah and subsequently to Souk

From the Agent Dated 14th April inconsultation 18th May 1848.
Bd. Pro. To Do. Dated 18th May 1848.
From Do. Dated 21st May 48 inbound 3d July 1848.—
Bd. Pro. To Govt. Dated 3d July with Tab. Statement Dated 27th April 1847
From Govt. 9th Sept. inbound 18th Sept. 1848. No 978

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Souk Shah in Conjunction with them; all of the persons derived their own subsistence from the gr

Tab. Statement 1109 dated 27th April Inls. Bds letter of 30th July 1848.

4. on the death of Tofakali Shah the Gov:

6th May 1847 with

* No 978 dated 7th Inlons. 18th Sept. 48.

ment of India sanctioned * the appropriat

of Rupees 30 per month from the share drawn by him Rupees 73 — 2 towards the support of Sung

Khana this sum was considered sufficient becau

the then Agent Mr Phillips reckoned the numb

of poor in the Town at no more than 90 person

5. The population of the Town of Kurnoo

is reported to have increased from 20,277 in 1848 whe

the grant of Rupees 30 monthly was made to 26,966 in 185

and the number of poor is greatly beyond Mr Phillips

Estimate so that the grant is felt to be quite insuffici

6. Under these circumstances and as the transfer

this yeomiah to the Sungerkhana will be in accordan

with the original intention of the grant the Boar

recommend that the Agents proposition may rec

the sanction of Government.

7. As the sum of the two shares now recommend

ed for transfer Viz^t Rupees 48 — 12 per m

together with the share of Tafakshah whi

lapsed first Viz^t Rupees 73 — 7/2 per mo

do not make up to amount of the original gr

Rupees 1482 — 13 per year. the Officiating Agent is

requested to explain the discrepancy

* See Tabular Statement No 1109 dated 27th April Inlons. 6th May 1847.

	Rs	As	P
48 — 12 X 12	576		
73 — 2 X 12	877	8	
	1462	8	
Original Grant	1482	13	
Diff	20	5	

C. B.

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To

G. S. Forbes Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

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Bd. No 2691.

From the Govt. Pleader.

Sir, Fort St. George

I have carefully considered your letter No 2110. under date the 8th July 1856. together with its enclosures herewith returned.

2. My opinion, the result of such con:

sideration, is as follows.—

3 I see no objection to the transference of Sec: 23. from the act in which it now stands to the act for the protection of works of irri: gation &c^a on the Contrary the latter seems its more appropriate place, and in this case the declaration in the Preamble the propriety of which seemed to me to admit of question— namely the power of Government to levy

levy water rates may fitly enough stand.—

4. With reference to the other point on which my advice is asked I confess I do not feel the difficulty which presses on the Board.—

5 The principles involved in the question are rather political than legal and depend upon the much mooted question of Government interference to compel works of public utility ordernarily the result of private enterprize: or how far the "Laissez faire" System is to prevail.

6 This seems to me a question for the decision of Government. I can see nothing illegal in the compulsion they propose and certainly the "Laissez faire" System has been much trenched on

of late years. The Towns improvement bill and if I recollect rightly our own proposed municipal act proceed upon the principle of compelling private individuals to undertake, at their own cost, works which are at one and the same time beneficial to the public and the individual. Such as drains and the like.—

7. I see nothing in the Summed Istemerar to preclude such a course. Sec. 13 seems to me to contemplate the passing of acts, "for the improvement of the condition of the people;" such undoubtedly are roads; and I cannot see the hardship of making proprietors pay for the construction of works which must largely benefit their own estates, whilst the public prosperity is advanced at the same time.—

8. We have a direct precedent for such a course in the acts above referred to, and it is just

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a question whether Government shall be empowered by the Legislature to insist upon the work being undertaken by those who also will largely if not principally benefit by them, or whether a portion of the entire System of Communication without which the rest will be comparatively valueless shall be left undone.—

9. In my opinion there is nothing illegal in the course which Government proposes to pursue.—

Madras 17th July 1856 } /Signed/ I. B. Norton
Government Pleader

Bd. Jr. 2660

886-887 Proceedings thereon.—

Submitting correspondence with the Government Pleader on the subject of the transfer of Section XXIII of the Draft act for the construction of works of irrigation to

To Govt. Pleader 8th July 1856.

In these Minutes of Consultation the Board were instructed to consult the Government Pleader whether Section XXIII of this act could be transferred to the Draft act for the conservation of Irrigation Works.

They accordingly addressed Mr. Norton and

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to the Draft act for their conservation and stating the views of the Board on the opinion expressed by Mr. Norton with respect to compelling Zemindars and Proprietors of Estates to make and keep up roads within their limits

From Govt. Pleader 12th July inclosing his opinion dated 8th July 1856.

and learn from his reply which is now submitted for the information of Government that he is in favor of that arrangement.—

2. The latter part of Mr. Nortons letter refers to a question on which the Board asked his opinion connected with the Enactment which they were directed to prepare in the Extract Minutes of Consultation above recorded for compelling Zemindars and Proprietors of permanently settled Estates to make and keep up second class roads within their limits. The question appears to the Board one of difficulty and importance and they resolve to lay before Government a copy of the letter in which they sought the Government Pleaders opinion.—

3. The difficulty which the Board experienced in carrying out the instructions of Government relates to Estates held under Summuds in Milkeat Istimrar and they solicit the attention of Government to the arguments which their

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their letter contains. Those Summuds were especially framed to define in perpetuity the Zemindars duties and pecuniary liabilities and as now making forms no part of the obligations laid down and would be a serious and novel demand on the Zemindars income the Board doubted whether such a call could be legally made on any parties who hold their estates under such deeds.

4. Mr Norton in his reply expresses an opinion that Summuds i Mulkeut Istemrar oppose no obstacle to the Enactments which Government wish to pass but the Board cannot concur in his reasoning and consider that he has viewed the subject in an erroneous light. In proof of this the Board would point to his allusion to the municipal and Town improvements acts as precedents for this occasion and to his observation that the principles involved in the question are political rather

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rather than legal and involve the point "whether the laissey faire system is to prevail" or whether Government is to proceed "on the principle of compelling "private individuals to undertake at their own "cost works which are at one and the same time "beneficial to the public and the individual."

5. These remarks and the alleged parallel cases alluded to by Mr Norton would only have been appropriate if the object in view had been to compel the actual holders of land to aid in making roads out of their private income as the owners of houses in Towns contribute to the escpence of draining and lighting for their own special benefit but this is not the case. The Board pointed out that in the Government Villages no call has been made on the Ryots or private proprietors of land to make roads the cost of their construction being defrayed from that part of the produce of the land which constitutes the public revenue.

It

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It appeared to be from a desire to esteem this principle that Government now proposes to call on the Zemindars to construct roads within the limits of their Estates because they were regarded as receiving that revenue which in ryotwary Districts the actual proprietors of land pay into the public treasury.

If Government had been unfettered by previous engagements with the Zemindars the Board would have fully acquiesced in the justice of the measure now proposed provided always that care was taken to confine the call on the Zemindars within fair limits and that the call was only made on those proprietors of Estates who receive as income a portion of their proceeds of the land which ordinarily constitutes the public revenue. But the Summuds i Milkeat Istimrar appear to them a bar, as they cannot suppose that Section XIII was intended to give any opening for

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for fresh pecuniary demands and they regard it as only reserving to Government the right to introduce legislative improvements or to enact from time to time such Regulations and laws as experience may suggest or "the progress of human affairs render necessary. The necessity of roads is no new discovery. They were always essential "for the improvement of the condition of the people" and as Government when defining the obligations of Zemindars and entering into formal and detailed engagements with them made no stipulation on this point. It appears to the Board a grave question whether this can be done now. If Government have the power of deciding on roads to be made by Zemindars the Value of Estates hitherto considered as "permanently settled" is at once altered and left in uncertainty.

The Board therefore view the Summud i Milkeat Istimrar differently from Mr. Norton and

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and they consider him under an erroneous
impression when he alludes to the justice
D. 7 & 8. "proprietors" pay for the construction of new
"which must largely benefit their own Es
and when he quotes the Town and municipal
as a direct precedent- Zemindars cannot be
sidered such "proprietors" because as pointed
to Mr. Norton on the Boards letter they
not the actual holders of land and have
authority to collect any increased rates of
or revenue on new roads being made. The
advantages arising from the construction
roads would thus go to other parties eithe
ally since the Government and not the Zem
dar receives these extra sources of Revenue
the Salt Customs abkarry &c which increase
with the improvement of the country. There
is thus an essential difference between
liging a Zemindar to construct roads. and
undertake new works of irrigation since he is alre
reimbursed

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reimbursed for the latter by being allowed to
levy an extra rent when he supplies water and
changes unirrigated land into irrigated.—

8. As Mr. Norton has resigned
the Governor pleadership and no successor has
been appointed the Board have been unable to
continue the discussion. They resolve therefore to lay
the papers before Government both to prevent
delay as respects the act for the construction
of works of irrigation and to ascertain in
what light the Government view the Summuds
i Milkeut Istimrar.—

9. If Government concur with Mr. Norton
that these Summuds offer no impediment the
Board will proceed to prepare a draft act for
approval. but they would offer the following
suggestions.—

1st That the outlay which Zemindars may
be called on to make for roads should be limited
to a certain per centage of the income which
they

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they derive from their Estates so that Zemindars may know their liabilities and be prepared for the

2d That no such call should be made on the owners of the Mootahdary estates created under our Government, since they merely receive a portion of the revenue generally 15 per cent in compensation for their trouble and responsibility in managing the Estates and paying the Government rents

3d The general question of Tolls seems to affect the present subject because if it is decided that tolls are to be levied on the principal thoroughfares The Board presume that this privilege would be assigned to the Zemindars on those lines of road which they construct

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No. 147

To G. S. Forbes Esqre.
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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B. No. 2921
From the Collector of Ganjam.

Sir

I have the honor to submit for the consideration of the Board a proposition for renting out certain Villages in Goomsur for 5 years emanating in the first instance from Lieutenant Macdonald who was in charge of Goomsur.—

2 I am not in favor of rents certainly not of yearly rents, which quickly degenerate into more gambling transactions, the old renter too often bidding up the Village on the chance of a good season, enabling him to make good old losses the ryots being the sufferers, but in Goomsur it will not do to give up this class of men entirely in a wild hilly country unsurveyed almost any amount of land may be taken up without attracting notice, and this has been the case to a great extent in Goomsur, as the cultivation accounts showed the same extent of land in 1245 and in 1260 The real remedy for this is a survey but in the mean time I would submit as a temporary expedient that permission be granted to rent out

and Villages on progressive leases of 5 or ten years to substantial renters, who for their own sakes would extend and assist ryots to settle in the Village and take up land it being a sine quanon that each ryot should at the least retain 1/2 of his produce. —

Cadastral Survey No.	Number	Names of the Villages and Hatches of shares Jungle	Names of the Renters	Average Sowgy.	Sowgy for Fusly 1265	Sowgy for Fusly 1265	For five years from Fusly 1266 to Fusly 1270 — For Fusly 1266	For Fusly 1267	For Fusly 1268	For Fusly 1269	For Fusly 1270	Total
Vandiyur & Tanjore	1	Bodorlu	Boodlu prabhan and others of Sellooonda	32	35	31	34	57	60	63	285	
	2	Dyaskoomparelli	Bhagavandola. bekeramandola others of Kallagada	6	8	4	1/2	5	6	7	26/2	
	3	Sola Saji	Dhurma Naik and others of Do.	10	15	50	55	60	63	275		
		Total 3 Villages		83	100	187/2	117	126	135	586/2		

3d The Village for which I now request special consideration are as shown in the margin but small ones the first has deteriorated greatly & the collections in Fusly 1209 were 62 Rs in 1260 Rs 25 now they are Rs 35; but the ryots allow they are unable to improve their Village, and as no one would take the Village for one year the Huzoor Peishcush accepted on offer for 5 years as shown in the margin subject of course to the confirmation of the Board. —

4 The two next are new Clearings the first a Khond

Khond Village but deserted from fear of cholera, which was very bad the second has also been thrown up by the Original clearers, who paid Rupees 20 per Annum for it in 1264 and 1265. —

Ganjam Collector's Cutcherry Chatterpore 22nd July 1856 } Signed / W. Knox Acting Collector

B. No. 2661

Proceedings thereon

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Under the circumstances stated in the foregoing letter the Board of Revenue authorize the Acting Collector to rent the Villages alluded to for the period of 5 years, or from Fusly 1266 to 1270 inclusive for the Sum offered for each. —

No. 117

To

G. A. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will be pleased to send on early reply to my letter No. 108 of the 20th Instant. —

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B. No. 2828

From the Ag Collector of Tanjore

Tanjore Collectorate Cutcherry 23d July 1856 } Signed / S. W. Cherry Acting Collector

B. No. 2666

Proceedings thereon

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The acting Collectors previous letter has been submitted to Government whose reply will be duly sent to him on its receipt

To

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B. No. 2979

From the Agt. Collector of Ganjam

No. 154

To

G. S. Forbes Esqr.
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir

The Commissioners proceedings Embodying Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 18th June 1856 No. 620 on which Government review the proceedings in the case of the late Sub Division Sheristadar of this District having been misled I have the honor to request that you will be pleased to furnish me with another copy of it for the use of this Office and also one for the Principal Assistant Collectors Office, the parties having all been at the time serving in the Sub Division

Ganjam District
Collectors Office
Chitterpoor 26th July 1856

Signed W. Knox
Acting Collector

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B. No. 2669

Resolution thereon

Dated 18th June 1856 No. 620

Dated 25th in D.C. 28th June 1856 No. 572

Resolved that 2 Copies of the orders of Government and those of the late Commissioner in the Northern Circars in the case of P. Sorbarow Acting Sub divisn Sheristadar of Ganjam be forwarded to the collector in compliance with his request.—

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B. No. 3019

From the Collector of Canara

To

G. S. Forbes Esqre.
Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to forward for the information

information of the Board of Revenue a Statement shewing the result of the Abkary Farm sales of this District for the current Fusly.

2 Acting on the discretionary powers granted by the Board in their letter under date the 28th April last I have only sold a portion of these Farms for a period of five years.—

3 The Farms of the Mangalore, Pootoor and Odapee Talooks, and so much of the Bekul Talook as is under the immediate and special charge of the Tahsildar have been sold for a year only.—

4 Only four Mangonies of Pootoor and the four Stages on the Mercara road are rented, and it will be observed that in the other Talooks the divisions of the rent are numerous, and the renters are mostly Toddy drawers.—

5 There is a falling off in some of the rents, and an increase in others but the result for the whole District as compared with last year exhibits a nett decrease of Rupees 4519 - 13 - 10 - The one year rents, as compared with those of last year, exhibit a decrease of Rs. 941-5- As compared with the average outturn of the last five years, a decrease of Rs. 1230 - 6 - 2 - The five year rents when compared with the receipts of the last five years, show an increase of Rs. 1795.—

1 Pootoor Cushah Village	
2 Madavoor	
3 Soolya	
4 Sampajee	
Quinquennial Rent	300019
Five last years Rent	282824
Increase	17195

Collectors Cutcherry
Mangalore 31st July 1856

Signed W. Fisher
Collector

Statement

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Statement of offers received for the rent of the Ab Karry

Talook

Name of the Bidder

1

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Offers for one year viz. for Fusly 1266

1 Mangalore	For 9	Bids by	Jarnark and 8 others
2 Bel Rub Tahsildar Division	" 15	" by	Bulpit Belchempada & 14 others
3 Pootoor	" 2	" by	Devoo and another
4 Oodipy	" 14	" by	Coolly and 9 others

Total

Offers for 5 years as per Boards Circular order

1 Bel Rub Pesshcares Division	For 1	Bid by	Arkoob Iswab Beary
2 Buntwab	" 1	" by	Mudyar Krishnaya
3 Barcoor	" 1	" by	Amchully Auta
4 Coondapoor	" 1	" by	Chunnanary and 5 others
5 Honore	" 1	" by	Costa haik and 9 others
6 Ankola	" 1	" by	Kameshwara Bhutta
7 Soopah	" 1	" by	Caisaray Yeshwanta Sepa
8 Sonda	" 1	" by	Makhoolab
9 Bilgy	" 1	" by	Bulkoor Bermoo

Total

Grand Total

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Farm in the Zillah of Canara for Fusly 1266

Rent for 5 years or from Fusly 1266 to 1270	Rent for 1 year or Fusly 1266	Rent of Fusly 1265	Difference Increase	Difference Decrease	Average rent of 5 preceding Fusly 1261–1265	Remarks
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	
" " "	15655 " "	16461 10 8	" " "	806 10 8	16796 11 8	
" " "	23774 "	2361 " 8	" " "	63 12 8	2393 13 9	
" " "	830 " "	879 13 10	" " "	49 13 10	898 15 7	
" " "	5072 " "	5092 15 10	" " "	20 15 10	4995 1 2	
" " "	23854 "	24795 9 "	" " "	941 5 "	25084 10 2	
dated 24th December 1856.						
18350 " "	3670 " "	3826 10 8	" " "	156 10 8	3862 11 8	
18950 " "	3790 " "	3840 4 6	" " "	50 4 6	4063 11 3	
20500 " "	4100 " "	3018 12 "	1081 4 "	" " "	3168 12 9	
40000 " "	8000 " "	12638 14 2	" " "	4638 14 2	8815 2 10	
53675 " "	10735 " "	12334 9 4	" " "	1599 9 4	10428 14 8	
18005 " "	3601 " "	4871 12 10	" " "	1270 12 10	4502 5 9	
74760 " "	14952 " "	13042 5 10	1909 10 2	" " "	12110 7 6	
45029 " "	9005 12 10	8336 12 10	669 " "	" " "	7765 5 9	
10750 " "	2150 " "	1672 3 6	477 12 6	" " "	1815 7 1	
300019 " "	60003 12 10	63582 5 8	4137 10 8	7716 3 6	56364 15 3	
300019 " "	83858 " 10	88377 14 8	4137 10 8	8653 8 6	81649 5 "	

Net Decrease — 4519 13 10

[Signed] W. Fisher Collector

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B. No. 2656

Proceedings thereon The Board of Revenue;

confirm the Sales of the Ahkarry Farms

of the Canara District for the

periods and for the Sums

Specified in the Statement

which accompanied the foregoing

letter

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To G. S. Forbes Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George.

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Bd. No. 3072

From the Asst

Collr of Tanjore

Sir

I have the honor to submit

for the inspection of the Board a

copy of the Sentence passed by the

Joint Magistrate in a case of mal-

treatment preferred by one Moothoo-

sawmy against Gopaul row &c and

have to request that sanction be granted

for the Suspension of the Head of Police

of Combaconum for the term of 12 months

therein recommended.

Tanjore

5th August 1856

/Signed/ J. W. Cherry

Acting Magistrate

Plaintiff

No 1

Plaintiff		Witnesses	
Mootoosawmy		Sooba Nooyen	1
Vers		Ramasawmy Chetty	2
Gopala Row Delayat	1	Yellowrajoolo	3
Appasawmy Pelly Village Monsiff	2	Aurmoogum	4
Straenavasum Visharippoo	3	Veerum	5
Veero Nooyen	4	Soobarayo Chetty	6
Kaleya Pelley Writer in the Civil Engineers office	5	Samyvadum	7
Mootoocaroppa Pelley Draftsman in D.	6		

Charge

Torture

The 1st 5th and 6th Defendants are charged with having at Andiotoray Permal Covil in the Papanasam Talook at about 1 P.M. on certain day in the beginning of June 1856, beaten the Prosecutor one Mootoosawmy, on the plea that he has stolen some articles belonging to the 1st Defendant.

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The 1st Defendant is further charged with having with the aid and assistance of the 2d 3d and 4th Defendants at the village of Sholapooram in the Combaconum Talook at about 1 P.M. on or about the 6th June 1856, severely beaten and tortured the said Prosecutor by punching his thigh with pinchers, and also by pulling out part of his whiskers.

Sentence

The circumstances of this case are as follows.

The 1st Defendant a Delayat in the Collectors Cutchary, was in attendance on the Civil Engineer, he had just been relieved at Sholapooram on the 1st June and was about to return when on that very Morning his bundle containing his Belt silver Badge and all his Clothes was stolen from the Civil Engineer

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the bundle / last who had disappeared from the village and did not return till the 13th June. The case was then sent up to the Talook, where it remained under examination from the 14th to the 28th June and on the latter day, the 1st Prisoner / now complainant / was committed to the Joint Magistrate to take his trial for the theft on his own confession alone. On his appearance before the Joint Magistrate on the 2d July he withdrew his confession and stated that he had been maltreated in order to make him confess and in proof thereof showed certain scars on both his thighs. These scars were quite visible and also the traces of some hairs having been plucked out of the roots beneath the corner of his lips.

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Engineers Sent. The 1st Defendant was making every enquiry for his lost property and at length, suspicions alighted on the complainant Mottoswamy who is a discharged Bullock Driver and who was then following the Civil Engineers camp. On being questioned the 1st Defendant states that the complaint admitted that he had stolen the Bundle and had given it to one Narayanum a Poojaree at Shollapooram, where accordingly 1st Defendant went with the complainant and one Ettarajoo a peon belonging to the Panchayatdar Talook. They remained there it appears from the report of the 2d Defendant the village Moonsiff, from the 1st to the 13th June, during which time search was made for Narayanum the party to whom the complainant the Prisoner / stated he had given the

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The Complainant further stated that he had been beaten in the Village of Sholapooram by order of the Village Monsiffs that he had been pinioned and suspended by his arms to a tree and that further he had been pinched with a goldsmiths tongs on the thighs by the 3rd Defendant the Visharippoo, and some hairs plucked from his whiskers by the 1st Defendant by means of the same instrument

The Complainant stated that he had 7 witnesses, all of whom were Summoned.

The 1st Witness Sooba Mooppen the Cannagar of the Mooppenar states that about 4 P.M. of the 10th June he saw the complainant and the 1st and 2d Defendants sitting on the pial of the Cutters house in Sholapooram that he asked what was the matter

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matter when he was told that the complainant had stolen the bundle belonging to the 1st Defendant, and had given it to the Poojaree Narayanen.

The 2d witness states, that on the morning of the 12th or 13th June he saw the complainant the 1st Defendant and 2 Defendant and the Poojaree Narayanan sitting on the pial of the 2d Defendant. The Poojaree was crying witness states he saw no injury on the body of the Complainant and that he complained of none.

The 3d witness is the poon of Papanasem SaloK who states that he took the complainant / then Prisoner / to Sholapooram with the 1st Defendant and that the complainant then

then confessed he had stolen the 1st Defendants bundle, and had given it to one Poojaurie Narayanan witness swears that when he left the Complainants there, there were no marks of violence on his person.

The 4th witness denies all Knowledge of the complaint.

The 5th witness is the Villages Taliar of Sholapooram and states he saw the 1st Defendant and the complainants along with one or two peons in the Chettys street Kept in a certain house and that they remained there 7 or 8 days.

The 6th Defendant is the party in whose house the 1st Defendant as also the complainant took his meals for 8 days in the village of Sholapooram and swears that the 1st Defendant paid for the meals

of

of the complainant.

The 7th witness denies all Knowledge of the complaint.

The 1st Defendant admits he Kept the complainants in Custody for 8 days in hopes of getting back from him his property. He denies the charge of ill treatment.

The 2nd Defendant says the 1st Defendant Gopala Row brought the complainant to him on the 8th June and that he was Kept there for 4 or 5 days till the Poojaria Narayanan to whom the Complainants said he had given the stolen articles was found.

The 3rd and 4th Defendants also denied the charge as did the 5 & 6th.

There is no reason whatever to believe that the 5th and 6th Defendants were

were in any way concerned, and they are fully acquitted.

The Head of Police was further called upon to report why he had neglected to bring the circumstance to the notice of the Joint Magistrate. His reply was to the effect that the Complainant had never made any representation to him of maltreatment.

From the evidence there is nothing (except the statement of the Complainant) to shew by whom the torture was committed. There are strong suspicions however for believing it was committed in the village of Sholapuram and if so it must have been with the Knowledge of the 2d Defendant.

From his own admission it appears that the complainant was kept for at least 5 days in the village with his

his full Knowledge, and consent and without any report being made to the Talook on the subject the Joint Magistrate is therefore of opinion that he (the 2d Defendant) has been guilty of Gross abuse of authority and sentences him to pay a fine of 25 Rupees or in default 15 days imprisonment under Regulation III of 1819 Section III Clause 2d.

The Joint Magistrate is further of opinion that there is the strongest suspicion against the 1st 3d and 4th Defendants and must recommend that they as also the 2d Defendant be dismissed from the Public Service.

With regard to the conduct of the Head of Police the Joint Magistrate is of opinion that to say the least he has been

been guilty of the grossest negligence No notice whatever was taken by him of the unwarranted and illegal detention of the complainant by the village Monigaff and he has failed altogether to notice the marks of violence on his person.

The Joint Magistrate has had frequently of late to censure the Head of Police for the very unsatisfactory and slovenly way in which he has discharged his police duties, and his gross neglect of duty on this occasion cannot be overlooked. The Joint Magistrate would therefore recommend that he be suspended from his office for the term of 12 months; and on the expiry of that period that in consideration of his long and faithful services as Tahsildar and the respectable character he has hitherto borne he be pensioned

pensioned in the usual allowance 26th July 1856.

/Signed/ W. M. Cadell
Joint Magistrate

/True Copy/
/Signed/ W. M. Cadell
Joint Magistrate

/True Copy/
/Signed/ G. W. Cherry
Acting Magistrate

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Dft. No 2675

Proceedings thereon.

In the above letter the Acting Magistrate of Tanjore forwards a copy of the sentence passed by the Joint Magistrate in a case of alleged "Torture" and requests the Board to sanction the suspension of the Head of Police of Combaconum for 12 months for his conduct in connection with the matter.

The Board have perused

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the sentence and are unable to see that the charge has been substantiated against

against any of the parties accused and certainly there is nothing to implicate the Tahsildar.

3 The case is summed up by the Joint Magistrate in the following words.

"From the Evidence there is nothing except the Statement of the complainant to shew by whom the Torture was committed There are strong suspicions however for believing it was committed in the village of Sholapooram and if so it must have been with the Knowledge of the 2d Defendant the Moonsiff."

4 The Head of Police was guilty of neglect of duty in not reporting the illegal detention of the complainant for four days but as nothing like complicity is alleged against him and the very truth of the complaint is questionable

questionable the Board consider that the imposition of a small Fine will be a sufficient punishment and they direct his immediate restoration to Office.

5 The Board desire to be informed who was appointed to act for the Tahsildar during his suspension and as they disapprove of the Joint Magistrates proceeding. they direct that the Tahsildars full salary be paid to him. They are of opinion that as nothing is proved against the village Officers, but the detention of Complainant for four days dismissal from Office is a punishment unnecessarily severe and they desire that suspension at the Magistrates discretion may be substituted. the complainant made no complaint of ill usage to the Tahsildar or even to

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to those he has called as witnesses; and these latter affirm that there were no marks of violence on his person when they saw him in the Village.

6. The Board must remark that it was the duty of the acting Magistrate to state whether he concurred in the decision of the Joint Magistrate and not to leave the Board to infer the fact from his silence. In the event of an appeal having been preferred to the Acting Magistrate or Sessions Court the Board request that the result may be communicated to them.

7 The Board presume that the case has been laid before Government in accordance with the instructions contained in Extract Minutes of consultation 23d July 1856 No. 761.

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No. 93.

To,
G. S. Forbes Esqr.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

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Bl No. 3085.

From the Acting Collector of Guntoor

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract from the late Commissioners Proceedings of the 30 June 1856 No. 528.

2 The discrepancy pointed out in paras 5 of the same with reference to the proceeds per acre of Indigo land is simply "lapsus penna." The remarks allended to had several references to the indigo growers who are in cases the Inamdars also.

3 Adverting to the want of correspondence between Statement No. 23 and supplemental Statement No. 7 I beg leave to observe that the former was drawn out in the usual manner whilst the latter was prepared in accordance with the instructions contained in the remarks appended to the form received from the Commissioners Office and included the additional items noted in Margin hence the discrepancy printed.

Advances for registered Zemindaries	6379-8-10	
Refunds of deputation allowance over drawn by the Commissioner in October 1854	419-5-8	
	6798-14-6	
Sale proceeds of Materials of the Old Kutcherry at Cooroopolem	12-4-8	
	6811-3-2	

pointed out in para 8 of the Proceedings under reply care will however be taken to have the statements prepared upon the same principle in future as directed.

Cuntoor District,
Collectors Office.
Condanced 6th August 1856

Signed A. Newill
Acting Collector

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Order thereon — Ordered to be recorded.

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B. No: 3103.

From the Collector of Coimbatore

To,
G. S. Forbes Esqr
Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 22d Ultimo together with the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of the 15 idem No: 741 and in reply beg to explain that the Gun powder applied for by me is intended only for frightening and driving off the wild Elephants where troublesome, while the ball cartridges (Musket) are required for Killing Tigers Cheetahs Bears & Hyenas and wolves.

2 It is hardly necessary to state that in a District like this bounded as it is by Hills and Mountains on three sides where wild animals abound

abound and cause much harm both to human beings and cattle, the use of Gun powder and Cartridges is indispensable and I hope that the Government will not object to sanction my indent. The quantity required will invariably vary.—

Coimbatore 6 August 1856

Signed E. B. Thomas.
Collector

B/d No: 2658 Resolution thereon — Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the information of Government with reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 15th July 1856 No: 741.

In Con: 22 July 1856

No: 172

To,
G. S. Forbes Esqr.
Secretary to the Board of Revenue.
Fort St. George.

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B. No: 3130.

From the Collector of Nellore

Sir

I have the honor to forward for publication in the Boards Office the accompanying Advertisement received from the Sub Collector for the sale of land for arrears of Revenue and beg to solicit sanction for the sales.

Nellore District,
Collectors Office,
Kistnapatam
11 August 1856.

Signed J. B. Elton
Collector

Statement

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Statement of the lands to be sold.—

By Cherichoo Ramoodoo	D.	D.	D.	D.	Do.				92	13 05	13 05
				Total for Gooracoopum					14	10 5	175 55	176 55
P. Venkatareddy	D.		Nunjah	32	Balavamagany Pottah				2	2 4	41 54	41 54
K. Venkatareddy	D.		Do	319	Magany				4	4 4	4 12	
P. P.			Do	302	Badava Magany				1	5 12	21 96	
									1	4 4	25 108	25 108
P. Venkatasseme	Do		Nunjah	320	Badava Magany				1	11 4	35 32	35 32
P. Cherichoo Ramoodoo	D.		Do	340	Bayyembady Cheroo				4	3 8	14 11	14 11
P. C. V. Ramareddy	D.		Do	320	Do.				1	11 8	35 310	35 310
P. Vencama	D.		Do	320	Do.				4	4 4	5 28	
			Do	320	Do.				4	5 12	3 13 4	
									4	9 12	12 158	12 158
Ramaswamy	D.		Do	320	Do.				4	9 8	12 98	

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				Nuny	345	Pamyvembady Chenoo		9	15	14			
											1	28 29	78 29 78
P. Venkyah	D.	D.	D.		320	Padava Nagany		13	8	18	15	4	
				Bayayel	345	Pembady Chenoo		4	12	6	4	5	
P. Venkyah	D.	D.		Nunjah	370	Yeye					1	24 24	159 24 159
				D.		Chenoo					1	12 8	20 1 11 20 1 11
P. Ramiah	D.	D.		D.	256	Dut Chenoo		12	8	13	4		
				D.	24	Vayu Chenoo		8	5	10	4		
				D.	247	Yeye Chenoo		9	8	17	15	10	
				D.	218	Layalo Chenoo		7	12	17	6	11	
				D.	233	Gonda Chenoo		6	13	9	6		
				D.	22	Vah Chenoo		8	12	14	4	9	
											4	8	96 12 96 12
V. Cothundo Ramiah	D.	D.	D.		410	Endlavembady Chenoo		8	8	12	9		
				D.	415	Pattu Chenoo		3	10	7	3		
				420		D.		8	10	15	2		
											1	24	30 15 11 30 15 11
S. Veeruppah	D.	D.	D.		229	Razoo Chenoo		8	4	17	6	17	6
S. Pariah	D.	D.	D.		435	Nayady Chenoo		7	9	2	6	9	20
M. Krishnama	D.	D.	D.		411	Pelly Gonda		1	11	8	4	7	4 11
M. Venkyah	D.	D.	D.		218	Narsmoon Ren		15	14	3	14	3	
P. Ramyah	D.	D.	D.		210	Elugalo Chenoo		8	8	13	10	8	13 10 8

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M. Sheshakaloo	D.	D.	D.	50	Shottum Chenoo		"	8	93	852	
			D.	402	Ammeel Chenoo		"	12	"	17	19
			D.	415	Sagalolo Chenoo		"	98	20	26	
			D.	210		D.	1	"	8	35	148
			D.	233	Goorrah Chenoo		"	15	"	33	189
			D.	11	Vaha Chenoo		"	212	5	25	
			D.	21	Rajoo Chenoo		"	5	"	7	36
							4	854	133	" 10	133 " 10
P. Venatanarazoo	D.	D.	D.	244	Surg Chenoo		1	112	18	126	18 126
D. Soobbareddy	D.	D.	D.	215	Nayady Chenoo		1	2	"	23	49 23 49
M. Pakira	D.	D.	D.	415	Goody cutla Chenoo		"	6	1	8	104 " " "

			D.	244	Chattu Chenoo		"	312	3	95	
			D.	244		D.	"	34	1	94	
							"	134	13	131	13 131
M. Pembaloo Reddy	D.	D.	D.	410	Vembady Chenoo		1	1	"	20	" 5
			D.	399	Yena Chenoo		"	8	"	5	105
			D.	410	Sundos Chenoo		"	7	"	0	107
			D.	425	Poly Chenoo		"	512	12	5	5
			D.	417	Poly Chenoo		"	0	8	14	118
							2	124	59	0	10 59 0 10
C. Chintaliah	D.	D.	D.	415	Goody cutlay		1	416	28	17	28 17
C. Venka Reddy	D.	D.	D.	227	Thuyalos Chenoo		1	4	"	38	37 38 37
C. Cothundiah	D.	D.	D.	411	Goondla Chenoo		"	412	7	24	

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			D°	397	Yerra Chenoo		48	4	12	4
					Sonne Sapoo		94	11	14	4
V. Srikkanayadoo			D°	7	Chenoo		15	2	14	2
			D°	38	Gnanoo Chenoo		4	7	14	3
							1 3	32	125	32
T. Venkatáramoodoo	D°	D°	D°	218	Gomdoody Chenoo		138	13	10	13
P. Narapa	D°	D°	D°	397	Yarra Chenoo		1 41	15	14	3
V. Parareddy	D°	D°	D°	397	D°		85	4	13	9
			D°	415	Goodoculla		38	4	9	2
							98	9	0	11

C. Pitchéen			D°	34	Vaka Chenoo	1	58	26	3	11
N. Kondadoo			D°	244	Chalika		84	8	2	8
G. Rama Krishnama				34	Vaka Chenoo		18	11	5	3
M. Narsimoolo				244	Kutta Chenoo		8	9	5	5
V. Pitchureddy				215	Thogulu Chenoo		15 12	35	15	8
V. Venkatapala				10	Aggry Chenoo		5 12	10	8	5
				34	Pinapa Chenoo		5	4	3	9
							11 12	14	12	2
D. Lawmy				425	Paty Chenoo		3	0	5	5
V. Venkatanarsoo				402	Palemma Chenoo		84	11	7	4
				244	Chalu Chenoo		54	4	7	8
				215	Naidoo Chenoo		138	19	11	9
						1	11	35	10	9

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S Boodgireddy	S.	D.	S.	34	Pynah Chenoo	1	1	8	21 92	21 92
S Puttaby	S.	S.	S.	34	Do.	"	3	"	8 11	
			S.	23	Nadavaly Chenoo	"	3	"	8 13 1	
			S.	217	Sayale Chenoo	"	9	8	17 3 10	
						"	18	8	26 10 11	26 10 11
G. Ramakristnama	S.	S.	Nunjah	34	Pynah Chenoo	"	12	"	12 12 2	12 12 2
S. Naidoo	S.	S.	Punjah	131	Thalla Chenoo	3	11	"	19 5	
	S.	S.	Nunjah	207	Paly Chenoo	"	5	8	9 13 5	
						4	"	8	29 3 5	29 3 5
V. Puttaby Ramareddy	S.	S.	S.	34	Vatti Chenoo	"	12	"	13 5 5	13 5 5
V Condareddy				9	Allymullu Chenoo	"	8	8	19 4 2	
V. Veraredby				4	Mutter Chenoo	"	5	"	13 9 4	
V. Paraineddy				44	Goonly Chenoo	"	10	5	15 2 11	
P Ramarajoe				3	Kyah Chenoo	"	2	"	4 8 5	
P. Ramiah						1	11	"	53 8 11	53 8 11
					Total for Brahmana Ryats				1174 9 4	1174 9 4
					Grand Total	69	9	13	1350 4 7	1350 4 7

Chemetty 7 August 1856

Sub Collectors Circuit Office

(Signed) James Annes Minchin

Sub Collector

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Bd. No. 2663.
Proceedings thereon
902-903

The Board of Revenue authorize the the sale for arrears of Revenue of the lands attended to in the foregoing letter and direct the publication in their Office of the Advertisement forwarded by the Collector Thursday the 4 September next being fixed for the day of sale.

Read List of letters received by the Collector of North Arcot from the Board of Revenue and remaining unanswered

Dated 16th 10 Augt to 30 June 1856.

Bd. No. 2672
Proceedings thereon
904

The Board observe that the under mentioned papers are omitted in the list recorded above and request that they may be inserted in future arrear lists until replied to.

Proceedings 17th July 1855.

Respecting Bee Sahibah Beebee's zemmah

Proceedings 15th May 1856.

Adjunct the Vellore and Arcot Langer Kanahs

Proceedings 15th May 1856.

Respecting the house occupied as a dispensary

Proceedings 22d February 1856.

Respecting samples of articles exhibited.

2 The Board notice that the Collectors arrear list is a very heavy one and request that he will give his early attention to the disposal of the papers entered in it.

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Read the following Papers.

No. 173

To
G. A. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

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Bd. No. 3140.
From the Collector of Vellore

Sir

Having occasion to attach lands held on Puttah for arrears of Revenue in numerous instances, in consequence of the balances outstanding in this District for the past Fasly it seems to be a fitting opportunity to bring to the notice of the Board some objections to the present System of attaching these lands in the first instance, instead of personal property, introduced into this District under instruction conveyed in the Board's Circular Order dated

30 April 1855 No. 1049.

2 I am the rather induced to do this as the present practice threatens serious-ly to affect the realization of the Public Revenue and may do so to a much greater extent should prices fall.

3 On the other hand the Legislative act which Government deeming the existing Regulations insufficient intimated their intention of applying for has not appeared in the Gazette Having stated thus much on the necessity

neccesity for bringing forward the question I shall confine myself chiefly to legal objections to the present system of realizing arrears of revenue.

4 1st Regulation XXVIII of 1802 under which arrears of land revenue due in annual as well as permanent settlements have been ruled to be alone recoverable was undoubtedly framed to suit the Zemindary System and the most forced construction is necessary to apply it to a purely Ryotwary District such as the greater part of Nellore is as though I do not deny its applicability to such Districts as Malabar and Canara in the former of which I rather think the ruling of the Sudr Court applied, on which the recent change of

5 system is based.

2d The lands in the Ryotwary parts of Nellore are simply rented from Government with a right of occupancy so long as the Revenue is paid but neither proprietary nor Merasey rights exist, nor are the holders of lands Zemindars & independant Talookdars, actual proprietors of lands nor Farmers in the sense used in Section 2 of that Regulation, but Ryots such as are alluded to in Section 10 Moreover Regulation XXVII

of 1802 does not prescribe that in all cases lands should be sold before personal property, but merely that the Estate (where there is one) shall be regarded as the Security of the Public Revenue.

Sections 7 & 10. In this respect a distinction is made between proprietors and farmers, as the latter would not ordinarily possess lands in proprietory right much more does not the Regulation in question contemplate for a moment that the lands of under Ryots should be sold which would be an infringement of the rights of the Zemindars or proprietors thereof

6 I consider therefore that there is nothing in Regulation XXVII of 1802 which requires that the Puttah lands of ryots holding them direct from Government should be sold for arrears of revenue because they possess no Estate such as the Regulation contemplated and to do so would give a title to the purchaser which the original occupier never possessed yet such is the anomaly which is now going on here Government are selling their own lands to realize the arrears due by the Defaulters who have merely a tenant right in them and buying them in at a nominal

price

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price where there are no bidders.

7 Regulation XXVIII of 1802 is clearly applicable to realizing rents or revenues due from Ryots This is implied by comparing the Preamble of Regulation IV of 1822 with the 2d Section thereof in which Government declare that this was one of the Regulations enacted for ensuring the prompt realization of rents due and payable by the actual cultivators of the soil either to the Officers of Government on the public ac-

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to be strictly in accordance with the Regulations, and which would probably be found not really opposed to the ruling of the Court of Sudr Adalut, could the real state of the case be laid before them.

Nellore District
Collector's Office
Kistnapatam
12th August 1856.

Signed J. B. Elton
Collector

B. No. 2670.
Proceedings thereon

The Board concur with Mr.

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the assessment is paid to Govern ment It is the intention of Government that this proprietorship should be fully recognised and the people be encouraged to improve their holdings by the assurance that they cannot be ousted by the Government so long as the assessment is paid.

No 343.

To,

G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George.

Sir,

907

Bl No 3128.
From the Collector of Sea Customs
Memn from Bd dd 4 Aug 1856.
No 2042.
From Board dated 7 Augt
No 2485.

I have the honor with reference to the papers noted in the margin to transmit 8 Bills for freight and Boat hire for the Packages for the Collectors of Masulipatam and Rajahmundry and one for Boat hire alone for those for the Collector of Ganjam amounting altogether to Rupees 8-8-0 and to request that the sum may be transmitted to this Department. The freight Bill for the latter has not yet been presented for payment it will be forwarded as soon as received.

Sea Customs House
Madras 13th August 1856.

Signed H. E. Cochrane
Acting Collector

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Ordered that the follow ing Official Memo be sent in reply

907-908

Bl No 2654
To the Collector of Sea Customs

Recd 21st August 1856

Official Memorandum.

The Secretary to the Board of Revenue with reference to the letter dated 13th August 1854 received from the Acting Collector of Sea Customs has the honor to remit the sum of Rupees 8-8-0 being the amount of 8 Bills for freight and Boat hire for the Package of Pieces transmitted to the Collectors of Masulipatam and Rajahmundry

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St George
21st August 1856

Signed G. S. Forbes
Secretary

No 95

To G. S. Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George

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Bl No 3242
From the Collector of Malabar

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

15108 Fort St. George 21st August 1836.

Revenue under date the 17 May last I have the honor to submit a Return of Native Officers employed in the joint conduct of the Police and the collection of Land and other Revenues in this District for the years 1833 and 1833 The Revenue Officers not having been vested with Police authority in 1813 they are not included in the Return.

As no officers of the above description were dismissed from the Public Service for Malversation, Extortion, Corruption or other offences in 1833 and 1833 no Return of the same is forwarded.

The

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3 The amount of Land Tax in

Fasly 1223/1813/14 was ——— Rs. 1,70,537—8—3

Note. The Revenue accounts are kept for the Fasly & not Calendar year.

in 1263/1853/54 ——— " 1,89,444—5—11

and the number of Contributors in 1833/54 was 183,372 I regret that this latter information for the years 1813 is not traceable on my records as the account of persons paying tax to Government were not at that time furnished from the Talooks.

I deem it needful to add that the Collection of Land Revenue for Fasly 1223/1813/14 includes Madhurphaw while that for 1263/1853/54 comprises Land Tax alone.

Valient 14th August 1836

(Signed) J. Blackburne
Collector

Returns

Returns & conduct of the
and D[istrict]s for 1855 and 6

Salaries	Amount	Commission on Sales &c	Total	Collectors Establishment
			7	31
Peonadp			5	35
		1	6	37
do			1	24
do			6	29
do			6	24
Sat	1		8	21
nadp			3	35
anadp			6	32
	1		5	33
ommi			8	24
	2		3	1
	1		8	27
	1		8	20
			3	22
do			6	31
	1		5	16
	8	1	99	1432

Receiver

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No 97

To G. L. Forbes Esqre

Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Fort St George

Sir,

911

Bd's No 3233

From the Collector of Malabar

With Reference to your Circular and its enclosure dated the 7th Ultimo No 2067 I have the honor to submit two Lists Viz.t—

No 1 List of Machinery imported and passed Duty free in 1855/56—

No 2 List of articles imported in respect to which free admission though demanded has been Refused—

The importation of both has been so inconsiderable that it is difficult to form an opinion of the advantage derived from the Remission of Duty—

I am however of opinion that the exemption from import Duty should be continued in respect to Machinery imported for purposes of Agriculture Navigation Mining including Railway purposes—The introduction of a Pulping Machine for Cleaning and Separating Coffee Berries has already produced the Construction of similar Machinery by Native Artisans—

Calicut—
14th August 1856

(Signed) T. Clarke
Collector

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No 2 List of Articles imported in 1855/56 in respect to which free admission though demanded has been Refused -

Ports of Importation	Description	Value	Total Amount Value of Invoice	Amount of Duty at 5 per Cent	Remarks
		Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	
	No 1 Case				
	2 Pairs Joint Chair patterns	12 " "			
	2 Joint Side ditto	14 " "			
	4 Runner Pins	1 5 4			
	2 Rocking Boards	8 8 "			
	No 2 Cases				
	1 Case Boss Dia Complete	50 " "			Imported by the Iron and Steel Company
	1 Pair Joint chair flask patterns	10 8 "			
	2 Joint Plug Patterns	12 " "			
	1 Setting plate Do	" 12 "			
	1 Ditto Plug Do	" 12 "			
Bayfour	1 Internal Guage Do	4 12 "			
	1 Fitting Plug Guage Do	" 10 "			
	1 Ditto Rail and Guage	21 " "			
	1 Pair Joint side plate patterns	7 8 "			
	No 3 Case				
	1 Joint Plug fitting Boss	10 " "			
	1 Trenail hole gauge - Male and female	25 " "			
	1 Graduated Taper Guage	4 12 "			
	3 Packing Cases	5 " "	218 7 4	10 14 9	
Cannanore	Models of Steam Engines Dia	365 " "	365 " "	18 4 "	Not admitted to free entry after Consultation with the Collr of Customs Madras -
Cochin	1 Case Containing one new wrought Iron tail & Pin or Cross head turned and fitted to drawing	198 " "	198 " "	9 14 5	Imported by Messrs Oughterson & Co
	Total Rupees		781 7 4	39 1 2	

Ex Ex Ja / Signed J. Clarke
Collector

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No 2 List of Articles imported in 1855/56 on which Duty Free is this official year 1855/56

Port of Import: Portland

Description

Value of each Invoice

Total value of each Invoice

Remarks

Boy/wood	9 Pairs of Cranks	Rs A P	Rs A P	
	1 Case			
	3 Chains	1350 " "	2880 " "	Imported by the Railway Company
	15 Bars in the Rough for Johnson's Patent Coke Breaker			
	3 double Cranks Do with Handle complete	150 " "		
	and 160 feet of 1/2 Chain to and 66 Do			
	3 Cranks	188 12 "	188 12 "	Ditto for the use of the Office
	4 Cogs			
	3 Chains	1200 " "	1200 " "	Ditto for the use of the Officers in upward Planters at Pooladam
	10 Pieces of Rail Steel 40 feet long each			
	Cost Complete 3 double Cranks Do and 66 Do	62 8 "	62 8 "	Ditto Ditto Bangalore Do
	3 Chains of 2 1/2 Steam Chain 85			
	3 Chains and 140 feet Long	9 12 "	9 12 "	Ditto Ditto Do
	1 Boss in Cast Iron Bored and Turned			
Cochin	1 Case Machinery (Castings complete)	4321 " "	4321 " "	J. Clarke Collector
Ballarat	25-2 1/2 Sockets 6 feet 6 Do 50 Do 1/2			
Cochin	4 - " Elbows 3-6 } @ 14/			
	2 - " Bends 2-10 } @ 14/			
	Total Rupees			

Ex Ex Ja / Signed J. Clarke
Collector

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No. 172.

To,
G: S: Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

(912)

B. No. 3234.

Sir,

From the Collector of South Arcot.

I have the honor to acknowledge your Circular No. 2067 dated 7th Ultimo, forwarding Copy of an Extract of Minutes of Consultation No. 628, of the 19th June on the subject of the free importation of Machinery into this Country.

2. The only kind of Machinery which was imported into this District during the past Official year 1855/56 was that appertaining to Sugar Factories as given in the following Statement

Statement of Machinery imported at Cuddalore from 1st May 1855 to 30th April 1856.

From what place.	Description of Machinery.	Value Rupees.	Remarks
Madras	Implements, Steam Engine, Vaccuempan	16,165.	This Machinery was brought shipped in the Madras Roads from an English Vessel.

3. I do not think that the fact of Machinery being exempt from Import duty has led to more being brought into this District than would otherwise have been the case neither do I consider that the production of Machinery in this County has been discouraged by the circumstance of such articles being admitted free.

4. It is however I conceive a wise course to exempt Machinery from the payment of an import duty especially such as may be intended for Navigation agricultural, Mining Manufacturing and Railway purposes.

5. The Native Manufacturers in this part of the country have limited in some few instances to Manufacture Machinery after the pattern and on the principles of that which has been introduced from Foreign countries and I think it is of great importance at this juncture that no stoppage should be put upon the supply of Machinery which the withdrawal of the present exemption from duty might possibly cause.

Since

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6. Since the receipt of the Supreme Government's order dated 25th October 1845, no difficulty appears to have been felt in regard to what articles are entitled to admission free of duty under the designation of Machinery and on no occasion, in this District, has a demand for exemption from duty been made for goods coming under the term, which has been found necessary to refuse, at the same time I think it is very desirable that the articles which are to be passed free should be more distinctly defined than they are at present.

South Arcot,
Collector's Circuit
Cutcherry, Pollicondah,
15th August 1856

(Signed) A. Hall.
Collector.

Order thereon.

Ordered to lie over

(914-913)

To,
G: S: Forbes Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue.
Fort St. George.

(914)

B. No. 3181.

Sir,

From the Sub Collector of North Arcot.

On the 14th Instant I applied this to the Collector of North Arcot for 2½ Months leave under

under sections XII and XIV of the absentee Rules

2. I have since ascertained that the leave cannot be so obtained under recent orders but must be taken all under the latter section."

3. I have therefore the honor to request that in submitting my application for leave to Government the necessary alteration may be made in the section under which the application is made in its passage through the Board Office.

August 16th 1856.

/Signed/ A. W. Sullivan.
Sub Collector.

No. 129

To, C. Whittingham Esqre
Collector and Magistrate of
North Arcot.

915

B. No. 3240.

From the Collector of North Arcot.

Sir,

I have the honor to request that you will submit to Government through the usual Channels this my application for two and a half Months leave one Month under Section XII and the remainder under section XIV of the absentee Regulations to visit the Neighbourhood on urgent private affairs.

2. The Summabundy of the Sub Division for July 1265 was completed this evening.

North Arcot,
Collectors Cutcherry,
Chittoor 18th Augt 1856.

/Signed/ A. W. Sullivan.
Sub Collector and Joint Magistrate.

Recommended for sanction accordingly.

North Arcot
Collectors Cutcherry,
Chittoor 18th August 1856.

(Signed) C. Whittingham
Collector.

Order thereon.

914-916

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

Resolved that the following letter be despatched.

To, The Secretary to Government. Revenue Department.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 14th October 1843 No. 326 and 7th July 1856 No. 321 Financial Department. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit Two separate Copies of the Statements of Bullion and Specie

917

B. No. 2645.

To the Secretary to Government Revenue Department.

In Cons: 19th October 1843.
Do 22d July 1856.

Vide from Sub Collr of North Arcot dated 16th in Cons 21st August 1856 No. 3181.

1512/20

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Sir,

I have the honor to forward, under Cover, a Statement of the value of Gold and Silver Bullion and Specie Imported by Sea in the Month of June 1856 into Madras and its Subordinate Ports from Ports and places not subordinate to Madras.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient
humble Servant,
/Signed/ G. S. Forbes.
Secretary.

To
The Chief Secretary
to Government,
Revenue Board Office.

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A. Statement of the value of Gold and Silver Bullion and Specie Imported by Sea in the Month of June 1856 into Madras and its Subordinate Ports from Ports and places not subordinate to Madras.

Districts.	Imported into.	From.	By Individuals: Silver valued in Company's Rupees. Bullion	Company's Rs.	Dollars	Francs	Total.	By Individuals: Gold valued in Company's Rs. Bullion	Sovereigns	Total	Grand Total of Bullion and Specie Imported.
Southern Dist. of Arcot	Cuddalore	Ceylon	"	3,043	"	"	3,043	"	"	"	3,043
	Portonovo	Jaffna	"	2000	"	"	2,000	"	"	"	2,000
		Nagore	"	1000	"	"	1,000	"	"	"	1,000
		Total	"	6,043	"	"	6,043	"	"	"	6,043
Tanjore	Tanjore District & its Subordinates Ports	Columbo	"	108,600	"	"	108,600	"	6000	6000	114,600
Tinnevelly	Tutacorin	Columbo	"	91,573	"	"	91,573	"	"	"	91,573
		Suez	402,163	"	79,221	160,325	641,709	"	22,043	22,043	663,752
Madras	Madras	Point de Galle	1500	"	3,375	700	5,575	12,475	"	12,475	18,050
		Calcutta	"	"	"	"	"	"	29,450	29,450	29,450
		Bombay	"	"	"	"	"	5025	"	5025	5025
		Total	403,663	"	82,596	161,025	647,284	17,500	57,493	68,993	716,277
Grand Total of Imports			403,663	206,156	82,596	161,025	853,440	17,500	57,493	74,993	928,433

21st August 1856.

/Signed/ G. S. Forbes.
Secretary.

15123

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Read the undermentioned Miscellaneous letters and Statements.

918

M. No. 1949.

From the Collector of Canara. Return of fines imposed and stoppages made from the Pay of the Public servants from 1st April to June 1856.

919

M. No. 1950.

From the Collector of Canara. Return of Public servants suspended or dismissed from employment during the Quarter ending 30th June 1856.

920

M. No. 1956

From the Collr. of Rajahmundry. Rain report for July 1856.

M. 921 No. 1953.

From the Actg. Collr. of Masulipatam. Rain report for July 1856.

M. 922 No. 1955.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry. Statement of Gold and silver Bullion and specie imported by Sea in July last.

923

M. No. 1952

From the Actg. Collr. of Sea Customs. Export Statement of Bullion for July last.

924

M. No. 1957.

From the Actg. Collr. of Sea Customs. Import Statement of Bullion for July last.

925

M. No. 1954.

From the Collector of Salem. Register of Petitions for June 1856.

926

M. No. 1957.

From the Collr. of Masulipatam. Statement of Demand Collection and Balance of Revenue for July last.

927

M. No. 1962.

From the Collector of Coimbatore. Statement of Demands Collection and Balance of Revenue for June last.

From

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B. Statement of the value of Gold and Silver Bullion and Specie Exported by Sea in the Month of June 1856 from Madras and its Subordinate Ports to Ports and Places not Subordinate to Madras.

Districts	Exported to	For	By Individual	Silver valued in Company's Rupees	Company Rs.
Madras	Pointde Galle				3/5
Madras	Calcutta				131000
Grand Total of Exports					131375

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Signed / G. S. Forbes
Secretary

Read

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928 M67 No. 1958.
From the Collector of Masulipatam - Comparative Statement
shewing the Collections in Fusslies 1265 to 1266 up
929 to July last.
M No. 1964

From the Collector of Coimbatore - Comparative Statement
shewing the Collections in Fusslies 1265 to 1266 up
930 to July last.
M No. 1963

From the Collector of Coimbatore - Comparative Statement
shewing the demand in Fusslies 1265 to 1266 up to
931 July last.
M No. 1959.

From the Collector of South Arcot - Informs that the
returns called for in his letter of the 8th Instant
932 No. 2507 - were despatched on the 9th Instant.
M No. 1960.

From the Collector of Coimbatore. Average Bazar Rates
of Grain and Mems of Iyen cultivation for
933 July 1856.
M No. 1961.

From the Collector of South Arcot. Statement shewing
quantity of Salt in Store available for Exportation to Calcutta at each of the Salt
of Export on the 15th July last.

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