

Diary.

18th March. Sent the following letter.-

To the Principal Collector of

Canara.

(1)

Sir,

To the Pl. Coll.r of Canara — — —

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward Copies of the &c

Mr. Stokes's Report on Canara dated &c 17th January 1833 — Enclosure A in a letter from Govt. 12th In Cons. 18th April — — — Letter to Govt. dated 28th September 1835 — Submitting Mr. Anderson's letter of the 17th of that Month — Extract from the Minutes of Cons. dated 6th October 1835 — In Cons. 12th — — — —

Papers noted in the Margin, as requested in your letter of the 23d December last.-

In Cons. 14th January 1841.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George.-
18th March 1841 — —

[Signed] C. B. Smollett
Secretary.

St.-

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At a Meeting Present

Monday 22d March 1841. John Dent Esqre. Senior Member
and
Alexander Maclean Esqre. Temporary Member.

Walter Elliot Esqre. Third Member -
Absent on duty.

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

Read again Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 21st inst. and entered in Consultation 24th December last.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.

To the Collector and Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George at Vizagapatam.

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To the Collector and Agent to the Governor of Fort St. George at Vizagapatam. In Cons. 24th Sept. 1840.

Sir.

With reference to your letter of the 14th September last, I am directed by the

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the Board of Revenue to inform you that

In Cons. 22d Dec. 1840. under date 21st December 1840, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to grant Special sanction for the charges incurred by you in Fasly 1249 on account of establishments &c. amounting in the aggregate to Rupees [2283-12-2] Two thousand two hundred and eighty three, Annas twelve and Pie two.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 22d March 1841. Signed C. B. Smollett. Secretary.

Read the following Extract.

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From the Chief Sec. to Government.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 27th October 1840.

Read the following letter.

from the Secretary to the Government of India.

Our Governor General of India in Council.

We have on various occasions given expression to the strong interest which we

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we feel in the developement of the agricaltural resources of India, and to the deep sense which we entertain of the importance of directing attention to the subject with a view of assisting the promotion of these important objects, and in the hope of eliciting valuable information, we forward a Paper by Dr Royle on the Corn and Pasture Grasses of India. A Copy of a letter from Dr Royle in reference thereto also forms a number in the Packet.

London, the 27th May 1840.

We are &c.

(Signed) W. B. Bayley.
" George Lyall.
" W. Astell.
" Wm Stanley Clarke.
" J. W. Hogg.
" Henry Wellock
" F. Wardens.
" Jno Masterman.
" John Shepherd.
" H. G. Alexander.
" J. Thornhill.
" P. Vans Agnew.
" Russell Ellice.
" J. Petty Muspratt.

&c

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To W. Melvill Esqre

Secretary to the Court of Directors

Sir, of the East India Company.

As nothing is of more importance in the agricultura of a Country than increasing the number of the productiveness of the different plants which yield fodder for Cattle or food for man, so I was induced in proceeding through my recently published work "Illustrations of Himalayan Botany &c" to pay particular attention to the Corn and pasture grasses of India for the purpose in the first Instance of ascertaining their names, number, identity, or difference value and the parts of the Country in which they occur, in order that I may subsequently have the means of giving a more panpular view of the subject.

As Rice, Joorghun, Indian Corn, and many other greains are suited to Bengal and the Rainy season, so Wheat and Barley with Oats and Millet are equally at home, during the cold weather Months in

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in the Plains of Northern India and in the Summer of the Himalayas.-

There are pasture Grasses peculiar to the Table Land of Mysore and to the Plains of India as well as the Himalayas, but it will probably be advisable and quite practicable to introduce some of the gigantic Pasture Grasses of Brazil into Bengal and of Italy into the North of India. But the Himalayas possess so many of the identical pasture Grasses which are so much valued in this Country as well as many peculiar to themselves that it is probable — they have more to give than to receive. As this subject is one of great importance and not much attended to, I have been induced to have a few Copies of that part of my work referring to the Corn and pasture Grasses of India struck off separately, and which I beg to send.

If the Court of Directors will be pleased to direct these being sent to the three Presidencies, it is probable that many Gentlemen in different parts of India might be induced to pay attention to a neglected subject, and make public what are

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the capabilities as well as the wants of the several Provinces in this respect. The pasture Grasses always a subject of importance becomes of still greater interest when considered in reference to the attempts going on to improve the breed of Cattle and of Sheep at present going on in India, by which it appears that the Merino and its varieties are succeeding so well in the Mysore and West of India, though I believe that the English Breed is best suited to the Himalayas.-

Signed J. L. Forbes Royle.

London, — — —
the 29th April 1840.

True Copies.
Signed J. A. Bushby.
Secretary to Govt. of India.

Ordered that a Copy of the Dispatch from the Honorable the Court of Directors to the Supreme Government in the Public Department dated 27th May No. 9 of 1840 with transcripts of the letter and paper by Dr. Royle therein mentioned, be transmitted to the Board of Revenue and to the &c. agricultural and Horticultural Society at Madras.

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Madras, with a view to the diffusion of the information which they contain.

2. Ordered that fifty Copies of Dr Royles Paper on Grasses &ca be struck off at the Fort St George Gazette Press, for distribution by the Board of Revenue and Government.

(A true Extract)

To the President and Members of the Board of Revenue. (Signed) W Chamier. Chief Secretary.

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Circular to all Collectors except Madras. Resolved that a Copy of Dr Royles Paper on Grasses &ca be forwarded to each of the Collectors in the Provinces for his information.

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From the Chief Secy to Government.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Under date the 13th March 1841.

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

(Here enter 4th March 1841 No 87)

Para 1. His Lordship in Council observes that in sanctioning under date the 10th November 1818. the renewal of the Ceremonies of the Gagatha

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Gagathah Festival, in deference to the feelings and wishes of the Native community the Government expressed an opinion that it would be more desirable and more creditable to allow them to sink into entire desuetude and oblivion, and he regrets to find that by the deputation of a Servant of the Collectors Cutcherry, for the purpose of presenting various articles to the Cohen or priest, an objectionable practice, apparently not contemplated and certainly not authorized by the Government, should have been revived.

2. The Board of Revenue will prohibit the official attendance of the Cutcherry servants upon such occasions in future.

(A true Extract)

To the President & Members of the Board of Revenue. (Signed) W Chamier. Chief Secretary.

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Order thereon. Ordered that transcript of the foregoing Extract from the Minutes of Consultation and Copy of the letter to the Chief Secretary to Government of date the 4th March.

March be furnished to the Collector of Madras for his information and guidance, with reference to Mr. Robertson's communication of the 13th ult. February last.

In Cons 25th Feby 1841.

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From the Chief Secretary to Government.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 15th ult. March 1841.

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

(Here Enter 4th February 1841. No. 269

Para 1. The settlement of the Extra Sources of Revenue of the Tinnevelly District for—

Fusly 1248- Rs.	633999-6-5.	Fusly 1249 it is observed exceeded
" 1249- "	644201-6-6.	that of the previous Fusly in Rupees
Rupees—	10202-" 1-	10,202-"-1 but in Consequence of

a larger balance remaining uncollected at the close of the year than at the same period of Fusly 1248. and a smaller amount of Collections of Extra Revenue and arrears as well as from an increase in the

Fusly 1248. Rupees	583597-4-3	Charges the Net Revenue
" 1249- "	573314-6-11	brought to account Viz.
Rupees—	10282-13-4	Rupees 573314—6-11. fell

short on the sum of Rupees 10282-13-4.—

The

2. The greatest fluctuations appear in the items of

Salt—Decrease Rupees—15161-14-5.

Sayer—increase "—12269-11-2.

Abkarry—Decrease "—1466-4-1.

Moturpha—Do "—4280-1-6.

The first is attributed to a heavy demand for Salt in the past and consequent reduction in the sales of that article in the present year, as well as to an increase in the charges from the manufacture of a supply greater than in Fusly 1248. Under the head of Sayer the increase seems to have been principally from the Betel and Tobacco and Cheyroot farms, while the lower rent of the Abkarry farms sufficiently accounts for the deficiency in that item. The decrease in the Moturpha branch appears to have occurred almost entirely in the Collection of arrears.

3. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council requests the attention of the Board

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Read the following letters.

Board of Revenue to para 17 of their Proceedings of the 25th March 1839 and to observe that the report promised by the then Collector of the nature of the taxes comprized under the head of Neturspha and of other particulars of the settlement of this branch of Revenue has not been as yet received, although more than 3 years have elapsed since the first requisition for that information was communicated.-

(A true Extract)

(Signed) H. Chamier.
Chief Secretary.

To the President and
Members of the
Board of Revenue.

Order thereon.

Ordered that transcript of the foregoing Extract from the Minutes of Consultation be furnished to the Acting Collector of Tinnevelly with reference to the Boards Proceedings dated the 4th February on the settlement of the Extra Sources of Revenue in Tinnevelly for Fusly 1249.-

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1160 Fort St. George 22d March 1841.

Read the following letters.

To the Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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From the Coll. of Rajahmundry

Sir,

I have the honor to report, for the information of the Board of Revenue, the death of Meerjah Wuzeer Sahib, the Zemindar of the ancient Estate of Venkatayapollem, on the 4th Instant, leaving no direct issue, either male or female, but addressing me a Petition on the 3d Instant, just before his death, requesting that his nephew, named Meerjah Saudick Sahib, with whom a Razeenamah is stated to have been filed in the Adalut Court at Rajahmundry, recognized him as his Heir on his death, may be acknowledged as such. Pending the enquiry necessary, as there is an arrear against the Estate, I have considered it right to attach it, and beg leave to submit the usual Statement, according to the form which accompanied the Deputy Secretary's letter of the 28th March 1836, and request you will be pleased to obtain the sanction of the Board of Revenue for the Establishment proposed.

No. A.

Lillah Rajahmundry
Coll.r's Circuit Cutcherry
Rajahmundry 10th March 1841.

(Signed) G.e F. Smith.
Coll.r

Statement

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No. 8

Statement of Settlements effected in the Zillah of Rajahmundry

22d March 1841.

No.	Names of the Zemindaries or Estates.	Names of the Zemindars or Proprietors.	3 Jumma of the Villages included in the Zemindary or Estate.	4 Permanent Jumma of the Entire Zemindary or Estate.	5 Amount of Pesh-kush due for Current Fusly.	6 Amount Collected.	7 Balance.	8 No. of the Village in the Estate proposed to be attached.	9 Estimated annual Value of the Portion proposed to be attached.	10 Establishment proposed to be Employed in the attachment.	11 Percentage of the Estimated annual Value of the Portion of the Estate attached.	12 Date of the attachment.	13 Remarks.
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
			Rs. a P	Rs. a P	Rs. a P	Rs. a P	Rs. a P		Rs. a P		Rs. a P				
	Ancient Zemindary Estate.														
1	Venkatayapollem	Rearjah Wuffalah	1	1926	" "	1102 8	" 732 11 4	3	69 12 8	1. Samut dar ... 10 2. Peons at 4 Rs. each ... 8 18.	2919 " "			Placed 18 8 " " 10 1	69 15 8 March under 1841. the Darogah of Pracharam Division.
	Add arrears		"	"	"	"	"	"	"						

Proceedings thereon.

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The Establishment deputed for the Revenue Management of the Estate of Venkatayapollem, at a charge of Rupees 18-8. per Mensem is sanctioned. Mr. Smith will however report hereafter if any arrangement can be effected for the resumption of the administration by the Heir of the late Meerjah Wauff Saheb.

To

The Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George.

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Sir,

From the Collr. of Rajahmundry. 1. Para 1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 11th Ultimo, forwarding, with reference to your letter of 6th August last, a further correspondence received from the authorities in Bengal, respecting the future conduct of a portion of the Salt trade between this Presidency and Bengal, on a certain class of Salts on the same principles as it is regulated in Bombay. Viz. that Salt purchased in Bombay is allowed to be sold in Calcutta on payment of a fixed duty of Rupees 325 per

100 Bengal Maunds, and requesting me to state at what rate, with reference to its Cost of manufacture, Salt could be supplied from this District, so as to afford a fair prospect of profit to the Merchant and enable him to compete with the importers from Bombay.

2. The Cost of the last Salt exported from this District to Calcutta was Rupees 7-3-11-71 per one hundred Bengal Maunds as noted in the Margin, and the price at which it may be furnished to exporters must of course depend on the profit the Madras Government are willing to be satisfied with. I have no means of knowing on what terms the Salt for export is furnished in Bombay, but the following appears a fair way of arriving at the merits of the present question.

	Rs. a. P. Contys.
Average Shipping charge for 100 Bengal Maunds of Salt exported to Calcutta in July 1836	1-7-5-83
Prime Cost paid to the Manufacturers for Do.	4-6-4-80
Wages for Dungamahs Peons &c. for Do.	1-1-4-...
Measurement Charges for Do.	-3-10-8
Total	7-3-11-71

Madras Salt appears worth in Calcutta Rupees 380 per one hundred Bengal Maunds. Deducting from this sum, the Bengal duty of Rupees 325, there remains a Sum of Rupees fifty five, for the price to be paid to the Madras Government and the profit of the Merchant. If under these circumstances, the Madras

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Madras Government should require a price of twenty five Rupees, the profit to the Merchant will be Rs. 30 or a freight to Calcutta of Seven & a half Rs. per Ton.-

3. In former days when the Merchant paid Rupees twenty five for one hundred and twenty Bengal Maunds, and received in Calcutta Eighty Sicca Rupees for the same, I believe the trade was not a favorite one with European Vessels, and was principally confined to Vessels returning from the Mauritius in Ballast, and I doubt much whether it would be worth while for these Vessels even to incur the delay necessary for taking in a Cargo of Salt for the sake of a freight not equal to much more than half of that formerly capable of being earned.- Of course, should the Madras Government be willing to reduce the price of the Salt to fifteen Rupees the one hundred Bengal Maunds, the profit would be increased to the Merchant, so as to yield a freight of ten Rupees per Ton.-

Tillah Rajahmundry.-
Coll.r's Circuit Cutcherry.-
Rajahmundry 10th March 1841.

Signed G. A. Smith.
Collector.

Ordered

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Ordered to lie on the Table

Order thereon

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To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.-

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Sir,

From the Coll.r of Rajahmundry — Submitting the Annual Summah-bundy report on the Cottah-pillay Talook under the Coll.r's Management for fusly 1249 together with the necessary statements both in English and Telugoo.-

I have the honor to submit, Para 1 the following accounts explanatory of the Summah-bundy Settlement of the Cottapilly Estate for fusly 1249.-

No. 1 — Shewing the Demand, Collection and Balance for fusly 1249 and since the Estate came under management.-

" — 2 — Shewing particulars of the former balances outstanding up to fusly 1249.-

" — 3 — Shewing account Current of Receipts and Disbursements since the Estate came under management.-

" — 4 — Shewing the Permanent Assessment. Collection and Balance both for Arrears and Current.-

" — 5 — Exhibiting Comparison of the Settlement for fuslies 1248 and 1249.-

" — 6 — Shewing the Settlement of the Villages under Amanie for fusly 1249.-

In the fusly under review the

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season

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Season was favorable at the commencement both for the Dry and Wet Cultivation and the Poonj= =sah or first Crops yielded favorably. During the progress of the Second or principal Crops, there was a great failure of rain which was partially injurious when the Storm which took place in the Month of November, seri= =ously injured the Crops which had either arrived at or were approaching maturity — So such Crops as were only just sprouting or were not yet in ear the rain which fol= =lowed the Storm was favorable but no= Subsequent rains having fallen the Pyrah Cultivation was very short. The distirked state of the Rumpah Country was also in= =jurious to this Talook — on an average, the crop was about half of a good one, but the high price of Grain to a certain extent facilitated the realization of the re= =venue. —

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The following Ab= stract shows the Settlement of the Villages of this Estate for= fusles 1248 and 1249. —

Names

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No.	Names of Estates.	Fusly 1248 Rented	Fusly 1248 Visabadi	Fusly 1248 Total	Fusly 1249 Rented	Fusly 1249 Visabadi	Fusly 1249 Total
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1	Cottapillay	13	18	31	23	8	31
2	Jagapaty Nagaram	1	"	1	"	1	1
	Total	14	18	32	23	9	32

By the above it appears that 23 Villages were under rent and 9 under Visabady in the fusly under review 10 Villages which were under Visabady in fusly 1248 having been transferred to rent in fusly 1249 - The Village of Jagapaty nagaram, which was settled under rent in fusly 1248 was trans= =ferred to Visabady in the fusly under review in consequence of the renter having died, and no other person having offered to rent it - The Summahbundy Settlement of the Cottapillay Ta= =look was made at Seetanagaram in the Month of March and that of Jagapatynagaram at Cocanada in may last. —

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and nadar were abolished, and the Cultivation of the Ryots was endeavoured to be suited to their means - In the Cottapillay Estate, it was admitted, at the time of the Settlement, that some deductions from the Amaram cum were required

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required, but the general feeling to profit by the calamity of the Storm, rendered it most difficult to distinguish the real from the pretended loss. It will be seen however hereafter that this defect has been remedied. The loss in Jagapatynagarum was too real to admit of a doubt of the necessity of great remission.—

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The following Statement Shows the amaracim cist of the Villages settled under Vijsabady the remission and the net settlement.—

Number	Names of Estates—	Amount of Amaracum Cist under Vijsabady—	Deductions.— Usual remission	Remission for the loss on account of Storm	Total	Remaining Settlement
	1	2	3	4	5	6
		Cdrs a p	Cdrs a p	Cdrs a p	Cdrs a p	Cdrs a p
1	Cottapillay	3,823 6 "	262 " "	" " "	262 " "	3,561 6 "
2	Jagapaty	2,273 " "	40 " "	1,473 " "	1,513 " "	760 " "
3	Sairy Pruttypaud	250 " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	250 " "
	Total	6,346 6 "	302 " "	1,473 " "	1,775 " "	4,571 6 "

	Rs a p
Cuttabady	1135-5-
Tax on palmira trees	18-4--
Monkery	53-8--
of Fruit trees	24-4-
Derived from Timber	54-12--
	1337-13--

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The Settlement of the Vijsabady Villages for the fusly under review inclusive of Rupees 1,337-13-- on account of Cuttabady &c. other Sources as noted in the Margin was Rs. 5909-3-

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and the following Abstract shows in comparison with fusly 1248 a decrease in Cottapillay of Rupees 9-2-1 and in Jagapatynagarum of Rupees 865-

Number	Names of Estates	Settlement of fusly 1248	Settlement of fusly 1249	Increase	Decrease
	1	2	3	4	5
		Cdrs a p	Cdrs a p	Cdrs a p	Cdrs a p
1	Cottapillay	4,908 5 1	4,899 3 "	" " "	9 2 1
2	Jagapatynagram	1,625 " "	760 " "	" " "	865 " "
3	Sairy Pruttypaud	250 " "	250 " "	" " "	" " "
	Total	6,783 5 1	5,909 3 "	" " "	874 2 1

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The following Statement shows the Settlement of the Villages under rent for fusly 1249, as compared with fusly 1248, the increase being Rupees 15 on the Villages rented in both fusslies and Rupees 179-14 in those transferred from Vijsabady to rent. In the same statement also is shown the Collections of the last six years from fusly 1243.—

Number

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The following State-

=ment shows the Demand of

Settlement of all the Sources of the

Estate for the fusly under review as

compared with fusly 1248. the Decrease

of Rupees 680—4—4 arising

solely from the following sources

=tained in the Village of

Jagapaty nagarum—

Settlement

No.	Items.	Number	Settlement of fusly 1249	Settlement of fusly 1248	Increase	Decrease
1	Villages under rent in fusly 1249 and 1248	13	2335 7 8	2754 " "		419 " "
2	Do. which were under Village-=hold in fusly 1248 and then=-tained to rent in fusly 1249	10	5957 12 5	5590 14 3	367 " 2	
	To tal.	23	8293 4 1	8344 14 3	367 " 2	419 " "

Net Decrease 52 " "

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Number	Names of Estate	Settlement of fusly. 1248				Settlement of fusly 1249						
		Vissa-bady	Assarah	Rent	Cutto-bady Ryotwar	Total	Vissa-bady	Rent	Cutto-bady Ryotwar	Total	Increase	Decrease
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.	CRs. a. p.
1	Cottoo bady	7,987 2 3	396 2 1	2,754 " "	2,515 15 "	13653 3 4	3,561 6 "	8,939 " "	1337 13 "	13838 3 "		184 15 8	" " "
2	Jagpalynagram	" " "	" " "	1625 " "	" " "	1,625 " "	760 " "	" " "	" " "	760 " "		" " "	865 " "
3	Sairy of Pruttyhaud	250 " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	250 " "	250 " "	" " "	" " "	250 " "		" " "	" " "
	Total	8,237 2 3	396 2 1	4,379 " "	2,515 15 "	15,528 3 4	4,571 6 "	8,939 " "	1337 13 "	14,848 3 "		184 15 8	865 " "

Deduct Increase — 184 15 8

Net Decrease — 680 " 4

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Copy the above Demand Rupees

14,84,8 — 3 — Rupees 11,48,1-5-7

were realized within the Fasly
and Rupees 17,7 — 2 — 11 subsequent=
-ly leaving a balance outstanding

as follows

Rupees 3,189 — 11 — 5

Accountant

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Number	Names of Estates	Settlement of Fasly 1249	Collection: Within the Fasly	Collection: Upto 20th January 1841	Collection: Total	Balance outstanding: Under Vijeanagaram	Balance outstanding: Under rent	Balance outstanding: Under Collectorship &c.	Balance outstanding: Total	Recoverable	Irrecoverable
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		CRs. a p	CRs. a p	CRs. a p	CRs. a p	CRs. a p	CRs. a p	CRs. a p	CRs. a p	CRs. a p	CRs. a p
1	Cottapillay	13,838 3 —	10,805 9 7	67 2 —	10,872 11 7	1,207 11 11	876 — —	881 11 6	2,965 7 5	1,123 6 10	1,842 — 7
2	Jagapatyna-gram	760 — —	149 12 —	80 — —	573 12 —	186 4 —	— — —	— — —	186 4 —	20 — —	166 4 —
3	Sairy of Pruthy paud	250 — —	182 — —	30 — —	212 — —	38 — —	— — —	— — —	38 — —	38 — —	— — —
	Total	14,848 3 —	11,481 5 7	177 2 —	11,658 7 7	1,431 15 11	876 — —	881 11 6	3,189 11 5	1,181 6 10	2,008 4 7

In

June 15th 1840 Para 8

9. In my report on the Settlement of fusly 1248 I observed that the Collections of that fusly exceeded those of the preceding by Rupees 976-12-1 and now in the Comparison of the Collections of fuslies 1248 and 1249 there is a similarly progressive increase of Rupees 1033-10-6 in favor of the latter fusly — It is truly melancholy however to observe the depression which pervades so many parts of this District from the continued adversity of the Seasons of the Current balance of Rupees 3189-11-5, Subsequent enquiries have proved that the recovery of Rupees 2008-4-7 is hopeless and I accordingly beg leave to recommend with reference to the Account Particulars No. 7 that it be written off.— Of this amount Rupees 746 2-11 belong to Vijsabady Rupees 460-5-2 to rent and Rupees 801-12-6 to Cuttoobady Dist. The rents from which this is due were in the extreme frontier of the Rumpah Country and as in consequence of the disturbances prevailing the Renters could not render their

Collections C.R. a/c
Fuslies.
1248—10624-13-1
1249—11658-7-7
Increase—1033-10-6

Vide Enclosure Book in English and Teloogoo

Copy S.A.

their Settlements effective, a remission appears but just.— The abandonment of the Cuttoobady lands from their general unprofitable nature is the cause of the balance under that head, and the unfavourableness of the Seasons have prevented other arrangements being made for their Settlement, in the same manner as the Jeroyettee land.—

10. The following abstract, corresponding with the accompanying Statement No. 2 exhibits the former balances outstanding from fusly 1240 to fusly 1248.—

Number

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From an enquiry made into these balances it appears that a sum of Rupees — 19,380 — 15 2 is irrecoverable, the causes of which are particularly explained in the Statement No. 7, it is therefore, recommended that they be written off. —

† Vide Board's Proceedings of 18th November 1840 Para 7 and Government minutes of 11th December 1840 Para 5.

II. The following —

Statement, corresponding with the accompanying account No. 3 shows the collection of all sources of revenue and charges. —

Number

Fort St. George 22d. March 1841.

Number.	Names of Estates.	Balance outstanding at the commencement of fasly 1249—	Collections within the fasly 1249.	Remissions after Government sanction Total.	Irrecoverable Total.	Remainings outstandings.
		2	3	4	5	6
		C Rs a As P.	C Rs a As P.	C Rs a As P.	C Rs a As P.	C Rs a As P.
1	Collapilly	34,304 2	25,318 6	14,545 6	1949 4	17,809 9 11
2.	Jagalapuragaram	4,311 11 6	238 1 4	2,907 13 2	204 7 8	1,571 5 4
3	Sarga of Fasly paid	63 1 "	" " "	" " "	63 1 "	" " "
	Total	38,678 13 8	25,556 7 10	17,453 4 6	2,216 9 "	19,380 15 2

On account of List No. 1 — 2,201 1 9
Do. Do. 2 — 15 7 8
Do. Do. 3 — 2,216 9 "
Total recoverable — 19,380 15 2
On account of List irrecoverable — 21,597 8 2
Total — 21,597 8 2

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Number	Names of Estates.	Collections. Collection of all Sources.	Collection of Jagapatyna garam and Putty paud sairy credited under Cottapilly —	amount advanced by the Circar for Charges.	Total.	Charges. amount Credited under Circar Peishcush.	Charges Establishment Pca	Commission of Jusly 1248.	amount of Jagapatty garam and Putty Paud sairy credited under Cottapilly.	Total.	Balance on hand.
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		CRs. a P	CRs. a P	CRs. a P	CRs. a P		CRs. a P	CRs. a P	CRs. a P	CRs. a P	CRs. a P	CRs. a P
1	Cottapilly	12,743 9 9	893 13 4	456 3 5	14,093 10 6		10508 15 3	3462 10 4	122 " 11	" " "	14093 10 6	" " "
							" " "	115 " "	" " "	711 13 4	826 13 4	" " "
2	Jagapatyna garam	826 13 4	" " "	" " "	826 13 4							
3	Putty paud sairy	182 " "	" " "	" " "	182 " "				182 " "	182 " "	" " "	" " "
	Total	13752 7 1	893 13 4	456 3 5	15,102 7 10		10508 15 3	3577 10 4	122 " 11	893 13 4	15102 7 10	" " "

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At the close of the fasly a small sum was required to be advanced to meet the immediate Charges which has since been adjusted; and the present actual balances of Pardaunds, Current and arrear, is Rupees 29,352—13—1 as fol:

Amount

Items.	Amount. Instant.	Total.	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Collection within the fasly according to Account	Balance at the end of fasly.		Subsistence Collection on account of Pardaunds.		Remaining Balance outstand.	
			cfs a ⌀	cfs a ⌀	cfs a ⌀	cfs a ⌀	cfs a ⌀	cfs a ⌀	cfs a ⌀
1. Bhuntul	12,789 " " "	12,789 "	9944 12 11	2844 3 1	321 5 "	2322 14 1			
2 Chittoor	26,910 13 "	383 4 4	27294 1 4	564 2 4	26729 15 "	" "	2672 9 15 "		
Total	39,699 13 "	383 4 4	40083 1 4	10,508 15 3	29,574 2 1	321 5 "	29,252 13 1		

No

12 No regular Suit has been filed in Court respecting this Estate, and I beg leave to afford the following further explanation regarding Vutsavoy Tirpaty rauze, by whom a claim was preferred to the Board of Revenue in Petition No. 1421 of 1839. Vutsavoy Tirpaty rauze is the son of an Elder brother of Vutsavoy Vizia gopalrauze, formerly a Sirdar of Sibbundees and now receiving a Pension of Rupees fifty a Month. The father of Tirpatyrauze having died before the Proprietor of Cottapilly, I apprehend that Vizia gopalrauze would be the rightful claimant if the heirship could be established in that line, rather than Tirpatyrauze, and as it is the said Vizyagopaulrauze is the real mover in the case, but it appears that he attested a Will said to have been left by the late Proprietor of Cottapilly in favour of Boochee Seetiah the Second widow of the late zemindar of Peddapoor since deceased, which was produced to the Northern Provincial Court, and Proceedings passed under date 4th November 1834 not disturbing the possession which it is clear the Court thought Boochee Seetiah had got, but which never was the

Vide Board's letter of 14th May 1840.
To Board 27th July 1840.
Board's Proceedings Para. 16th Nov. 1840 with Minutes of Government of 14th Do. Do.

Vide Copy Enclosed No. 8.

the case. Tirpaty rauze states now that this Will is a Forgery. Under these circumstances, it certainly appears to me that such conflicting claims as these and several others, among whom are the present Peddapoor Zemindar, a person named Vutsavoy Vencata Jagapaty rauze, stated to have been adopted by Boochee Seetiah, and the Caukarlapoody Seetiah daughter of a Sister of the late Proprietor, can only be brought to issue by a regular Suit in Court. Under the instructions conveyed in the Board's Proceedings of 16th November 1840 Para 19, I shall therefore Submit, with a separate letter, an Advertisement for the sale of this Estate, for arrears of revenue, the amount accumulated before it came under Management having been Rupees 10,821-4-7.

Besides the Cottapilly Estate,

13. there is the Village of Jagapatynagrum and the lands of Peuttypaud, which pay no tax to Government, which it appears to me must remain as they are at present.

Zillah Rajahmundry.
Collector's Circuit Cutcherry
Ragoodavapooram,
13th March 1841.

(Signed) G. A. Smith
Collector
Statement

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No. 1 Statement of Estate of

22d March 1841

Cottapilly Talook in the Zillah of Rajahmundry

Numbers	Fuslies	Demand				Total Arrears			Current Demand			Total Arrears and Current		
		Current Demand			Total Arrears and Current.	Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under Manage=ment.			Arrears which have fallen due subsequent to the Talook coming under Management					
1		10			11	12			13			14		
		C Rs	a	℔	C Rs	C Rs	a	℔	C Rs	a	℔	C Rs	a	℔
	Cottapilly													
1	Fusly 1240	756	8	"	756	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
2	D° 1241	832	9	7	1832	9	7	"	"	"	7943	15	3	7943	15	3
3	D° 1242	2000	"	"	2073	15	10	"	"	"	11429	13	10	11429	13	10
4	D° 1243	2000	"	"	2000	"	"	"	"	"	13227	11	10	13227	11	10
5	D° 1244	1500	"	"	1568	10	"	"	"	"	17212	10	4	17212	10	4
6	D° 1245	500	"	"	1511	2	"	"	"	"	16431	13	3	16431	13	3
7	D° 1246	858	"	"	862	"	9	"	"	"	19118	10	6	19118	10	6
8	D° 1247	1050	"	"	1062	12	3	"	"	"	25612	7	10	25612	7	10
9	D° 1248	750	"	"	758	4	9	"	"	"	30558	3	4	30558	3	4
10	D° 1249	896	6	8	920	13	11	"	"	"	34304	"	2	34304	"	2

Current Demand			Total Arrears and Current		
15			16		
C Rs	a	℔	C Rs	a	℔
23400	7	2	23400	7	2
17698	11	6	25642	10	9
7621	15	3	19051	13	1
21656	12	6	34884	8	4
20747	2	"	37959	12	4
18654	11	5	35086	8	4
16157	2	8	35275	13	2
14546	8	11	40159	"	9
14403	3	4	44961	6	8
14734	9	8	49038	9	10

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22d March 1841

No 1 Statement of Estate of

Cottapilly Talook in the Zillah of Rajahmundry

Number	Fusles	Demand				Total Arrears				Total Arrears and Current			
		Current Demand				Arrears due on previous to the Talook coming under Management		Arrears which have fallen due subsequent to the Talook coming under Management		Total Arrears		Current Demand	
1		10				12		13		14		15	
		Rs	a	p		Rs	a	Rs	a	Rs	a	Rs	a
	Cottapilly												
1	Fusly 1240	756	8	"		756	8	"		"		23,400	7
2	Do 1241	832	9	7		1,832	9	7		7,943	15	3	7,943
3	Do 1242	2,000	"	"		2,073	15	10		11,429	13	10	11,429
4	Do 1243	2,000	"	"		2,000	"	"		13,227	11	10	13,227
5	Do 1244	1,500	"	"		1,568	10	"		17,212	10	4	17,212
6	Do 1245	1,500	"	"		1,511	2	"		16,431	13	3	16,431
7	Do 1246	858	"	"		862	"	9		19,118	10	6	19,118
8	Do 1247	1,050	"	"		1,062	12	3		25,612	7	10	25,612
9	Do 1248	750	"	"		758	4	9		30,558	3	4	30,558
10	Do 1249	896	6	8		920	13	11		34,304	"	2	34,304

Total Arrears and Current		
16		
Rs	a	p
23,400	7	2
25,642	10	9
19,051	13	1
34,884	8	4
37,959	12	4
35,086	8	4
35,275	13	2
40,159	"	9
44,961	6	8
49,038	9	10

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since it came under Management.—

Collections

Ordinary Land Revenue &ca

Arrears					
Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under Manage=ment.—	Arrears due subsequent the Talook coming under Manage=ment.	Total Arrears	Current	Total Collections	
17	18	19	20	21	
₲ Rs a ₱	₲ Rs a ₱	₲ Rs a ₱	₲ Rs a ₱	₲ Rs a ₱	
" " "	" " "	" " "	14,699 15 11	14,699 15 11	
" " "	3137 11 1	3137 11 1	9316 8 1	12454 3 2	
" " "	710 8 "	710 8 "	3039 9 3	3750 1 5	
" " "	3179 13 3	3179 13 3	12560 10 9	15740 8 "	
" " "	3509 15 10	3509 15 10	14660 7 3	19970 7 1	
" " "	1025 12 10	1025 12 10	13435 " 1	14460 12 11	
" " "	296 4 10	296 4 10	8517 12 "	8816 " 10	
" " "	766 6 5	766 6 5	7780 15 6	8546 5 11	
" " "	1067 13 5	1067 13 5	8855 11 7	9923 9 "	
" " "	240 13 6	240 13 6	10805 9 7	11046 7 1	

Advances for Cultivation

Arrears				
Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under Manage=ment.	Arrears due subsequent to the Talook coming under Management	Total arrears	Current	Total Collections.
22	23	24	25	26
₲ Rs a ₱	₲ Rs a ₱	₲ Rs a ₱	₲ Rs a ₱	₲ Rs a ₱
" " "	" " "	" " "	756 8 "	756 8 "
" " "	" " "	" " "	1758 9 9	1758 9 9
" " "	" " "	" " "	2000 " "	2073 15 10
" " "	" " "	" " "	1931 6 "	1931 6 "
" " "	" " "	" " "	1500 " "	1557 8 "
" " "	" " "	" " "	1500 " "	1507 1 3
" " "	" " "	" " "	849 4 6	849 4 6
" " "	" " "	" " "	1045 12 "	1054 7 6
" " "	" " "	" " "	729 9 6	733 13 6
" " "	" " "	" " "	791 " 11	804 " 11

Collections /Continued/

Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under Manage=ment.	Arrears due subsequent to the Talook coming under Management	Total Arrears	Current	Total Collections	Remission Allowed
27	28	29	30	31	32
£ Rs a ℔	£ Rs a ℔	£ Rs a ℔	£ Rs a ℔	£ Rs a ℔	£ Rs a ℔
" " "	" " "	" " "	15,456 7 11	15,456 7 11	" " "
" " "	3,137 11 1	3,137 11 1	11,075 1 10	14,212 12 "	" " "
" " "	784 8 "	784 8 "	5,039 9 3	5,824 1 3	" " "
" " "	3,179 13 3	3,179 13 3	14,492 " 9	17,671 14 "	" " "
" " "	5,367 7 10	5,367 7 10	16,160 7 3	21,527 15 1	" " "
" " "	1,032 14 1	1,032 14 1	14,935 " 1	15,967 14 2	" " "
" " "	296 4 10	296 4 10	9,367 " 6	9,663 5 4	" " "
" " "	774 1 11	774 1 11	8826 11 6	9,600 13 5	" " "
" " "	1,072 1 5	1,072 1 5	9,585 5 1	10,657 6 6	" " "
" " "	253 13 6	253 13 6	11,596 10 6	11,850 8 "	14291 8 6

Balance
Ordinary Land Revenue &co

Arrears due previous to the Talook Coming under Manage=ment.	Arrears due subsequent to the Talook coming under Management	Total Arrears	Current	Total Balance
33	34	35	36	37
£ Rs a ℔	£ Rs a ℔	£ Rs a ℔	£ Rs a ℔	£ Rs a ℔
			7,943 15 3	7,943 15 3
			6,549 9 10	11,355 14 "
" " "	4,806 4 2	4,806 4 2	2582 6 "	13227 11 10
" " "	10,645 5 10	10,645 5 10	7,096 1 9	17,144 " 4
" " "	10,047 14 7	10,047 14 7	4586 10 9	16,420 11 3
" " "	11,834 " 6	11,834 " 6	3719 11 4	19,114 9 9
" " "	15,394 14 5	15,394 14 5	3781 6 8	25599 11 7
" " "	18818 4 11	18818 4 11	5715 9 5	30549 14 7
" " "	24,834 5 2	24,834 5 2	4797 7 9	34279 8 11
" " "	29,482 1 2	29,482 1 2	3032 9 5	22779 12 4
" " "	19747 2 11	19747 2 11		

Balance /continued/

Advances for Cultivation.

Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under Management			Arrears due subsequent to the Talook coming under Management			Total Arrears			Current			Total Balance		
38			39			40			41			42		
Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	73	15	10	73	15	10
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	68	10	"	68	10	"
"	"	"	11	2	"	11	2	"	"	"	"	11	2	"
"	"	"	4	"	9	4	"	9	"	"	"	4	"	9
"	"	"	4	"	9	4	"	9	8	11	6	12	12	3
"	"	"	4	"	9	4	"	9	4	4	"	8	4	9
"	"	"	4	"	9	4	"	9	20	6	6	24	7	3
"	"	"	11	7	3	11	7	3	105	5	9	116	13	"

Total

Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under Management			Arrears due subsequent to the Talook coming under Management			Total Arrears			Current			Total Balance		
43			44			45			46			47		
Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7,943	15	3	4943	15	3
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	4,806	4	2	4,806	4	2	6623	9	8	11,429	13	10
"	"	"	10,645	5	10	10,645	5	10	2,582	6	"	13,227	11	10
"	"	"	10,047	14	7	10,047	14	7	7,164	11	9	17,212	10	4
"	"	"	11,845	2	6	11,845	2	6	4586	10	9	16,431	13	3
"	"	"	15398	15	2	15398	15	2	3719	11	4	19,118	10	6
"	"	"	18,822	5	8	18,822	5	8	6790	2	2	25,612	7	10
"	"	"	24838	5	11	24,838	5	11	5719	13	5	30,558	3	4
"	"	"	29,486	1	11	29,486	1	11	4817	14	3	34,304	"	2
"	"	"	19758	10	2	19758	10	2	3137	15	2	22896	9	4

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Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under Management 12			Arrears which have fallen due subsequent to the Talook coming under Management 13			Total Arrears 14			Current Demand 15.			Total Arrears and Current 16.		
Rs	a	℘	Rs	a	℘	Rs	a	℘	Rs	a	℘	Rs	a	℘
									2,544	14	11	2,544	14	11
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1,460	4	3	2,027	7	2
"	"	"	567	2	11	567	2	11	537	12	"	988	14	2
"	"	"	431	2	2	431	2	2	2532	"	"	3,165	10	2
"	"	"	633	10	2	633	10	2	2693	"	"	3,805	8	2
"	"	"	1112	8	2	1,112	8	2	2371	15	9	3750	10	9
"	"	"	1378	11	"	1,378	11	"	2124	8	"	3906	1	7
"	"	"	1781	9	7	1,781	9	7	2056	11	2	5190	10	1
"	"	"	3133	14	11	3,133	14	11	1625	"	"	5308	8	6
"	"	"	3883	2	6	3,883	2	6	915	"	"	5226	11	6
"	"	"	4311	11	6	4,311	11	6						
									258	14	6	258	14	6
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	200	"	"	253	7	6
"	"	"	53	7	6	53	7	6	170	"	"	352	8	"
"	"	"	182	8	"	182	8	"	224	"	"	407	11	"
"	"	"	183	11	"	183	11	"	250	"	"	283	11	"
"	"	"	33	11	"	33	11	"	250	"	"	312	11	"
"	"	"	62	11	"	62	11	"	250	"	"	349	15	"
"	"	"	99	15	"	99	15	"	250	"	"	313	1	"
"	"	"	63	1	"	63	1	"	250	"	"	358	1	"
"	"	"	108	1	"	108	1	"	250	"	"	313	1	"
"	"	"	63	1	"	63	1	"	250	"	"			

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Collections

Ordinary Land Revenue &c.

Advances for Cultivation

Arrears																							
Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under management			Arrears due subsequent to the Talook coming under management			Total Arrears			Current			Total Collections			Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under management			Arrears due subsequent to the Talook coming under management			Total Arrears			Current			Total Collections		
17			18			19			20			21			22			23			24			25			26		
C.	Rs.	a. p.	C.	Rs.	a. p.	C.	Rs.	a. p.	C.	Rs.	a. p.	C.	Rs.	a. p.	C.	Rs.	a. p.	C.	Rs.	a. p.	C.	Rs.	a. p.	C.	Rs.	a. p.	C.	Rs.	a. p.
									1,977	12		1,977	12																
			441	14		441	14		904	7		1,346	5											250			250		
			229	8		229	8		7	4		236	12											118	8		118	8	
			314			314			1,539	2		1,853	2											200			200		
			287	13	4	287	13	4	1,910	7	10	2,198	5					81	8		81	8		147			228	8	
			136	5	4	136	5	4	1,577	7	10	1,713	13					49			49			206	4		255	4	
			191		8	191		8	422	6		613	6					8	12		8	12		150			158	12	
			148	5	7	148	5	7	1,159	2		1,307	7																
									1,196	7		1,196	7											105			105		
			228	1	4	228	1	4	493	12		721	13																
									205	7		205	7																
			53	7	6	53	7	6	17	8	6	70	15																
			148	13		148	13		20			168	13																
			174			174			200			374																	
									221			221																	
			43			43			169	12		212	12																
			55			55			131	14		286	14																
									205			205																	
			45			45			250			295																	
									182			182																	

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Balance

Total

Ordinary Land Revenue Rs.

Arrears																							
Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under management				Arrears due subsequent to the Talook coming under management				Total arrears				Current				Total Balance							
27				28				29				30				31				32			
C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p
												1977	12	"		1977	12	"					
"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		1154	7	"		1396	5	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"		441	14	"		441	14	"		125	12	"		355	4	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"		229	8	"		229	8	"		1739	2	"		2053	2	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"		314	"	"		314	"	"		2057	7	10		2426	13	2		"	"	"	
"	"	"		369	5	4		369	5	4		1783	11	10		1969	1	2		"	"	"	
"	"	"		185	5	4		185	5	4		572	6	"		772	2	8		"	"	"	
"	"	"		199	12	8		199	12	8		1159	2	"		1307	7	7		"	"	"	
"	"	"		148	5	7		148	5	7		1196	7	"		1196	7	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"																					
"	"	"		228	1	4		228	1	4		598	12	"		826	13	4		2307	13	2	
"	"	"										205	7	"		205	7	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"		53	7	6		53	7	6		17	8	"		70	15	6		"	"	"	
"	"	"		148	13	"		148	13	"		20	"	"		168	13	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"		174	"	"		174	"	"		200	"	"		374	"	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"										221	"	"		221	"	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"		43	"	"		43	"	"		169	12	"		212	12	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"		55	"	"		55	"	"		231	14	"		286	14	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"										205	"	"		205	"	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"		45	"	"		45	"	"		250	"	"		295	"	"		"	"	"	
"	"	"										182	"	"		182	"	"		"	"	"	

Arrears																							
Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under management				Arrears due subsequent to the Talook coming under management				Total arrears				Current				Total Balance							
33				34				35				36				37							
C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p				
												567	2	11		567	2	11					
"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		305	13	3		431	2	2					
"	"	"		125	4	11		125	4	11		350	8	"		552	2	2					
"	"	"		201	10	2		201	10	2		792	14	"		1031	"	2					
"	"	"		238	2	2		238	2	2		582	8	2		1325	11	"					
"	"	"		743	2	10		743	2	10		579	7	11		1768	13	7					
"	"	"		1189	5	8		1189	5	8		1552	2	"		3129	14	11					
"	"	"		1577	12	11		1577	12	11		897	9	2		3879	2	6					
"	"	"		2981	9	4		2981	9	4		482	9	"		4307	11	6					
"	"	"		3879	2	6		3879	2	6		266	4	"		2038	1	"					
"	"	"		1771	13	"		1771	13	"													
												53	7	6		53	7	6					
"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		182	8	"		182	8	"					
"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		150	"	"		183	11	"					
"	"	"		33	11	"		33	11	"		24	"	"		33	11	"					
"	"	"		9	11	"		9	11	"		29	"	"		62	11	"					
"	"	"		33	11	"		33	11	"		80	4	"		99	15	"					
"	"	"		19	11	"		19	11	"		18	12	"		63	1	"					
"	"	"		44	15	"		44	15	"		45	"	"		108	1	"					
"	"	"		63	1	"		63	1	"		"	"	"		63	1	"					
"	"	"		63	1	"		63	1	"		68	"	"		131	1	"					
"	"	"		63	1	"		63	1	"													

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Balance (continued)

Advances for Cultivation

Arrears																					
Arrears due previous to the Talook coming under management				Arrears due subsequent to the Talook Coming under management				Total arrears				Current				Total Balance					
38				39				40				41				42					
C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p		
"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"		
"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"		
"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"	81	8	"	"	81	8	"		
"		"	"	"	81	8	"	"	81	8	"	"		"	"	"	81	8	"		
"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"	53	"	"	"	53	"	"		
"		"	"	4	"	"	"	4	"	"	"	8	12	"		"	12	12	"		
"		"	"	4	"	"	"	4	"	"	"	"		"	"	"	4	"	"		
"		"	"	4	"	"	"	4	"	"	"	"		"	"	"	4	"	"		
"		"	"	4	"	"	"	4	"	"	"	"		"	"	"	4	"	"		
"		"	"	4	"	"	"	4	"	"	"	50	"	"		"	54	"	"		
"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"

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No. 2 Statement Shewing the years to which the Balance in Column 4 5 of Statement No. 1 belong

Sun Los	Fusties	Balance of Ordinary Revenue				Balance amount of the advances for Cultivation				Total			
		2				3				4			
		C	Rs.	a	p	C.	Rs.	a	p	C	Rs.	a	p
	Cottapully												
1	Fusly 1240	1,769	2	"		"	"	"		1,769	2	"	
2	D. 1241	1417	11	2		"	"	"		1417	11	2	
3	D. 1242	"				"	"	"		"			
4	D. 1243	1699	7	3		"	4	"	9	1703	8	"	
5	D. 1244	2,554	"	1		"	"	"		2,554	"	1	
6	D. 1245	1,371	9	6		"	"	"		1,371	9	6	
7	D. 1246	3044	1	9		"	"	"		3044	1	9	
8	D. 1247	3,332	4	11		"	"	"		3,332	4	11	
9	D. 1248	4,558	14	3		7	6	6		4,566	4	9	
	Total	19,747	2	11		11	7	3		19,758	10	2	
	Jagapatynagaram												
1	Fusly 1240	51	7	10		"	"	"		51	7	10	
2	D. 1241	55	3	7		"	"	"		55	3	7	
3	D. 1242	"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"	
4	D. 1243	115	4	8		"	"	"		115	4	8	
5	D. 1244	347	13	10		4	"	"		351	13	10	
6	D. 1245	45	3	8		"	"	"		45	3	8	
7	D. 1246	636	13	9		"	"	"		636	13	9	
8	D. 1247	319	6	"		"	"	"		319	6	"	
9	D. 1248	200	7	8		"	"	"		200	7	8	
	Total	1771	13	"		4	"	"		1775	13	"	
	Enam Lands of Puttypaudoo												
1	Fusly 1241	9	11	"		"	"	"		9	11	"	
2	D. 1244	10	"	"		"	"	"		10	"	"	
3	D. 1245	25	4	"		"	"	"		25	4	"	
4	D. 1246	18	2	"		"	"	"		18	2	"	
5	D. 1247	"	"	"		"	"	"		"	"	"	
	Total	63	1	"		"	"	"		63	1	"	
	Grand Total	21,582	"	11		15	7	3		21,597	8	2	

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E. E. J.r (Signed) G. A. Smith
Coll.r

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No. 3. Account current of the Management Estate of Cottapully Talook in the Zillah of Rajahmundry.

Receipts

Number	Fasles	Balance in hand at the end of last year	Receipts during Current year: Land revenue inclusive of Tuckavy.	Refunds	Extra Revenue	Amount of surplus of Jagapatynagram & the enam lands of Buttepaudo credited under the balance of Cottapilly	Amount of advance made from the Public Treasury	Amounts received on account of Deposits from Renters	Total	Total inclusive of last year's Balance
		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		C. Rs. a p	C. Rs. a p	C. Rs. a p	C. Rs. a p	C. Rs. a p	C. Rs. a p	C. Rs. a p	C. Rs. a p	C. Rs. a p
	Cottapully									
1	Fusly 1240	"	13,456 7 11	" " "	974 6 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	16,430 13 11	16,430 13 11
2	D: 1241	299 1 11	14,212 11 "	" " "	412 2 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	14,624 14 11	14,924 " 10
3	D: 1242	" " "	5,824 1 3	" " "	1175 13 3	291 15 "	" " "	" " "	7,291 13 6	7,291 13 6
4	D: 1243	" " "	17,671 14 "	157 15 6	" " "	542 13 "	" " "	" " "	18,372 10 6	18,372 10 6
5	D: 1244	" " "	21,527 15 1	564 13 7	2,259 14 9	221 " "	" " "	" " "	24,573 11 5	24,573 11 5
6	D: 1245	720 7 2	15,967 14 2	130 11 8	598 2 4	212 12 "	" " "	" " "	16,909 8 2	17,692 15 4
7	D: 1246	156 3 "	9,663 5 4	376 8 "	42 5 6	5,425 " 4	" " "	" " "	15,507 3 2	15,663 6 6
8	D: 1247	" " "	9,600 13 5	79 " "	" " "	1281 13 11	" " "	" " "	11,078 7 4	11,078 7 4
9	D: 1248	" " "	10,657 6 6	" " "	148 4 "	1251 9 "	" " "	" " "	12,057 7 8	12,057 7 8
10	D: 1249	" " "	11,850 8 "	471 4 1	255 3 "	893 13 4	4,563 5	166 10 8	14,093 10 6	14,093 10 6

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Disbursements

Gross Produce			Charges management. Collectors Commission			Charges Establishment and Saudersward Fees			Advances for Cultivation			Repairs			Total Charges of management		
11			12			13			14			15			16		
C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p
12,789	"	"	"	"	"	2,316	4	"	756	8	"	270	"	"	3,342	12	"
8,677	"	3	171	7	4	2,090	10	5	2,484	14	8	1,500	"	"	6,247	"	5
2,676	11	6	"	"	"	1,908	15	8	2,106	2	4	600	"	"	4,615	9	7
14,107	"	11	"	"	"	2,117	11	3	1,547	14	4	600	"	"	4,265	9	7
20,010	"	8	"	"	"	2,149	9	4	1,193	10	3	500	"	"	3,843	3	7
12,084	3	"	209	6	11	2,283	2	5	2,145	"	"	750	"	"	5,389	9	4
12,896	"	9	171	10	5	2,280	11	"	315	"	"	"	"	"	2,767	5	5
7,478	7	1	166	9	10	2,183	6	5	1,050	"	"	200	"	"	3,600	"	3
7,909	10	11	116	14	"	2,438	13	7	1,192	1	2	400	"	"	4,147	12	9
10,508	15	3	122	"	11	2,276	3	2	986	7	2	200	"	"	3,584	11	3

Disbursements (Continued)

Charges of the Zemindar.

Allowances to the Zemindar		Allowances the relations of the Zemindar		Allowance to the Pagodas		Judicial Charges		Total		Amount of surplus sum of Juggapatypnagaram and the Enam Lands of Putteepaudo credited under the balance of Cottapully		Grand Total of Columns 11. 16. 21. and 22		Balance	
17		18		19		20		21		22		23		24.	
C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p
												16,131	12 "	299	1 11
"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	14,924	" 10	"	" "
"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	7,291	13 6	"	" "
"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	18,372	10 6	"	" "
"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	23,853	4 3	720	7 2
"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	17,473	12 4	156	3 "
"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	15,663	6 2	"	" "
"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	11,078	7 4	"	" "
"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	12,057	7 8	"	" "
"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	14,093	10 6	"	" "

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Disbursements

		Total inclusive of last year's Balance			Charges management. Clear Peishcush		Collectors Commission		Charges Establishment and Saunderward. &c		Advances for Cultivation		Repairs		Total charges of manages=ment	
					11		12		13		14		15		16	
		C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p	C. Rs.	a p
	Jagapatenagar	12 "	1977	12 "												
1	Fusly 1240	12 "	3340	10 7					28	13 5	250 " "		" " "		278	13 5
2	D:— 1241	14 14	3171	8 3	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	103	5 8	100 " "		300 " "		525	" 8
3	D:— 1242	14 "	5310	2 "	" " "	21 11 "			82	3 1	200 " "		" " "		299	4 3
4	D:— 1243	13 2	7357	13 3	" " "	17 1 2					300 " "		" " "		379	1 11
5	D:— 1244	1 2	9014	4 7	" " "	1 1 11			78	" "	100 " "		136 15 "		315	9 10
6	D:— 1245	2 8	9632	9 4	" " "				78	10 10	100 " "		" " "		153	13 11
7	D:— 1246	7 7	1307	7 7	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	73	" "	50 " "		" " "		218	7 8
8	D:— 1247	7 "	1196	7 "	" " "	30 13 11			73	" "	100 " "		" " "		230	9 8
9	D:— 1248	13 14	826	13 14	" " "	17 7 8			101	" "	" " "		100 " "		230	9 8
10	D:— 1249				" " "	40 9 8			90	" "	100 " "		147 12 "		239	14 "
	Enam Lands of Pru				" " "				92	2 "	55 " "		" " "		115	" "
1	Fusly 1240	7 "	205	7 "	" " "				60	" "					27	" "
2	D:— 1241	8 "	291	15 "												
3	D:— 1242	13 "	460	12 "												
4	D:— 1243	" " "	542	13 "												
5	D:— 1244	1 " "	221	" "												
6	D:— 1245	2 12 "	212	12 "												
7	D:— 1246	6 14 "	286	14 "												
8	D:— 1247	5 " "	205	" "												
9	D:— 1248	5 " "	295	" "												
10	D:— 1249	2 " "	182	" "												

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Disbursements (continued)

Charges of the Zemindar

Allowances to the Zemindar			Allowance to the relations of the Zemindar			Allowance to the Pagodas			Judicial Charges			Total		
17			18			19			20			21		
C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	4.275	15	4	4.275	15	4
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

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No. 4. Statement shewing the Demand Collection and Balance of the Permanent Statements of the Managem[illegible]

Fusles	Amount of Permanent Statement	Demand: arrears due at the end of last year: Principal	Interest	Total	Total Demand	On account of Current Rists.	Collection: On account of arrears: Principal	Interest	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	C. R. a p	C. R. a p	C. R. a p	C. R. a p	C. R. a p	C. R. a p	C. R. a p	C. R. a p	C. R. a p
Cottapilly									
1 Fusly 1240	12,789 " "	1,04.38 " 3	383 4 4	10,821 4 7	23,610 4 7	12,789 " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
2 D: 1241	12789 " "	10,438 " 3	383 4 4	10,821 4 7	23,610 4 7	8,677 " 5	" " "	" " "	" " "
3. D: 1242	12,789 " "	14,549 15 10	383 4 4	14,933 4 2	27,722 4 2	1101 4 3	1575 7 3	" " "	1575 7 3
4. D: 1243	12,789 " "	24,662 4 4	383 4 4	25,045 8 8	37,834 8 8	11172 " "	2935 " 11	" " "	2935 " 11
5 D: 1244	12,789 " "	23344 3 5	383 4 4	23727 7 9	36,516 7 9	12,789 " "	7.221 " 8	" " "	7.221 " 8
6 D: 1245	12,789 " "	16,123 2 9	383 4 4	16,506 7 1	29,295 7 1	11970 " "	114. 3 "	" " "	114. 3 "
7 D: 1246	12,789 " "	16,827 15 9	383 4 4	17,211 4 1	30,000 4 1	7,847 15 1	504.8 1 8	" " "	504.8 1 8
8 D: 1247	12,789 " "	16,720 15 "	383 4 4	17,104 3 4	29,893 3 4	7,478 7 1	" " "	" " "	" " "
9 D: 1248	12,789 " "	22,031 7 11	383 4 4	22,414 12 3	35,203 12 3	7,826 7 1	83 3 10	" " "	83 3 10
10 D: 1249	12,789 " "	26,910 13 "	383 4 4	27,294 1 4	40083 1 4	9,944 12 11	564 2 4	" " "	564 2 4

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Estate of Cottapilly Talook in the Zillah of Rajahmundry.

Total Collections			On account of current Kists			On account of arrears						Balance Total Balance		
						Principal			Interest			Total		
11			12			13			14			15		
C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p
12.789	"	"	"	"	"	10.438	"	3	383	4	4	10.821	4	7
8.677	"	5	4.111	15	7	10.438	"	3	383	4	4	10.821	4	7
2.676	11	6	1.687	11	9	12.974	8	7	383	4	4	13.357	12	11
14.107	"	11	1.617	"	"	21.727	3	3	383	4	4	22.110	7	9
20.010	"	8	"	"	"	16.123	2	9	383	4	4	16.506	7	1
12.084	3	"	819	"	"	16.008	15	9	383	4	4	16.392	4	1
2.896	"	9	4.941	"	11	11.779	14	1	383	4	4	12.163	2	5
7.478	7	1	5.310	8	11	16.720	15	"	383	4	4	17.104	3	4
7.909	10	11	4.962	8	11	21.948	4	1	383	4	4	22.331	8	5
10.308	15	3	2.844	3	1	26.346	10	8	383	4	4	26.729	15	"
														29.574 2 1

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Collection

Fusslies

account of arrears

			Interest			Total		
			9			10		
	Jaga patenagy	P	C. Rs.	a	P	C. Rs.	a	P
1	Fusly 1240							
2	D:: 1241							
3	D:: 1242							
4	D:: 1243							
5	D:: 1244							
6	D:: 1245							
7	D:: 1246							
8	D:: 1247							
9	D:: 1248							
10	D:: 1249							
	Enam Lands of O.							
1	Fusly 1240							
2	D:: 1241							
3	D:: 1242							
4	D:: 1243							
5	D:: 1244							
6	D:: 1245							
7	D:: 1246							
8	D:: 1247							
9	D:: 1248							
10	D:: 1249							

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Total Collection.	On account of Current Fusly.	On account of arrears.			Total Balance.
		Principal.	Interest	Total.	
		13	14	15	16
11 Rs a P	12 Rs a P	Rs a P	Rs a P	Rs a P	Rs a P

[Signed] G. A. Smith
Coll.r

Summah Sundy.

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No. 5 Summahbundy Statement of the Settlement of the management Estate of Cottapully Talook in the Zillah of Rajah

| Number | Names of the Estates. | Particulars of Villages. | | | | | | | | | | Dowle of last year or Fasly 1248. Jumanie Villages Vca. | | | | | | | | | |

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for Fusly 1249.

Dowle of last Jumabil

Jeroytee (Contd.)

Ajarah Rented Total.

Number of Villages	Amount of Shist	Number of Villages	Amount of Shist	Number of Villages	Amount of Shist	Vacaty and Cuttoobady Cnams.	Jaxe on Palmira Trees.	Poollay
19	20	21	23	23	24	25	26	27
	Rs a ꝺ		Rs a ꝺ		Rs a ꝺ	Rs a ꝺ	Rs a ꝺ	Rs a ꝺ
"	390 2 1 13	2754 " "	31	11137 4 4	2101 3 "	102 " "	128 6 "	
"	" " " "	1 1025 " "	1	1025 " "	" " " "	" " " "	" " " "	
"	" " " "	" " " "	"	250 " "	" " " "	" " " "	" " " "	
"	390 2 1	14 4379 " "	32	13012 4 4	2101 3 "	102 " "	128 6 "	

year as Fusly 1248. (Contd.)

Villages Vca. Contd.	Calapasum = gam or = Share or Vca = lue of half of the Tim = bers Vca = Ma = terials taken from the Cutters in the Jungle.	Number of Villages	Total Amount of Shist	Cuttoobady agraharums. Number of Villages	Amount of Shist	Total. Number of Villages	Amount of Shist
	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35
	Rs a ꝺ	Rs a ꝺ		Rs a ꝺ		Rs a ꝺ		Rs a ꝺ
Gardens.								
	114 4 "	7 " "	31	13053 3 4	" " "	" " "	31	13053 3 4
	" " "	" " "	1	1025 " "	" " "	" " "	1	1025 " "
	" " "	" " "	"	250 " "	" " "	" " "	"	250 " "
	114 4 "	70 " "	32	15528 3 4	" " "	" " "	32	15528 3 4

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Abstract Dowle of Current Jummabundy Year or Fusly 1249.

Jeroytee Villages Vca.

Veesabaddy. Amount of assessment.	Deductions. usual allowance and Village Charges	Deductions. on account of loss sustained by late Storm.	Deductions. Total.	Remaining Veesabaddy. Number of Villages	Remaining Veesabaddy. Amount of Shist.	Jeroytee Pyarah. Number of Villages	Jeroytee Pyarah. Amount of Shist	Rented. Number of Villages	Rented. Amount of Shist	Total. Number of Villages	Total. Amount of Shist.	Vasaty and Cuttoobady Cowries	Taxe on Palmira Trees.	Poollary.	Gardens.	Calapasumgoros or Share or Value of half of the timbers Vca. materials taken from the Cutters in the Jungle.
36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52
Rs a ⌀	Rs a ⌀	Rs a ⌀	Rs a ⌀		Rs a ⌀		Rs a ⌀		Rs a ⌀		Rs a ⌀	Rs a ⌀	Rs a ⌀	Rs a ⌀	Rs a ⌀	Rs a ⌀
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Dowle of Current year or Fasly 1249 (Contd.)

Increase and Decrease.

Increase.

Upon the Dowle of Fasly 1248.

Land Revenue.

| Total. | | | Cattoobady agraharums. | | Total. | | |

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Increase and Decrease (Contd)
Decrease
Upon the Demand of July 1248.
Land Revenue

Seroytee.	Vacaty and Cuttoobady Enams.	Tax on Palmira Trees.	Poollary	Gardens	Salapo: Sangoroo.	Total	Increase	Decrease
66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74
Rs a ⅌	Rs a ⅌	Rs a ⅌	Rs a ⅌	Rs a ⅌	Rs a ⅌	Rs a ⅌	Rs a ⅌	Rs a ⅌
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						805 " "	" " "	805 " "
						2043 2 "	184 15 8	805 " "

Zillah Rajahmundry, Collector's Circuit Cutcherry
Ragoonadapooram, 13th March 1841.

E. E. E. E. Signed G. A. Smith.
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Complete

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No. 6 Complete Summahbundy Statement of the Fusly

of Rajahmundry for

Shewing the balas recoverable

Number.	Names of Villages.	Total Amount of Amarcum Sheis.	On account of usual allowances to Head Canpoo.	Do. Village Charges and Pagoda allowances.	Total Columns 3 and 4.	Total Cultivation or share or Value of half of the Timbers &c materials taken from the Cutters in the Jungle.	Total	Total Summahbundy	Numbers of Fusslies	Fusslies	Recoverable		Total Balance on account of Rent	
		2	3	4	5	17	18	19	2	3	4		15	
											Rs	as p	Rs	as p
1	Cottapully	2785 7 "	110 " "	120 " "	230 " "	" " "	921 5 "	3476 12 "	1	1240	10 " 9		" " "	
2	Mallaroo	154 8 "	" " "	5 " "	5 " "	12 " "	30 12 "	180 4 "	2	1241	25 2 "		" " "	
3	Tirmalayapollem	734 7 "	" " "	25 " "	25 " "	" " "	258 " "	967 7 "	3	1242	" " "		" " "	
4	Lingavaram	44 " "	" " "	2 " "	2 " "	" " "	28 " "	70 " "	4	1243	25 1 11		" " "	
5	Streemmanarayanapooram	86 " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	20 " "	28 " "	70 " "	5	1244	159 8 3		" " "	
6	Panta Rammavaram	20 " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	17 " "	102 " "	6	1245	55 13 9		" " "	
7	Docoolamundacroostavaram	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	4 " "	24 " "	7	1246	91 " 1		" " "	
8	Woppalapandoo Narasapooram	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	16 " "	16 " "	8	1247	221 13 10		" " "	
9	Calapadungooroo	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	8 " "	28 " "	28 " "	9	1248	635 4 9		462 2 8	
10	Singarampollem	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	34 12 "	34 12 "			1223 13 4		462 2 8	
									10	1249	635 10 "		876 " "	
	Total	3823 6 "	110 " "	152 " "	262 " "	4 " "	534 12 "	1337 13 "			1879 7 4		1338 2 8	
								4899 3 "						

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Rajoonadapooram, 13th March 1841.

Statement

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rces outstanding against the Cottapilly Talook from fusly 1240 to fusly 1249 the amount there of recoverable

n account of Veesabady

Irrecoverable												Total is Balance on account of Veesabady		
On account of Balance due from Ryots deceased			Do. Do. absconded			Do. Do. from poor Ryots			Total					
5			6			7			8			9		
Rs	as	ps	Rs	as	ps	Rs	as	ps	Rs	as	ps	Rs	as	ps
128	1	7	17	12	7	433	10	1	579	8	3	589	9	"
74	9	10	117	12	"	191	10	4	384	"	2	609	2	2
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
143	14	5	116	8	6	419	4	6	679	11	5	704	13	4
393	"	3	190	11	4	919	15	7	1503	11	2	1663	3	5
76	6	4	68	9	6	232	3	5	377	3	3	433	1	"
577	4	6	367	2	3	798	8	10	1942	15	7	2033	15	8
13	9	9	66	9	"	1751	3	"	1831	5	9	2053	3	7
23	8	"	82	6	"	2061	2	4	2169	"	4	2804	5	1
432	6	8	1227	7	2	6807	10	1	9467	7	11	10691	5	3
37	"	"	99	10	"	443	4	11	579	14	11	1233	8	11
469	6	8	1327	1	2	7250	15	"	10047	6	10	11926	14	2

On account of Rent

Recoverable			Irrecoverable: on account of Balance due from persons deceased			Do. Do. absconded			Do. Do. from poor persons			Total			Total Balance on account of Rent		
10			11			12			13			14			15		
Rs	as	ps	Rs	as	ps	Rs	as	ps	Rs	as	ps	Rs	as	ps	Rs	as	ps
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
240	10	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	221	8	"	221	8	"	462	2	8
240	10	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	221	8	"	221	8	"	462	2	8
415	10	10	"	"	"	"	"	"	460	5	2	460	5	2	876	"	"
656	5	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	681	13	2	681	13	2	1338	2	8

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and the amount irrecoverable against the deceased, deserted and poor Ryots---

On account of Cuttoolady			Total Balance Irrecoverable-			D° D° from poor persons.	Total	Grand Total Balance
Recover-able	Irrecoverable on account of balance due from Cnamdars who were poor as well absconded as those whose Cnamsweretirely left in cultivable	Total	Recover-able	On account of balance due from persons deceased	D° D° absconded			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
£ ° as °	£ ° as °	£ ° as °	£ ° as °	£ ° as °	£ ° as °	£ ° as °	£ ° as °	£ ° as °
13 4 "	1166 5 "	1179 9 "	23 4 9	428 1 7	17 12 4	1599 15 1	1715 13 3	1769 2 "
75 12 7	932 12 5	1008 9 "	100 14 4	74 9 10	117 12 4	1124 6 9	1316 12 7	1417 11 2
" " 4	" " 4	" " "	" " 4	" " 4	" " 4	1401 2 9	1661 9 8	1703 8 "
16 12 5	981 14 3	998 10 8	41 14 4	143 14 5	116 8 6	1773 6 3	2357 1 10	2554 " 1
37 6 "	853 6 8	890 12 2	196 14 3	393 " 3	190 11 4	1139 7 11	1304 7 9	1371 9 6
11 4 "	927 4 6	938 8 6	67 1 9	76 6 4	68 9 6	1788 14 11	2933 5 8	3044 1 9
19 12 "	990 6 1	1010 2 1	110 12 1	577 4 6	567 2 3	2923 4 "	3003 6 9	3332 4 11
107 " 4	1172 1 "	1279 1 4	328 14 2	13 9 9	66 9 "	3379 2 4	3487 " 4	4566 4 9
203 5 "	1096 8 "	1299 13 "	1079 4 5	23 8 "	82 6 "	15149 12 "	17809 9 10	19758 10 2
484 8 4	8120 9 11	8605 2 3	1949 " 4	1432 6 8	1227 7 2	1705 6 7	1842 " 7	2965 7 5
52 8 "	801 12 6	853 14 6	1123 6 10	37 " 4	99 10 "			
536 10 4	8922 6 5	9456 " 9	3072 7 2	1469 6 8	1327 1 2	16855 2 7	19651 10 5	22724 1 7

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Names of the Estates	Number of Fasles	Fasles	On account of Veesalady — Recoverable												Total Balance on account of Veesalady			On account of Rent Recoverable			Irrecoverable: On account of Balance due from persons deceased			Irrecoverable: D.o D.o absconded			Irrecoverable: D.o D.o from poor persons			Total			Total Balance on account of Rent		
			Recoverable			Irrecoverable: On account of Balance due from Ryots deceased			Irrecoverable: D.o D.o absconded			Irrecoverable: D.o D.o from poor Ryots			Total																				
1	2	3	4			5			6			7			8			9			10			11			12			13			14			15		
			Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p	Rs	as	p
2 Suggapatenagaram	1	1240				11	1					40	6	10	51	7	10	51	7	10																
	2	1241				2	9	5	15	11	2	36	15		55	3	7	55	3	7																
	3	1242																																		
	4	1243										115	1	8	115	4	8	115	4	8																
	5	1244	4			20	8		7	15		319	6	10	347	13	10	351	12	10																
	6	1245				14	15	2	2	11	10	26	8	8	45	3	8	45	3	8																
	7	1246				209	1	9	53	8		374	4		636	13	9	636	12	9																
	8	1247				2			71	5	6	246	8	6	319	6		319	6																
	9	1248																																		
						260	3	4	157	3	6	1158	14	6	1571	5	4	157	5	4																
	10	1249	20									166	4		166	4		186	4																
			20			260	3	4	157	3	6	1325	2	6	1737	9	4	17	9	4																
3 Enam Lands of Ruttapauda	1	1241	9	11														9	11																
	2	1242	10															10																		
	3	1245	25	4														25	4																
	4	1246	18	2														18	2																
			63	1														63	1																
	5	1249	38															38																		
			101	1														101	1																
	Total		2004	8	4	1729	10		1479	4	8	8576	1	6	11785		2	13789	8	6	656	13	2							681	13	2	681	13	2	1338	10	4

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An account of Cullooabady

Total Balance

Recoverable	Irrecoverable on account of balance due from Ryots who were poor as well absconded as those whose enams were entirely left uncultivated	Total	Recoverable	Irrecoverable on account of balance due from persons deceased	Irrecoverable Ryots absconded	Ryots from poor persons	Total	Grand Total Balance
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
6Rs as ps	6Rs as ps	6Rs as ps	6Rs as ps	6Rs as ps	6Rs as ps	6Rs as ps	6Rs as ps	6Rs as ps
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" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	209 1 9	53 8 "	246 " 6	319 6 "	319 6 "
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" " "	" " "	" " "	200 7 8	" " "	" " "	1158 14 6	1571 5 4	1775 13 "
" " "	" " "	" " "	204 7 8	260 3 4	152 3 6	166 4 "	166 4 "	186 4 "
" " "	" " "	" " "	20 " "	" " "	" " "	1325 2 6	1737 9 4	1962 1 "
" " "	" " "	" " "	224 7 8	260 3 4	152 3 6			
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" " "	" " "	" " "	18 2 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	18 2 "
" " "	" " "	" " "	63 1 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	63 1 "
" " "	" " "	" " "	38 " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	38 " "
" " "	" " "	" " "	101 1 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	101 1 "
536 10 4	8922 6 5	9459 " 9	3397 15 10	1729 10 "	1479 4 8	18180 3 1	21389 3 9	24787 3 7

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Abstract

Numbers of Taluks	Names of the Estates	Fasles	On account of Veesabady: Recoverable	Irrecoverable: on account of Balance Due from Ryots Deceased	Irrecoverable: Do. Do. absconded	Irrecoverable: Do. Do. from poor Ryots	Irrecoverable: Total	Total Balance on account of Veesabady	On account of Rent: Recoverable	Irrecoverable: on account of Balance due from person deceased	Irrecoverable: Do. Do. absconded	Irrecoverable: Do. Do. from poor persons	Irrecoverable: Total	Total Balance on account of Rent
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
			C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.	C.Rs. as. ps.
1		1240	10 " 9	139 2 7	17 12 7	474 " 10	631 " 1	641 " 11						
2		1241	34 13 "	77 3 3	133 7 2	228 9 6	439 3 9	464 " 9						
3		1242	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "						
4		1243	25 1 11	143 14 5	116 8 6	534 9 2	795 " 1	820 2 "						
5		1244	173 8 3	421 8 3	197 10 4	1339 6 5	1851 9 "	2025 1 3						
6		1245	81 1 9	91 5 6	72 5 4	258 12 11	422 6 11	503 8 8						
7		1246	109 2 "	786 6 3	620 10 3	1172 12 10	2579 13 4	2688 15 5						
8		1247	221 13 11	15 9 9	137 14 6	1997 2 6	2150 11 9	2372 9 7						
9		1248	635 4 9	258 "	82 6 "	2061 2 4	2169 " 4	2804 5 1						
			1290 14 4	1692 10 "	1377 10 8	7966 8 7	10038 13 3	12329 11 7						
10		1249	713 10 "	37 " "	99 10 "	609 8 11	746 2 11	1459 12 11						
	Total		2004 8 4	1729 10 "	1477 4 8	8576 1 6	11785 " 2	13789 8 6						

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An account of Cuttoolady Total Balance

Recoverable	Irrecoverable on account of balance due from Cranders who were poor as well absconded as those whose grants were entirely left uncultivated	Total	Recoverable	Irrecoverable on account of balance due from persons deceased	D° D° absconded	D° D° from poor persons	Total	Grand Total Balance
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
£ Rs as p	£ Rs as p	£ Rs as p	£ Rs as p	£ Rs as p	£ Rs as p	£ Rs as p	£ Rs as p	£ Rs as p
13 4 "	1,166 5 "	1,179 9 "	23 4 9	139 2 7	17 12 7	1,640 15 6	1,797 5 1	1,820 9 10
75 12 7	932 12 5	1008 9 "	110 9 7	77 3 3	133. 7 2	1,161 5 9	1,372 " 2	1,472 9 9
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
16 12 3	981 14 3	998 10 6	41 14 4	143 11 5	116 8 6	13 16 7 5	1,776 11 4	1,818 12 8
37 6 "	853 6 8	890 12 8	210 14 3	421 8 3	197 10 4	2,192 13 1	2,704 15 6	2,915 13 11
11 4 "	927 4 6	938 8 6	92 5 9	91 5 6	72 5 4	1,186 " 7	1,349 11 5	3,942 1 2
19 2 "	990 6 1	1,010 2 1	128 14 1	786 6 3	620 10 3	2163 2 11	3,570 3 5	3,699 1 6
107 " 4	1172 1 "	1,279 1 4	328 14 2	15 9 9	137 14 6	3,169 4 6	3,322 12 9	3,651 10 11
203 5 "	1,096 8 "	1,299 13 "	1,279 12 1	25 8 "	82 6 "	3379 2 4	3,487 " 4	4,766 12 5
484 8 4	8,120 9 11	8,605 2 3	2,216 9 "	1,692 10 "	1,379 10 8	16,308 10 6	19,380 15 2	21,597 8 2
52 2 "	801 12 6	853 14 6	1186 6 10	37 " "	99 10 "	1,871 10 7	2,008 4 7	3,189 11 5
536 10 4	8,922 6 5	9,459 " 9	3397 15 10	1,729 10 "	1,479 8 8	18,180 5 1	21,889 3 9	24,787 3 7

Gillah Rajahmundry Collectrs Circuit Cutcherry
Ragoonadapooram 13th March 1841 - - - - - - -

C. C. Jr (Signed) G. A. Smith
Collector

Extract

4211 Fort St. George 22d. March 1841

No. 8

Extract from the Proceedings of the Provincial Court of Appeal Northern Division

Dated 4th November 1834.

Present { G. L. Waters Esqre. Acting 2d. Judge
C. B. Wrey Esqre. Acting 3d. Judge

C. P. No. 120 of 1834

Nullaparauz Rungarauz

Petitioner

Read Return made by the Acting Judge of Rajahmundry to this Courts Precept Dated 6th September 1834, together with the record submitted by that Officer.—

2 The object of the Petitioner is to elicit an Order from this Court for the return of a fine of Rupees 100 alleged to have been unjustly levied by the late Acting Judge of Rajahmundry: also that the Cottapilly Talook to which his ward is said to be the heir may be placed under charge of the Collector until his minority shall cease when it is to be made over to him.—

3 It appears that Mr. Vibart on the 19th of July 1831 directed this Petitioner to prove the right of the Minor he repre-
sents

sents, by Witnesses and Documents pursuant to which certain Witnesses were examined but no Documents filed. At the same time it is to be remarked that five other persons claimed this Talook one of whom namely Datla Venkiah was directed by this Court in 1830 to file a regular Suit.—

4 Mr. Brown, who inspected all Mr. Vibarts Proceedings, has decided that Boochee Seetiah by virtue of a will is the lawful Successor to the Talooks, whether Mr. Browns decision be correct or not, the Court of Appeal need not stop to determine but it is quite certain under the foregoing conflicting claims that it would be premature to place the Zemindary under charge of the Collector and to deprive Boochee Seetiah of the same upon the mere assertions of the Petitioner.—

5 The Court therefore are of opinion that the Petitioner ought to file a regular suit for the recovery of the Talook, when he will have an opportunity of proving his assertions should he succeed in doing so, the Talook can be placed under the management of the Collector. In

repect

respect to the request that the Estat
may be placed under the manageme
the Court of Wards, the Petitioner is
ferred to the rules laid down in R
gulation V of 1804, which he can foll
if requisite.-

6 The Court direct that th
fine levied in this case be returned
the Petitioner and that his receipt
to this Court It does not appear fr
a perusal of the Proceedings that
late Acting Judge was justified i
collecting that fine Precept retur
dable without delay.--

(True Extract)

(Signed) R. Hichens

Sr Regist

(13 14)

Order thereon.

Ordered to be brought for

(15 V)

at a future day.-

From Mr. T. J. Knox Apt to the Coll. of Rajahmy. at Madras } Read letter requesting le
absence to remain at the Residency till an offic
offers to enable him to join his station by 2d April n

(15 16)

Order thereon.-

Ordered to be sent to the Civil
Auditor with the following remark.-- Submit

Comp. S.R.

Submitted for the favorable
consideration of Government thro' the Civil Auditor
with reference to the Resolution of Government
dated 30th. November published in the Fort St.
George Gazette under date 1st. December last.-

Read the following letter.

(17)

From the Crim. Collector of Nellore. } Sir,

To the Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

In reply to your Communi-
cation of the 14th. Ultimo I have
the honor to state that there was an
error in the List forwarded with
my letter of the 16th. November preceding,
wherein it was stated that the Yeomeah-
dar Masahababee desired to have the pay-
ment of her Yeomeah transferred to
the Cuddapa Collectorate.- She resides it

Seems

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seems at Madras, and desires to have her Yeomeah paid there. Of the other two Yeomeahdars, Badabee resides at Adom, and Abdool Azeez Khan at Saulemcotta in the Chittumberam Talook of South Arcot. Vellore District.

Histnapatam.

Principal Collector's Circuit Cutcherry,

23d. February 1841.

(Signed) T. V. Stonehouse

Principal Collector

Ordered

Fort St. George 22d. March 1841.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.

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To the Coll.r of Madras.

To The Collector of Madras.

16th Nov.r 1840. Sir,

3d Dec.r 1840. I am directed by the Board of

Mosahalabee Revenue to subjoin a statement received from the Principal Collector of Nellore of a Yeomeahdar of that District who resides at Madras, and wishes to draw her Yeomeah from your Treasury, and to request that you will make the necessary enquiries and report whether there is any objection to a compliance with her request.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 22d. March 1841.

(Signed) B. Smollett. Secretary.

Read the following letter.

To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George.

From the Coll.r of Masulipatam.

19

Sir, Para 1. I have the honor to report for the information of the Board the demise, on the 5th. Instant, of Vellunky Venkataraw, proprietor

proprietor of part of Tirwoor Mootah in this District, leaving his widow, who is only 14 years of age, as his heir and successor as appears by the Urzee of the deceased dated 4 days before his death -

2. As there is at present a balance of Rishcush Amounting to Rupees 567-4-1. I have deemed it to be my duty to attach the estate pending my inquiry as to the right to the succession, when, should it appear that any party, not disqualified or incapacitated by Minority, Sex, or natural infirmity, is entitled to succeed, the estate will be made over to him on his paying up the amount of the balance -

Masulipatam, Collr's Cutcherry, 11th March 1841 - } (Signed) P. Grant. Collector

Proceedings thereon,

(19-20) Mr Grant will be pleased to report hereafter the arrangements for the future administration of the portion of the Tirwoor Zemindary, the property of the late Vellaty Venkata Row -

Read the following letter

To,

To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue - Fort St. George.

From the Collector of Chingleput - } Sir,

(21)

Petition {Rs. No. 19 / Govt. Do. 132} of 1841.
" Do. - {Rs. No. 20 / Govt. Do. 233} of Do.
herewith returned -

With reference to your letter of the 8th Instant with it's enclosures, I have the honor to transmit translate of a Tukeed issued by my Predecessor on the subject, from which the Board will observe that there was no sufficient reason to believe that any money was discovered by Bahoocoottumbe Streenevasa Pugavah Chetty in the foundation of the house, nor does there appear to me any reason for the further interference of Government -

Chingleput District, - - - - - } (Signed) A. Freese.
Collector's Circuit Cutcherry, - - - }
Streepermatoor, 12th March 1841 - Collector.

A.

Translation of a Tukeed issued by A. Maclean Esqre Collector in the Zillah of Chingleput, to Vejeyarangava Moodely Tahsildar of Maneumgalum. Dated Chingleput 22d November 1837 -

Your Urzee No. 130 bearing date the 31st October with it's enclosures addressed to

to the Assistant Magistrate has been received, in which you reported the result of your investigation into the Complaint of Sellapoun Streenevassa Verda Charry stating that Baba Columbi Streenevassa Rongava Charry and others carried away certain money or property which was discovered in digging up the foundation of a wall attached to his premises.-

On examining these papers it appears that the ground claimed by the Complainant originally belonged to one Coomaravelu Venkatacharry, who Mortgaged it to the Complainant previous to Hyder's invasion, the latter held it upto the year Nundanam, in which he mortgaged it to Bahoocootumbe Seenevassa Rongavachary the 1st Defendant in whose possession it has remained to the present period. That the 1st Defendant when digging up the old foundation of the house for the purpose of rebuilding it, discovered certain Utensils (18 in No.) which he reported both to the Tahsildar and to the Zillah Judge, and that no

Money

money whatever has been discovered.-

The Statement of Mayoor Satagopah Charry that he had seen a Brass Vessel full of Pagodas, is wholly incredible - Had he really seen the property, he would not have remained without reporting the same to the Circar and only now stated the Circumstance when called upon as a Witness.-

You will under these circumstances deliver the Utensils, now in the Cutcherry to the person who brought them, referring the party who has any claims to the Courts.-

(Signed) R. Maclean.
Magistrate.

Ordered that the following address be submitted together with the foregoing letter.-

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

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To the Chief Sec.y to Government

Sir,

Adverting to the orders under date the 27th February last endorsed upon Petitions No. 132 and 233 of 1841, herewith returned,

I am,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request you will lay before Government the accompanying letter from the Collector of Chingleput, with it's enclosure, from which it will be seen that from the circumstances which transpired on enquiry at the time, there seems no ground for the further interference of Government in the matter in dispute.-

12th a/cn 22d March 1841-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
22d March 1841.

(signed) E. B. Smollett.
Secretary.

Read the following letters & Statement.-

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

23

From the Collector in the Southern Dn. of Arcot

Reporting the Seizure of a quantity of Silver

Sir,

I have the honor to forward a Statement of Silver Thread seized under the following circumstances.-

CERTIFIED DESTROYED

I have &c

Silver thread, and recommending it for confiscation.

2. A person named Ruggapah Naik and Eleven others had secreted the Silver thread in their waist cloths and had passed the Mattoo to the North of the Cottacoopum Chauky on their way from Pondicherry towards Madras, when they were stopped and examined by the Sayer Peon Ramasaumy Naik and Shodanaycaren Ramasaumy Pillay. and with the assistance of another Peon Coopoo Naik the seizure of the whole was effected. One of the smugglers offered a bribe of 15 Rupees to the Peon and Shodanay Caren, which sum they received and delivered to the Sayer Auneem.

3. The Money will be carried to Account, and I request authority for the confiscation of the Silver Thread.-

Mailnadoomboor,
South Arcot.
D. Coll.rs Circuit Cutcherry,
8th March 1841.

(signed) W. Ashton.
Principal Collector.

Statement,

4224 Fort St. George 22d. March 1841.

Proceedings thereon. Under the circumstances set forth in the foregoing letter, the Board of Revenue are pleased to sanction the confiscation of the Quantity of Silver thread therein adverted to, and the distribution of the proceeds as suggested by Mr. Ashton.

23-24

Statement

ORIGINAL DESTROYED

4223 Fort St. George 22d March 1841.

Statement of an Article recommended for Confiscation in the Southern Division of Arcot.

No.	Quantity and Description of Goods.	Estimated Value			Remarks.
1	Southern Division of Arcot. Cottaconum -				Have recommended the Article to be confiscated & the Officer recommended to be rewarded for the Seizure.
1	6 Rolls of Silver Thread	195			
	Customs Duty due is at 16 ⅔ Cent.		81	14 5	Vide Letter from the Principal Collector accompanying this.
	Total	195	81	14 5	

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Fort St. George - - - - -
Exd. Coll.r's Cutcherry. 8th March 1841.

C. P. & C.

W. Ashton
Principal Collector

4225 Fort St. George

Statement of Salt for Exportation &c.
District of Southern Division of Arc

(25)

Quantity of Salt permitted to be exported to Calcutta in the year 1841-	Quantity already Exported-	Quantity remaining to be exported..	Quantity actually in store and ready for export= ation.	Remarks-
Bengal Maunds 50,000	Bengal Maunds	Bengal Maunds 50,000	Bengal Maunds 50,000	

Chellumbrum, South Arcot, Prin.l Coll.r Circuit Cutch

Mur Kanum is about 20 Miles North to Pondichery

a temporary Flag Staff will be erected on the

Rise to Sun-set-

Applications for Salt to be addressed to the Salt Export and it is requested that the probable stated.-

It will be optional for parties taking Salt to pay or to the Tahsildar at Mur Kanum-

22d. March 1841-

Calcutta from the Port of Mur Kanum in the up to 13th March 1841-

Dry 15th March 1841- / Signed/ W. Ashton. Pl. Coll.r

and for the guidance of Vessels in making the place, Beach, and the Union Jack kept flying from sun-

Principal Collector at Cuddalore superscribed "Calcutta

Date of the arrival of the Vessel at Mur Kanum may be

for the same at the Principal Collectors Cutcherry

/Signed/ W. Ashton.
Pl. Coll.r

Ordered

Fort St. George 22d. March 1841.

Order thereon,

Ordered to be sent for publication in the Fort St. George Gazette.

(25. 26)

Read the following letter.

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

(27)

From the Coll.r of Trichinopoly

Sir,

Para 1 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18. Ulto. Calling upon me to report upon two Petitions* presented to Government by Sashagerry raw son of Lutchmun raw formerly Head Seristadar of this District.

2 Sashagerry raw appears to have accompanied his Father to this District and to have been appointed an additional Head Ghomastah on the 27th December 1826. on the 21st March 1828 his name was ordered to be struck out of the Mozeen Gabetah as having been absent without Leave for four months.

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Returning two Petitions presented to Government by Sashagerry raw son of Lutchmun raw formerly Head Seristadar of his District, and stating that it does not seem that Petitioner has any claim to be provided with a situation on the score of his own service in his District.

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3. As far as I have been able to learn his appointment to a situation in this Cutcherry seems to have been merely a temporary arraingement, and would not have taken place but for his father's holding the situation of Head Seristadar, and he seems to have left the District with his father.

Under these circumstances,

4 that Sashagerry raw it does not seem has any claim to be provided with a situation on the score of his own services.

He is reported to have inherited from his Father a share of a considerable Moottah in Salem - but it is said that disputes have reduced the family to poverty.

Trichinopoly.
Collector's Office,
8th March 1841.

(Signed) R. P. Anslow.
Collector

Ordered that the following address be submitted together with the foregoing letter

(27-28)

To the Chief Secretary to Government

To the Chief Sec.y to Gov.t

Sir,

Para 1- With reference to the order endorsed upon the original Petitions from Shashagherry praw Nos. 138 and 139 of 1841 bearing date the 1st. Febuary last, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to transmit, for submission to Government the accompanying letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly, to whom application was made for information in regard to the Petitioner's Claims-

8th Inst. 22d March 1841-

2d. Shashagerry Praw, it will be seen, is stated to have left the public service with his father- His original Petition are herewith returned-

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 22d March 1841.- } Signed/ P. B. Smollett Secretary

From the Collector of Trichinopoly Read register of Petitions bearing the Board's endorsement presented

(29)

presented to him for the month of February last-

(29-30)

Order thereon-

Office- Ordered to be lodged in the Resolved that the following letters be submitted together with the several communications therein referred to-

To. The Chief Secretary to Government..

(31)

To the Chief Secy. to Government

Sir,

Para 1- I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of an extract from the minutes of Consultation dated the 22d February 1840. accompanied by copy of a letter from the Secretary to the Medical Board, suggesting the establishment of public dispensaries at some of the most populous towns under this Presidency, and submitting a draft of rules for the management thereof-

2. These rules having been, agreeably to the orders of Government, forwarded to the Collectors of those Districts in which Lunger Khanas existed, to which it was surmised by Government, that the said rules might be

Submitting with reference to the extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated the 22d Feby. 1840. letters from the Sr. Collr. of Madura, North & South Arcot. stating that the rules for the management of the Native Dispensaries recommended by the Medical Board are not applicable to the Lunger Khanas maintained in their Districts also submitting a letter from the Actg. Sr. Collr. of Tanjore, recommending that the Lunger Khanas established at Conjeveram under the sanction of Govt.

Madura 2d. Inst. 1840.

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Govt. orders 11th June 1839 be converted into a native Hospital on the principle suggested in the Rules and that the expences incurred by the alteration be defrayed out of the Pagoda Funds by which the Lunger Khana in question is supported.—

From the Jd. Coll. of Nellore 1st inl. 17th Dec. 1840. South arcot 4th inl. 13th Augt. 1840. North arcot 29th Nov. inl. 17th Dec. 1840. Tanjore 26th June inl. 16th July 1840.

be found applicable, I am desired to request that you will submit for the information and orders of Government the accompanying letters which have been received in reply.

3. It will be seen that the rules in question are considered by the Principal Collectors of Nellore, North, and South arcot to be inapplicable to the Lunger Khanas in existence in those Districts. but the Principal Collector, Southern Division arcot, strongly urges the establishment at Cuddalore of an infirmary of the nature contemplated by the medical Board in their Secretary's letter above alluded to. as it would appear from the minutes of Consultation under reply, that the Establishment of infirmaries in any District requires the previous sanction of the Court of Directors, to whom a reference has been made upon the subject, the Board conclude that no steps can be taken in furtherance of

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of Mr. Ashton's suggestion, until the pleasure of the Court is known.—

4. The Acting Principal Collector of Tanjore, in his letter, suggests that the Lunger Khana established at Combaconum, under sanction of Government dated the 11th June 1839. should be converted into a Native Hospital or dispensary on the principle suggested in the Regulations which have been furnished to him, and that the expences incurred by this alteration, including, if it be deemed proper, the charge for medical attendance, should be defrayed out of the Pagoda funds, by which the Lunger Khana already sanctioned is supported. The Board see no objection whatever to this arrangement, and they beg accordingly that the Acting Principal Collector, may receive the sanction of Government for carrying it into effect.—

In Cons. 17th June 1839.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George. 22d. March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett Secretary

Received.

(45) in the above statement be authorized.—

From the Collector of Rajahmundry. Reporting that there is no Item to send the monthly returns of persons charged before the Collector with offences and of those confined, under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of February last.—

(46) From the Collector of Rajahmundry. Acknowledging the receipt of 48 printed forms of the statements of Demand, Collection and Balance. also 10 of those for the insertion of Items of Extra revenue sent with a letter of 10th January last together with 4 of the former description despatched by Bangby.—

(47) From the Acting Principal Collector of Tanjore. Stating that the returns of Persons charged with offences and of Persons convicted and in confinement under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of February last are not sent, there being no entry to make.—

(48) From the Collector of Trichinopoly. Return of Persons charged with offences under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of February last.—

(49) From the Collector of Trichinopoly. Return of Persons in confinement in pursuance to the sentence under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of February last.—

(50) From the Collector of Trichinopoly. Forwarding certain returns for the Month of February last.—

(51) From the Collector of Trichinopoly. Forwarding a return of Persons suspended and dismissed under the Provisions of Regulation VI of 1831. for the Month of February last.—

(52) From the Collector of Trichinopoly. Return of smuggled goods released on payment of Extra duty for the Month of February last.—

(53) From the Acting Collector of Tinnevelly. Returning Petition No 4

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No. 1571 of 1840 from certain inhabitants of the Village of Parevullecotay, with an Endorsement thereon—

54

From the Collector of Vizagapatam, Acknowledging the receipt of certain Printed papers—

" Inclt.

" A. Maclean

Compt. [illegible]

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No Diary

Thursday 25th March 1841.

At a Meeting Present

John Dent Esqr. Senior Member

and

Alexander Maclean Esqr. Temporary Member

Walter Elliot Esqr. Third Member absent on duty.

Minutes of the last Meeting read

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and approved.—

Proceedings

Recording resolutions on an Extract from the Mt. of Consn. 16th February 1841 relative to a despatch from England dated 19th Augt. 1840. No. 12. in Consn. 25th March 1841.

The Board proceed to dispose of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of the 16th February 1841.—

Ordered that copy of Para 3 of the Minutes of Consultation with transcript of Para 6 of the General letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors dated 19th August 1840 be furnished to the Principal Collector of Coimbatore,— with a request he will report at his earliest

earliest convenience if any and what decision has been passed on the suit instituted by Mr. Fischer in the Zillah Court of Salem. No. 116 of 1838 in reference to the right of occupancy of certain land within the Fort of Errode.

Mr. of Cons. Para 7.

General Letter from the Court of Directors Paras. 13. 14. 15 and 16.

Ordered that copies of this correspondence be furnished to the Department of Public works whose the suggestions of the Honorable Court will be separately considered.

Mr. of Cons. Para 11. To Govt. 11th March 1841.

The Board have already addressed Government in a distinct communication in reference to the arrears of Business and their separation into two Divisions with a view to the greater despatch

despatch of Business.-

Mr. of Cons. Para 13.

General Letter Paras 31 to 32.-

Ordered that transcript of these Paras be furnished to the Acting Collector of Cuddapah for his information and guidance. Mr. Hallett will also communicate the substance of the Honorable Courts Decision to the late Head Sheristadar Butcha Row.-

Courts Letter Para 34 } Mr. of Cons. Para 15 } No Remark

Courts Letter Para 39 } Mr. of Cons. - - 17 } The Board will continue to be guided by the rules now in force in recommending grants of land for the support of native Choultries in the Provinces.-

Courts Letter Para 41 } Mr. of Cons. Para 19 } Does not seem to require Remark.-

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Court's letter Para 45
Mr. of Con. Para 22
} No Remarks

Court's letter Para 50
Mr. of Con. Para 25
} The Board of Revenue will be guided by the observations recorded in their Proceedings in reporting upon the Agraharums of Salem now under Amanie, the condition of which has recently been brought to notice in detail by the Principal Collector Mr. Gleig.

Court's letter Para 55 & 56.
Mr. of Con. Para 28 - -

In reference to the observations recorded in the foregoing Extract of the Minutes of Consultation it is only necessary to observe that the sale of the Charmhal Zemindary which includes the Perganahs of Vennacata and Gordevade was specially brought to the notice of Government in the letter from this Department of the 7th December last. The suggestions offered by

No 139.

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by Government in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of the 3d February have caused a further reference to the Collector of Masulipatam, on the receipt of whose report the Board will submit their sentiments on the course to be taken as regards the Zemindary.

In Con. 22d Feby 1841.

Court's letter Para 57
Mr. of Con. 29 - - -
} Ordered that transcript of these Paras be furnished to the Collectors of Bellary, Cuddapah, Masulipatam, Rajahmundry and Vizagapatam, respectively, for their information and for Records.

Court's letter Para 64
Mr. of Con. Para 33
} The subject of these Paras will be separately considered in subsequent Proceedings.

Court's letter Paras 72 & 73
Mr. of Con. - - - - 39.
} Ordered that transcript of the foregoing Resolution with Extract of the Honorable the Court of Directors letter to which it relates be furnished for his information to the Collector of Masulipatam.

Read

Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

Read again Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 2d and entered in Consultation 4th Instant.

Ordered that the following letters be sent in consequence.

To,

The Principal Collector of

Nellore

Sir

(2)

To the Pl. Collr of Nellore - - - }

With reference to the correspondence noted in the Margin, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acquaint you that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to grant authority for the payment of the Yemiah of Syed Hussain being transferred from your Treasury to that of the Collector of Cuddapah.

From Nellore 4th Dec. 1840.
In Cons. 14th Dc
To Dc 14th Dc
From Dc 29th Dc
In Cons. 14th Jany 1841.
From Govt 2d March 1841.
In Cons. 4th Dc

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In giving effect to the foregoing order of Government you will be pleased to furnish the Collector of Cuddapah with a descriptive Roll of Syed Hussain, and to inform him of the period upto which the pension was paid in your District.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 25th March 1841. }

(Signed) P. B. Smollet
Secy

Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

To

The Acting Collector of

Cuddapah

Sir

(2-3)

To the Acting Collr of Cuddapah - - - }

With reference to Mr Skelton's letter of the 25th January last, No. 8, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to grant authority for the payment of the Yemiah of Syed Hussain being transferred from the Treasury of the Principal Collector of Nellore to that of Cuddapah.

In Govt 8th Feby 1841.
From Govt 2d March 1841
In Cons 4th Dc

Mr Stonhouse has been requested to furnish you with a descriptive Roll of Syed Hussain and to inform you of the period up to which the pension was paid in Nellore.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 25th March 1841. }

(Signed) P. B. Smollet
Secretary

From the Chief Secy to Govt. }

(4)

Read the following Extracts

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 9th March 1841.

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

(Here enter 7th December 1840 - No. 84)

Para 1. The subject to be considered in

in regard to the Benganapilly Jaghеer divides itself into two heads. First, the settlement of the Debts of the Jaghеerdar and his connections Secondly the arrangements necessary to be made for the administration of Revenue and Judicial affairs.-

2. Mr Blane's letter exhibits a detailed and clear account of the Debts with which the Jaghеer is incumbered the method adopted by him to bring them into a train of liquidation and the probable time in which they will be cleared off.-

3 The arrangements made by Mr Blane appear to be just and reasonable towards all parties. The total claims against the Nabob and others of his family amounted to 15,81,819 Rupees of which 185175 are rejected disallowed or referred for settlement elsewhere leaving an amount of admitted Debts equal to 13,96,643 Rupees. Of this the creditors have been induced to abate 4,44,956 Rupees and 2,58,475 have been already paid from the funds in hand.

hand, so that the actual Debt now stands at 6,93,209- if again from this is deducted 15,605 Rupees which (being family transactions) have been compromised and 56,438, the amount of a Bond, for which a Box of Jewels now in the creditors hand is mortgaged. the debt may be considered as reduced to about 6¼ Lacs.-

4 With a view of expediting the settlement of these Debts the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is of opinion that the Jewels above alluded to should not be redeemed, and that notice to that effect should be given to the creditor, unless he has already come to some arrangement.-

5. With reference to Para 5 of Mr Blane's letter the Right Honorable the Governor in Council considers it advisable that a farther proclamation should be made to the effect, that unless the claims which are still kept back amounting to 89723 Rupees be brought forward within 6 months they shall be positively and altogether struck out.-

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6. The claims against the Nabob Hussain Alikhan individually, amounted to Rupees 7,31,437. They have been reduced by rejection, abatement, and actual payment, to 2,88,407 of which 42,989 is not claimed, though admitted to be due - and 27,933 the Nabob's share of the Debt for which the Jewels were mortgaged. There is also the sum of 41,360 Rupees, his share of the Revenue of last year now in hand Mr Blane calculates that his annual share of the Jaghеer Revenue ($\frac{1}{3}$rd of the whole) will be at least 35,000 Rupees. thus enabling the whole of his Debt to be cleared off within 7 years whereas, had not the creditors been induced to make a great abatement, he could not have been free of debt within 14 years.

7. The amount of the claims against Futteh Alikhan, younger brother of the Nabob amounted to 41,6992 they have been reduced

reduced by abatement, rejection, and actual payment to 2,53,933 - of which 28,505 is his share of the Debt for which the Jewels were mortgaged, and Rupees 48,383 Claims admitted but not yet presented. His annual share of the Jaghеer Revenue is only 14,000 Rupees, he therefore could not have cleared himself under 32 years, had he not been generously assisted by the Nabob, who is ready to allow the surplus of his own Revenue to be applied to the liquidation of his brother's debts by which assistance he will be free of debt in 10 years.

8. In reference to para 9 of Mr Blane's letter the Right Honorable the Governor in Council approves of the arrangement made with respect to the claims against Rownneck Alikhan, cousin to the Nabob, by which those debts only are admitted to a present settlement for the liquidation of which assignments of

Revenue

Revenue within the Jaghеer of Bunganapilly have been made, under which head Rupees 35,000 is now due. This Mr Blane calculates will be paid off in 2 years.

9 The remainder of the Debts due by the other members of the family are now reduced in the aggregate to about 1,10,000 Rupees, parcelled out into small sums some of which however it will take from 12 to 17 years to liquidate.

10 The Right Honorable the Governor in Council approves of Mr Blane's rejection of the obsolete claims on Taher Alikhan cousin to the Nabob. (it being by no means the intention of Government, to give an opening to this kind of demands) as also of the payment of the accumulated funds due to those Members of the family against whom no claims have been preferred.

11 On the whole the arrangements made

made by Mr Blane for adjusting the debts of this family seem to be unobjectionable, and it is satisfactory to perceive that the great reduction in their demands made by the creditors has been owing to their trust in the guarantee held out to them by Government. This part therefore of the subject may be considered as settled.

12 With reference to Para 12 of the Board's letter the Right Honorable the Governor in Council is of opinion that the Pro-clamation of 1832 should still remain in force as a temporary measure only until other arrangements which will be alluded to in a subsequent para are determined upon.

13. The administration of Revenue and Judicial affairs will remain as the Board recommend, under Government Officers, till such time as the Principal Debts are reported as liquidated. The

Collector

Collector of Cuddapah continuing Superintendence of the Revenue, and the estate remaining for the present under the Zillah Court.-

14.- Whatever may be finally decided upon with regard to this Jagheer it seems advisable that the British Court should control all criminal Judicial Proceedings in cases involving the punishment of life and death.-

15. His Lordship in Council is quite of opinion with the Board of Revenue that it would be highly desirable to place this Jagheer under the supervision of the same Officer who may be appointed to the charge of Kurnoor. vesting him with the same powers as the Agents in the Ganjam and Vizagapatam Districts, and thus dispensing with the arrangement proposed in Para 13 of these Proceedings.

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16. As the future Management of the Kurnool Territory is yet under consideration it would be permature to enforce the above proposition; it will however be borne in mind.-

17 With regard to the ultimate re-transference of the Jagheer after the liquidation of the principal debts His Lordship in Council is inclined to believe that it will be in accordance with the wishes of the Honorable Court of Directors (though it is not distinctly stated in their dispatch) to restore it to the Nawab with a Sunnud similar to the one which the Board propose renewing to him his former rights and privileges and independence of the Civil and Criminal Courts except in cases involving extreme punishment, which can be then specified.-

18 In conclusion, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council has much pleasure in noticing the Zeal and ability with which

which Mr Blane has brought into order the complicated and disorderly state of affairs existing in this Jaghеer.-

To the President and Members
of the
Board of Revenue

(A true Extract)
(Signed) H.y Chamier
Chief Secy

Order thereon

4-5

Ordered that copy of the Extract from the Board's Proceedings of date the 7th December last on the affairs of the Bariganapully Jaghеer, with transcript of the foregoing Resolution of Government thereon be furnished to Mr Blane Commissioner a Kurnool for his information and guidance.-

Mr Blane will cause a copy of this correspondence to be furnished to the Acting Collector of Cuddapah for record in his Office.-

The original Sunnuds adverted to in the concluding Para of Mr Blane's letter of the 20th October 1840 are returned herewith for delivery to the Nabob of Bariganapully.-

Extract

Sent 19th Nov.r 1840.

Comp.d HR.

From the Chief Sec.y to Government.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 13th March 1841.

1

Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue (Here enter 18th February 1841 No 71)

Before acceding to the recommendation of the Board of Revenue on behalf of Syed Khaja Ahmud and his brother, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council desires it may be distinctly ascertained and reported to him whether the above parties took part in, or were in any way connected with the intrigues of the late Jaghire-dar of Woodiagherry, as his Lordship in Council conceives, in that case a compliance with the recommendation in question will place them in a better condition than they originally stood, for the Jaghire was a life tenure and Syed Khaja Ahmud and all other Sub Tenants must have lost their holdings at his death.-

(A true Extract.)
(Signed) H.y Chamier.
Chief Secretary.

Ordered

4254 Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

Resolution thereon. Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Minutes of Consultation be forwarded to the Principal Collector of Nellore with reference to his letter of the 22d January

(6.7)

In Cons. 8th Feby 1841.

The Principal Collector is requested to supply the information called for by Government regarding Syed Khaja Ahmed and his brother with as little delay as possible, to enable the Board to submit to Government his letter of the 27th ultimo, in which orders are required regarding the terms under which it is proposed to continue the Villages of Kurvatepully and Kisteepooram in possession of those individuals.

(8)

From the Chief Secy to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation 9th March 1841.

The following Paper is ordered to be recorded.

Petition No. 409 of 1841.

From S. Balsoobia Maniaar Modelliar, T. Chellapah Modelliar and several others the Natatore or Directors of the Pagoda Tayman Saumy in the Rock Fort of Trichinopoly.

(Here enter 10th Feby)

Ordered

4255 Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

Ordered that the foregoing Petition be referred, through the Revenue Department, for the immediate report of the Collector of Trichinopoly, and that his attention be called to the time that has elapsed since orders were issued to report upon the subject in Extract, Cons. 13th November 1840. No steps to be taken in the removal of flowers without further orders from Government.

(Signed) S. W. Steel. Lieutenant Colonel. Secretary to Government

Ordered to be communicated to the Board of Revenue for their information and guidance.

(Signed) H. Chamier. Chief Secretary.

(8.9)

Order thereon. Ordered that transcript of the foregoing orders be furnished to the Collector of Trichinopoly, who will be pleased as therein required, to report through the Board for submission to Government, upon the Statement of Petition No. 409 of 1841, now forwarded.

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4250 — Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

Mr. Sinclair will likewise suspend all operations on the Memorial of the Founder referred, until the receipt of further orders.

(10)

From the Chief Secretary to Government — Read letter, transmitting a Tamil and a Telugu Almanac for the use of the Board's office.

(10 - 11)

Order thereon:-

Ordered to be lodged.

Read the following Resolution Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 22d March 1841.

(From Board 8th March 1841.)

(12)

From the Chief Secy to Government

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council grants authority for the defence of the Suit No. 162 of 1839 instituted against the Collector of Malabar and one Cholakare Chemmy Panikare in the Adawlut Court of that zillah, by Taley Parameshoorah Mooplah, but will determine on a Copy of the Decree being laid before him, whether the Costs, if any, be adjudged against the Collector, shall be borne by that Officer or by the Government.-

(Signed) W. Chamier
Chief Secretary

Order

4257. Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

Order thereon

(12 - 13)

Ordered that transcript of the foregoing Extract from the Minutes of Consultation with Copy of the Board's letter of the 4th March be furnished to the Collector of Malabar for his information and guidance, with reference

In Cons. 4th March 1841. to Mr. Conolly's communication of the 16th February last.-

Read again letter from the Collector of Vizagapatam dated 9th and entered in Consultation 18th Instant.-

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.-

To The Collector in the Zillah of Vizagapatam.

(14)

To the Collr of Vizagapatam — stating that the Board see no objection to the Landed Estates of the late Goday Soorla Raca-sarow being registered in the manner proposed before his death by the deceased and concurred in by his family

In Cons. 18th March 1841.

Sir,

Para 1. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 9th March reporting the demise of Goday Soorla Racasa Row with its enclosures, and stating the disposition the deceased has made of his property in your District.-

2.- As that is not disputed by his family but on the contrary as the arrangement

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family and desiring him to endeavour to settle by arbitration a dispute regarding the right claimed by the late Ra=cavarow to erect an embankment in the Tandavan river.

arrangement seems to be in accordance with their wishes, there seems to be no objec=tion to the Landed Estate being registered in the manner proposed.-

3 In connection with this subject I am directed by the Board of Revenue to transmit to you Copy of a letter received from the Collector of Rajahmundry with original enclosures (to be returned) reporting

27th Feby in Cons. 18th March 1841.

the commencement of an action against the Officers of Government and others by the late Sooria Racava Row, the object of which is to enforce by decision of a Court of Law his right to the erection of a dam or embankment in the Tandavah River the existing arrangement having only been temporarily sanctioned with permission of the holder of the Cottam and Street=rama pooram Zemindaries.-

4.- It has occurred to the Board that the matter in Dispute could probably be more correctly decided if the Officers of the two Districts in communication with the parties chiefly interested and with the

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the assistance of the Civil Engineer of the Division were to meet at the spot at a time to be mutualy agreed upon, and come to some definite arrangement upon the course to be pursued.- The Board are averse to sanction re=course to legal proceedings if they can be avoided, and they would wish to know if the heirs of Sooria Racava Row are inclined to have the matter to be settled by arbitration in conjunction with the Revenue Authorities of the two Districts in the manner pro=posed.-

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 25th March 1841. } (Signed) P. B. Smollett. Secretary.

Read again letter from the Collector of Rajahmundry dated 5th and entered in Consultation 15th Instant.-

Ordered that the following address be submitted in consequence.-

To, The Chief Secretary to Government.

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To the Chief Secy to Government. } Sir,

I am directed by the Board of

4260- Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

of Revenue to request that you will
submit for the orders of the Right
Honorable the Governor in Council the
accompanying letter from the Collector of
Rajahmundry with its enclosure, and under
the explanation therein contained to
recommend that sanction may be
granted for the proposed disburse-
ment of Rupees 600-- -- for collecting
138 Garces of spontaneous Salt considered
fit for use, and for destroying a further
quantity not fit to be collected.-

5th in Cons. 15th March 1841

BRITISH ORIGINAL DESTROYED

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
25th March, 1841.

Signed P. B. Smollett
Secretary.

Read

4261 Fort St. George 25th March 1841.-

Read the following letter.-

To the Secretary to the
Court of Wards.-
Fort St. George.-

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From the Collr of Rajahmundry. Respecting the Petitions of Rumpah people received with the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue.-

Sir,

I have the honor to submit my report on the accompanying two Petitions of Madhavaraty Mullaa Bhoopaty, otherwise called Gedda Surdar Mullaa Bhoopaty, and certain other inhabitants of Rumpah respecting a claim set forth by the said Mullaa Bhoopaty to that Country.-

1. The Deed executed by Rajah Rumpah Rauz Bhoopaty on 7th November 1813, clearly proves that he was then the acknowledged Chief of this Country, and as such, he was received by Sir Thomas Munro in 1822, the first time he had been induced to visit the plains.- He was succeeded by Sree Rajah Madhavaraty Rauz Bhoopaty Davoo, the present Minor on 12th March 1835.-

2.- The immediate predecessor of Rajah Rumpah Rauz Bhoopaty was Pedda Tuggayanaty, who gave to the Father of Mullaa Bhoopaty,

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+ Vide enclosure No 1 to my letter of 4th October 1839.-

Vide Mr. Crawley's letter of 18th April 1835.-

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Bhoopaty twelve Villages, as she did also many other relations and Dependents on va= tenures.- To this Gift the late Rajah Rum= Ram Bhoopaty added a money allowance Rupees fifty a year which was increased by the present Minor to Rupees one hundred

Vide* Enclosed & translation 1836

Copy No 1 his entering into an engagement under date Sunday the 17th of Prangha Sa= =kum of the year Munmad thereby to abstain disturbing the Country.- This engagement was entered into by several of the

++ Inhabitants.-
1 Valagapully Commereddy
1 Valamoor Rameddy
Hill People
1 Yadaocoor Commereddy
1 Bundapully Summon Dorah
Vide enclosed copies and translations No 2 & 3

parties signing the second Petition to Government.- Further engagements were also entered into by Mullao Bhoopaty & the following persons

Yudavcoory Commereddy
Bundapully Summon Dorah } Inhabitants
Naradapully Boreddy
Moosoorpully Rajah Reddy
Valagapully Commereddy
Valamoory Rameddy
Cakoora Bayaperaddy
Nadaloory Rameddy
Vamaocondah Rajahreddy } Hill people

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on Friday the 12th of Answeeja Soodhum of the year Doarmoathy.-

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4. It is thus clear that Mullao Bhoopaty cannot claim the Country either as its having been enjoyed by his Father or as having been chosen to succeed him by the late incumbent Rajah Rumpah Ram Bhoopaty.-

5. Allowing, however, that the attacks against the Minor when he was driven out of his Country, had invalved his death, the ques= =tion is, could Mullao Bhoopaty have main= =tained his right to succeed him among the inhabitants of the Country? The answer is decidedly, No- Mullao Bhoopatys Father was the son of a concubine just in the same manner as the present Minor, and Mullao Bhoopatys own conduct, during the life time of the late Rajah Rumpah Ram Bhoopaty, appears to have been marked by a lawless and restless disposition he having been obliged to leave the Country shortly before the late Rajah's death, in consequence of an unsuccessful attempt made by him on the life of the Rajah.-

Zillah Rajahmundry
Collector's Circuit Cutcherry
Rajahmundry 8th March 1841

Signed/ G. A. Smith
Collector

To

No 1.

To Rumbhoopaty Davoo Maharauze

An agreement entered into by Shree Mulloo Bhoopaty Davoo.

As you have determined to grant me a further annual allowance of 60 Rupees in addition to that of 50 allowed by the former authorities for my maintenance, and have directed me to wish you prosperity, by receiving the said aggregate amount allowance of 100 Rupees like all others living in Estate Pundroposals & c. places, I give my consent to all these terms in presence of the under signed Mediators. I promise by these presents not to demand any more allowances than those above determined, and not to commit any kind of irregularities - should it be proved by any of the said Mediators that any irregularities, contrary to the terms agreed above, be committed on my part I promise to forfeit my allowance in land and in ready money alluded to and to be obedient to your commands. The present agreement is executed in full with my concurrence. Dated the 7th day of Maghu

Maghu Soodda Sunday of the year Munmadha.

(Signed) Shree Mullloo Bhoopaty Davoo.

Individuals of Madhoo Vidoo Talooke. —

(Marked) Vedoovary Comareddy
" Bundapilly Summondarah
" Varadamilly Bareddy
" Condadah Mudreddy
" Becrumpilly Summondarah
(Sig.) Mullamilly Mahauze
" Chintapilly Suggrauze
" Cummumrauze
" Rauze Ramacroostumrauze
" Coomapereddy Venkanah
(Marked) Saib Mahomed Saw
(Signed) P. Suggummadhrauze

Hill people of Madhoo vidoo Talooke. —

(Marked) Valamoor Ramereddy.
" Mossomilly Rajah Reddy
" Kalagapilly Comereddy
" Soodogoary Summasereddy
" Coakoor Boyapareddy
" Bodoolaar Amalareddy
" Madhoovaty Vengalareddy
" Tadapilly Comereddy
" Pumpereddy Gungapah Village Moondiff
" Modopalum Boochapah
" Saib Selar Saib Sumadar
(Sig.) Putchepoolaar Gungiah

(True Translation)

(Signed) G. A. Smith Capt.

No 2

To Rumbhoopaty Davoo Maharauze

An agreement entered into by Shree Mullloo Bhoopaty Davoo.

As the individuals and Hill people of Madhoovedy Talook have settled the variance which has taken place between

between us in breach of the conditions of our agree-
=ment lately entered into, and determined
that I should annually be paid the allow-
=ance of 100 Rupees according to your writte
engagement, I hereby agree that I will not
hence forward offer any hindrance to your
affairs of any kind, nor commit any irregula-
=rities - should it be proved that I am guilty
of such things, I promise that I will not only
forfeit the allowance which has been estab-
=lished by you, but submit myself to the
decision of the individuals and Hill people
The present agreement is drawn in full
with my concurrence - Dated the 19th day of
Ausenyaka Saadha Friday of the year Door-
=mookhy -

(Signed) Stree Mulloo Bhoopaty Davo.

Witnesses

Market Saib Selar Saheb (Signed) Pakalapaty
" Saib Mohammed Saw Suggummanthang
" Muneky Cantoo

and drawn by Mereyalah Setunnah

(True Translation)

(Signed) G. A. Smith

Collector

No

No 3

To Stree Ramboopaty Davo Maharanye

An agreement entered into by the individuals
named Vadavcoary Cammereddy, Bundapully
Sommon Dorah, Naradonpully Barreddy and
Hill people named Moosarpully Rajareddy,
Valagapully Camereddy, Valamoory Ramereddy,
Cakaaro Bayapareddy, Nadoolowy Ramereddy,
and Vamvalacondah Rajareddy &c.

In consequence of some variance having
taken place between you and Stree Guddadah
Mullo Bhoopaty in breach of the conditions
of an agreement lately passed between you both
we all have collected and removed the said
variance - we also have solicited you and
obtained your consent to pay to Mullo Bhoo-
=paty the annual allowance of 100 Rupees
as agreed and to favor him only for this
year, in consequence of the scarcity with
=are Sarce of Paddy - you will therefore be
pleased to continue the payment of the
Annual allowance of 100 Rupees to
the said Mullo Bhoopaty - We de-
=clare that we will not henceforward
offer any hindrance to your authority and
orders

orders nor commit irregularities- We do further agree that we will not throw any impediments in the way of the revenue affairs or others, as well as in the realization of the reasonable sums due to your Devanum, or in your employing any body for conducting your affairs- should it be proved that any Ryotwar encouraged by us to keep back the payment of the dues to the Circar we promise that we will not only be held answerable for such sums through any of us who may be convicted of having offered hindrances to that effect- should any fault be found on the part of us, or others, we shall not only demerit your favor, but submit ourselves to the act of the Government- The present agreement was executed in full with our concurrence- Dated the 12th day of Ruduvgaja Sooda Friday of the

the year Doormoakey.-

Individuals.- Hill people.-

(Marked) Comereddy (Sig.) Rajah Reddy
" Summon Dorah (Marked) Comereddy
" Borreddy " Ramereddy
" Bayaparieddy
" Ramereddy
" Rajahreddy

Witnesses (Signed) Pankalapaty
(Marked) Saib Sebar Saib Suggannadrauze
Saib Mahomed Son
" Munchenedy Swamy Merey alah Leeta.
and drawer by
mah.-

(A true translation)
(Signed) S. A Smith
Collector

16-17 Under the circum-
Proceedings thereon stances reported in the foregoing
letter, the board of Wards consi-
der the petitions which accompany
it to be undeserving of further
notice- Ordered that a
copy of these proceedings and
of the foregoing letter from the
Collector of Rajahmundry be submitted
for

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for the information of Government with reference to the Minutes of Consultation dated 2d January 1841.-

In Cons 28th Jany 1841.-

Read the following letter-

To the Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Collr of Masulipatam

(18)

Para. 1.- I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 22d Ultimo, and to forward a Statement of the Wastage of Salt in this District for Fasly 1249 according to the Form circulated in your Predecessor's letter under date the 21st November 1836.-

2.- It will be observed with reference to the remarks on Item No 5 in the Statement of sums proposed to be disbursed for fasly 1241, and sanctioned by Government under date 21st January

Last

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4271 Fort St. George 25th March 1841.-

Last, that authority was granted for making a number of Purrahs with the view of ascertaining correctly the actual quantity of Salt in Store and preventing wastage as far as possible.-

3 After the present mode of measuring and storing the Salt has been in operation for some time, and the Outturn of the heaps has been ascertained, a rate of wastage may be fixed with reference to the time which the Salt may have been in store previous to the Sale.-

Masulipatam Hillah
Coll[r]s Circuit Cutchery
Avanegudda
25th March 1841

(Signed) P. Grant
Collector

Statement

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ORIGINAL DESTROYED

Ordered to lie over.

Read the following letter.-

To, The Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated 8th Ultimo. I have the honor to forward herewith a Statement, Shewing the amount of Charges incurred on account of the Porto Novo Ploughs, and of the sums realized on those sold to different Ryots in this Jurisdiction. It will be seen that 123 Ploughs have been distributed.- The Ryots, on being called upon to pay the Price of Rupees 6 for each Plough, object as the instrument is not so useful to them as they had expected from seeing its effects at Guntoor, and would rather give back the Plough than pay this sum. It's weight

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Statement

District

Names of Cotaurs

1 Pondrave Cotaur

2 Immoyyer Cotaur

weight and the impracticability of repairing it are against it's being used, it will be used in Ploughing up waste lands when 2 pairs of Bullocks, will be yoked to it, and adverting to this, I think the Ploughs may be distributed without price or for some thing almost nominal, perhaps one Rupee I observed that an inhabitant of Colacalore used it this year in Ploughing up his Garden land.-

In my letter dated 9th November 1839, it was stated that 25 Ploughs had been distributed- It appears that the Plough I was using, as well as one taken by the Head Assistant Collector but since returned, were included in that statement.

Guntoor, - - -
Collector's Cutcherry,
8th March 1841.-

/Signed/ J. Goldingham.
Coll.r
Statement

Statement Shewing the Number of Cast Iron Ploughs received from Porto Novo, the charges incurred on that account and the Amount of sale proceeds thereof in the Zillah of Guntoor-

				Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P. Cor. A. P.
3 Ploughs fitted with wood at 18 Rs. each.				54 " "	
37 Do. not fitted Do. at 10 Rupees each.				370 " "	
					424 " "
Charges.					
Proportion of Shipping Charges being 1/9 d of Rs. 5-1- paid at Porto Novo				" 9 "	
Freight paid from Porto novo to Madras				2 9	
For landing the Ploughs				" 6 11	
For Conveying to the Sea Custom House				" 13 4	
For Shipping at Madras				1 3 "	
Freight from Madras to Masulipatam				20 " "	
For landing at Masulipatam				1 6 "	
Hire paid for 3 Bandies for conveying from the Sea Shore into the Town				" 12 "	
Do. for 3 Do. Do. from Masulipatam to Guntoor at 5-5-4. per Bandy				16 " "	
					43 11 4
Expense incurred at Guntoor for casting a new share.					
Charcoal				" 5 "	
Brattics				" 2 "	
Borax				" 1 3.	
Tin				" 8 "	
Cotton				" " 7	
Oil				" " 5	
Red Mud				" 4 "	
Carried over				1 5- 3	467 11 4

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Brought over	1-5-3		467 11 4
Iron Hoops	" 7 "		
Hire for Coolies	3-12 "	5 8 3	
Value of Wood for fitting the Porto Novo Ploughs	8-1-10.		
Carpenter's hire for 35 1/2 Days at 1/4 rupee per diem	8-14-6		
For repairing Ploughs		16 15 10	
Charcoal	" 5 "		
Brass	" 8 "		
Borax	" 2 "		
Value of Poonnarwood	" 15 "		
	" 4 "		
For Conveying one Plough from Guntoor to Maurtoor	" 4 8		
		23 15 9	
			491 11 1

Receipts.

Amount received in part of the Value of 4 Ploughs out of 23 sold to different ryots being 24 Rupees at 6 Rupees per each		23 9 4

Guntoor, - - - - - - -
Collector's Cutcherry,
8th March 1841.

E E Rx / Signed / S. Goldingham
Coll.r

Ordered

Fort St. George 25th March 1841.-

Order thereon.

Ordered to lie on the Table.-

Read again letter from the Principal Collector of Nellore dated 1st and entered in Consultation 11th Instant.-

(20. 21)

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.-

(22)

To the Principal Collector of Nellore.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 1st

To the Pl. Collr of Nellore.

In Cons 11th March 1841.

Instant I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that they are not in possession of any information regarding the terms and regulations under which salt is exported from Bombay, beyond what is contained in act XXXII of 1837, with the provisions of which you are of course acquainted.-

2. It does not however appear to the Board that information on the points alluded to in your letter under reply is essentially necessary to enable you to furnish

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a reply to my letter of the 11th ultimo, the object of which was merely to obtain your opinion founded upon enquiries amongst the Merchants and others most conversant with the subject, as to whether, with reference to the Cost price of Manufacture, and the import duty levied in Calcutta, a free trade in salt could be carried on between this Presidency and Bengal with a reasonable prospect of remuneration to the Merchant.-

Revenue Board Office, } Signed P. B. Smollett.
Fort St. George, 25th March 1841. } Secretary

Read again letter from the Acting Collector of Cuddapah dated 1st and entered in Consultation 15th Instant.

Ordered that the following address be submitted in Consequence.-

To

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To the Chief Secretary to Government.

(23)

From the Chief Secy. to Government.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will submit for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying correspondence, and to recommend that Sanction may be granted for the Sum of Rupees 45-7-4 being the Amount of Charges incurred for preparing 36 Belts for the use of the Huzzoor Duffadars and Delayets of the Cuddapah District.-

Revenue Board Office, } Signed P. B. Smollett.
Fort St. George, 25th March 1841. } Secretary.

Read the following letter-

To, The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George.-

(24)

From the Acting Collr. of Cuddapah.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward Copy of

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of a letter from Ramiah, Native Afsistant in this Zillah together with the Original Medical Certificate.-

I would suggest that as the weste= =rn Coast appears to agree with his health, he be transferred to one of the Collectorates there.

Cuddapah,- - - - - - -
Coll.rs Office, 13th March 1841.
} Signed/ C. H. Hallett.
Acting Collector.

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To, The Acting Collector of
Cuddapah.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith a Medical Certificate of the Afsistant Surgeon at Coimbatore, bearing date the 4th Instant, and to request you will have the goodnefs to submit my application for an extension of my leave of absence on sick certificate until the 6th July next, for the favorable consideration of the Board of Revenue, in order that the permifsion of the Right

Fort St. George 25th March 1841.-

Right Honorable the Governor in Council may be obtained.-

Coimbatore, - - -
4th June 1841.
} Signed/ P. Ramiah
Native Afsistant Collector.

/True Copy/
/Signed/ C. H. Hallett.
Aj. Collr

No. 1.

I do hereby certify that P. Ramiah Native Afsistant to the Collector and magis= =trate of Cuddapah has not sufficiently recovered his health to enable him to return to his duty, and I am of opinion that he should receive further permifsion to be ab= =sent therefrom until the 6th of July 1841.- to enable him to revisit the western Coast.-

Coimbatore, - -
4th March 1841.
} Signed/ H. P. Molle.
Afsistant Surgeon.

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Order thereon.
/Read again in cons/
1st April - Award at a future Meeting.-
Ordered to be brought for= Read again the correspondence noted

Proceedings.-
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To the Pt. Collr. & Dt. arct 15th April 1840.
From 29th October in cons.
19th November
To the Collector of Chinglepat
19th November
From 3rd in cons.
18th March 1841.

noted in the Margin.-

Ordered that the following endorsement be made on Petition No. 39 of 1840.-

Under the circumstances represented by the Principal Collector, Northern Division of Arcot, in his report upon this Petition, dated the 29th October last and considering that the claim therein advanced has been already thoroughly investigated & rejected both by the Board of Revenue and the Government, the Board decline taking any further Notice of the petitioner's prayer.-

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing endorsement be communicated to the Principal Collector, Northern Division of Arcot, with reference to his letter dated the 29th October 1840.-

Read again letter from the Collector of Chinglepat dated 16th December 1840 and entered in consultation 4th January 1841.

Ordered

4283 Fort St. George 25th March 1841.-

Order thereon.-

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Ordered that the following Endorsement be passed upon Original Petition No. 1837 of 1840 and that it be returned for delivery to the Petitioner on through the Collector of Chinglepat.-

Endorsement.

The Fine adverted to in this address would seem to have been imposed under the provisions of Reg. V of 1822 & Reg. IX of 1816 The Board of Revenue therefore see no occasion to interfere in this case, and the Petitioner is referred for redress to the Ordinary Judicial authorities, should he feel himself aggrieved by the Magistrate's decision.-

Read the following letters

To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George

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From the Collr. of Chinglepat

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the

Fort St. George 25th March 1841.-

the receipt of your letter of the 25th. ultimo relative to the Aycoluttoor Mootah, and remarking on the length of time that has elapsed since its attachment without the subdivision amounts ordered by the Board of Revenue having been submitted-

2. The investigation into this subject did not originate in me, nor was it at my desire that the question of the subdivision which had been approved of and acted upon for upwards of nine years was mooted; but having received the instructions of the Board to investigate the matter, I did so to the best of my ability, and laid before you for their information the result of my investigation- The Board then instructed me to attach the Mootah with the view of my being enabled to submit for their consideration true accounts

of

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of the actual produce, which could only be ensured by the Mootah remaining on under my management until the termination of the present harvest as soon as that has passed, I shall be prepared to submit the accounts required, and I must distinctly state that I consider that an order to release the Village from attachment at an earlier period, would merely be casting on Submitting true accounts.-

3. That the Mootahdar should Petition the Board and urge by every means in his power, not even omitting false representation, the releasement of the Mootah from an attachment that will exhibit its true resources, and tend to raise the portion of the Permanent settlement to be borne by him does not surprise me, but I do trust the Board after hearing

having gone so far to obtain a fair divisions of the assessment, will not frustrate all that has been done by yielding to unfounded Claimaurs of loss.-

4 Before concluding this address I must refer to the Petitions of the Mootahdar forwarded with your several letters under date the 17th December 1840 and 25th February 1841- On the receipt of the first, I sent to the Mootahdar for a letter of the ryots whom he stated to have been driven by the Ameen from the Villages and found his Statement to be false I then with the view of recommending the release of his Mootah from attachment desired him to forward to me the true accounts of the actual produce for three years past, of the correctness of which, I could judge very merely, from the result and accounts I had of the present year; but to which he

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" 374 of 1841-

has not returned an answer up to the present time.-

5- In conclusion I beg you will inform the Board that no unnecessary delay shall originate on my part and that I trust the result of my management, notwithstanding the present Statements of the Mootahdar, will eventually prove satisfactory to them. The Original Petitions are herewith returned.-

Chingleput District
Collectors Cutchery
Conjeveram 6th March 1841

/Signed/ A. Freese
Collector

Order thereon
Read again in Con. 25th Inst.

Ordered to be sent again in Circulation-

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To, The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Coll.r of
Chingleput

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I have the honor to report for the information of the Board of Revenue that

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that having called upon the Shetrieindar of Syanellore to pay the arrears due to his adoptive mother and make arrangements for the regular payments of her allowances, he stated that he had no present means of paying her any thing, but would endeavour at the termination of the Fusly to pay her the arrears due with the Current instalments but he can give no security for the fulfilment of his promises. The fact is the young man has run through the property he derived through the adoption, and there are no means of causing the payment of the pension agreed upon to the widow of the deceased Shetrieindar except by the attachment of the Village.—

Chinglepat District.—
Coll.r's Circuit Cutchery.—
Streepermatoor 15th March 1841

/Signed/ A. Freese
Collector.

Ordered

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Ordered that the following address be submitted in consequence.—

To The Chief Secretary to
Government

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To the Chief Sec.y to Government

Sir.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will submit for the consideration & orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying Correspondence

From the Coll.r 4th inst. with the Proceedings of the Board 17th October 1839

From the Coll.r 1st inst. with the Proceedings of the Board 17th October —"

From the Coll.r 11th Nov.r with the Proceedings of the B.d 11th Feb.y —"

From D.o 26th Jany inst. with the Proceedings of the B.d 11th February 1841

From the Coll.r 15th inst. with the Proceedings of the B.d 25th March —"

Chinglepat & to recommend that sanction may

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may be granted for taking under the Collector's management the Shrotriem Village of Iyanellore, with a view to securing payment of the pension of 10 Rupees allotted from the surplus proceeds to the widow of the late Shrotriemdar which has been withheld by her adopted son who is at present in possession & from whom it appears impossible to secure the payment of the pension by any other means.—

Revenue Board Office—

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Sec.y

Read

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No. 34

Read the following letter

To

The Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

Sir

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From the Collr. of North Arcot— Reporting on the accompanying Petitions relative to the acts of oppression and extortion complained of against the Zemindar of Calastry—

No. 682 of 1839
" 970, 971, 972, 973 of 1840
" 117 of 1841

Para 1. I have the honor to acknowledge the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 14th December 1840 transmitting Copy of a letter from the Chief Secretary under date the 3rd December 1840, directing me to furnish a detailed report on the Petitions noted in the margin from the Inhabitants of certain Villages in the Zemindary of Calastry complaining of acts of oppression and extortion committed by the Zemindar—

2 The Petitioners in No. 970 of 1840 state that the Village of Jumbacolum was given in charity to their ancestors by one Pedda Vencatapa Naik Bahadar (the 5th Zemindar of Calastry) as Survah Manium

Maniam That they accordingly have enjoyed the Gift and that the Village has been always deducted from the Peishcush of the Zemindary, and that it is entered in the Pymash accounts of the Zemindary as "Survah maniam" and paying no Godee, but notwithstanding this the Zemindar has never ceased Collecting Godee from them, and in consequence of their refusing to pay this Godee, the Zemindar has attached their produce.—

3 Before stating any thing further I may mention what the Petitioners themselves now acknowledge that the subject matter of their Petition is not correctly stated. It is not "Godei" that the Zemindar demands, but certain Roojums "which he says he is entitled to, and which the Petitioners object

object to pay.—

4 The Zemindar in support of his claim to collect these Roojums, calls attention to Mr. Stratton's Statement of the Revenues of his Zemindary, sent to the Board on the 14th July 1801.—In this Statement it will be observed, the land revenue of Jumbacolum is estimated at 233 R 5 as 12/16 and the sum to be deducted, as Enam alienated land, amounts to Pagodas 152. 1 a 1/16, leaving a balance under the head of "Iyen List Bariz" 27. 13 as 16/16.—

5 This amount the Petitioners object to pay, or any sum whatever under the head of 'Iyen List Bariz".—In this they are totally wrong, the Zemindar having perfect right to this Collection, and the same is guaranteed to him in Mr. Stratton's report.—

6 There is another Collection under

under the neat heading in Mr Stratton's
Statement above referred to, which
may be disputable. The Zemindar
however insists upon his right to this
also. he alludes to the sum of P 53 - 6 as 12 16
as Levy Sist or Extra Collections" -

7 Mr Stratton referring to this
head in the 102d Para of his report states
"Under the head of Extra Collections I
"have classed all Collections of an oppressive
"and uncertain nature all of which I re-
"commend the Poligars should be so
"most pointedly interdicted from
"levying in future and that the
"Ryots should be informed by pro-
"clamation that they are for ever
"after relieved from all such vexatious
"exactions" The Zemindar in reply states that
he knows nothing of what Mr Stratton
has reported respecting these
Extra Collections" He considers
himself fully warranted in making

them

them and they are entered in the Bogavuttah
and also in the Curumis accounts as his
due. That in the Istimirar Sunnud
granted to him by Government, he is
excluded from all control over the Abkary
the Salt and the Sayer Revenue, but
nothing whatever is stated depriving
him of these Resumes which Custom
requires to be paid to him —

8 I cannot discover amongst
the records of this Office that any
order or proclamation, such as that
Mr Stratton recommends to be published,
was ever passed or issued to the Zemin-
dars, nor can the Petitioners produce a
Copy of any such order. These Collec-
tions appear to be of no recent date
either, they have only been objected
to by the Petitioners within the
last twelve months previous to which
they were always regularly

paid

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paid on demand. The Petitioners' ances-
:tors appear to have made no objec-
:tions to them on the contrary his
Father at a very late period, request-
:ed the present Zemindar's Grand
Father to reduce the amount
of the Roojums to Pᵒ 46. as 4 11/16 / the
revenue of the Village being in-
:sufficient to afford the full and
established Roojum. Marah, which
was fixed at Pᵒ 81. as 4 11/16 / which the
Zemindar, at that time Consented
to do, and the Karanamah, at the
time drawn out and given by the
Petitioners father, is still extant,
which proves that he did not
consider them exactions.—

9 So long a period having
elapsed since Mr Stratton's
report was written, and long established

Custom

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Custom allowing these "Extra Collections"
to the present and all previous Zemin-
:dars of Calastry, I do not think it
would be prudent immediately at any
rate to deprive him of them, but to
allow the parties to seek redress, as
some are at present doing in a Court
of law, where the Case can only be
satisfactorily disposed of, and
when once a decision is obtained
there, it will for ever set the Mat-
:ter at rest.—

Petitions Nos. 682 of 1839. as
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970. 971. 972. 973. of 1840 and 117 of 1841 as
all to the same purport only pre-
:sented by different Individuals.

Their prayer is the same "Extortion"

which

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which means the levying of these Roos-
-sums, and the "oppression" complained
of, is attaching the Village produce
for arrears due on account of Roosums—

" The Zemindar is at present
trying his right in the Civil Court
and some of the Petitioners are doing
the same Were I at once to deprive him
of these Roosums he of course would
hold me answerable in like manner
I afford to both parties all the ev-
evidence in my Office that can
elucidate their case, and I would
recommend that no further measures
be taken until the Courts decision is
known—

Northarcot, ...
Pl. Coll. Cs. Cutchery,
Vellore, 6th March, 1841

/ Signed / G. M. Gelve
Principal Collector

Ordered

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Ordered to be sent again in
Order thereon. Read again in Cons. 1st Apl
Circulation—

32. 53

Read again letter from the Prin.
-cipal Collector of South arcot dated
6th and entered in Consultation 18th Instant—

Ordered that the following
addrs be submitted in consequence—

To The Chief Secretary to
Government

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To the Chief Sec. Sir

I am directed by the Board
of Revenue to request you will lay
before Government for orders the
the accompanying letter with its in-
-closures from Mr. Ashton Prin. Collector Southern
Division of Arcot in reference to Suit
No. 405 of 1839 of the Auxiliary Court
of Chingleput—

2 The circumstances connected
with this action were originally submitted
to

Submitting a letter from the Pl. Coll. of the S. Div. of Arcot requesting authority to appeal against a decision passed by the Auxiliary Court of Chingleput in a Suit for the recovery of certain land in which he was a defendant stating that the Decree appears to the Board

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to be equitable and to meet the merits of the case which should not be contested further in the Court of Adalut, requesting to know if Government concur in this view by whom the costs adjudged against the Officers shall be borne.—

to Government with a letter from this Department under date the 9th April last In this communication it was stated that the defence of the Principal Collector was confined to a distinct assertion that the land for the recovery of which the Suit was brought had been openly renounced by the Plaintiff and had been consequently given to another applicant with his concurrence. The Board presuming that this fact could be clearly substantiated stated their opinion that the defence would be sufficient & recommended accordingly that it should be undertaken at the Public Expense

The

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3 The decree of the Assistant Judge is contained in Enclosure No. 6 His Judgment is in favor of the Plaintiff. The 1st Defendant, the new occupant of the land sued for is adjudged to pay to Plaintiff Rupees 20 the value of certain Trees cut down, and the Principal Collector Mr. Ashton has been ordered to pay all Costs except such portion of the 1st Defendants Costs as are proportional to the amount decreed against him.—

4 Mr. Ashton has submitted draft of an appeal Plaint against this Judgment to the Zillah Court mainly on the ground that a supplemental

Plaint

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Plaint was filed by the Plaintiff containing new and important matter which materially influenced the Court in the Judgment passed against him, which was never communicated to his / Mr. Ashton's / Vakil and farther that the Judgment of the Court is in some respects not supported by the evidence but the Board of Revenue direct me to observe that with the facts of the case as they appear on the Record now before them the course indicated is not considered to be advisable The decree of the Court on the whole seems equitable & to meet the merits of the case which should not they think be contested farther in the Courts of Adalut.--

5 If Government concur in this view it will be for them to determine by whom the Costs adjudged against their Officers shall be borne.--

Revd. Board's Office.--
Fort St. George 25th march 1841
Compd. L.R.

/ Signed / C. B. Lewellett
Sd. Read

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Read the following letter,

To the Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir,

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From the Prin.l Collector of South Arcot

I have the honor to forward for submission to the Board, the enclosed copy and translation of a Plaint in Suit No. 493 of 1840. filed in the Auxiliary Court of Chingleput against myself as Principal Collector of South Arcot, and another, with a Draft of an answer, and Request that permission may be obtained from Government to defend the same at the public expense.

I take the present opportunity to forward copies of correspondence which took place some time ago on the subject of this suit between the Assistant Judge and myself, which may perhaps throw some light upon it.

(Signed.) W Ashton.
Prin.l Coll.r

Mailnadoomboor
South Arcot, Prin.l Coll.r
Circ.r Cuttchery, 9th March 1841

To

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No 1.

To the Assistant Judge of

Chingleput.

Vencatachellah Moodelly, Son of Chenna-
: ya Moodelly of Carrguiramettacoopum in the Cuddalo-
: talook, having made Salam, lays his complaint
against the Principal Collector Mr. William
Ashton, and against Papoo Reddy a Cultivator
of Oollairyput in the Talook of Villapooram for
the recovery of 9 Annas of Munja Malgoozary land
of the 4th class, yielding an annual Rent of
Rupees three and pice ten.

That is to say

In No. 22 of 1837 of the Cuddalore
Talook Moonsiffs Court on the sale of the effects
of the Defendant Soobah Reddy an inhabitant
of Oochymoodoo in the Cuddalore Talook which were
attached for the satisfaction of the amount adjudged
to be due by him, I having purchased at the Court sale
on the 20th December 1838 the land as follows in
the

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the above named Oochymoodoo, Viz. the Perual-
: Oday Nunjah land of the 3d. Class 10 Annas, in
the above oday another hait of Nunjee of the 4th
Class Nine annas, altogether one Cawny, three annas
at that time because the raing season and Cultiva-
: tion time were passed in 1839 in the Month of
March and April as the rain fell in season I
was ploughing the said lands to make Cultivation
therein. Afterwards the 2d. Defendant by
the Assistance of the Monegar and Curnam
of the said Village in Fusly 48 gave a proposal
to the 1st. Defendant for the said one Cawny and
three annas.

Notwithstanding numerous com-
: plaints shewing that I had purchased the said land
at the Court sale, and that I was ready to pay
the whole Turwah on the said one Cawny, and
three annas, that the said proposal was irregular and
should not be confirmed, the first Defendant
without making any enquiry having caused

to

to be given to me only ten annas of the above two-
hails, he gave over the other hait of nine annas
of the 4th Class to the 2d Defendant concerning
this, on forwarding an argee to the Salook Mamuff.
He addressed the Court above and in addition
I being present in this Court and having entred
the bill of sale and other documents, the Acting
Assistant Judge directed me to file a regular
plaint. The documents given by me are all in the
Court. I pray that it may be decreed that deducting
the ten annas which are in my possession out
of the above one Cawny and three annas, the Malgu-
zary Mengee land of the 5th Class in the said Permab
Oday which is by the 1st Defendants Assistance now
in the 2d Defendants' possession, may be given to me,
and that the Puttah now in the name of the 2d
Defendant being cancelled, may be made in my name.

Salam.

1840. October 17th

/Signed/ Venkatachella Moodelly

The

The boundaries of the above land are
South of my hypat Nunjah of the 3d Class in the Permab
Oday. West of the tope of the Indigo factory of Mr.
Breithaupt. East of the ally Woday on the boundary of
Perya Ganganumcoopum. North of the haller wash of the
above boundary in the middle of these the above Permab
Oday Nunja of the 4th Class nine sixteenths of a Cawny.
There is no number of the said land in the Circar accounts.

(Signed) Venkatachella Moodelly.

/Signed/ Annavyen.

Government Vakeel.

(True Translation.)

/Signed/ W. Ashton

Prin. Collector

No. 2.

Proposed Draft of an answer to be filed in
Suit No. 493 of 1840.

Complainant. Defendants.

Venkatachella Moodelly. 1. Wm. Ashton Esqr. Prin. Collr.
of South Arcot.
2 Baboo Reddy.

The Complainant sues for
the

the recovery of 9 annas of Nunjee land in the Village of Oochemodoo in the Talook of Cuddalore paying an annual rent of Rupees 3--10.

The land claimed is known by the name of Permal Oodiay Nunjee of the 4th No Sarum and measuring 8 3/4 Annas, liable to an annual teerwah of Rupees 3--10-

It was waste and unoccupied by any one in Fuslies 1245, 1246 and 1247 and in the Month of May 1839 in Fusly 1248 the 2d Defendant offered to rent it, and to pay the teerwah for that Fusly- Being waste for nearly four years it was beyond all question at the disposal of Revenue Officers, and as no objection appeared it was accordingly made over to the 2d Defendant and pottah was given to him in that year- After the 2d Defendant was put in possession of the land, the Complainant laid a Claim to the land before the Principal Coll.r on the plea of having purchased it at a sale by the Moonsiff of the Cuddalore Court in the

Month

Month of December 1838, but as it had previously to this Claim been legally made over to the 2d Defendant, it could not be taken away from him except under a decree of the Civil Court, unless he forfeited it by ceasing to pay the Government demand--

With the legality or illegality of the Moonsiffs proceeding to sell land which having been waste for several years had reverted to the Circar, the 1st Defendant has no concern at present. It is sufficiently obvious if the above statement is proved that the present Defendants to this suit are not the parties from whom the Complainant should seek redress for any loss he may have sustained, and the 1st Defendant therefore requests that the suit may be dismissed with Costs--

/Signed/ W Ashton.

Princ.l Collector.

No 3

To the Principal Collector of the Southern Division of Arcot.

Sir,

I have the honor to enclose

Copies

Copies of two Petitions presented in this Court by Venecatachella Moodelly and Siroocawmy reddy — " respecting two lots of land sold to them in execution of two decrees by the district Moonsiff of Cuddalore on the 20th and 22d of December 1838 respectively, and also the Bills of sale granted by the Moonsiff, and with reference to the Circular order of the Sudr Udalut Dated 16th August 1827. I have to request that you will be so good as to inform me what cause has existed to prevent these persons being put into possession of the lands regularly sold to them.

Cuddalore, Auxiliary Court, 13th August 1839.

/Signed/ C. J. Kaye.
Ag. Asst. Judge

To The Acting Assistant Judge
Sir,
Cuddalore

I have the honor in reply to your letter of the 13th Ultimo to state that part of the land included in the bill of sale given to Venecatachella Moodelly having been waste for few Years was made over in June last to another person on his application, the remainder is in possession

possession of the Petitioner and in due course he will receive a puttah, his statement in his petition to the Court that the land he cannot obtain, was not waste is untrue —

With respect to the land sold by the Moonsiff to the Petitioners Siroawmy Reddy, upon inquiry I find that part of it was long waste and on the same being cultivated by a Ryot of the Village it was entered in the accounts, and he received a Puttah for the same —

The Defendants in both cases had no right to the waste land, and I presume the Court only sells the interest of defendants in any property, in satisfaction of its decrees —

Mupalanay, Sroonamallee —
Salvoh South Arcot, Princ. Coll.
Circuit Cutcheny 3d September 1839.

/Signed/ W. Ashton
Princ. Collector.

To the Principal Collector of the Southern Division of Arcot.

Sir,

Para 1. I have the honor to acknowledge the

the receipt of your letter of the 3d Instant, in which you observe that the lands alluded to in the two Petitions which accompanied my letter of the 13th Ultimo, were waste lands, that the Defendants (on whose account they were sold.) had no right to them, and that you presume that "the Court only sells the interest of Defendants in any property in Satisfaction of its decrees".

2d In reply I have to remark that the practice of the Court is first to place in attachment lands seized in execution of decree, and to allow them to remain a certain time in attachment previous to the sale, in order that any Claim, which may be advanced to the lands may be investigated, if preferred prior to the sale, but the sale, when once effected, I understand to be absolute, and unconditional and not made with any reservation whatever.

3d The Court of Sudr Udalut have indeed in their Circular order of the 16th August

August 1827, (to which I beg to refer you) laid it down as a positive rule that the Courts are not competent to annul their own sales on Claims being set up to the property sold, "the purchaser having obtained an apparent right of possession of which he cannot be divested without regular process at law."

4th In the present instance I understand from your communication under reply, that the Government sets up a Claim to the land sold to the Petitioners on the ground of its having been waste for several years. I am of opinion however, that the Government only stands in the light of any other Claimant, and that its Claim cannot now be entertained except on the institution of a regular suit against the purchaser.

5th I have further to observe that the Courts have no means of ascertaining whether land is waste or not except through the means of the Village, or other Revenue authorities, and that in the instance now under

under discussion, the Village authorities made no objection, whatever, either to the attachment or the sale of the property in question, but on the contrary signed both the Zuft and sale accounts, which I have the honor to enclose for your inspection, circular instructions were sent to the Moonsiffs under date the 11th February 1839 prohibiting the sale of waste lands, and had this objection been raised by the proper authorities on behalf of the Circar, previous to the sale of the property, it would of course have been taken into consideration.

4th Under this view of the case I shall consider it necessary, if you still decline to grant Puttahs to the purchasers, to refer the case for the final orders of the Court of Sudr. Udalut. I request the favor of a reply as early as possible, and that you will be so good as to return the Zuft accounts, which accompany—

Cuddalore, Auxiliary Court, 13th September 1839.

/Signed/ C. S. Kaye.
Ag. Asst. Judge.

To the Acting Assistant Judge,
Cuddalore

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 13th Instant, I have the honor to state that as upon their application I have put the present occupants in possession of the lands which are claimed by those who purchased them at the Court's sales, I am as little enabled legally to oust them from their possession, as the Courts are to annul the sales. Neither process however appears to be necessary.

The neglect of the Village Officers arising from ignorance, or from want of any fixed rule for their guidance could not I imagine be a sufficient reason for the Courts to direct the sale of lands to which the Defendants had no right, but if the Courts have Authority to sell any lands or property which may be said to belong to any individual, I still suppose that the sale only conveys the right and title of

of that individual to the purchaser, and
that it is the business of that purchaser
to ascertain that he is making a real and
not a supposed acquirement on that the
said individual has actually the rights
which are expected to be obtained by the
purchase.

In the Tinnevelly Dutt lands of the
District there is no mera soy or proprietary
right in the soil the right of occupation
being the Ryots only species of property enjoyed by
tained by payment of the land
=nue for which a Puttah is given.
and this right is only main

On the discontinuance by the ryot
to pay the revenue, the land reverts
to the ruling power, and the entire
interest of the late occupant after a
short period wholly ceases on the
application of another Ryot the
land is made over to him, but in
the mean time though sales may take
place

place respecting the land or the right to
occupy there is in fact nothing to sell for
the land itself is never conveyed but
only the right to occupy.

It appears in the
cases in question that though the Village
officers had they been aware of the true
nature of the case might have inform=
=ed the Courts that there was no saleable
property belonging to any individual,
yet that the purchasers took no pains
to ascertain that they were making a
good and valid purchase at the time
of sale, and that afterwards they took
no steps to confirm their right to occupy
the lands in question by applying for a
Puttah or bringing them under Cultivation.

Under these circumstances
the lands have been made over to others
on their application, and I am unable to
resume them, or to grant Puttahs to the Peti=
=tioners who, by their own inadvertence in the
first

first instance and afterwards by their own neglect, have lost the opportunity of securing the profession of the lands they supposed they had purchased.

The inclosures to your letter are herewith returned.

Bundepollem Tindevanum
Salook, South Arcot Pn
Coll.r's Cutcherry 18th Sept.r 1839

Signed W. Ashton
Pn Collector

Proceedings thereon.

35-36

The Board of Revenue are of opinion that the suit in question is not defensible upon its merits and they must decline recommending to Government that the plaint be answered at the puble expense.

2- When it had been ascertained that the land in question had been actually purchased in 1838 by the Plaintiff at a public sale, by order of the Auxiliary Court, the acceptance of a Durkast by Baboo Reddy was irregular & illegal without reference to the Plaintiff Venecatachella Moodely

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& as this Person was ready & willing to pay the Authorized Assessment it was perfectly competent to the Collector to cause it to be restored to his enjoyment.

3- The Board direct that this be now done.

To, The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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From the Pn Coll.r in the S.th Div.n of Arcot

Sir,

With reference to my letter dated the 29th August. I have the honor to forward Copy of an Extract in Tamool from the Proceedings of the Auxiliary Court of Cuddalore, and request to know whether any answer to the suit in question is to be filed.

Mailnadoomboor-
South arcot-
Pn Coll.r's Cutcherry
10th March 1841

Signed W. Ashton
Pn Collector

A

Diary of the 4th March 1841.

The Government Vakeel Annavier having been questioned as to why an

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an answer was not yet filed by him on behalf of the Collector the 8th. Defendant in this suit, notwithstanding the lapse of time which he had thrice obtained for it, stated that he was not furnished by the Collector with the (draft of the) answer, as it was not returned to that Office by the Board of Revenue. Ordered, therefore that the Government Vakeel do address a letter to the Collector informing him that the Court can no longer wait for the answer, and requesting him to write again to the Board for it & to send it to him.

The Vakeel has produced a Sanad received by him from the Collector from which it appears that the (draft of the) answer to this suit has not as yet been returned to him by the Board.

8th. March 1841.

/True Copy/ /Signed/ Annavier
Govt. Vakeel
/signed/ W. Ashton
Pr. Coll.
/A true translation/ Pillay
(Signed) R. Baulu
Appeal Translator
Ordered

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Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply:-

(37-38)

To the Principal Collector in the Southern Division of Arcot

To the Pl. Coll.r in the Sn. Dn. of Arcot } Sir,
In Con.n 25 March 1841

1- I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th. Instant, submitting copy of an extract from the Proceedings of the Auxiliary Court of Cuddalore, having reference to a Suit against the late Principal Collector & others, the institution of which was reported in your letter of the 29th. August last.-
In Con.n 24th. Sept.r 1840

2- The Board having ascertained from their Senior Member Mr. Dent that it is not his intention so far as he himself is a party to the Suit in question, in his capacity of late Principal Collector Southern Division of Arcot to

enter

enter into the Merits of the case, desire me to point out that it is competent to any other of the parties who may appear as Defendants, to put in an answer to the Plaint & should such proceeding be deemed expedient they desire that the result may be reported with a view to the adjustment of the decree as regards the liabilities of the late Principal Collector.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
25th March 1841.

/ Signed / P. B. Smollett
Secretary

Read the following letters.

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

39

From the Asst Coll. in the Sub Div. of Arcot

With reference to the Proceedings of the Board dated the 10th December last and the orders of Government conveyed therein, I have the honor to report that I have again investigated the

Reporting the result of his further investigation of the Claim of Venkata Royen son of the late

late Annavoyen the Calendar reader in the Village of Kottalampaukum & recommending that his former decision founded on the report of the Tahsildar be reversed & that the Inamiens be again placed in the possession of the Shrotriemdars.

the claim of Venkataroyen, son of the late Annavoyen the Calendar reader in the Village of Kottalampaukum, the result of which is as follows.

The Village is held by certain Bramins on Shrotriem tenure, who form one party in the Village, and who are opposed to the Soodra Ryots of the same Village. The Soodras having the person named Venkataroyen for their Calendar reader while the Shrotriemdars employ one of their own number for the Bramins. There is no Village account, or other document of any kind, to shew by whom the Office was held previously to the Survey in Fusly 1217 but in the Paymash account the name of Annavoyen is entered as the reader.

It appears that the Complainant, and his father Annahvoyen before him, have for many years performed

performed the duty of Calendar reader to the Soodra Ryots of Kottalampaukum and are generally recognized as the persons entitled to the office. An enquiry was made by the Tahsildarin 1828 by orders of Mr Cunliffe when it was reported by that Officer to be proved by the evidence, that the person entered in the Pymash account was the father of the Complainant but that the Inamiem was and had been long in the possession of the Shrotriemdars of the Village. The depositions taken upon that occasion are not to be found in the Talook or Cutcherry records. Mr Cunliffe upon this report directed the Complainants if he wished to recover possession of the Inamiem, to bring a Suit in the Civil Court. It appears that the complainant did not follow this Course and by

Regulations

Regulation VI of 1831 he has since been precluded from doing so. It appears on the other hand that the Inamiem in question is not in the occupation of the person named Annahvyen the person to whom the Office is stated by the Shrotriemdars to belong, and it does not appear by the evidence that he performs the duty, tho' it is alleged by the Shrotriemdars that he does so to the Bramins. The evidence is extremely conflicting and from the length of time that has elapsed during which the claim has been undecided, it has now become very difficult to determine whether the Shrotriemdars have usurped the right of the Claimant or not, but it is certain that for many years the land has been in the possession of their party, and cultivated by their tenant, while the present claimant so far back as 1828 was

referred

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referred to the Civil Court and did not avail himself of that Course, which was then open to him. From the failure of all documentary evidence to prove that the Maniem was originally granted by the Ruling power, it is impossible now to disprove the assertion of the Shrotriemdars that it was entirely of their own institution, and I am from the above considerations induced to recommend that my former decision, founded on the report of the Tahsildar be reversed and that the Maniem be again placed in possession of the Shrotriemdars, the Claim of Vencatary=en being rejected as not sufficiently established to warrant the transfer.

The Petitions which accompanied the above Proceedings are herewith returned.

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South Arcot. — — — — — —
Pt Collrs Cutcherry, 12th March, 1841.

Signed W. Ashton
Pt Collr

Ordered

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Proceedings thereon.

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Ordered that a copy of the foregoing letter be submitted for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council with reference to the Minutes of Consultation dated the 23d November last.

Subcons 10th Decr 1840

The Board recommends that sanction may be granted for adjusting the claims to the Meerasy Enam attached to the Office of Panchangum of the Village of Rottalapaukum, in the manner proposed by Mr Ashton.

To,
The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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From the Pt Collr in the Sn Dn of Arcot

Sir

I have the honor to bring to notice that an irregularity appears in the Talooks of Munnargoody and Chellumbrum in the allowance of the Menha or deduc=tion from the land revenue in favour of

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of Mussulman Cultivators, or at least that part of them who are distinguished as "Lubbies." In the other Talooks of the Soobah these persons are uniformly allowed the benefit of the privilege in the same manner and to the same extent as other Mussulmans - but in these two Talooks though the original Mussulmans were always admitted to the benefit, previously to the Pymash in Fusly 1217 no Lubbies received any such favorable consideration -

Subsequently in some Villages a Trinah for some inhabitants of that Class has been introduced, apparently without any Authority, and at varying rates, and it is now claimed by the whole of that Class, the total number of such Cultivators in the two Talooks is 57. occupying 119 Cauvies

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Cawnies of whom 25 pay the full amount of the Assessment - the remaining 32 are allowed a deduction at various rates the total amount of which is Rupees 84-10 6 - which is obviously an usurpation and no doubt occasioned by the practice prevailing in the other parts of the District -

As it is necessary that the orders passed should be made known to the parties before the Commencement of another Fusly, I request you will inform me of the decision at your earliest convenience -

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South Arcot ...
Principal Coll[r]s Cert Cutcy
12th March 1841 ...

Signed/ W. Ashton
Principal Collector

Proceedings thereon -

As the Class of Mahomedans distinguished

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distinguished as "Labbies" are permitted the allowance of "Minha" generally throughout South Arcot and as in a majority of instances the same deduction has been granted for many years in the Talooks of Chellumbrum & Trumnargoody, the Board are of opinion that with a view to uniformity it is desirable that the whole Class be included in the benefit of the allowance which Mr. Ashton will grant accordingly from the commencement of the next fusly.—

Read

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Read the following letters.—

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From the Collector of Trichinopoly—

Submitting explanation in reference to the Board's proceedings dated 22d Ultimo regarding certain Circumstances Connected with the Conduct of his suspended Naib Seristadar Chellapah Moodeliar—

To

The Secretary to the Board of Revenue. Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the proceedings of the Board of Revenue, under date the 22nd Ultimo, commenting upon my letter of the 15th September 1840. in which I brought to the notice of the Board certain circumstances connected with the Conduct of my suspended Naib Seristadar Chellapah Moodeliar—

2. It would ill become me to offer any remarks on the Board's proceedings, but I cannot refrain from observing, in explanation of the view I have taken of the merits of the case, that my allegations that Chellapah Moodeliar was the means of procuring certain alterations in regard to the assessment of certain lands and of procuring the assessment of improper rates on others, have

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have not in the slightest degree been controverted - and that the fact of his having had the effrontery to tell his superior that he had fixed on certain of the lands in question. cooly on full teerwah, when such was not the case, being a matter of indubitable record does not admit of the possibility of a doubt. No subterfuge whatever on the part of Chellapah Moodliar can abrogate this fact - and I do not believe that even he would venture on so egregious a falsehood as to assert that by the term Cooly teerwah any thing in the Revenue language of the district could be understood but full teerwah in its fullest and most comprehensive sense, in opposition and contradistinction to the terms invented to denominate the various modifications of assessment prevailing under a variety of peculiarities in this district —

3- The Board quite mistake me

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me if they imagine that I for an instant supposed that the order of Mr Blair dated the 6th September 1833 alluded to the same transaction as that which forms the subject of charge 1st of my letter of the 15th September 1840 - the order however applies to the same lands - and I cannot imagine in what way I should be justified in admitting the anomaly that lands held by a privileged class on full teerwah should be taken from them and made over to a class to which no privilege are recorded on a reduced rate of teerwah. - Under these circumstances I have directed the collection of the full rate of Teerwah on the lands in question, and I respectfully submit that in mentioning that Mr Blair unwittingly (not unwillingly as the Copyist seems to have written) signed an order to the effect that reduced teerwah should be levied - I am fully borne out by the circumstance that the teerwah to be levied

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levied was represented to him to be cooy or full teerwah.—

4. With regard to the propriety of Chellapah Moodeliars taking 3/8ths of a Cawney of land professedly held on a reduced rate of assessment in consideration of duties to be performed by a Village Servant. I feel myself perfectly competent to decide. Chellapah Moodeliar would readily have found refuge in a better reason had one presented itself to him. but even he could not pretend to say that the circumstance of Ryots being occasionally allowed to enjoy land at a reduced rate of teerwah formed any justification of the proceeding in question. for he knew very well that althoughout the district ryots may have surreptitiously obtained possession of lands on reduced teerwah for I cannot admit that an authorized practice of allowing them indulgenced prevails.

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prevails. there is no precedent whatever for such a practice with regard to the particular description of lands in question, which even tho' held by Mahajanums are according to the prevailing custom of the District fully assessed to the Revenue, no indulgence in short are ever allowed or met with any intention of calling in question the propriety of the views which the Board have taken of the case — I have no right to do so perhaps but as facts shew beyond all possibility of doubt that Chellapah Moodeliar has made false statements, and the Board have decided that the circumstance of a Collector affixing his seal and signature to a document absolves the Serishtadar, who may have advised him, from all responsibility.

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it is evidently necessary for me, for the sake of my own character, that I should have under me Serishtadars whom I can trust: and as I cannot trust Chellapah Moodeliar, not only because in the transactions particularly alluded to in this address he has been shewn to be unworthy of confidence in my opinion - but because his conduct has been pronounced by the Board in the communications noted in the Margin* to be liable to suspicion and deserving of censure, and because he had been a principal party in this Mismanagement of the affairs of the Trichinopoly Cutchery; and because also he is unfit as I shall be prepared to shew if necessary, for the due performance of the duties requisite in a Naib Serishtadar of the Trichinopoly Cutchery - even if honesty, a quality of which I believe him to be peculiarly destitute, were not a requisite - I must

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* Board's proceedings dated 5th March 1820. para 12. Board's proceedings dated 25th Feby 1820. para 6.

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Solicit the permission of the Board to nominate another person to the Office of Deputy Serishtadar, for Chellapah Moodeliar can never be allowed by me to perform duty again in an Office in which his corruption is as well known as his existence.-

If the Board do not consider themselves at liberty to comply with my request to be allowed to nominate a Deputy Serishtadar in the room of Chellapah Moodeliar - I must respectfully request that they will be pleased to submit this letter for the consideration and orders of the Governor in Council.-

7* I will merely add that the necessity I have for a Naib Serishtadar whose services will be available to me are most pressing. The Board's late orders for the preparation of the Jummabundy Accounts call for the exertions the most strenuous, exertions of every Member of the Serishtadar Cutchery, it involves besides

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besides additional labor in the current business a minute attention to former accounts - and it will not do under such circumstances to have such an incubus thrown upon my Cutcherry as Chellapah Moodeliar would be -

8. With regard to the irregularity to which the Board allude in the 7th para of their proceedings of the 25th Ultimo I have only to observe that the whole of the depositions were placed in Chellapah Moodeliar's hands, and that I did not cause him to be present merely because I wished to spare myself the pain of subjecting to public examination a person who held so high an appointment as that of Naik Sherestadar. I intended to give him every opportunity of disproving the charges, and he cannot complain that in other cases he has not had this opportunity. -

Trichinopoly, Collr's Cutcherry, 10th March 1841. -

(Signed) A. P. Onslow
Collector

To

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To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir,

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From the Collr of Trichinopoly. Para 1.

With reference to my letter of the 10th Instant. I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to add to the documents referred to in the Margin of the 5th para of the said letter my letter to the Board of the 14th February 1840 and the Board's Proceedings of the 10th September 1840.

2 As I attach considerable importance to the omission in my letter being supplied. I shall esteem it a favor if you will inform me of your having complied with my request.

Trichinopoly, Collector's Office, 12th March 1841.

(Signed) A. P. Onslow
Collector

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence -

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To the Coll.r of Trichinopoly. } 1.

In Cons.n 25.th March 1841.

To the Collector of

Trichinopoly.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letters of the 10.th & 12.th Instant in reference to the case of Chellapah.a Moodelly Nail Serishtadar of Trichinopoly.

2 In reply I have to inform you that the Proceedings of the Board in the several instances in which that individuals Character has been impugned have already been submitted for the Consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, Due notice will be given you hereafter of the orders of Government in the Case.

Revenue Board's Office, Fort St.t George, 25.th March 1841. } Signed P.B. Smollett. Secretary

Read,

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Read the following letter.

To, The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St.t George.

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From the Coll.r of Madura. }

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 1.st Instant, received yesterday, I have the honor to request you will call the Board's attention to the Resolution alluded to in their letter of the 27.th April 1829. by which it would seem translation of Suits filed against Collectors in their Official Capacity, was unnecessary. It is in the belief that duty is newly imposed upon me from our sight of that letter, that I make the reference, because no notice is taken of it in your Commu-nication under reply.

Madura, 19.th March 1841. } Signed J.n Blackburne. Princ.l Collector.

Proceedings thereon. It is desirable that translate

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translate of the Suits filed against Collectors
should be forwarded to the Board of
Revenue with the Plaint in the native
language. This is the practice usually
followed in other Districts, and which
it is requested may in future be ob=
=served by Mr.s Blackburne.

Read the following letter.

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue

Fort St.t George.

Sir,

With reference to, and Extract
from the Proceedings of the Board of
Revenue under date the 3.d of august
last, I have the honor to report for the
information of the Board, that Rama
Row the Tahsildar of Streerygoontum,
has been removed to the Vullyoor Taluk,
which is of less emoluments, under the
following Circumstances=

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From the Coll.r of Tinnevelly } 1.

Reporting for approval of the Board the removal of Rama Row the Tahsildar of Streeryguntum to a Taluk of inferior emolument, under the circumstances within detailed.

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The accounts sent in by
him shewing that the Cars Crops of the
present Fusly in the Villages of Vallioor
and others were parched up and damaged,
being considerably larger that those sent
in from the other Taloks, and some re=
=presentations having been received at the
Kuzzoor of the incorrectness of his
Statements, an enquiry was instituted,
upon this much was elicited to give
grounds for strong suspicion that he
had not made a sufficient examina=
=tion into the actual extent of failure
in the Crops. The balances outstand=
=ing in the Taloks were
also found to be unnecessa=
=rily large both in this
and the past year, notwithstanding
frequent remonstrances. Independent
of the above, in the general Management
of the Taloks some of his Proceedings
having

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having been proved to be irregular and apparently partial, I considered it expedient to remove him from so important a Talook as Streevygoontom in which the pay is Rupees 120 per month, and to place him in the Tallyor's Talook where the Monthly Salary is Rupees 88. Subject to the approval of the Board.

Tinnevelly, - - - - - - -
Trichendore, - - - - - - -
Coll.r's Office, 9th March 1841.

/ Signed / W.C. Ogilvie.
Dy. Collector

Proceedings thereon.

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Mr. Ogilvie should have stated more particularly the nature of the Complaints preferred against the Tahsildar Panna Perum.l as well as the Amount of Balance left outstanding in the Talook of Streevygoontom, to have enabled the Board to judge of the necessity that existed for his removal. The frequent changes of these Native officers without

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without any obvious necessity, is disapproved.

Read the following letters.

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

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From the Asst. Coll.r of Coimbatore - - -

Sir,

I regret to have occasion to report to the Board the suspension of Seneevasa Perumal the Tahsildar of Danaikenkottah, and to recommend his removal from that Office in consequence of his oppressive Conduct in issuing an order as Tahsildar to the Moniagar of Rungasamoodrum, a Village in that Talook, with a view to Compel certain inhabitants of that Village to provide their bullocks for the purpose of Carrying grain on his own private account without their Consent, and also of abuse of authority in employing eight Peons of the Talook establishment on his

his own private affairs, after he had obtained leave of absence and had deli=vered over Charge of the Talook to the Sheristadar of the Talook, and taking these Peons to the Mysore Country and at a time when the services of these Peons were required for the general duties of the Talook.

Coimbatore, - - - - - - -
Pl. Coll.r's Office, 8th March, 1841. } Signed G. D. Drury.
Ag. Asst. Collector.

Proceedings thereon. The Board are of opi=nion that sufficient grounds have not been shewn for the dissmissal of Seeneravasa Row from office. The offences brought to notice if substantiated, might have been properly punished by a temporary suspension from pay & emoluments, or the imposition of a fine.

2 When charges of impropriety of Conduct such, as require dissmissal from

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from office are brought against an officer of the Standing of a Tahsildar, it is proper that the record of the investigation should be submitted for the Board's perusal, with the defence of the accused, to enable the Board to come to a proper judgment. It is desired accordingly that this course be pursued on all future occasions.

The Tahsildar in this instance will be reinstated from the date of the receipt of these Proceedings.

To the Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George

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From the Ag. Pl. Coll.r of Coimbatore.

Sir,

I have the honor to request the authority of the Board for the dis=bursement of the Sum of Rupees 10-10-11/ eleven, Annas ten, and Pice eleven, being the Amount paid for the rent of a house occupied for Storing Tobacco from the 1st March to 31st May 1840 viz Fasly 1249 at 5-2-11/ five

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five Rupees, and four Annas a Month-

The amount of rent paid on this account in Fusly 1249. was Rupees /95-2-7/ Ninety five, Annas two and Pice Seven, of which the charge of Rupees /83-7-8/ eighty three, Annas Seven, and Pice eight, was entered in the Statements of Charges incurred under /20/ twenty Rupees in the 1st 2nd and 3rd quarters of that Fusly, and Sanctioned by Government under dates the 16th January, 2nd and 27th July 1840. the Sum for which the authority of the Board is now requested, was omitted in the Statement for the 4th quarter-

Coimbatore - - -
Pr. Collectors Office,
12th March 1841. } /Signed/ G. D. Drury.
Ag. Princl. Collector.

Proceedings thereon- Under the explanation furnished in the foregoing letter, the Board sanction the disbursement of Rupees 11-10-11- being the amount rent of a house

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house occupied for Storing Tobacco from 1st March to 7th May 1840 in Fusly 1249-

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir,

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From the Sub Coll. - - -
in charge of Coimbatore.

I have the honor to state for the information of the Board of Revenue that I have this day received charge of this Collectorate from the Acting Principal Collector G. D. Drury Esq. and beg to enclose the Duplicate of the receipt granted by me to that Gentleman-

Coimbatore, - - -
Principal Coll. Office,
20th March, 1841. } /Signed/ J. Bird.
Sub Collector.

Received

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Received from G. D. Drury Esqr. Acting, Principal Collector of Coimbatore (in the undermentioned Coins the Sum of Company's Rupees Twenty Nine thousand two hundred and twenty Eight, and annas five, being the balance of Cash up to this date according to the accounts of the Treasury—

	Coins.	Number of Coins.	Conversion of 100 pieces of Coins.	Amount.	Total.
Gold.	Gold Rupees	2	1,500	30	
	One third Rupees	10	500	50	80
	Company's Rupees of 1835	9,914	100	9914	
	Half Rupees	3,505	50	1,752 8	
	Quarter Rupees	9,080	25	2,271 8	
	Company's Rupees	3,760	100	3,760	
	Half Rupees	3,691	50	1,845 8	
	Quarter Rupees	2,007	25	501 12	
	Two anna pieces	13,930	12 8	1,741 4	
	One Anna pieces	2,871	6 4	179 7	
	Bombay Rupees	6,454	100	6,454	
	Half Rupees				
	Quarter Rupees	142	25	35 8	
	Half Pagoda pieces	1	175	1 12	
	Quarter Pagoda pieces	7	87 8	6 2	
	Mysore Rupees	2	99 2 2	1 15 8	
	Soorat Rupees	4	95 12 4	3 12 11	
	Company's Rupees. Burnt	157	100	157	
	Company's Rupees Old	23	100	23	
	Emauny Rupees	1	99 8 7	15 11	
	Pondicherry Rupees	6	99 8	5 15	29,060 8 6
	Half anna pieces	929	3 2	29 6	
	Quarter anna pieces	1,673	1 9	26 2 3	
	Two price pieces	90	1 8	15	
	One price pieces	521	8 4	2 11 5	
	Four price pieces	412	2 1 4	8 9 4	
	Twenty Cash pieces	976½	1 15 1	20 5 6	
	Elephant Cash	7	7 8	6	87 12 6
	Company's Rupees				29,228 5

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20th March 1841.

E. E. Jr. [Signed] J. Bird
Sub Collr.

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To

The Secretary to the

Board of Revenue.

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Sir,

Fort St. George.

From the Acting Prin.l Coll.r of Coimbatore - - - - - -

I have the honor to state for the information of the Board of Revenue, that I have this day delivered over charge of this Collectorate to J Bird Esq.r Sub Collector and beg to enclose the receipt of that Gentleman for the balance of cash remaining in the Treasury.

Coimbatore - - - -
Principal Collector's Office - -
20th March 1841 - -

[signed] G. D. Drury.
Acting Prin.l Coll.r

Received.

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Fort St. George 25th March 1841-

Received from G. D. Drury Esqre Acting Principal Collector of Coimbatore in the undermentioned Coins being the sum of Company's Rupees Twenty Nine Thousand two hundred and twenty eight and annas five the balance of Cash up to this date according to the account of the Treasury.

Coins-	Number of Coins	Rate of conversion Rs. 100 pieces of Coins	Amount		
Gold. Gold Rupees	2	1500 " "	30 " "		
Gold. One third Rupees	10	500 " "	50 " "	80 " "	
Company's Rupees of 1835	9914	100 " "	9914 " "		
Half Rupees	3505	50 " "	1752 8 "		
Quarter Rupees	4086	25 " "	2271 8 "		
Company's Rupees	3764	100 " "	3760 " "		
Half Rupees	3691	50 " "	1845 8 "		
Quarter Rupees	2007	25 " "	501 12 "		
Silver. Bombay Rupees	13930	12 8 "	1741 4 "		
Half Rupees	2871	6 4 "	179 7 "		
Quarter Rupees	6454	100 " "	6454 " "		
Half Pagoda Pieces	809	50 " "	404 8 "		
Quarter Pagoda Pieces	142	25 " "	35 8 "		
Mysore Rupees	1	175 " "	1 12 "		
Surat Rupees	7	87 8 "	6 2 "		
Company's Rupees burnt	2	99 2 2	1 15 8		
Company's Rupees old	4	95 12 4	3 12 11		
Canarese Rupees	157	100 " "	157 " "		
Half anna Pieces	23	100 " "	23 " "		
Pondicherry Rupees	1	99 8 7	15 11		
Copper. Half anna Pieces	6	99 " 8	5 15 "	29060 8 6	
Quarter Anna Pieces	929	3 2 "	29 " 6		
Two pice pieces	1673	1 9 "	26 2 3		
One pice pieces	90	1 " 8	" 15 "		
Four pice pieces	521	" 8 4	2 11 5		
Twenty Cash pieces	412	2 1 4	8 9 4		
Elephant cash	976½	1 15 1	20 5 6		
	7	" 7 8	" " 6	87 12 6	
			Company's Rupees	29228 5 "	

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E E Pos / Signed / J. Bird
Sub Collector

Ordered

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Order on the 2 foregoing letters. Ordered to be sub-
54-56 mitted for the information of Government.

Read the following letters.

To The Secretary to the

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From the Collector of Madras.

Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter under date the 1st. Instant, relative to certain Rolls of Lapis and to report, for the information of the Board of Revenue that it is not usual to levy duty on any quantity less than one entire piece, and that when any seizure of Articles of such trifling value comes under observation, it is always customary for me to order their release and to warn the persons against petty and vexatious seizures. In the cases particularly referred to by the Board the owners did not make their appearance at this Office which will account for the Lapis not being released.

Madras
& March 1841.

I have &c.
Signed J. A. Robertson
Collector

Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

Resolution thereon.

It appears from the foregoing
57-58 letter that "it is not usual to levy duty on any "quantity of Lapis less than one entire piece" the Seizures under notice ought not therefore to have been made, and Mr. Robertson is requested to issue strict orders to prevent the recurrence of such petty and vexatious Seizures.

To The Secretary to the

Board of Revenue.

Fort St. George

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Sir,

From the Collector of Madras

From Bd. 5th Dec. 1839.
To Do. 7th Do.
From Do. 8th Jany 1840.

With reference to the correspondence noted in the Margin, I have the honor to report that the Eight Sets of Scales and Weights therein alluded to were returned to the Arsenal on the 23d January 1840. Having recently applied to the Acting Principal Commissary of Ordnance for information as to whether the state of the public Stores under his charge would admit of my being furnished with eight or at least six Sets of Scales and Weights with Triangles &c. required for the delivery of Salt for exportation to

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to Calcutta in order that I might apply for the
necessary Sanction for the issue of the same, he

11th March 1841. has acquainted me in reply that there are only a
few Scale Beams remaining in the Arsenal
Having been equally unsuccessful in my enquiries
as to whether I could obtain any in the Market,
I request that the Board will be pleased to
authorize such as can be spared by the Col-
lectors of the Maritime Provinces being sup-
plied at the earliest practicable period for
the use of the Salt Department under my charge

Madras, - - -
18th March 1841. } I Signed A Robertson
Collector

Proceedings thereon-

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The Board of Revenue see
reason to know that no Scales &c can be
supplied by the Collectors of the Maritime
Districts immediately adjoining Madras
as these Officers have themselves recently
applied through this Office for these implements.
To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.
Sir
I have the honor to acknowledge

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From the Collector of Madras - - - 5 Rupees
Stating that if

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if Salt should be supplied at Ennore for exportation to Calcutta as an Article of trade Rs 13 per 100 Maunds will be the price chargeable with reference to the enclosed Statement but recommending that it be fixed at 15 Rs per 100 Maunds in order to cover any considerable wastage from inundation or some other cause

the receipt of your letter under date the 11th Ultimo,
transmitting Copies of further communications from
the Authorities in Calcutta, suggesting that Salt
from the Coromandel Coast, should for the future,
be admitted to import on payment of the Customs
Duties of 3¼ Rupees per Maund, if conveyed
on square rigged Vessels of not less than 200
Tons burthen and calling upon me by order of
the Board of Revenue to state at what rate
with reference to the cost of Manufacture, the
Article can be supplied from Madras so as
to afford a fair prospect of profit to the
Merchant and enable him to complete with
the Importers from Bombay -

2- It is stated in the communi-
-cations forwarded by you that in Cal-
-cutta, the prices of Solar evaporation Salt
may be taken at from 50 to 80 Rupees per
100 Maunds plus the duty of 325 Rupees, that
this last price or 405 Rupees per 100 Maunds
could only have been commanded by the
superiority

superiority of the imported over the Madras Salt, since purchasers have been able to obtain the latter from the Sulkea Golahs at from 366 to 385 Rupees per 100 Maunds and that 65 to 70 Rupees per 100 Maunds plus the duty would be found to be the average price of Bombay Salt if the Importers were to shew their Books.

3. The Board of Customs, Salt and Opium in their letter to the Supreme Government under date the 6th November 1840 explain that the Bengal Salt Company receive for their Salt 12 Annas per Maund or 75 Rupees per 100 Maunds, which rate was fixed under the original engagement terminable towards the end of 1841 but that the price to the Manufacturers for Bengal Agency Salt is from 9 Annas to 12½ Annas per Maund whilst the cost of the Cuttack Salt is 13 Annas per Maund landed at the Sulkea Golahs. The prices for Salt at the several Bengal Agencies and

and Sultee on the 31st. August last and represented to have been various at from Rupees 385 to Rupees 442 per 100 Maunds. They observed that if Rupees 325 be deducted from each of the prices enumerated by them and due allowance made for the difference between Madras, Kurnaul and Bengal Punjab or boiled Salt some judgment may be formed as to the circumstances under which the import of the former would be found profitable.

4. Estimating the average cost of Bengal Salt at 12 Annas per Maund or Rupees 75 per 100 Maunds the result of the trade compared with the price of Madras Salt will be as follows.

	Price realized in Calcutta.	Duty.	Cost to the Importer	Total	Profit
Madras Permit Salt Rupees	385	325	35	360	25
Khoredah Punjab	442	325	75	400	42
Cuttack Do.	437	325	75	400	37
Balasore Do.	437	325	75	400	37

5. Whilst Bombay Salt is represented to realize Rupees 65 to Rupees 70 per 100 Maunds beyond the duty, the Law exhibiting the

the proportion to be deducted therefrom on account of prime cost but the enclosed Statement shews that the Average cost

Encl. A. of the Salt shipped from Ennore in four years from 1833 is Rupees 15–8–6 pr. Garce equal to 120 Maunds– At this rate the Cost pr. Maund is Annas $2\frac{85}{100}$ or Rupees 12–15–1 per 100 Maunds– If to avoid the fractional parts, the price be fixed at Rupees 13 per 100 Maunds the supply of Salt for import into Bengal, as an article of trade, on payment of the Customs Duties of Rupees 3¼ per Maund or Rs. 325 per 100 Maunds would on its realizing the maximum rate stated by the Board of Customs viz. Rupees 385, yield a profit of Rupees 47–0–0 which exceeds the profit on the Madras Permit Salt by Rs. 22 pr. 100 Maunds– It is also in excess of the profit on each of the sorts of Bengal Salt referred to above–

385
325
13
338
47

47
25
22

6– Should the Board consider it expedient to recommend that Salt should

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be supplied at Ennore for exportation to Calcutta as an article of trade, Rupees 13 per 100 Maunds will be the price chargeable with reference to the Statement now submitted, but to cover any considerable wastage from inundation or some other cause, we think that it should be fixed at 15 Rupees per 100 Maunds, and as the whitest Salt is to be furnished, the Merchant will still obtain a profit of Rupees 45 which is much above the profit on the Madras Permit Salt as well as on the Bengal boiled Salt.

385
325
15
340
45

Madras 19th March 1841.

(Signed) A. Robertson
Coll.r

Statement

St. George

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from the year 1833 to 1836 and the average Cost of each Yard.

25th March 1841.

Landing Sirr.			Measuring Sirr.			Sirr for removing the Heaps			Sirr for collecting & Lapping clay over the Heaps.			Sirr for Weighing and Loading on Boats.			Value of Bamboo Mats			Value of Bottom Baskets & Sirr.			Sirr for turning the Pan from at Evrore.		
Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p
						342	8	4	87	9	4	12	30	3	6	2	98	1	8	98	14	6	119	14	9
						212	2	1	96	7	7	264	1	3	2	301	"	11	128	2	8	"	"	"
						158	5	4	76	1	7	107	6	6	4	312	"	"	65	"	"	"	"	"
						285	6	10	263	5	"	1207	1	"	243	4	"	65	"	"	56	7	"
						997	7	1	600	12	4												
						848	12	3	357	9	3												
						635	5	"	263	13	11												
						999	13	5	471	11	8												

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Value of Salt as it was Leaves			Hire of Madras Boats for Shipment.			Double Tariff Rate of Madras Boats.			Extra Servants attending the Exportation of Sundry Charges			Total amount of Extra Charges			Total amount including Value of Salt.			Average of last years five years			Average of 10 years five years			Remarks.
Rs.	a	p	Rs.	a	p	Rs.	a	p	Rs.	a	p	Rs.	a	p	Rs.	a	p							
300	"	"	4524	3	3	439	4	"	757	0	"	11711	"	6	30437	1	9	16	4	2				The Charges under some heads are Comparatively higher in one year than in another which is owing to the Salt removed from the place of manufacture to the Depot on the Beach at Cuddalore not having been shipped off wholly in the same year in which it was stored there. the Charges of the following year are therefore less although the quantity of Salt exported is greater.
624	"	"	6439	7	"	3881	14	6	799	12	2	13746	15	8	43150	5	9	14	10	10				
344	"	"	3076	13	9	"	"	"	554	4	9	7238	13	9	20040	8	3	15	10	6				
670	"	"	2773	4	"	"	"	"	877	14	4	9042	1	11	25400	1	11	15	8	5				
																		62	1	11	15	8	6	

Madras 19th March 1841.

(Signed) A. Robertson
Coll.r

61. 62 Order thereon

Ordered to lie on the Table
Read the following Statement.

4363.

Fort St. George

25th March 1841

Statement Shewing Separately the Collections on account of the Several Items included in the Statement of Demand, Collection and Balance under the Several Heads of Extra Revenue from 12th July 1840 to February 1841 compared with the average Collections of the same period during the preceding fasles.

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	Fasles	Salt	Piece Goods	Gruff Goods	Sayer Betel Tobacco Ganjah and Bang	Total	Abkarry	Sundry Small farms and Licenses	Stampt Papers and badjans	Grand Total
		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p
From 12th July to 28th February	1247	55,712 7 10	79,491 11 7	79,342 15 3	159,248 2 9	318,082 13 7	311,800 2 10	6765 10 11	6947 7 6	699,308 10 8
	1248	58,801 14 2	59,122 5 7	91,880 3 9	154,501 8 5	305,504 1 9	315,072 8 8	6621 7 7	3976 " "	689,976 " 2
	1249	66,930 " 5	73,541 15 8	14,669 7 11	154,037 3 11	374,270 11 6	318,451 " 11	7,690 9 1	3541 1 "	779,883 6 11
Average collections		60,481 7 6	70,718 10 11	10,597 9 "	467,786 15 1	997,857 10 10	945,323 12 5	21,077 11 7	14,464 8 6	2,169,168 1 9
Actual collection from 12th July 1840 to 28th February 1841	1250	58,363 13 6	66,727 3 9	12,019 13 8	155,928 15 8	332,619 3 7	315,107 14 10	7,025 14 6	4,821 8 2	722,056 " 7
					156,778 2 "	343,697 3 5	326,131 6 8	7,694 " 6	4913 8 "	740,800 " 1

Madras
20th March 1841

E. E. Jr. (Signed) A. Robertson
Coll.

Ordered

Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

Order thereon. Ordered to be recorded.

63-64 Read the following letter.

To

The Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

Sir

65 I have the honor

From Capt. Hughes, 39th Regt. Palamcottah

for the information of the Board

of Revenue to report my arrival on

yesterday at this Station and of my

having assumed Charge of the Co.

American Cotton Planters employ-

-ed here.

Palamcottah

8th March 1841 } [Signed] J. V. Hughes Capt.

39th Regt.

Ordered

Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

65-66 Ordered to be recorded.

Order thereon. The Board proceed to

take into consideration the Statements

noted below and to record their remarks thereon.

67 From the Collector of Bellary. Statement of Extra Charges

incurred without Estimate for fusly 1249.

68 From the Collector of Bellary. Statement of Extra Charges

incurred under Estimate for fusly 1249.

69 From the Collector of Bellary. Statement of Charges incur-

-red without Estimate in the Magisterial

Department for fusly 1249.

70 From the Collector of Bellary. Statement of actual Charges

incurred under Estimate on account of advances for

cultivation for fusly 1249.

71 From the Collector of Chingleput. Statement of Extra Charges

yr. not estimated but actually incurred in the

Revenue Department for fusly 1249.

72 From the Collector of Chingleput. Statement of actual Charges

incurred under Estimate in the Revenue Depart-

-ment for fusly 1249.

73 From the Collector of Chingleput. Statement of Extra Charges

yr. not Estimated but actual incurred in the Magis-

-terial Department for fusly 1249.

From

Fort S.t George 25.th March 1841.

From the Collector of Chingleput. Statement of actual charges
(74) incurred under Estimate on account of advances for
cultivation for fusly 1249.

From the Dy. Collector of Salem. Statement of Charges in-
(75) curred without Estimate for fusly 1249.

From the Actg. Dy. Collector of Malabar. Statement of charges
(76) incurred without Estimate in fusly 1249.

Order on the 10 abov.e Statement. Ordered that the necessary
(67-77) remarks of the Board be inserted in the proper
Column of the Statements and submitted for the
Orders of Government.

From the Collector of Guntoor. Statement of Contingent
(78) charges not exceeding 20 Rupees each incurred in
the 2.nd quarter of fusly 1250.

Order thereon.
(78-79) Ordered to be sanctioned accordingly.

Read the undermentioned Registers.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry. Register of Petitions
(80) bearing the Board's Endorsements presented to
him in the month of February last.

From the Collector of Chingleput. Register of Petitions
(81) bearing the Board's Endorsements presented to him for
the month of January last.

From the Collector of Chingleput. Register of Petitions
(82) bearing the Board's Endorsements presented to him for
the month of February last.

Order on the 3 abov.e Registers
(80-83) Ordered to be lodged in the Office.

Resolved

Comp.d S.R.

Fort St. George 25.th March 1841.

Resolved that the following
letter be dispatched.

To.

The Secretary to
Government.
Public Department.

(84)

Sir,

To the Secretary } I am directed by the
to Government. }
Public Department.

Board of Revenue to transmit
a Return of Books in their
Office as required by the Notification
dated 11.th and published in Page 771
of the Fort Saint George Gazette
of the 12.th November 1839.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
25.th March 1841.

Signed P. B. Smollett.
Secretary.

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A. Return of Books in the Office of the Board of Revenue —

Volumes.	Number of Copies.	Names of the Books.
		A
1	1	Act of Parliament old 33d Geo. 3d Cap 52.
1	8	Do. ---------- Do. new 53d Geo. 3d Cap 155.
1	1	Acts 54 Geo 3d
1	3	Acts 4th Geo 4th Cap 81
1	1	Acts 5th and 6th Will. 4th
1	2	Agricultural and Horticultural Societys' Proceedings.
1	1	Almanac for the year 1820.
1	25	Do. two for each of the years 1826 — 1826. 1832 - 1837 - 1838 - & 1840 - three for 1839 and 1 for each of the years 1825 - 1827 - to 1832 - 1834 to 1836.
1	19	Alphabets - Ancient and Modern -
1	1	Analysis of the constitutions of the East India Company -
1	1	Do. of the Laws and Regns enacted by the Governor General in Council at Fort William.
1	10	Do. List 1 Copy for each of the years 1824 to 1829 - 1831 and 1838 and 2 for 1832 -
		B
1	1	Bills -
1	1	Bye Law or Stamp rules of Supreme Government.
1	1	Buckingham's appeal. Proceedings before His Majesty's most Honorable Privy Council in relation to.
		C.
1	4	Campbell's code of Regulations.
2nd	5	Do. ---------- Do. ---
3rd	2	Do. ---------- Do.
1	1	Chamber of commerce at Bombay - Reports of the for the years 1836 and 1837 —
1	1	Do. Do. Do. 1837 and 1838 -
1	1	Do. Do. Regulation of the
1	1	Charter of the Supreme Court —

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1	1	Chronological Tables containing corresponding dates of different Æras.
1	1	Civil, Military and Medical officers' List of His Majesty's and the Honorable Companys' Service on the Establishment of Fort St. George.
1	1	Coin of Bengal.
1st	2	Colebrooks Digest of the Hindoo Law on Contracts and Successions.
2nd.	2	
3d.	1	
1st 2nd.	1	Colebrooks Digest of the Regulations and Laws.
1	1	Do. Supplement to Do. ---------- Do.
1	1	Commerce of Bombay. Report of the for the years 1836 and 1837.
1	1	Commerce of Do. ---------- Do. ---- for --- Do. 1837 and 1838.

D

1	2	Dates alphabetical Index to the Bengal Regulations.
1	4	Debate in the House of Commons relative to the act No. 11 of 1836.

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G.

1	1	Grants. Petition. Proceedings before His Majesty's Most Honorable Privey Council in relation to Sir J. P.

H.

2nd.	1	Hawkins pleas of the crown. —
1st	1	
2nd.	4	Harington's analysis of the Laws and Regts. of Bengal.
3rd.	2	
1	3	Hindu Law of adoption —

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1	3	Hindu Law, Synopsis of.
1	1	Hindu Castes. Mr. S. Steels works of the Summary of the Laws and Customs of.
1	1	Humes Custom Laws for the year 1834.
1	1	Humes Custom Laws. Supplement to the for the year 1836 including 1835.
1	2	Infanticide in Kattywar. Vega

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1	1	Kelly's Cambest and Commercial Instructor.

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1	4	Mackenzies Manuscripts Examinations and analysis by the Reverend William Taylor of.
1st	9	Marquis Wellysleys Despatches Vega
2nd	9	
3d	9	
4th	9	
5th	9	
1st	2	Martins Eastern India.
2nd	2	
3d	2	
1	4	Merasy right. Mr. Ellis reply on.
1	1	Missionary intelligence. Calcutta December 1825
1	5	Moores India Appeal Cases.

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1	1	Nigamut adaulut. Reports of Criminal Cases adjudged by the Courts of — in the year 1805.

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1	1	Nizamut adalut Reports of Cases adjudged from 1806 to 1811. with tables of Principal matters 1805 to 1811.
2nd	1	Do. ------ Do. Circular orders of from December 1829 to the end of November 1831.
1st	1	Notes of Cases at Madras from 1798 to 1816 -
2nd	1	
3d	1	
1	2	Notes on the relations of British India with some of the Contries west of the Indies.

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1	1	Penal Code prepared by Law Commissioner.
1	2	Penal code printed in 1837 -
1	2	Policy of the Government of British India.
1	2	Pringles, report on the survey and assessment of Deckan -

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1	1	Regulation - amended code of - on the Decennial settlement of Bengal Vol. dated 23d November 1791.
1	1	Regulation and with a letter from Bengal dated 19th July 1804
4	1	Regulations. abstract of the Miscellaneous Revenue and Commerce from the year 1793 to 1826 -
1	2	Regulation for consolidating and improving the existing custom Laws of the Presidency of Fort William. Draft of -
1	1	Regulation Abstract of the Civil from the year 1793 to 1824.
1	1	Report 2nd from the Select Committee on the affairs of the East India Company -
1	1	Report on the affairs of the East India Company appendix to the -
1	1	Report on the Territories Conquered from the Peishwa —

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1	1	Report of the Coimbatore Commissioners dated 25th February 1815.
1	1	Report of the System of Revenue Management prevailing in the several Zillahs in Bombay
1	17	Report on the Culture and Manufacture of Cotton wool, Raw Silk and Indigo in India.
1	1	Review. Quarterly published in 1823.
1	16	Roxburgh's observations on Substitutes for Hemp and Flax.
1st	2	Selection of India Papers. Revenue
2nd	1	Do of Do . Judicial.
3d	2	Do of Do Revenue.
4th	1	Do of Do Judicial.
1	1	Do of Do Index to the 1st Volume.
1	1	Do of Do Do to 2nd Volume.
1	1	Do of Do Do to 3d Volume.
1	1	Statutes relating to the East India Company.

1	3	Sudr adaulats Circular orders from 1833 to 30th June 1834.
2nd	4	Sudr adaulats. Circular orders from 1st September 1834 to 2nd September 1840.
1	1	Sudr Dewany adaulats' Circular orders from 1795 to 1827.
2nd	1	Do Do Do in continuation of the 2nd Volume from 1st January 1830. to 3d February 1832.
2nd	1.	Do Do Do from 2nd March to 28th December 1832.
2nd	1.	Do Do Do from 4th January to 6th December 1833.
2nd	1.	Do Do Do from 3d January to 12th December 1834.
2nd	1.	Do Do Do from 2nd January to 26th June 1835.
2nd	1.	Do Do Do from 3d July 1835 to 4th November 1836.
1	2nd	Do Do Report of Cases adjudged in 1806.
1	1	Do Do Do in 1807.
1	1.	Do Do Do of Causes adjudged in 1811 with Indexes previous to the year 1805. and to the end of 1811.
2nd	1.	Do Do Report of Causes from 1812 to 1819.
3d	1.	Do Do Do from 1820 to 1824.
4th	1.	Do Do Do for the year 1825 1st Part.
4th	1.	Do Do Do for the year 1826 2nd Part.
4th	1.	Do Do Do for the year 1827 3d Part.

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1 Sadr Board of Revenue at Bengal, Circular order of the 4th from 1838 to the end of August 1837.

1 Do. - - - - Do. to Do. from Do. to Do.

1 Do. - - - - Do. - - - Digest of Circular orders of the 4th from 1st to end of December 1838.

1 Sadr Board of Revenue at Bengal, Circular orders of the 4th from 1839 to the end of December 1838.

1 Sea - a work on the Culture of the Roots of the Tea Plant.

1 Hugo - Illustrations of the Genera and Species of Gramineous Plants in the Settlement of Singapore.

1 Wassiut Kala Amrakita -

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Fort St. George 25th March 1841.

Resolved that the following letters be despatched with reference to the Statements thereon referred to.

To The Collector in the Zillah of Vizagapatam

Sir

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To the Collr of Vizagapatam

With reference to your Statement No. 2 of Demand Collection and Balance for the Month of January last, it is observed that in Column 25 under the head of "State of Season", a note is appended stating that "an examination of the balance of Cash in the treasury was made on the 21st January and found correct." a separate Report of the examination of the treasury by your Assistant Mr Bury having accompanied the Statements of Demand, Collection and Balance above referred to. further notice of the subject in the body of the Statement was unnecessary In future you will be pleased to confine your

31st Jany in Cons. 24th March 1841.

your remarks under the head of "State of Season" to points connected therewith.-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
25th March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Secy.

To
The Collector in the Zillah of
Masulipatam.

(86)

To the Coll.r of Masulipatam

Sir

The Board of Revenue having observed from the remarks appended to Column 25 in your Statement No. 2 of Demand Collection and Balance for the Month of Janaary last, that the Manufacture of artificial salt at the Pandraca Cotaur has been discontinued in consequence of the swamps in the neighbourhood of that Cotaur having received a sufficient supply of water for the production of spontaneous salt.- I am directed to request you will report whether before taking this step you have secured a sufficient quantity of Manufactured Salt for sale

1st Feby in Cons.
11th March 1841.

sale for home consumption as it is understood that salt of this description is prepared by the people of the Country to spontaneous Salt - which is generally purchased by Bungaries only for exportations in land.-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
25th March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Secy.

Resolved that the following letters be despatched together with the Petitions therein referred to.-

To
The Principal Collector in the
Southern Division of
Arcot.

(87)

To the Pl. Colle. in the S. Dn. of arcot

Sir

Para 1.- I am directed by the Board of Revenue to transmit for your examination by report the accompanying Petition from M. Gungadara Chitty a Merchant of your District, complaining of the confiscation of a quantity of blue Cloth.-

437 of 1841.

The Board observe from your Return for January 1841 of Sayer Articles 2 recommended for Confiscation, that the Petitioner is

38 Inclos 25th March 1841.

your remarks under the head of "State of Season" to points connected therewith.-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
25th March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Secy.

To

The Collector in the Zillah of
Masulipatam

Sir

(86)

To the Collr of Masulipatam

The Board of Revenue having observed from the remarks appended to Column 25 in your Statement No. 2 of Demand Collection and Balance for the Month of January last, that the Manufacture of artificial salt at the Paudraca Cotaur has been discontinued in consequence of the swamps in the neighbourhood of that Cotaur having received a sufficient supply of water for the production of spontaneous salt.- I am directed to request you will report whether before taking this step you have secured a sufficient quantity of Manufactured Salt for sale

1st Feby in Cons.
11th March 1841.

sale for home consumption as it is understood that salt of this description is prepared by the people of the Country to spontaneous Salt which is generally purchased by Bingaries only for exportations in land.-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
25th March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Secy.

Resolved that the following letters be despatched together with the Petitions therein referred to.-

To The Principal Collector in the Southern Division of Arcot.

Sir

(87)

To the Pl Collr in the Sn Dn of Arcot

Para 1.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to transmit for your examination by report the accompanying Petition from M. Gungadara Chitty a Merchant of your District, complaining of the confiscation of a quantity of blue Cloth.-

437 of 1841.

The Board observe from your Return for January 1841 of Sayer Articles 2 recommended for confiscation, that the Petitioner is

38 In Cons. 8th March 1841.

is stated to have voluntarily brought the cloth to the Chowkey, and applied for an exchange Rowanah for it it would not therefore appear that there was any attempt to smuggle the Articles.-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
25th March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Secy

To,
The Acting Collector of
Sirs
Tinnevelly

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To the Asst Collr of Tinnevelly

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to transmit to you the accompanying Petition from Sawmy Nada Pillay of your District, and request you will be pleased to report thereon without delay with reference to the Board's Letter under date 17th December last on Petition No. 160 of 1840.

BSRe 212 of 1841
Govt 317

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
25th March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Secy

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To the Collr of Tinnevelly.

To The Collector of
Sirs
Tinnevelly

Referring to my letter 16th December 1839 and to the Endorsement of Mr Thompson on Petition

No. 1465 of 1839 dated 29th September 1840. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward to you a further Petition from certain Ryots of the Nellicumbalum Talook, and to express the desire of Board that as far as practicable the wishes of the Petitioners may be complied with by individual Puttahs being issued to them in the Current Fusly.-

248 of 1841.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
25th March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Secy

Resolved that the following letter be despatched:-

To The Accountant General
Civil Auditor
and
Sub Treasurer
Committee for trying contingent
Charges.

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To the Acct Genl Civil Audr and Sub Treasurer Committee for trying Contingent Charges.

Gentlemen,

With reference to the orders of Government of the 7th August 1840 published in the Fort St. George Gazette of the

28th of that Month, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward the accompanying Bills of Contingent Charges incurred in the Office for the Month of February last amounting to Rupees 47-7-6 and to request that they may be passed and returned to them.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
25th March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Sec.

Resolved that the following letter be despatched with reference to the several communications therein referred to.

To The Acting Collector of
Sea Customs
Madras

Sir,

91

To the Actg Collr of Sea Customs Madras — Para 1.

The Board of Revenue intimated to the several Collectors noted in the Margin that a quantity of Cotton seed &c as herein specified of that received by the ship Thomas Grenville and now under your Charge has been forwarded to them for experimental purposes in their several Districts. I am directed to request you will take early measures to dispatch the same to the different destinations in such manner and

To Tinnevelly
51 Barrels of Cotton Seed
1 Do in Packages
2 Do Rough Rice
1 Do Indian Cotton
To Coimbatore
33 Barrels Cotton seed
To Salem - Do - Do -
To Nellore 20 - Do
To Cuddapah 20 - Do
To Bellary - 20 - Do
To Trichinopoly 13 - Do
To Madura 20 Do and 1 Barrel Rough Rice
To Tanjore 1 Barrel Rough Rice
To Chingleput 1 Do Do
To South Arcot 1 Do Do
To Vizagapatam 26 Barrels Cotton Seed

and by such opportunities as may seem most proper.

If any repairs to the Barrels is required it is requested that this may be done in your Office previous to despatch.

It is requested that the Bills of Charges incurred in the transmission of these Packages may be forwarded for sanction through the Board of Revenue.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Secretary

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George, 25th March 1841.

Resolved that the following letter be despatched.

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To Captn Hughes 39th Regt N. I.
Superintending American Cotton Planters

To Capt. Hughes 39th Regt N. I.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will report in what manner and in what part of the Tinnevelly District the American Cotton planters are now employed.

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25th March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett
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Received the undermentioned Miscellaneous letters and Statements.

93 From the Pl. Collector of North Arcot. Return of persons charged with offences under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of February last.

94 From the Pl. Collector of North Arcot. Reporting that no persons were confined in Jail under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of February last.

From

From the Pt. Collector of Coimbatore - Return of fines imposed and
95 stoppages made from the pay of the Public Servants from
1st October to 31st December 1840.

From the Pt. Collector of Coimbatore - Stating that certain Returns for the
96 quarter ending 31st December last are not sent, there being
no entry to make.

From the Collector of Ganjam - Stating that certain Returns for the
97 Month of February last are not sent, there being no
entry to make.

From the Collector of Malabar - Return of persons suspended or
98 dismissed under Regulation VI of 1831 from July
1840 to January 1841.

From the Collector of Madras - Abstract of Demand, Collection
99 and Balance for the Month of February last.

From the Collector of Madras - Statement shewing the Average
100 Bazar wholesale prices of grain and Salt for the
Month of February last.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry - Abstract of Demand
101 Collection and Balance for the Month of February
last.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry - Statement shewing the
102 average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt
for the Month of February last.

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Diary.

25th March — Sent the following letter.

To

The Acting Secretary to the
Clothing Board

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To the Actg. Secretary to the Clothing Board

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to return to you the Indent for Green and Scarlet Cloth from the Collector of Chingleput which accompanied your letter of the 5th Instant passed in Cont. 11th March 1841.

5th March 1841.

by the Board.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
25th March 1841

Signed P. B. Smollett
Secretary

At

Fort St. George 29th March 1841.

At a Meeting. Present

Monday 29th March 1841 — John Dent Esqre Senior Member
Alexander Maclean Esqre Temporary Member

and

Walter Elliot Esqre Third Member

Absent on leave.

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

Read the following Extracts

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Under date the 13th March 1844

Read the following Extracts

from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

Relative to the Settlement of the Land Revenue of the District of Salem for Fasly 1248. (Received 1st Feby 1841. No 210 and 8th February 1841. No 237)

and

Relative to the Settlement of the Land Revenue of the District of Salem for Fasly 1249.

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From the Chief Secy to Government

Communicating observations and orders on the Board's proceedings relative to the Settlement of the Land Revenue of the District of Salem for Faslies 1248 & 1249.

Para 1. These two communications having

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having been received from the Board at the same time, His Lordship in Council will proceed to take into consideration the Settlement of both Faslies in connection.

2. The two seasons appear to have been favorable and the result is that with efficient management a progressive increase in the Land Revenue has been exhibited & the collections have been made without difficulty and an augmentation has taken place in the number of Houses and of people, and in Agricultural stock & the price of grain remaining rather below the average.

3. The following Abstract will shew the ratio of Increase of Revenue in faslies 1247 1248 and 1249. the first of these being itself 14,114 Rupees in excess of 1246.

Sumary

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29th March 1840.

	Fasly 1247	1248	Comparison of Cols 1 and 2	Fasly 1249	Comparison of Cols 2 and 4	
	1	2	3	4	5	
	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	Rupees	
Summary Land Revenue	11,30,569	11,78,283	47,714	12,54,408	77,125	The increase in Cultivation has been
Hill Rent	30,597	30,385	212	30,411	27	chiefly in Poonjee or Dry lands.
Ready money Collections	52,367	53,395	1,028+	52,665	+730+	The fluctuations in the Ready
Grand Total	12,13,533	12,62,063	48,530	13,38,484	76,422	money Collection were under the head of Free tax.
Deduct		Deduct				
Remissions	1,875	1,960	85	3,607	□1,647	□ The Remissions in 1249 were increased nearly 2000 Rs in consequence of the inundations caused by bursting of a tank.
Village Sibbendy allowances	82,410	⊠84,506	2,096	⊠87,618	3,112	⊠ The rates of Sibbendy allowances increase in proportion to the Bariz.
Agraram Shares	12,315	12,256	59	12,899	643	
	96,600	98,722	2,122	1,04,124	5,402	
Net Summary Land Revenue	11,16,933	11,63,341	46,408	12,34,361	71,020	
Peishcush & Sodegy	47,586	47,586	"	47,586	"	
Berizof Moolahs	1,68,489	1,68,489	"	1,68,489	"	
Total Settlement	16,33,008	16,79,416	46,408	17,50,436	71,020	

From

From this it will be seen that the Settlement of 1249 exceeds that of 1247 by Rupees 117428.-

4. The Cultivation in this District is preponderant in the Poonjee or Dry lands of 6,96,311 acres Cultivated in 1249. 626. 532 were on Poonjee bearing a Surrumteerwa or fixed assessment of 8,82,915 Rupees but paying only 8,10,345 Rupees.-

5. This difference is to be attributed chiefly to the large quantity of land held under a Cowle, (or reduced tenure) and the subject is one which in regard to the Salem District has occupied the attention of the Board of Revenue, and the Government for many years.-

Land held under Cowle in 1249.

acres	fixed Beriz	Temporary Beriz
8,42,02 - 1,49,530 Rs —	68,664 Rs	

6. Immediately in connection with it are the facts that a great portion of land is relinquished every year, for new fields, that there has lately been a decrease in the Cultivation of lands bearing the higher rates of assessment and that 39 per cent of the land Cultivated

Paras 18 & 25 Board's Proceedings on settlement of Fusly 1247 &c.
Para 23 of Report of Princ. Coll. on Settlement of 1248.-
Paras 12 & 15 of Board's Proceedings on Settlement 1248.-
Para 2 of ---------- Do. ---- Do. ---- 1246
Para 36 Princ. Coll. Report on Settlement 1249.-
Paras 16 of Board's Proc. on Settlement 1248.

Land in Cultivation in 1248 more by 35 per Cent than that of 1207. The Teerwa being more by 25 per Cent only.-

cultivated at the time of the assessment has since been abandoned, 40 per Cent of what was then waste having been taken up in its stead and at lower rates.-

7. His Lordship in Council after an attentive consideration of the voluminous correspondence that since 1826 has been going on on the subject of Cowle in the Salem District, is of opinion with the Board of Revenue that the facts above enumerated are to be accounted for rather on the supposition of a defect in the Cowle-nama than to any over assessment to which the Principal Collector attributes them.-

Vide para 17 Board's Proceedings on settlement 1248.- Average teerwa of Poonjee (in which the Cowles are for the most part granted.-

In Salem ---------- 1-14-8 per Acre.-
In Coimbatore ---- 1-2-11 per Cawnie
In South Arcot 4-9-8 ---- "
In North Arcot 2-9-1 per Cawnie

The Princ. Coll. in para 8 of his letter dated 18th Nov. 1839 states the average of the cultivated Poonjee to be 1.7.3 per acre.-

8. It is very evident that the principle upon which Cowles were originally allowed has been departed from. It is true that much of what was waste at the time of the assessment is now Cultivated, but it is at the expense of the land which was then under tillage. Cowle was granted originally to extend Cultivation, not

not to exchange it (and that at a loss to Govern-
-ment) to direct surplus Capital and stock
to increased Cultivation, not divert it from
that already in hand. It was and always has
been a boon on the part of Government for the
attainment of these objects, and in proportion
as this is effected, its limits should be expanded
or contracted - and this without any infringement
of the liberty of Cultivation which Mr. Sulivan
appears to dread. If what was intended by Gov-
-ernment as an encouragement to agriculture
becomes in consequence of the loosely framed
"provisions of a kowlenamah frequently modifi-
-ed" a premium upon speculation it is necessary
to enforce such limitations as may bring it
again to its original standard. One step towards
it has already been taken, namely the refusal
of Cowle for land waste less than 5 years,
it would now seem advisable to go further,
and in reference to the Comparative Table
in para 18 of the Board's letter under date
February 1st 1841 to assimilate the Cowle
tenure to that of the adjoining District of
Coimbatore except as regards the limitation
above

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13th May 1839 Para 6.

above alluded to. This may at once be notified
to the Collector without waiting for the "revised
set of Rules" called for in para 20 of their proceed-
-ings.

9. His Lordship in Council is inclined
to attribute the falling off in the Cultivation
of the highly assessed lands not only to the fact
of their being taken up on progressive Cowle, and
relinquished when the full term has become due,
but also to some improvement in lands formerly
assessed at lower rates and now become more desirable.

10. It is to be understood that in the contempla-
-ted alteration in the Cowle tenure, no restric-
-tion to the liberty of Cultivation can be said
to take place, it can only be considered as a
necessary and partial withdrawal of a boon
which has been carried too far.

11. His Lordship in Council entirely concurs
with the views taken by the Board (in paras 8 and
following of their Proceedings on the settlement
of 1818) of what is meant by unlimited freedom
of Cultivation. The Cultivation of portions of fields
of minute patches of unassessed land, of places
which may impede irrigation or right of way
cannot in common justice to the Ryots at large
be

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be allowed. Details such as these should form the subject of enquiry before Durkhasts are received by the local Officers.

12. The Board of Revenue in para 27 of their Proceedings under date February 1st 1841 again notice that the present Annary demand in those Districts in which the Permanent Peishcush was formerly determined still falls short of that demand an explanation of which circumstance is much called for, and which his Lordship in Council trusts Mr. Gleig will no longer delay forwarding.

13. Of the total demand for Fusly 1248 amounting to Rupees 1,79,1.16-11-6, the whole with the exception of 2,694 was collected within six months after the close of the fusly of this Balance 747-1-8. is stated in para 4 of the Collector's report on settlement of 1249 to be due by indigent and deceased Ryots, and therefore irrecoverable. In accordance with the recommendation of the Board, this sum is ordered to be written off.

14. Of the total Demand for 1249 amounting to Rupees 1,50,436.3.1, a Balance of 4,098 only was outstanding at the time of the Collector's report

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of this, 1037.5.10 is stated to be due by indigent, deserted and deceased Ryots, and therefore irrecoverable. It is hereby ordered to be written off.

15. The other Balances will be taken into consideration when the Board of Revenue have furnished the Report which they allude to in para 8 of their Proceedings under date 8th February 1841.

16. These results are highly creditable to Mr. Gleig's revenue administration and denote that the assessment of this District (made for the most part by Sir Thos. Munro, or under his superintendance) is on the whole moderate and just.

17. Though the details of the comparative Statement of the Revenues of fusly 1249 with those of former years must be in themselves liable to error and doubt, yet the comparison of the Total demand and the Collections is interesting and satisfactory as tending to shew the improvement that has taken place.

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	1210 to 1230	1231 to 1248	1249			
	Demand	Demand	Collection	Baraiz	Comp. of Col. 1 and 4	Comp. of Col. 2 and 4
	1	2	3	4	5	6
Sahry		5,63,106	5,61,218	4,68,189	94617 Dec.	The Decrease under the head of Sahry is by the resumption of Mootahs to Amauny.
Amauny		11,06,976	10,96,918	12,81,947	171,971 Inc.	
Land Revenue		16,70,082	16,58,136	17,50,436	Net 80,354 Inc.	
Moturpha		78,675	77,813	71,600	Decrease V 7075 Dec. V	Decrease caused by the Grazing tax valued about 5340 Rs now carried to Rs of Land Revenue.
Collected 1210 1230	18,18,374					
	18,44,393	17,48,757	17,35,949	18,22,036	D 22356 Net 73279 Incrs	If the actual Collections are compared the Decrease would be 599½ Rupees only.
other Extra Sources	1,44,740	2,66,935	2,61,195	2,52,454	* 10771 ° 14481 Dec.	* The increase is owing to an improvement in the Sayer and Abkarry.
						° Decrease owing chiefly to Reductions in the Sayer, affecting also the Stamps for Rowanahs.
	19,89,132	20,15,692	19,97,143	20,74,490	85358 58798 ☒	☒ If the "Collections" 19,99,144 and 20,70,228 are compared, the net increase would be 73084 Rupees.
					Increase *	Increase *

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18- His Lordship in Council considers it due to Mr. Gleig to express his satisfaction with his management of this District.

19- He also notices with approbation the continued encomiums passed on Neelgant Row the Head Sheristadar.

20- With reference to Para 29 of the Board's Proceedings of the 1st February 1841, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council observes that the extent to which the European subordinates of the Principal Collector were employed in the Settlement of the Districts specified in Para 2 of his report dated 18th November 1839 and Para 5 of that dated 1st October 1840, but it was considered desirable that the Principal Collector should also always state the nature of the revenue charge confided to his subordinates throughout the year, and whether their Proceedings have given satisfaction.

21- His Lordship in Council has observed with surprise that the report of the Principal Collector for Fusly 1248 was received by the Board of Revenue so far back as the month of November 1839, and although a very important discussion is contained in

in it on the subject of the Cowle system of the District, which, being disapproved, required to be corrected without loss of time, was not laid before Government until February 1841.

To
The President and Members
of the
Board of Revenue

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/ A true Extract /
/ Signed / H. Chamier
Chief Secretary

Order thereon- Ordered that a copy of the foregoing Extract from the Minutes of Consultation be furnished to the Principal Collector of Salem for his information and guidance with reference to the Board's Proceedings respectively dated the 1st & 8th February last on the Settlement of the Land Revenue in that District for Fuslies 1248 and 1249.

(4)

From the Secretary to Government

Extract from the Minutes Consultation dated 15th March 1841.

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

/ Here enter 1st March 1841 /

Minder the explanation afforded

in

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in the above extract, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the Statements received therewith, amounting to Rs. /165-13-2/ One hundred and sixty five, annas thirteen and pice two of Charges incurred for enclosing the Burial Ground at Triplicane, and, by an oversight, omitted in the Bill for that work sanctioned under date the 19th May 1840.-

/A true Extract/
/Signed/ Robert Clerk
Secretary to Government

To
The President and Members
of the
Board of Revenue

(4-5)

Order thereon, Ordered that a copy of the Extract from the Board's Proceedings of the 1st March, with a copy of the foregoing order of Government thereon be furnished to the Collector of Madras

In Cons. 1st March 1841 with reference to the communication of the 3d February last.-

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 15th March 1841.-

(6)

From the Chief Secy to Government } Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

/Here enter 15th February 1841 No. 82/

Para 1- The Gross Collections of the year amounted

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amounted to 327,424-12-9. The "charges" to 30,194-12-7 leaving the "Net" Revenue Rupees 297230-" A comparison between the Net Revenues derived from each Head in this and the preceding fusly is exhibited below-

	Net Collections		Comparison	
	1248	1249	Increase	Decrease
Sayer	120964-13-5	138507-14-9	17543-1-4	" " "
Abkarry	66104-13-6	71611-5-"	5506-7-6	" " "
Small Farms	8696-2-"	9351-10-"	655-8-"	No Decrease
Moturpha	60453-14-7	61317-10-3	863-11-8	" " "
Stamps	16005-14-6	16441-8-2	435-9-8	" " "
	272225-10-"	297230-" 2	25004-6-2	" " "

2 It is satisfactory to observe that there has been an increase under every branch of which the Extra sources of Revenue are composed, and his Lordship in Council considers Mr. Gleig's management of them to be highly creditable, the more so as the Collections seem to be made with the same continued punctuality.-

3 Although the Reductions in the

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the Sayer Department have been carried out to a greater extent in Salem than any other District, the Gross Collections including Rent of Betel and Tobacco of the year under review are only 13,502 Rupees less than those of the last year in which they were Rented.

Sayer Rent in 1246 1,70,075-0-0
Collections 1249 1,56,572-11-4
13,502-4-8

4 The other items of Extra Revenue call for no further remark.---

5 His Lordship in Council considers it desirable to obtain as early as possible the opinion of the Board of Revenue in reference to Para 11 of their Proceedings as to the probability of the old balance of 5,558-1-10 being ever recovered.---

True Extract

To The President and Members of the Board of Revenue

Signed By Chamier Chief Secretary

(6.7)

Order thereon Ordered that Copy of the foregoing Extract from the Minutes of Consultation be furnished to the Principal Collector of Salem for his information and guidance with reference to the Board's Proceedings of the 15th February last

on

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on the Extra sources of Revenue for that District in fusly 1249.-

(8)

From the Chief Secy to Government.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 19th March 1841.

Read Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department dated 9th March 1841.

Read the following letter-

From the Military Board Requesting permission to purchase about 3 Tons of Salem Iron to be Conveyed by the Carts which will return from thence and sanction for the Accountant General making an advance of Rupees 250 or 300 for its purchase.---

(Here enter 25th February 1841 No. 907)

Resolved that the Military Board be authorized to purchase about 3 Tons of Salem Iron for the purpose stated in the foregoing letter and that the accountant General be instructed to cause the requisite advance of Cash not exceeding Two hundred and fifty (250) or Three hundred (300) Rupees to be made on that account by the Collector of Salem.-

Signed J. W. Steel Lt. Coll.
Secretary to Government

Ordered to be transmitted to the Board of

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of Revenue for Communication to the Principal Collector of Salem.—

/Signed/ Hy Chamier
Chief Secretary.—

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Order thereon — Ordered that transcript of the foregoing Resolution be communicated to Mr. Gleig Principal Collector of Salem for his guidance.—

Read the following letter—

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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From the Collr of Ganjam—

Reporting that he has been under the necessity of removing Mysore annajee Row from the situation of acting Tahsildar of the Wadadah Talook in his District and that he is determined on forwarding him to the Criminal Court on a charge of

Para 1

I have the honor to report for the information of the Board of Revenue that I have been under the necessity of removing Mysore annajee Row from the situation of acting Tahsildar of the Wadadah Talook in this District, and that I have determined on forwarding him to the Criminal Court on a charge of gross abuse of authority as Head of Police in conformity with

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of gross abuse of Authority as Head of Police in conformity with Clause 3 Section 3 Regulation III of 1819

with Clause 3 Section 3 Regulation III of 1819.—

2 I appointed this person who had previously acted for short periods as Tahsildar in several other Districts on the favorable recommendation of a Gentleman under whom he had served, in consequence of the very great difficulty which exists in finding a native of this part of the Country fit and competent to fill that Office; but during the ten months that he has been in charge of the Wadadah Talook, he has on many occasions given very great ground for dissatisfaction at his conduct, and I have been induced to continue him so long on trial, only from a desire to avoid frequent Changes, and in the hope that Annajee Row would attend to the admonition and advice addressed to him. There have been numerous Complaints made by the Ryots of his oppressive acts and arbitrary

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conduct towards them, both in the Collection of the Revenue and in his capacity of Head of Police and he has been frequently censured for his unwarrantable proceedings, and warned that by a repetition of such unjustifiable conduct he would incur the penalty of dismissal from the public service and punishment for his illegal acts.—

3. In the present instance there is ample proof that by his contrivance a false charge of a heinous nature was preferred before him against a respectable Mohsadar, and that he personally threatened the Witnesses and caused them to be beaten and maltreated in order to compel them to give evidence in support of the said charge, and has otherwise in the most gross manner abused the authority of his Office in his proceedings connected with this Case, and I consider it proper that an example should be

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be made of the offender by bringing him to trial before the Criminal Court.—

Ganjam District.—
Collector's Cutcherry.—
Ganjam 6th March 1841

/Signed/ R. A Bannerman
Collector

Proceedings thereon

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Mr. Bannerman will be pleased to report hereafter the result of the trial of Annajee Row acting Tahsildar of Wadadah taluk before the Criminal Court.—

Read the following letters.

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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From the 2d Collr. of Nellore.—

Sir, I have the honor to forward for the information of the Board of Revenue Copy of a letter addressed by me to the Salt agent at Chittagong dated 22d Instant.—

Nellore District.—
Kistnapatam.—
Rent Collrs Circuit Cutcherry
23d March 1841.—

/Signed/ T. V. Stonhouse
Rent Collr

To The Salt Agent
Chittagong

Sir, I have the honor to bring to your notice

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notice that a Vessel called Futteh Rohoman touched at the Port of Eskapully and Certificate No. 40 was produced as authority for a Cargo of 3,400 Bengal Maunds of Salt whereas the Register originally furnished by the Board of Revenue at Fort St. George and the rectified one subsequently furnished by you shew the quantity allotted for shipment on a Vessel called Mohun Mallah according to Certificate No. 40 to be 4000 Bengal Maunds The Syrang of the Vessel now arrived has stated that in consequence of having been prevented launching the Brig Mohun Mallah which he states to have been recently built at some part near Chittagong, the Futteh Rohoman was substituted with your permission and that the quantity in the Certificate was altered by you to 3,400 Bengal Maunds as it does not appear to me that there could be any motive to practise a fraud, I have permitted the export of 3,400 Bengal Maunds of

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of Salt on board of her on account of the inconvenience and disappointment which would have been occasioned by a refusal, at the same time it appears to me somewhat inexplicable that the name of the Vessel should not have been changed in the Certificate at the same time that the quantity of Salt to be exported on her was altered from 4,000 to 3,400 and I should have been glad moreover if you had apprized me of these changes, as I conceive that without such intimation I should be fully justified in refusing Salt to Vessels where the entries in the Certificates differ so materially from the Registers furnished for my guidance —

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Nellore District
Kistnapatam
Princl Collr Circuit Cutchery
22d March 1841

Signed S. V. Stonhouse
Princl Collector

True Copy
Signed S. V. Stonhouse
Princl Collr

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Order thereon — Ordered to be recorded —
Read the following Statements
statements

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Statement shewing the Quantity of Salt in store and ready for exportation on account of the Calcutta Indent for 1840/41 at the undermentioned Ports in the Zillah of Nellore up to 15th March 1841

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No.	Names of Ports	North Latitude	Quantity of Salt permitted to be exported to Calcutta in the year 1840/41	Quantity already exported	Quantity remaining to be exported	Quantity already stored and ready for exportation	Quantity of salt manufactured and remaining under estimated Heaps	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
			B. Mds.	B. Mds.	B. Mds.	B. Mds.	B. Mds.	
1	Eshapully	14 - 44	"	"	"	109,191	7,100	
2	Gogoolapully	14 39	"	"	"	2,059	15,400	
3	Varney	14 37	"	"	"	1,254	10,395	
	Total		150,000	"	150,000	112,504	32,895	

Nellore District
Kistnapatam
Print. Coll.r Circuit Cutchery 22d March 1841

/Signed/ T. V. Stonehouse
Pro. Coll.r

Statement

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Statement of Salt for Exportation to Calcutta from the Port of Covelong in the Zillah of Chingleput up to 19th March 1841.

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Quantity of Salt permitted to be exported	Quantity already exported	Quantity remaining to be exported	Quantity actually in store Ready for exportation on the Beach	Quantity ready in the Colaurs	Remarks
For 1841.					
Bengal Maunds.					
300,000		300,000	74,721	672	

Chingleput District
Coll.r Circuit Cutcherry
Tottecut 23d March 1841.

/Signed/ A. Freese
Collector

Statement

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Statement of Salt for Exportation to Calcutta from the Port of Murkanum in the District of Southern Division of Arcot up to 20th March 1841.

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Quantity of Salt permitted to be exported to Calcutta in the year 1841	Quantity already Exported--	Quantity remaining to be exported	Quantity actually in store and ready for Exportation--	Remarks--
Bengal Maunds 50,000	Bengal Maunds	Bengal Maunds 50,000	Bengal Maunds 30,000	

Chellumbrum - - -

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Order on the three foregoing Statements - Ordered to be recorded.

Read the following letter.

(14-17)

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

From the Coll.r of Chingleput

Herewith returned

(18)

Sir,

With reference to the Endorsement on Petition No. 256 of 1841, I have the honor to state that I consider the objections urged by the Moatedar to the construction of the proposed Talook Cutcherry at Ponnary as quite undeserving of notice - The site of the proposed building is Government land and was formerly the site of a Cutcherry, nor is there a single reason why the construction of a Cutcherry within the limits of a Zemindary should affect the Cultivation and realization of its revenues, if any thing, the establishment of a Talook Cutcherry, would tend to increase the prosperity of the Village and its resources - There is nothing moreover in the construction of the proposed Cutcherry at variance with the letter or spirit of Regulation XXV of 1802

I have

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had there been, then every Talook Cutcherry in the District must have been abolished on the introduction of the Permanent Settlement, by the introduction of which however nothing but the right of Collecting the revenues that would have accrued to Government was granted.

Chingleput District,
Collector's Circuit Cutcherry,
Streepermatoor, 15th March 1841.

(Signed) A. Reese.
Collector.

Proceedings thereon.

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Ordered that the forgoing endorsement be passed upon original Petition No. 256 of 1841 returned for delivery to the Party thro' the Collector of Chingleput.

The Board of Revenue have ascertained thro' the Collector of the district that the Complaints preferred in this address have no just foundation.

Read the following letter.

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

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From the Prin.l Coll.r of North Arcot.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 18th November 1839, giving Cover to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation bearing date the 11th of that Month, I have the honor to submit for sanction the accompanying Statement shewing the amount of actual charges incurred for repairing the Sayer Chokies in this District, amounting to Rs. 136-4-3. which I request may receive the sanction of Government.

North Arcot,
Prin.l Coll.r's Cutcherry,
Chittoor, 15th March 1841.

(Signed) G. M. Ogilvie
Principal Collector

Statement

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A

Statement Shewing the Amount of actual charges incurred for repairing the Sayer Chokies in the Northern Division of Arcot.

Name of Chokies	Amount of actual Charges Rs.	as.	P.
Canepet Choky	7	14	..
Tholinghur Do.	8	11	6
Griattum Do.	5	..	..
Vellore Do.	6	1	9
Amboorpet Do.	7	..	..
Rajahnugger Do.	5	..	..
Goomadeepoondy Rustah	8	11	4
Pennarry Choky	5	..	..
Pourazpet Do.	4	8	..
Naggery	2	8	..
Naramaramum Rustah	8	2	..
Permalrazpet Choky	8	..	..
Palmanair Do.	6	12	6.
Pyarapully Do.	4	12	..
Goodeepully Do.	4	8.	..
Kistnahpoor Do.	4	10.	..
Putterpully Do.	5	..	..
Polore Do.	15.	..	..
Perur Do.	5.	..	..
Onnoopooram Do.	12	12.	..
Pulicat Do.	1	5	2.
Total Rupees	136	4	3.

North Arcot,
Principal Coll.r's Cutcherry,
15th March 1841.

E. E. for G. M. Ogilvie
Prin.l Coll.r

Entered

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Ordered that the following letter be submitted together with the foregoing letter.

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

(20-21)

To the Chief Secy to Government.
From Mon. 18th Nov. 1839.

Sir,

With reference to the resolution of Government dated 14th November 1839 No. 1421, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will lay before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying letter from the Principal Collector of North Arcot, submitting a statement of charges incurred in repairing the Sayer Chokies in that District Amounting to Rupees 136-4-3, which the Board recommend may receive the Sanction of Government.

From Pl. Coll. N.A. to Mon. 15th inclusive 29th March 1841.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
29th March 1841.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,
(Signed) P. B. Smollett.
Secretary.

Read the following letter.

To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George.

(22)

From the Pl. Coll. of North Arcot.

Sir,

I have the honor to request that the Copy of the Decree submitted to the Board in my letter of the 12th December, may be returned for

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for delivery to the Petitioner, vide Petition No. 3 of 1840.

North Arcot,
Principal Coll. Cutcherry,
Chittoor, 19th March 1841.

(Signed) G. McD. Ogilvie.
Principal Collector.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.

To The Principal Collector in the Northern Division of Arcot.

(22-23)

To the Pro. Coll.
of North Arcot.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to return to you the accompanying Copy of the Decree submitted by you under date the 12th December last, as requested in your letter of the 19th Instant.

From Coll. 24th Dec. 1840.
Received 29th March 1841.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
29th March 1841.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett.
Secretary.

Read the following letter.

To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George.

(24)

From the A.P. Coll.
of Tanjore.

Sir,

Adverting to the remarks in the 5th para of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under

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under date the 22d February last, consequent on that in the latter part of the 7th para of the Board's Proceedings of the 1st February 1841 reviewing my report on the Extra sources of Revenue for this District for Fusly 1249, I have the honor to state that I reported fully the result of my endeavours to rent the Tobacco duties for Fusly 1250 in my letter to you of the 6th June last, and that the Board on the 22d of the same month confirmed the proposal of Padsha Rawten to rent these duties for the entire District with the exception of the Tritarapoondy Taluk, the Collections of which, for reasons explained in my letter of the 2d may last, have been retained in Annamy. I did not therefore consider it necessary to notice a 2d time an arrangement which had already been approved of by the Board and which had reference to the coming year Fusly 1250, whereas my Report of the 15th September was exclusively on the Extra sources of

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Revenue for the past year Fusly 1249.—

Tanjore, 17th March 1841. } (Signed) H. C. Montgomerry
Vellum, } Acting Principal Collector.

Proceedings thereon.—

24.25

The arrangement for renting out the Tobacco duties reported by the Acting Principal Collector of Tanjore for Fusly 1250 and sanctioned by the Board, had been overlooked when the settlement of the Extra Revenues of the Province for Fusly 1249 noticed in the Extract from the Board's Proceedings of the 1st February last, was under review.—

It

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2. It is observed that a reduction in the Sayer Establishment was contemplated by Sir H. Montgomery consequent on these duties being vested in the acting Principal Collector will report accordingly if this has been effected.

Proceedings

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Read again the letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly noted in the margin, containing his report on the Settlement of the Land Revenue of that District for Fusly 1249.

22nd Rec'd 25th Sept. 1840.

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Proceedings Relative to the settlement of the Land Revenue of the District of Trichinopoly for Fusly 1249

Para 1. The Summabundy was commenced in the month of November, and conducted under the immediate superintendence of the Collector in all the Talooks, except those of Vittlicully and Moosery, in which the Peishcars were distributed by the Head assistant Mr. Woodgate.

The Collector reports that the

Villages 2. number of Villages is the same as in Fusly 1248,

Para 2. but that a ruined Village in the Cadiampollium Talook having been brought into cultivation in the Fusly under review, had been added to the accounts, and another Village had been deducted from the accounts in consequence of its having been left uncultivated. The Statement however annexed to the Para in which this fact is noticed, shews an increase of one in the number

number of "Settled" Villages, and a correspon=
=ding decrease in the number of "Villages, the
lands of which are not Cultivated" a discre=
=pancy which appears to the Board to require explanation

Season. Para 3. 3. The season during the early part
of Fusly 1249 appears to have been very pro=
=pitious, and advantage being taken of the
rains which fell in great abundance
between the month of June and October, a
Considerable increase was effected in the
Settlement of the dry and Garden Lands.
In Consequence however of the failure
of the regular Monsoon rains, in and after
the Month of October, the out turn of
the wet lands was not so abundant as
might have been, and it became necessary
to make remissions in some Villages on account
of withered Crops, this not by any means to the
extent to which remissions were made in
Fusly 1248. Notwithstanding however the failure
of the Monsoon, the total net Settlement
of the year amounted to Rupees 14,38,738 exceeding the

the Settlement of the preceding Fusly in the
Sum of Rupees 28470-9-5. This "increase" was
general throughout the wet Talooks, except
Statement Para 8. Conaud which exhibits a trifling decrease
of Rupees 109-0-6. In the Settlement of the
dry lands of the Vitticoitty Talook, there
was a decrease of Rupees 1903-0-1. making the
total decrease of the District Rupees 2012-
7. The increase in the wet Talooks
Amounted to Rupees 7332-4- and in the dry
to Rupees 23150-6- making the total
Increase Rupees 30482-10- from which being
deducted the decrease of Rupees 2012-7- just
noticed, there remains a Net Increase
in the Settlement of the year under review
amounting as above shewn to Rupees 28470-9-5.
Of this increase 16,966-8-3- arises entirely from
a Net increase of Lands newly brought under
Cultivation in Fusly 1249, above 1248, the
result of a Gross increase of Cawnies 18228-14-8-4/4
assessed at Rupees 14,815-3-4- and a Gross
decrease of Cawnies 10,392-9-6-1/2 assessed at Rupees 2,786-11-1-
the remaining portion of the increase is composed chiefly of
additional

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additional Teeruvah upon extended Cultivation of Superior Crops in the dry Talooks and in the dry Villages of the wet Talooks, amounting to Rupees 3,907-12-3. together with certain other items of more trifling amount as particularly enumerated in Para. 9 of the Collector's Report, to which is added as an item of increase, the difference in the Sum remitted on accounts of perished Crops in Fusly 1249 Compared with 1248 amounting to Rupees 4,660-9-6½ and making the Sum total of increase as above shewn.

The increase in the extent of Cultivation is attributed entirely by Mr. Onslow to the favorable nature of the Season, and in such a Season it is somewhat remarkable that so large an extent of Land as 9965 Cawnies - assessed at Rupees 25800 which was under Cultivation in 1248 Should so have been relinquished in 1249 by Ryots who from poverty were unable to cultivate it. If this fact has been clearly ascertained, the Board would be glad to learn what has become

of

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of so large a number of Ryots as must have been engaged in this Cultivation, that they have not emmigrated is clear because Mr. Onslow has given the particulars of those who have left the District for others, and they are unwilling to suppose so unsatisfactory a State of things as that this number have been reduced from the Condition of Substantial Cultivating Ryots to that of mere Laborers, and this in a season represented to be very favorable. It is possible the parties may have employed themselves in reclaiming a portion of the waste and Poramboke which has been brought into Cultivation, and at any rate the Subject is worthy of further enquiry.

4. The deductions from the Settlement on account of Shavee amounted to

Para 37 Rupees 4,761-2-4½ being less by 4,660-9-6½ than the remissions granted in Fusly 1248 - of this 817 £. 4 - was the amount of remission granted in 17 Villages in Conaud - one in Vittiauttu - and one

in

in Mooserry in Consequence of a failure
of water in the Cauvary, just as the 2d.
817-6-4. Crop were Coming to maturity. Rupees
196-11-8. 196-11-8 were remitted for similar reasons
3747-4½. in certain Villages dependant on the
4761-2-4½. Anaranutty for their supply of water,
and the remainder Rupees 3747-4½ were
remitted on lands dependant on tanks
which from the failure of the N.E.
Monsoon did not receive a sufficient
Para 38. supply of water.

5 A further deduction of Rupees
1197-13-8 was made from the Settlement
under the head of Inaze Cummee which
Inaze Cummee. Comprized the following items, Rupees 254.
254-14-2. 14-2. the difference between the assessment
888-13-11. of certain Villages and the amount for which
31-4-1. they were rented. Rupees 888-13-11. the
11-12-6. difference between the assessment of
11-5-4. some Villages and their actual culture
1197-13-8 under Sunnarum, it having been
found impossible to obtain adequate
offers for the rents of them, and Rupees 31-4-1.
remitted in Consequence of certain Lands
having

having been Cultivated with Poonjay
instead of Nunjay Crops owing to their
unfavorable Situation. The remaining
31-4-1. two items shewn in the Margin form
11-12-6. the moiety of the Government demand
11-5-4. remitted in the one Case to certain Ryots
Para 39. who were deprived of their usual means
of irrigation owing to some repairs made
to the Banks of the Cauvary, and in the
Para 40. other to the inhabitants of the Villages
of Venoyagantoorooroo in the Oodiarpolliem
Taloog, who had Cultivated a Small
island in the Cauvary which the Civil
Engineer found it necessary to remove for
the purpose of improving the supply of
water at the lower anicut. The remission
in this Case only extended to half the
Government demand, as it was ascertained
that the Ryots had reaped the greater
part, if not the whole, of their Crops.

6 The following Abstract Statement
shews the Settlement of the Land and Sastra
Revenue of the Trichinopoly District for
Fusly 1249 as Contrasted with that of the
preceding year, and exhibits a Net increase of
Rupees 28,545-6-8.

Fusly

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1. The management of the Excise Sources of Revenue for the year under review has been already submitted to Government with the Board's Proceedings of the 18th January last.

2. The Collections made within the year on account of the Land Revenue Settlement amounted to Rupees 14,26,557-9-10. and a further sum of Rupees 3074-6-2½ were realized subsequently; leaving a balance of Rupees 7106-2-2½ due at the date of the Report under Consideration, the greater portion of which, it is feared, must be considered irrecoverable.

3. The balance of former years outstanding at the Commencement of Fasly 1249 was Rupees 19046-9-5- of which Rupees 4838-5-8- were realized by the end of August and Rupees 6588-1-4- were remitted under Sanction of Government dated the 19th November last. The Collector is requested to furnish at this earliest Conve-nience a Report upon the Remaining

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Fasly 1249. Surname Deceased.

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remaining balances outstanding, as well on account of former years as for Fusly 1249, shewing distinctly what portion may be considered as recoverable without pressing too heavily on the Ryots, and recommending the irrecoverable portions for remission.

Paras 20 and 21.

10 In the Board's Proceedings 7th November 1838. upon the settlement of 1247 they directed, with reference to the observations of the Acting Collector as to the defective provisions of the Hookoomnamah in use in Trichinopoly, that he would submit copy of the Summabundy and Cultivation Hookoomnamah in use, with any alterations he proposed entered in juxtaposition. The Board have not yet received these documents, and they desire that they may be transmitted at Mr. Onslow's earliest Convenience. The defects of the Puttahs and Summabundy Chittah, in use in this District were also pointed out in Para. 21 and a Form of each forwarded for future adoption, but it would seem from the detailed accounts of

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of one Village received for Fusly 1249, that these Forms have not as yet been introduced, the Collector will be pleased to explain the cause of this.

It has been customary for the Collector to forward with the Hindoovee accounts a Memorandum prepared by the Head Sheristadar of the District in Hindoovee explaining more in detail than can be gathered from the accounts themselves, the cause of Increase or Decrease, this Memorandum it is observed has been omitted to be sent with the accounts for Fusly 1249, an omission which Mr. Onslow will be pleased to supply in transmitting the accounts of future years.

12 The Collector will at the same time notice the several points adverted to by the Board in their Proceedings of the 26th October last, upon the settlement of Fusly 1248 upon which information was called for, especially with reference to Para 9 to 12 and Paras 19 and 20.

The

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13 The Board have much pleasure in recording their approbation of the care and attention displayed by Mr.r Onslow in the management of his District for Fusly 1249, and their satisfaction at the successful result of his labours.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing Extract from the Board's Proceedings be submitted to Government, and that a transcript of the same be forwarded to the Collector of Trichinopoly for his information and guidance.

Read the following letter.

To The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St.t George.

(27)

Sir,

From the D.y Coll.r of Coimbatore. } With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of the 15.th October 1839 which accompanied the Board's Proceedings dated the 24.th of that month, I have the honor to state for the information of

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of the Board that a decree in suit

Sayagounden Rackyagounden Royagounden and Sooriya mooddy of Chetty pollium in the Coimbatore Talook. Vrs: Paryagounden of Do. W. H. Babington Esquire officiating Principal Coll.r of Coimbatore.	No. 180 of 1839 on the file of the Auxiliary Court at this Station was passed in favor of the defendants. The Plaintiffs being dissatisfied with this decree have appealed to the Zillah Court at Salem. A copy of the decree already passed will be forwarded to the Board when obtained from the auxiliary Court, in the mean time I request that the Sanction of Government may be solicited to defend this suit in appeal at the Public expence.

Coimbatore, Dy. Coll.r's Office, 15.th March 1841. } Signed G. D. Drury. Prin.l Coll.r

Ordered

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Ordered that the following address be Submitted together with the foregoing letter.

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

27. 28

To the Chief Secry. to Government. Sir, Para 1. With reference to the letter from this Department under date the 19th September 1839. and the orders of Government thereon of the 15th October in the same year, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request you will lay before Government the accompanying letter from Mr. Drury, Principal Collector of Coimbatore, soliciting sanction for conducting the defence of the Suit therein referred to in appeal before the Zillah Court of Salem.

In Mrs 22nd Oct. 1839.

15th in Cons. 29th March 1841.

2 The Right Honorable the Governor in Council will observe that the decree of the lower Court has been in favor of the officers of Government, and under these Circumstances it is recommended that the necessary proceedings in the Superior Court be conducted at the Public expense.

Revenue Board's office, Fort St. George, 29th March 1841. } / Signed / R. B. Smollett. Secry. Read

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Read the following letter.

To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George.

29.

From the Sub Coll. in Charge of Coimbatore.

Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 5th December, 1839. I have the honor to Submit herewith an Estimate of charges required to be incurred on account of repairs of Cars of several Pagodas in this District amounting to Rupees (386-2-) three hundred and eighty six and annas two, during the first half of the Current year, and to request the Sanction of the Board for the disbursement of the same from the Surplus Devastanum fund.

Coimbatore, Prin. Coll. Office, 22nd March 1841. } / Signed / S. Bird. Sub Coll. in Charge.

Estimate

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A

Estimate of Charges required to be incurred for repairing the Pagoda Cars Vca of Certain Devastannms in the District of Coimbatore for the first half of the year 1841.

Coimbatore Taluk.

For repairing the Pagoda Car of Coneamman at Cuvbah.

For Cutting and Conveying Timbers		29 12 "	
Value of Iron required		6 " "	
Hire of Carpenters Vca for repairing 3 Wheels		24 8 "	
Charcoal		2 " "	
Hire for Cutting 24 Palmyrahs	12 " "		
Do for Carriage of the above from Cheyore to Coimbatore	52	64 " "	120 4 "
For repairing the Pagoda Car Puttyvaaradaswmy at Paroor.			
For Cutting and Conveying Timbers	33 " "		
Hire of Carpenters Vca for repairing wheels	24 " "		
Iron	12		
Charcoal	6	75 " "	201 4 "

Cheyore Taluk.

For repairing the Pagoda Car of Avenashyeswaradswmy at Avenashy			
For Cutting and Conveying Timbers		13 8 "	
Iron		15 8 "	
Charcoal		3 " "	
Hire of Carpenters Vca for repairing Wheels		29 14	61 14 "

Sattiamangalom Taluk.

For repairing the Pagoda Car of Vaasyapaulaswmy at Cuvbah			
For Cutting and Conveying Timbers	6 " "		
Iron	10 " "		
Hire of Carpenters Vca for repairing wheels	21 " "		
Charcoal	1 " "		
		38 " "	
Carried forward		38 " "	203 2 "

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Proceedings thereon. The Board authorize the charges exhibited in the Statement submitted with the foregoing letter for repairs of Cars &c. belonging to the several Pagodas of the Coimbatore district amounting to Rupees 380 2 — the disbursement being made from the surplus funds of these Institutions.—

Read the following letter.

To

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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Sir,

From the Dy. Collr of Canara

I have the honor to forward a Statement of salt wastage for Fasly 1249, exhibiting a loss of M Garces 313-179 m 8 p 5½ or 7 per cent of this quantity M G 70-85 m 8 p is on account of wastage usually allowed on salt transported from one Talook to another, and the net wastage on the quantity stored and disposed of is therefore only M G 243-94 m 8 p 5½ or 5 6/10 per cent.—

Dy Collr Cutcherry
Ankolah,
15th March 1841

/Signed/ H. M. Blair.
Dy Collr

Statement

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Statement Shewing the Quantity of Salt Sold and the Wastage on the Quantity stored in the Gillahs of Canara

A

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for Fusly 1249.-

Talooks.	Names of the Tannahs and Cotties or Depôts.	Fusly in which Stored	Quantity Stored: Sneach Fusly.	Total.	Quantity Cleared out: Quantity Sold.	Quantity exported form one Depôt to another.	Total.	Wastage: Amount of Wastage.	Per Centage	Per centage of Wastage for each Column fixed by the Honble Court as per para 18 of the Salt rules.	Explanation of the Cause of Wastage.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			Garces Mds ℔	Garces Mds ℔	Garces Mds ℔	Garces Mds ℔	Garces Mds ℔	Garces Mds ℔			
Mangalore	Tannahs Depôts										
	Mangalore Aval	1247	" " "	159 34 "	158 39 "	" " "	158 39 "	" 34 "	" 9/16		
	Moolky Aval	1247	" " "	100 32 "	105 24 "	" " "	105 24 "	1 296 "	1 10/16		
	Dubmbaginy Aval	1247	" " "	34 10 "	32 39 "	" " "	32 39 "	1 114 "	3 12/16		
	Munjaseer Aval	1245	14 93 "								
	Coomblah Aval	1247	20 200 "	34 29 "	33 129	" " "	33 129	1 104 "	4/16		
Betkul	Cajergode Aval	1246	28 285 0/2								
	Neelaishwer Aval	1249	9 105 1/2	38 5 "	36 282 6	" " "	36 282 6	1 108 2	3 12/16		
	Aval	1240	" " "	102 310 2	99 58 4	" " "	99 58 4	3 257 6	3 9/16		
	Duem	1247	" " "	7 307 "	7 284 "	" " "	7 284 "	" 83 "	2 10/16		
	Shiem	1245	" " "	40 221 6	38 390 "	" " "	38 390 "	1 241 6	3 15/16		
Buntwal	Buntwal	1247	" " "	16 232 "	15 391 "	" " "	15 391 "	" 241 "	3/16		
Buntwal	Aval	1247	172 235 "								
		1249	188 3 6	306 238 6	355 81 "	" " "	355 81 "	5 157 6	18/16		
	Duem	1247	275 57 4								
Coodapoy	Coodapoor Aval	1249	120 228 4	401 280 "	399 102 "	" " "	399 102 "	2 184 "	" 19/16		
	Camp Aval	1247	" " "	152 " 7	128 109 7	" " "	128 109 7	3 231 "	2 12/16		
	Hangally Duem	1247	" " "	20 " "	19 35 "	" " "	19 35 "	" 305 "	4 9/16		
	Honenagar	1247	" " "	59 230 "	57 103 "	" " "	57 103 "	2 69 "	3 7/16		
	Cunda poor	1248	" " "	147 215 "	102 341 "	28 331 1	131 272 1	9 342 7	0 21/16		
	Shiem	1248	" " "	10 209 "	" " "	15 30 3	15 30 3	1 230 5	9 9/16		
Wooderhobly	Charum	1248	" " "	144 304 "	137 119 "	" " "	137 119 "	7 185 "	6 2/16		
	Arabet Aval	1247	" " "	30 180 "	27 375 "	" " "	27 375 "	2 205 "	8 4/16		
	Madibet	1248	" " "	130 399 "	118 335 "	" " "	118 335 "	12 64 "	1 14/16		
	Woderhobly	1247	" " "	40 263 "	30 228 "	" " "	30 228 "	3 325 "	3 7/16		
	Koty	1248	" " "								
Coondapoor	Denar ajar Koty	1249	48 178 "								
	Aval	1248	1 201 "	50 39 "	45 211 5/4	4 227 2/4	4 227 2/4	9 2/16			
Barnaud	Jalladee Aval	1249	62 163 "								
	Hemadee Aval	1248	2 139 "	64 292 "	57 154 0/4	7 107 1/4	7 107 1/4	4 4/16			
		1248	" " "	47 172 "	42 28 0	42 28 0	5 143 2	4 5/16			
	Carried forward			25 109 4	22 48 "	22 48 "	3 121 4	13			
				3208 8 1	2,000 286 1	122 49 0	2,122 335 7	85 72 2	"		

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Talooks.	Names of the Tannahs and Kottels or Depots.	Fusly in which stored.	Quantity stored: In each Fusly.	Quantity stored: Total.	Quantity Sold.	Quantity exported from one Depot to another.	Quantity cleared out: Total.	Wastage: Amount of Wastage.	Wastage: Percentage.	Percentage of Wastage for each Talook fixed by the Bd. Coll.rs as per 4th Para 18 of the Salt rules.	Explanation of the Cause of Wastage.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			Garces Mds S	Garces Mds S	Garces Mds S	Garces Mds S	Garces Mds S	Garces Mds S			
	Brought forward		" " "	2208 8 1	2000 280 1	122 49 6	2122 335 7	85 72 2			
Byndoor	Celloor	1248	" " "	49 330 "	42 128 "		43 128 "	4 202 "	9 7/16		
	Chelunmukey Duem	1248	" " "	74 9 "	69 182 "	" " "	69 152 "	4 257 "	6 4/16		
	Tulloor	1248	" " "	42 59 "	28 69 "	11 47 2	39 116 2	2 342 6	6 12/16		
	Petteh Duem	1247	" " "	120 78 "	27 105 "	76 3 "	103 108 "	16 370 "	14 2/16		
	Petteh Aund	1247	54 170 "					11 177 "	12 2/16		
	Gotty	1248	40 77 "	94 253 "	47 397 "	35 77 "	83 70 "	1 234 "	9 12/16		
	Bellitapeh	1248	" " "	16 83 "	14 249 "	" " "	14 249 "				
Coomta	Goorta-agur	1247	40 11 "					6 125 "	9 7/16		
	Hallbag	1249	20 290 "	60 307 "	60 182 "	" " "	60 182 "	5 140 "	9 7/16		
	Hagal	1248	" " "	58 383 "	53 243 "	" " "	53 243 "	5 112 "	12 4/16		
	Pulligar	1248	" " "	10 196 "	" " "	9 83 "	9 83 "	2 27 "	6 7/16		
	Astak	1248	" " "	29 307 "	27 340 "	" " "	27 340 "	2 377 "	10 14/16		
	Alveekodee	1248	" " "	75 " "	29 340 "	" " "	60 23 "	7 377 "	8 4/16		
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	Sunnigar	1248	48 358 5/4	52 391 "	53 32 5	" " "		6 109 1/2	11 13/16		
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Fort St. George

29th March 1841.

Talooks.	Names of the Cutcherries or Depots.	Quantity stored			Quantity cleared out		Wastage				Explanation of the Cause of Wastage
		Fusly in which stored	In each Fusly	Total	Quantity	Quantity exported from one Depot to another	Total	Amount of Wastage	Centage	Per Centage of wastage for each Cutcherry fixed by the Board of Rev. per para 18th of the Salt rules	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			Garces Mds S	Garces Mds S	Garces Mds S	Garces Mds S	Garces Mds S	Garces Mds S			
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Porkeah		1247	" " "	100 " "	"	" "	88	240 "	88	340 "	11 54 " 11 2/16
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Oshimpatam	Luxeemee	1248	" " "	184 170 6	17	159 "	15	7 "	32	166 "	13
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Sedashigur	Annanie	1248	" " "	11 57 2 5/16	18	168 "	"	" "	18	168 "	" 282 3/4 3 1/16
Mullapoor		1247	" " "	5 315 "	10	212 3½	"	" "	10	212 3½	" 244 6 13/16 5 8/16
					5	189 "	"	" "	5	159 "	" 126 " 5 7/16
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Principal Collectors Cutcherry
On Circuit, Ankola
15th March 1841

(Signed) H. M. Blair
Princl Coll.

Ordered

(31 - 32)

Order thereon. Ordered to lie on the table.

From the Supt. of Stamps. (33) Read Statement of Contingent charges incurred for the Month of February last.

Order thereon. (33. 34) Ordered to be sanctioned accordingly.

The Board proceed to take into consideration the statements noted below and to record their remarks therein.-

From the Collector of Rajahmundry. (35) Extract from the Retrenchments of his accounts for fuesly 1249.-

From the Collector of Ganjam. (36) Statement of Charges incurred without Estimate in the Magisterial Department for fuesly 1249.-

From the Acting Collector of Tinnevelly. (37) Statement of Extra charges incurred without Estimate for fuesly 1249.-

From the Acting Collector of Tinnevelly. (38) Statement of Charges incurred without Estimate in the Magisterial Department for fuesly 1249.-

From the Acting Collector of Tinnevelly. (39) Statement of Extra Charges incurred under Estimate for fuesly 1249.-

From the Acting Collector of Tinnevelly. (40) Statement of Extra Charges incurred in the Magisterial Department for

for fuesly 1249.

From the Acting Collector of Tinnevelly. (41) Statement of actual charges incurred under Estimate and account of advances for Cultivation for fuesly 1249.-

Order on the Seven (35 - 42) abovementioned Statements. Ordered that the necessary remarks of the Board be inserted in the proper Column of the abovementioned Statements, and submitted for the orders of Government.-

Resolved that the following letter be dispatched together with the Petition therein referred to.-

To The Collector in the Zillah of Chingleput.

(43)

To the Collr. of Chingleput. 486 of 1841.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to transmit for your early report, the accompanying Petition from Certain Meerasidars of the Chatriem Village of Conaree in your District.-

Pucenne Board Office. Fort St. George 29th March 1841.-

I am Sir, Your most obedient Servant, Signed P. B. Smollett Secretary.

Received

Received the Undermentioned Miscellaneous letters and Statements.-

(44) From the Principal Collector in the Northern Division of Arcot. } Statement of goods released on payment of Extra duty for the Month of February last.-

(45) From the Principal Collector in the Northern Division of Arcot. } Statement of goods recommended for Confiscation for the Month of February last.-

(44-46) Order on the 2 abovd. - Statements - Ordered that Confiscation and sale of the Smuggled Articles and the levy of double duty enumerated in the Statement, be authorized.-

(47) From the Principal Collector in the Southern Division of Arcot } Report of Persons Suspended or dismissed under Section VII Regulation VI of 1831 for the Month of December last.-

(48) From the Coll.r of Singlepub - Abstract of Demand, Collection and Balance for the Month of February 1841.-

(49) From the Sub Coll.r in Charge of Coimbatore - Abstract of Demand, Collection

collection and Balance for the Month of February 1841.

(50) From the Collector of Ganjam - Abstract of Demand, Collection and Balance for the Month of February 1841.-

(51) From the Collector of Salem - Abstract of Demand, Collection and Balance for the Month of February 1841.-

(52) From the Coll.r of Trichinopoly - Abstract of Demand, Collection and Balance for the Month of February 1841.-

(53) From the Collector of Trichinopoly - Statement Shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of grain and Salt for the Month of February last.-

(54) From the Principal Collector in the Northern Division of Arcot } Statement Shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of grain and Salt for the Month of February last.-

(55) From the Collector of Singlepub - Statement Shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of grain and Salt for the Month of February last.-

(56) From the Sub Coll.r in Charge of Coimbatore } Statement Shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of grain and Salt for the Month of February last.-

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From the Collector of Ganjam - Statement shewing the
(57) average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and
Salt for the Month of February last.-

From the Pl. Coll.r of Salem - Statement shewing the average
(58) Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt for
the Month of February last.-

From the Collector of Masulipatam - Return of Fines imposed
(59) and stoppages made from the pay of the Public
Servants from 1st October to 31st December 1840.-

From the Collector of Masulipatam. Return of alterations
(60) that have occurred in the list of Fines and stoppages
from 1st October to 31st December 1840.

From the Collector of Masulipatam - Return of Public Servants
(61) Suspended or dismissed from 1st October to 31st December 1840.-

From the Principal Collector of Nellore - Statement shewing the
(62) quantity of Salt in store and ready for exportation
on account of Chittagong Indents of 1840/41. from
9th to 15th March 1841.-

" Grant.

" A. Macleod