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the night of the 6th to be signed and sealed and went to the house of Moongamooroo Latchemenarsoo carrying with him the orders in question and then having sent a Message to Kistnarow there 3 persons namely Kistnarow Yatoor Cotiah and Ramboor Kistniah came to the house of Latchmenarsoo. where some were distributed among the friends of Latchmenarsoo who were present were were informed that the names of absentees were filled up and forwarded to them with letters.-

From which place all with the exception of Latchmenarsoo came to the lodging of Dawursoo Latchimenarain and gave the orders of Cunchanapilly Latchmecantarow Luckaranze Banpiah and others to them respectively and after a Jaum in the night went to the new Bungalow building by Vencata-Kistnarow where they all sat together in a tent and Vencatakistnarow was distributing the orders thus come to the care of Yatoor Cotiah come to Vinnacotah Vencanah come to Dawursoo Latchemenarain come to Visnapah Sastruloo Latchemepatie Sastrulooand

and Jundyalah Venkatapati Sonnayajoolooand boy to Gallapoody Latchmiah of Yanam and all ah to be distributed by themselves among their dependents respectively Knowing the above circumstance we all represented in vain that it would be irregular and contrary to justice to do so while we who had lost our situations when the Vasareddy Estate was relieved from attachment were in attendance - Besides the orders that were distributed here that night as above mentioned, come to Yegnaswaroodaloo then Ameen of Bapeilah Sahah come to Tyarkhan Ameen of Rajahpettah Sahah and to Purnum Sastrulu of Venkatapollem were despatched under covers. At last it was day break.

On the Morning of the 8th some of us having gone to Gollapoody Latchmiah of Yanam and asked he said "I bought "the orders at the rate of 200. 150 and 100 "Rupees if any one pay accordingly. I "will fill up the name in the order and "give the same" as we are unable to pay at that price we remained silent.-

Now trusting your Honor will appoint us redress we have represented

represented our case by means of petitions in the first instance but your honor not having enquired into them up to this time we have been suffering very much for want of food. We therefore pray that your honor will be pleased to reinstate us in our respective situations soon-please to perusa- 11th April 1842.

(Signed)- Varanandy Vodundaramadoo
" Mungoo Tirumbow
" Canza Mullaparanzo
" Copully Vencatramiah
" Gododah Kistnaya
" Mancheranze Appaya
" Damoodaradah Kistnaya
" Radeotah Vencatraidoo
" Ganda Appiah
" Sumbaranze Rayhamarow
" Canderanze Kistniah
" Joojjalzow Rungarow
" Haredos Vencaiah
" Ramaranze Vencatraidoo
" Tookah Ramiah

No 3

Deposition of N. Sheshagery Row Head Cheristadar in the Collectorate of Guntoor taken 20th of July 1842.

2 In your Petition to the Board of Revenue dated 28th January 1842 you

have stated that on the occasion of the late attachment of the Vasareddy Estate the then Serishtadar Mungamoor Luchmeenarsoo Punt prepared blank Summuds of appointment for the attaching Servants and after getting them signed by Mr Goldingham and signing them himself delivered them to S. Venkata Krishnarow who sold them to such persons as purchased them for Ready Cash. How can you prove this Statement?

A. They say that when the Vasareddy Estate was attached Summuds of appointment having been prepared some with names filled up and some without names, were taken to Mr Goldingham to Rutty. found either by M. Lutchmi Narsu Punt and S. Vencata Krishna Row together or by M. Lutchmi Narsu Punt alone and after being signed and sealed were brought to Guntoor by Lutchmi Narsu Punt or by Sungeena Row- as I was then staying at home neither going to the Cutchery or other places I cannot positively say which person brought them- On the 7th January as I recollect in the day time they said the attachment was postponed at night about midnight Lutchmeenarsoo Punt accompanied Mr Revill to Amaravady- They say commonly that then S. Venkata Krishnarow gave Summuds of appointment to such persons and that he took money from some of those to whom he gave appointments in the Talooks I cannot say who saw the money so paid or who paid it- But the Servants of this Cutchery may know that Venkata Krishna Row distributed the appointment Summuds to various persons- I did not hear of any person

Diary.

7th September — Received the following Extract

From the Asst. Secy. to Govt. — Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Under date the 6th September 1842 — No. 1081

Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Board of Revenue Submitting a letter from the Collector of Malabar regarding a boundary dispute between that District and the Cochin State together with the correspondence which accompanied it and recommending that a duly authorized Officer be deputed on the part of each Govt. invested with full power to make enquiry and come to settlement or compromise subject to the approval and confirmation of the two Governments —

(1)

The Right Honorable the Governor in Council has reason to believe that General Cullen the Resident of Travancore and Cochin, is now in the latter State and will continue there until the 20th Instant and as the adjustment of the dispute referred to in the above letter will be materially facilitated while that Officer is on the spot, he desires that the Collector of Malabar may be instructed to place himself in communication with him to effect this objection. The Resident will be informed of the instructions issued to the Collector of Malabar and requested to bring the matter to a final issue.

(Extract)

To The President and Member of the Board of Revenue

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Asst. Secy. to Govt.

Order thereon — Ordered that transcript of the foregoing order of Government be furnished to the Collector of Malabar with directions to put himself immediately in communication with the Resident of Travancore in order to a speedy settlement of the boundary dispute reported on in his letter of the 27th July 1842 —

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Signed 25th Augt. 1842 & 1235

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At a Meeting Present.

Thursday 8th September 1842 — John Dent Esqre. Senior Member
G. D. Drury Esqre. Second Member
Alexander Maclean Esqre. Offg. Third Member
and
A. Mellor Esqre. Offg. Temporary Member

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

Read the following Extract

No. 1029

From the Offg. Secy to Govt. — Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Under date the 23 Augt. 1842.

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The Right Honorable the Governor in Council proceeds to pass orders on the General letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors dated in the Legislative Department 1st June 1842 No. 3

Para 1. — The Honorable Court will have observed from the concluding para of Sir H. Montgomery's letter of the 22nd April 1842 received with the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue of the 30th May following

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following to which their attention was specially requested in para 2 of the communication of the 5th July last, that notwithstanding the intimation to the Natives of the views and intentions of Government in the withdrawal of the interference of Public Officers with their religious Institutions. the Inhabitants of Tinnevelly still continue to entertain apprehensions of the security of those Institutions and there is reason to believe that a similar feeling prevails very generally on the subject amongst the Natives. —

2 A copy of this Dispatch and the foregoing observation will be communicated for the information of the Board of Revenue. —

Legislative Department

No. 3 of 1842

Our Governor in Council at Fort St. George

para 3 of 5 Political Letter dated 20th Nov. (No 10) 1841.
Whole Revenue Secretary " 30th Dec. (" 77) —"
" " " 4th Jany. (" 2) 1842
(Superintendence of Native Religious Institutions) " " " 11th March (20) —"

The proceedings reported in these letters with regard to the discontinuance of any interference

interference on the part of our servants with the religious institutions and ceremonies of the Natives, have our approbation. We trust at the same time that the communication in which the Board of Revenue were desired to make to certain Natives who had presented a memorial against our orders for the purpose above stated, will have served to satisfy them that there is no ground for their apprehension of any departure from the invariable system of preserving to the Natives their laws and institutions, and of protecting them in the free exercise of their religion and usages.

London the 1st June 1842

(Signed) J. L. Lushington
" John Cotton
&ca &ca.

To The President and Members of the Board of Revenue

(A true Extract & Copy)
(Signed) Walter Elliot
A.J. Secy to Govt

Order thereon. — Ordered that tranveript of an &c Extract from a General letter from the Honorable the Court of Directors bearing date 1st June 1842 No. 3 in the Legislative &c Department which accompanied the above Extract from the Minutes of Consultation having reference to the views and &c intentions

Circular to all Collectors.

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intentions of Government in the withdrawal of the interference of Public officers with the Religious Institutions of the Natives be furnished to Sir H.J. Montgomery with reference to his letter of 22nd April last and that Copy of the same be Circulated for the information of all Collectors

In Cons. 19th May 1842

From the A.J. Secy to Govt

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 23rd August 1842

Read again letter from the Register of the Sudr Udalut dated 17th May and entered in Diary to Consultation 9th June 1842. —

Read also the following papers. —

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From the Secretary to the Board of Revenue submitted in Compliance with the &c instructions conveyed by Extract Minutes of Consultation 2nd June last observations suggested by the strictures of the Sudr Udalut on the Draft Act proposed by the Board for the Modification of Regulation VII of 1817. a Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue. —

(Here enter 14th July 1842 No. 294)

Submitting a letter from the Principal Collector of Salem recommending that the Courts &c should take summary cognizance of disputes regarding mismanagement of Pagoda funds and suggesting that the subject be referred for the opinion of the Sudr Udalut.

(Here enter 14th July 1842 No. 304)

The Right Honorable the

the Governor in Council have given his best at-
-tention to the arguments advanced by the Bd
Board of Revenue and the Court of Sudr &
Udalut in the proceedings above recorded
considers the plan by which the former
body become parties to an instrument of
the nature of the proposed Trust Deed, to
be liable to objections. His Lordship in Cand
is of opinion that the ends in view will be suf-
-ficiently attained by an enactment &
such as has been suggested by the Judges of the &
Sudr Udalut in the 9th Para of their Register's
+ letter and resolves therefore that they be re-
-quired to prepare an amended Draft in
accordance with these views and to submit it
without further delay.—

+ dated 1st May 1842 No. 72

To The President & Members (A True Extract)
of the Board of Revenue (Signed) Walter Elliot
Ag. Secy to Govt.

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Order thereon.— Ordered to be recorded.

From the Ag. Secy to Govt. Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 30th August 1842.—

Read the following letter

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(No. 177)

From Officiating Secretary to the
Government of India

To J. Orr Esqre
Acting Chief Secy to the Govt.
Fort St. George

Sir, Dated Fort William 9th July 1842

I am directed by the Honorable the President

in Council to acknowledge the
receipt of your letter No. 850.
dated the 8th Instant with
its enclosures urging the
amendment of Act 15 of
1839 with the view of pro-
-hibiting the importation
of Foreign Sugar by Land
as well as by Sea. In reply,
I am directed to state that
the Indian Legislature has
hitherto considered the
words "land or attempt to
land" as satisfying the
term "import" used in English
Statutes. But the Act in
question is now under con-
-sideration for the purpose
of determining how far this has
been proper and of amending
what

what may require amendment in this respect.

2. The original enclosures of your letter are returned herewith.

(Signed) Fred. Jas. Halliday
Offg Secy to the Govt of India

No. 1047

Ordered that the foregoing letter be communicated to the Board of Revenue in reference to their Secretary's letter dated 16th June 1842 No. 245.

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Ag Secy to Govt

Order thereon (7-8)

Ordered that transcript of the letter from the officiating Secretary to the Government of India recorded in the foregoing communication from Government be furnished for the information and guidance of the Collector of South Arcot with reference to his letters dated respectively the 3rd of June and 19th of July last.

3rd in Cons. 13th June, 19th July in Cons. 4th Augt 1842

To

To

The President and Members of the Board of Revenue

From the Offg Secy to Govt } Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to observe that the Reports of the Districts as per Margin on the subject of the arrangements for the withdrawal of the interference of the officers of Government with the Religious Establishments of the Natives are still due and to request that you will expedite their submission to Government.

(9)

Canara
Chingleput
North Arcot
South Arcot
Madras
Tanjore and
Trichinopoly

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Ag. Secy to Govt
Ordered

(9-10)

Order thereon. — Ordered to be recorded

Read the following letter

To

The President and Members
of the
Board of Revenue

(11.)

From the Offg. Secy to Govt.

Gentlemen,

I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to request that on the Land Revenue Settlement Reports for Fusly 1250 of the Districts as on per margin, which are still due may be submitted to Government without further delay.

Canara
Chingleput
Cellare
Cuddapah
Tinnevelly
Rajahmundry
Masulipatam
Malabar
Ganjam and
Vizagapatam.

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Offg. Secy to Govt

Order thereon. — Ordered to be recorded

(11-12)

Read

Read the following letter

To

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

(13)

Sir,

From the Coll. of Ganjam. — Submitting a Statement shewing the offers received for the Abkarry Farms of his District for Fusly 1252. —

Para 1. — I have the honor to submit for the approval of the Board of Revenue the accompanying Statement shewing the offers received for the Abkarry Farms of this District for Fusly 1252, together with the particulars of securities and Deposits tendered in each case. —

2 The following Memorandum exhibits a Net Increase of Company's Rs. 1715-11 in the present tenders on compared with the Rents of Fusly 1251. —

Memorandum

Memorandum.—

No.	Names of the Talooks	Rents for Fasly 1251		Rents for Fasly 1252		Increase		Decrease	
		Chs	a p	Chs	a p	Chs	a p	Chs	a p
1	Chicacole & ca	5,000	" "	5,005	" "	5	" "	"	" "
2	Curlakemedy	4450	" "	4450	" "	"	" "	"	" "
3	Nurlah	300	" "	350	" "	50	" "	"	" "
4	Ragoonadapoor & ca	880	" "	880	" "	"	" "	"	" "
5	Ichapore	1,250	" "	1,521	" "	271	" "	"	" "
6	Soorunghee	150	" "	170	" "	20	" "	"	" "
7	Mohery	2,750	" "	3,500	" "	750	" "	"	" "
8	Pratapagherry	166	" "	166	" "	"	" "	"	" "
9	Vizayanaghur	270	" "	300	" "	30	" "	"	" "
10	Goomsoor	3,200	" "	2850	" "	"	" "	350	" "
11	Hantghur	600	" "	600	" "	"	" "	"	" "
12	Boodagadah	450	" "	370	" "	"	" "	80	" "
13	Seerghur	50	" "	90	" "	40	" "	"	" "
14	Barwah	275	" "	315	" "	40	" "	"	" "
15	Cheicoty	245	" "	410	" "	165	" "	"	" "
16	Jalantra	335	" "	425	" "	90	" "	"	" "
17	Mundasah	170	" "	170	" "	"	" "	"	" "
18	Monsoorcottah	1000	" "	1320	" "	320	" "	"	" "
19	Kullecote	230	" "	270	" "	40	" "	"	" "
20	Poobbacondah	550	" "	700	" "	150	" "	"	" "
21	Muntreddy & Jonnapore	356	" "	300	" "	"	" "	56	" "
22	Karacote	350	" "	410	" "	60	" "	"	" "
23	Ganjam & ca	2,450	" "	2500	" "	50	" "	"	" "
24	Aska & ca	500	" "	610	" "	110	" "	"	" "
25	Sooradah	300	" "	310	" "	10	" "	"	" "
26	Jaradah	36	" "	36	" "	"	" "	"	" "
	Total	26307	" "	28022	" "	2201	" "	486	" "
	Deduct Decrease							486	" "
	Net Increase							1715	" "

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3. The Farms have been made over to the highest Bidders who have complied with the prescribed terms as to security and deposit.

Ganjam District Coll.rs Cutcherry
Ganjam 24th August 1842

(Signed) R.K. Bannerman
Collector

Statement

Fort St. George 8th September 18

...r the Rent of Arrack and Toddy Farms in the District of Sanjam ...ment shewing the Offers made

...s tendered for one year in the Cutcherry of the Collector of Sanjam District.

Proposals for the Rent of each Farm for Fasly 1252.

1st Offer		2nd Offer		3rd Offer		Highest Offer	...ex of	Proposals tendered for 1 year to the Tahsildars		
								Proposals for the Rent of Tau=-looks for Fasly 1252		
Names of the Proposers	Amount Proposed	Names of the Proposers	Amount Proposed	Names of the Proposers	Amount Proposed	Names of the Proposers	le looks	Sl. No. of Tau=-looks	Highest Amount Proposed	Names of the Tauloks
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8th September 1842

District of Gunjam for Fasly 1252 together w

Highest offer.			Proposa
Names of the Proposers	Amount Proposed	Remarks respecting Security & Deposit	Name Persons Pro
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	Comp.rs a p		
M Appalagooroovaroo	5005 "	Security & Deposit	M Appal
Coonjoodoss	4450 "	Do & Do	Coonjoodos
Sonda Seetarama Chowdary	350 "	Deposit	Sonda Seetara
Sonda Venkanah & Narsingoochoudaries	880 "	Security & Deposit	Sonda Venkanah
C. Lutchmenarrainah & Ragoonaney Bahapoh	1521 "	Do & Do	C Lutchmena
Jugganatha Baharah	170 "	Deposit	Jugganatha
Balajee Putnaick & Seremja-na Putnaick	3500 "	Security & Deposit	Balajee Putnaick
Stree Audecondaler Zemindar	160 "	—— " ——	Stree Audecond
Sonkadara Chowdry	300 "	Deposit	Sonkadara
Khogajee Baharah and Madana Chowdry	2850 "	Security & Deposit	Khogajee Ba Chowdary
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Fort St. George

...ry of the Collector of Ganjam

...e for Fasly 1252.

8th September

District

Names of the Proprietors		Average of the last 21 years Net Collections Viz^t from Fasly 1230 to 1250	Remarks
11		18 Rs as 0	19
Tauras Chowdary Madava Baharah and Vocera	Vaikoolee	354 43	
Bauroo Baharah & Ra	——	232 83	
M. Gooranah	——	392 112	
Ragoonany Baha	——	783 67	
Bauroova Chendria	——	673 118	
J Ramaxawny	——	159 15 11	
Gungadara Sa	——	1,814 11 10	
Coorroonoo Bahar	odanah Putnaick's	509 9 9	
V Venkalaxawm	Vaikoolee	961 1 9	
Broondagana Cha Baharah & Moothoo	——	571 6 9	
V. Venkalaxawny	Vaikoolee	932 1 7	
Do.	Do.	Do. 3,015 10 4	
Do.	Do.	Do. 1,091 3 10	
Vana Chowdary Gu and Doubboopoo B		Do. 394 2 9	
Juggannatha B	——	73 3 9	
	Do.	10 Rs 369 85 3 9	

Ganjam 24

R. A. Bannerman
Collector

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Resolution thereon. The Board of Revenue confirm the settlement of the arbitrary rents in the District of Ganjam for fusly 1252 reported in the foregoing letter, the amount being Rupees 28,022 — " — " shewing a net increase of Rupees 1,715 above the settlement of fusly 1251.—

(13-14)

Read the following letter

To

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

Sir,

From the Actg Collr of Vizagapatam

I have the honor to

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to submit a Statement shewing the percentage of wastage that has been found in the Heaps of Salt of Fusly 1249, sold in Fusly 1251, prepared according to the form received from the Board, and request you will obtain the sanction of Government, for the wastage amounting to Garces 10-205-5 m m being written off to profit and loss.—

Vizagapatam Collr Cutcherry 31st August 1842

(Signed) C.B. Smollett
Acting Collector

Statement

9934 Fort St. George 8th September 1842.

No. 1

Statement shewing the quantity of Salt sold and the wastage on the quantity Stored in the District of Vizagapatam for Fusly 1251.

Names of the Cotaurs or Depôts.	Fusly in which stored	Quantity Stored: In each Fusly	Quantity Stored: Total	Quantity Sold	Wastage: Amount of Wastage	Wastage: Centage	Per Centage of wastage for each Cotaur fixed by the Bd. vide Sec. 18 of the Salt Rules.	Explanation of the Cause of wastage
Curraisah	1249	20 " "	20 " "	18 17 1	1 2 5 1	7 3 5 5	" " "	The salt being stored for some years the wastage has been found on sale.
Nellemookoo	1249	150 " "	150 " "	141 19 4	8 3 8 0 4	5 3 7 "	" " "	
Total		170	170 " "	170 " "	159 19 3	10 0 5 5	" " "	

Vizagapatam 31st August 1842. Errors Excepted for Signed / C. B. Smollett
Acting Collector

Order thereon — Ordered to lie on the Table

15-16

Comp. 10

9935

From the Board of Revenue dated 2nd September 1842.

Read the following letter.

To the Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Sir,

I am directed by the Accountant General to transmit to you the accompanying Copy of Rajahmundry Collr's letter dated 29th August 1842 with its enclosures, and to request that you will have the goodness to submit the same for the consideration of the Board of Revenue.

From the Collr of Rajahmundry, dated 29th August 1842.

To the Accountant General.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith for the consideration of the Board of Revenue, the Statement of Salt Stored and Sold in the Rajahmundry Division during the year 1251 Fusly.

2. The Statement shews that the Quantity of Salt Stored in the Division during the year 1251 Fusly was 170 Candies, and that the Quantity sold was also 170 Candies. The Wastage therefore amounts to Nil.

3. I have therefore to request that sanction may be obtained for the Abatement of Rupees 10-0-5 on account of Wastage stated in the Statement.

4. I have also to request that the Board will be pleased to direct that the Salt Stored at Rajahmundry may be disposed of by Public Sale.

Signed / C. B. Smollett
Collector.

Read Rajahmundry Collr's letter dated 29th August 1842.

Ordered that it may be transmitted to the Board of Revenue for the consideration of the Board.

Requested by the Judge.

To the Collector of Rajahmundry.

Sir

I have the honor to be directed to request that you will have the goodness to remit to

Fine

me 6 Rupees, being 3/4ths the value of Stamp Paper sold by the Stamp vender of Rajahmundry on the 28th July 1842, on which a special appeal Petition was presented to this Court by Valavacusing Soobbamah from the decision of the Register of this Court, which was rejected, and the amount of Stamp duty ordered to be returned to him, under the discretion vested in the Court by Clause V Section IV. Regulation XV of 1816.-

Rajahmundry Zillah Court. 9th August, 1842.-

(Signed) T. A. Anstruther
Judge.

(True Copy)
(Signed) G. A. Smith
Collector.

Resolution thereon.

Resolved that the fore-going letter and its Enclosure, be submitted for the orders of Government, with the Boards recommendation that authority may be granted to the Collector

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Collector to remit to the Zillah Court at Rajahmundry the sum of Rupees 6-0-0 being 3/4ths the value of a Stamp Paper, sold to appellant in a Suit filed before the Register of that Court and ordered to be refunded.-

Read the following Statements.-

Statement.

ORIGINAL DESTROYED

9939 Fort St. George 8th September 1842

Statement shewing the quantity of Salt in Store and ready for Exportation at the Beach of Ennore, from 29th August to 4th September 1842.

Quantity of Salt permitted to be exported to Calcutta in 1842	Quantity already Exported.	Quantity remaining to be exported for the year 1842	Quantity actually in Store at the Depôt ready for Exportation	Remarks.
Bl. Mds.	Bl. Mds.	Bl. Mds.	Bl. Mds.	
Madras 30,000	14,389	15,611	14,972	No application was received during this week.

Madras, 5th September 1842.

E. E. Fs. Signed J. A. Robertson
Collector.

Ordered

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9938 Fort St. George 8th September 1842.

Statement shewing the Quantity of Salt in Store and ready for Exportation at the Beach of Ennore, from the 29th August 1842 to 4th September 1842 inclusive.

Quantity of Salt permitted to be exported to Calcutta in 1842	Quantity already exported to Calcutta in the year 1842	Quantity remaining in Store and ready for exportation	Remarks
Bl. Mds.	Bl. Mds.	Bl. Mds.	
1	2	3	
4,00,000	20,370	1,90,630	Vessels not arrived at the Coast to receive Salt.

Signed J. A. Robertson
Collector.

Fellah Rayanaidoo, ——
Collectors Office, ——
Cannada, 30th August 1842.

Certified

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Order on the two foregoing Statements.- Ordered to be

(19-21) sent for publication in the Fort St. George Gazette.-

Read the undermentioned Statements.-

From the Collector of Rajahmundry } Comparative Statement of

(22) Collections of Ordinary and Extraordinary Revenue for fusties 1250 and 1251.-

From the Collector of Rajahmundry.- Comparative

(23) Statement of Charges of Ordinary and Extraordinary Revenues for fusties 1250 and 1251.

From the Principal Collector of Coimbatore } Comparative

(24) Statement of Collections of fusties 1250 and 1251.-

From the Pt. Collector of Coimbatore } Comparative Statement

(25) of Charges of fusties 1250 and 1251.-

Order on the four abovd. Statements.- Ordered to be

(22-26) lodged in the Office.-

Read

Read the following letter

To

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

From the Collector of Guntoor

Sir,

Reporting the result of an enquiry into the alleged interference of S. Venkatachellapatty row with the appointment to the attaching establishment of the Vaparedy Swan Estate as contained in a petition to the Board from N. Sheshegerry Row.-

Para 1.

Collecting Collector 7th March 1842 Para 4
From Do 11 April Para 3
To Do 5th May

With reference to the correspondence noted in the Margin I have the honor to submit as particularized in the accompanying list copies and translations of Telugu and other papers, 32 in number, including copy of a letter addressed to Mr. Goldingham, and his reply on the subject of the allegation contained in N. Sheshagherry row's petition to the Board dated the 28th February last, that on the occasion of the late attachment of the Vaparedy Estate the then Shirestadar Moorgamurti Suthmanaru prepared orders of appointments of attaching servants without the names of the persons to be appointed and delivered them to Venkatchisnarow with his signature, and the signature of Mr. Goldingham, and Venkatchisnarow sold each of these orders to such persons as purchased it for ready money.-

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2 From this enquiry it appears that the grave charge of the sale of blank

blank summuds was advanced by N. Sheshagerry row on a Bazar report. He has no proof to support it, and I believe it to be untrue.

3. With regard to the second point that procuring such summuds with the Collectors seal and signature there is likewise no proof - Mr Goldingham desires such a practice is so evidently improper that the statement carries its own refutation, tho' he allows it is possible that here and there the name of an inferior Talook servant might have been omitted. Some of the summuds that I have inspected, have the name entered in a different hand from the rest of the document, but this frequently occurs in the ordinary dispatch of the Moonshi's business, when expedition is required, and is no indication of the name having been inserted after the signing of the paper.-

4. It appears however to be true that a portion of the Establishment of peons was left to be filled up by M. Lachmenarsu and that in the selection he had not recourse, as intended by Mr Goldingham, to the list of candidates kept up to that time

time in the Cutchery, but made out a new list of his own, and that Venkatkrustnarow took some share both in the selection of these and other servants, and in the distribution of the summuds.-

5 In order to guard against the peculations of the Zemindars servants in the interim, Mr Goldingham was prudently solicitous that the news of the attachment should not transpire until the new Establishment was ready to take charge. The measures adopted to secure this end gave some facilities to the Cutcherry servants to profit by the patronage of which they appear to some extent to have availed themselves.-

6. As it did not appear to me that more truth would be elicited by prosecuting the enquiry after the receipt of Mr Goldinghams reply, I intended then to close it, but a supplementary argee presented by N. Sheshagerry row on the 12th rendered it requisite to call for further explanation from V. Venkatkrishnarow and Lutchmenarsu. This argee first brought to my notice certain very suspicious alterations of names and dates in the list of the Jafti appointments kept on record in the Cutcherry. There is nothing however to fix the culpability of these transactions.-

7. I should also explain that I was not aware of the existence of the petition from Kolunda Ramiah and others to Mr Mathison No 2 in the list of accompaniments till the 12th August

August. I have not further inquired into the
assertions in this petition nor have I followed
out all the points on which the present Serishta-
=dar demands inquiry. The more these in-
quiries are prolonged, the more they seem
to be made a field for the exercise of Brahmini-
-cal malevolence and chicanery, and the
more difficult is it to get at the truth.-

Guntoor Collector's Cutcherry
18th August 1842.

Signed / H. Stokes
Collector.

No 1

To The Honorable the President and Members
of the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

The humble Petition of Rapully
Shashagarey Row Head Sheristadar
under the Collector of Guntoor.

Humbly Sheweth.-

I most humbly beg leave to represent
that Mr Hathaway who at present is in
charge of this Collectorate has under your
Board's final orders issued to him regarding
me, been pleased to reinstate me in my
office of head Sheristadar, but subsequent
Venkat Rutnoo Row the favorite of Mr Goldingham
who though named Ameen of Ranchoor talook
under the pressure of your Board's Orders
is always in Guntoor and who by his recom-
-mendation to Mr Goldingham brought
Moongamoor Lutchmeenursoo to my office
with a view to carry on his intrigues as
well as his usual interference with the
Cutcherry affairs as though him as has
been the cause in the Proceedings
which passed in last month
concerning the Raja Vuparreadaly Ramana-
=dababoo

dababoo and his Zemindary, and which I
represented in detail in my petition
to your Board under date the 4th
Instant has made the said Lutch-
-meenursoo to beg Mr Hathaway too
earnestly to make him (Lutchmeenursoo)
another Sheristadar in the office in opposi-
-tion to me, and Mr Hathaway who is
quite new to this place and to the con-
-duct of Lutchmeenursoo on of Rutnarow
has made an arrangement in favor
of Lutchmeenursoo according to his advice
as will be seen hereunder. On the recent
occasion of attaching the Vuparreadaly
Zemindary Mr Goldingham
attached to the office of Head Sheristadar
a Salary of 60 Rupees chargeable to
that estate for the additional trouble
and additional responsibility arising
to the Head Sheristadar from the at-
-tachment of that Zemindary. Your
Board are aware that there is a situation
of Head Assistant Sheristadar on a Salary
of 70 Rupees chargeable to the Mulraz Zemin-
-dary. Now Mr Hathaway abolishes this
situation and this 70 Rupees and the
above 60 Rupees which hitherto remained
attached to the Head Sheristadar's office
both making 130 Rupees per month have
been given to Moongamoory Lutchmeenursoo as his
salary

Salary with a title of management sheristadar in opposition to me. Your Board can easily see how unreasonable it is that the above 60 Rupees chargeable to Vasareddys Estate and paid to the head sheristadar when Lutchmenursoo held that situation, should be separated therefrom as soon as that office has been resorted to me. and your Board will at the same time clearly observe how by establishing Lutchmenursoo as a management sheristadar in opposition to me a great competition in conducting the business is presumed, and how through the intimate friendship and with the assistance of Lutchmenursoo his benefactor Jubneroo Venkatkistna Row who is my Enemy and who remains in Guntoor can carry on all intrigues as he himself is in the huzzoor Cutchery. From the manner in which the business is going on between Lutchmenursoo and Venkatakistna-row since Lutchmenursoo is Venkatkistna Row. Your Board can easily judge the same from the circumstances which took place regarding the attachment of Vasareddys district which I detailed in my

my petition of 4th Instant. Lutchmenursoo prepared orders of appointments of attaching Servants without the names of the persons to be appointed and delivered them to Venkat Kistnarow with his signature and the signature of Mr Goldingham and Venkat Kistnarow told each of those orders to such person as purchased it for ready cash. Would Lutchmenursoo sign those orders before mentioning the names of persons to be appointed and suffer the sale of them by Venkat Kistnarow if he (Lutchmenursoo) is not allowed a portion of the proceeds of the sale.

Mr Hathaway ordered Lutchmenursoo to prepare himself the orders of my reappointment and this gave room to Lutchmenursoo to effect his being made the management sheristadar unknown to others. If this Gentleman is not new to this country and to the conduct of Lutchmenursoo and Venkat Kistnarow he would not have allowed this arrangement to take place. The Gentleman I understand has addressed also your Board to obtain sanction to the arrangement. But your honorable Board

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I humbly trust will not approve of this arrangement nor will sanction the same as your Board sanctioning it will give much place for the same competition and intrigues of Venkat Kistnarow to prevent which your honorable Board ordered him to be removed from the Huzzoor Cutcherry. As it is highly preferable that every thing should be conducted under the control of one Head Sheristadar instead of there being a separate one as management Sheristadar. I mentioned the same to Mr. Hathaway. He answered that he has already reported the arrangement to the Board and that the Board will of course set the matter at right, if they should not approve of the arrangement.

For the above act of justice your Petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray.

Guntoor,
28th February 1842.

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To
No 2
A.S. Mathison Esqre
Acting Collector in the Zillah of
Guntoor and the district of Palnaud &c.

Representation

Fort St. George 8th September 1842

Representation of the Servants who lost their situations in August 1836 when the Vysareddy Estate was released from attachment.

We have been attending for the last month in your honors presence each of us having presented a petition relative to the loss of our respective situations when the Vysareddy Estate was made over to the Proprietor.

Being poor, we have suffered much inconvenience not having means to pay our expenses in this town.

From the difficulty of maintaining ourselves, a day seems a year, and we have been thus subjected to every inconvenience. For the same reason we were unable to purchase our situations in January 1842, when the Vysareddy Estate was attached according to the rates fixed by Subnevis Venkatakistnarow who was Sarwa Mookteyar or vested with all power under the then Collector and who entertained the establishment of attachment.

As your honour who are just has arrived here we have been waiting

on

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in the hopes that you would, in justice re-employ us, old Servants in our respective situations and thus in expectation of your honors favor, beg leave to represent as follows the injustice lately done us by Vencata Kistnarow.

We beseech your honor to peruse with patience the following circumstances and afford us Redress.

On the 5th January, it was determined that the Vaparedoly Estate should be attached. On the 6th before day break the said Submenis Vencata Kistnarow who has had complete influence with the Collector in all affairs Moongamoor Lutchmenarsoo the then Head Theristadar and Yatoor Cotiah proceeded to Pruttepaud for the purpose of preparing the orders of attachment. Hearing this circumstance we went to Pruttepaud by that time. Vencatakistnarow Moongamoor Lutchmenarsoo, Yatoor Cotiah Cowtah Yegnaswerondoo the then Ameen of Chilcaloorpaud Estate and Sungeevarow then acting Head Moonshy being 5 persons sat down inside of the house where Sungeevarow hatted caused the door to be hasped and placed a Guard of Peons outside. When

Vencata

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Vencata Kistnarow came out causing the orders of different situations to be prepared without mentioning the names we said to him that we are the Servants that were removed in the Vaparedoly Estate Requesting at the same time to favor us with our situations respectively. He replied "the Zemindar remitted "today thirty six thousand Rupees and the "Estate will not be attached" and said angrily are not you the men that are acquainted with management?" afterwards we waited at their lodging until 12 O'Clock P.M. on that day and returned to our respective lodging.

At 6 O'Clock A.M on the 7th January we went to the lodging of Vencata Kistnarow, where we learned that Kistnarow Yatoor Cotiah and Moongamoor Lutchmenarsoo had returned to Guntoor Having then gone to the Collector and asked him to confer on us our respective situations he was pleased to direct us to go to Vencatakistnarow. At last we came to Guntoor.

Sungeevarow came to Guntoor at 4 O'Clock P.M on the 7th after having caused the orders which were prepared during

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the night of the 6th to be signed and sealed and went to the house of Moongamooroo Latchemenarsoo carrying with him the orders in question and then having sent a Message to Kistnarow there 3 persons namely Kistnarow Yatoor Cotiah and Ramboor Kistniah came to the house of Latchmenarsoo. where some were distributed among the friends of Latchmenarsoo who were present were were informed that the names of absentees were filled up and forwarded to them with letters.-

From which place all with the exception of Latchmenarsoo came to the lodging of Dawursoo Latchimenarain and gave the orders of Cunchanapilly Latchmecantarow Luckaranze Banpiah and others to them respectively and after a Jaum in the night went to the new Bungalow building by Vencata-Kistnarow where they all sat together in a tent and Vencatakistnarow was distributing the orders thus come to the care of Yatoor Cotiah come to Vinnacotah Vencanah come to Dawursoo Latchemenarain come to Visnapah Sastruloo Latchemepatie Sastrulooand

and Jundyalah Venkatapati Sonnayajoolooand boy to Gallapoody Latchmiah of Yanam and all ah to be distributed by themselves among their dependents respectively Knowing the above circumstance we all represented in vain that it would be irregular and contrary to justice to do so while we who had lost our situations when the Vasareddy Estate was relieved from attachment were in attendance - Besides the orders that were distributed here that night as above mentioned, come to Yegnaswaroodaloo then Ameen of Bapeilah Sahah come to Tyarkhan Ameen of Rajahpettah Sahah and to Purnum Sastrulu of Venkatapollem were despatched under covers. At last it was day break.

On the Morning of the 8th some of us having gone to Gollapoody Latchmiah of Yanam and asked he said "I bought "the orders at the rate of 200. 150 and 100 "Rupees if any one pay accordingly. I "will fill up the name in the order and "give the same" as we are unable to pay at that price we remained silent.-

Now trusting your Honor will appoint us redress we have represented

represented our case by means of petitions in the first instance but your honor not having enquired into them up to this time we have been suffering very much for want of food. We therefore pray that your honor will be pleased to reinstate us in our respective situations soon-please to perusa- 11th April 1842.

(Signed)- Varanandy Vodundaramadoo
" Mungoo Tirumbow
" Canza Mullaparanzo
" Copully Vencatramiah
" Gododah Kistnaya
" Mancheranze Appaya
" Damoodaradah Kistnaya
" Radeotah Vencatraidoo
" Ganda Appiah
" Sumbaranze Rayhamarow
" Canderanze Kistniah
" Joojjalzow Rungarow
" Haredos Vencaiah
" Ramaranze Vencatraidoo
" Tookah Ramiah

No 3

Deposition of N. Sheshagery Row Head Cheristadar in the Collectorate of Guntoor taken 20th of July 1842.

2 In your Petition to the Board of Revenue dated 28th January 1842 you

have stated that on the occasion of the late attachment of the Vasareddy Estate the then Serishtadar Mungamoor Luchmeenarsoo Punt prepared blank Summuds of appointment for the attaching Servants and after getting them signed by Mr Goldingham and signing them himself delivered them to S. Venkata Krishnarow who sold them to such persons as purchased them for Ready Cash. How can you prove this Statement?

A. They say that when the Vasareddy Estate was attached Summuds of appointment having been prepared some with names filled up and some without names, were taken to Mr Goldingham to Rutty. found either by M. Lutchmi Narsu Punt and S. Vencata Krishna Row together or by M. Lutchmi Narsu Punt alone and after being signed and sealed were brought to Guntoor by Lutchmi Narsu Punt or by Sungeena Row- as I was then staying at home neither going to the Cutchery or other places I cannot positively say which person brought them- On the 7th January as I recollect in the day time they said the attachment was postponed at night about midnight Lutchmeenarsoo Punt accompanied Mr Revill to Amaravady- They say commonly that then S. Venkata Krishnarow gave Summuds of appointment to such persons and that he took money from some of those to whom he gave appointments in the Talooks I cannot say who saw the money so paid or who paid it- But the Servants of this Cutchery may know that Venkata Krishna Row distributed the appointment Summuds to various persons- I did not hear of any person

person going to Puttyspaud and receiving his Summond there from Mr Goldingham as Lutchme Narsoo Punt went to Anjar only the day of the summonses postponement of the attachment he did not distribute them. I heard publickly that Subnevis Venkata Krishna Row distributed them. This may be ascertained by asking the Sall Jawabnevis Luckaraj Bappaiya who is taking thes deposition. That one of the newly appointed persons went to Puttyspaud and received their appointments from Mr Goldingham may be ascertained from the Magistrates Writer Tiruvengada charlos that Subnevis Venkata Krishna Row gave out the Summonds of appointments publicly walked of so that it may be ascertained from the Accountant, Deputy Accountant, and others Ingoova Venka Krishnama is in the habit of frequenting Subnevis Venkata Krishna Rows house and Cunchinapully Lutchmikantarow lives near his house and frequents it. It may also be ascertained from them.

/Signed/ V. Thashagherry Row
Head Serishtadar.

Taken before me this 20th day of July 1842.

/Signed/ H. Stokes
Collector

No 4.

Deposition of Venugunti Randoss Punt Magistrate Manager in the Wazoor Cutcherry Guntoor dated 20th July 1842.

2 Up to the 15th of January last were you doing the duty of Revenue Head Moonshi in the Wuzoor?

A. I was then in that situation, but from sickness was unable to attend Cutcherry. on my illness the Collector Mr Goldingham issued an order appointing Srirangam Roy Sanjeeva Row Head of Police of Guntoor to act as Head Moonshi in my stead. I do not recollect from what date to what date this arrangement continued. I was obliged by severe illness to remain at home three months. If I was a little better on any day, I used to come for a hour or two to the Cutcherry and then go home.

2. On the attachment of the Vajs Reddy Estate who prepared the Summonds of appointment for the attaching Servants?

As I was then ill, I do not know.

/Signed/ Randoss.

Taken before me this 20th day of July 1842.

/Signed/ H. Stokes
Collector

Deposition

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No. 5.

Deposition of Lockaranze Bauptya, Salt Jawabnavis in the Wazoor Collectorate taken 20th July 1842.

2. How were you employed in the Cutcherry from the 1st to the 15th of January last?

A. Until the attachment of the Vasseredy Estate I was employed as a Moonshi in the Magistrate's Department on a Salary of Rupees 21. On the day of attachment they gave me an appointment as Salt Jawabnevis on 28 Rupees a Month. On that pay, I continued for some time to do duty in the Magistrates Office.

2. Do you know who wrote the Summuds of the attaching appointments?

A. No, as I was employed then in the Magistrate's office. They may have been prepared in the Revenue Moonshis' Department and in the Serishta Department.

2. Do you know any thing of such Summuds having been signed by the Collector and Head Serishtadar before the names were inserted?

A. I saw no such orders. I heard that in some cases the names were so inserted after the orders had been signed.

Were

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2. Were the Summuds then given out by the Collector at Cuttepaud or sent for distribution to any other person?

A. On the night of the attachment about one O'clock as I was asleep in my lodgings, a peon came and told me S. Venkatakrishna row had sent for me. Afterwards Venkatakrishnarow and some others were distributing the Summuds to the newly appointed persons on the Safty Establishment in the house where Devuru Lutchmeniarayan lodges. They gave me the order appointing me Salt Jawabnevis on Rupees 28. I took it and came home to my lodging. From this I think the orders were distributed at Guntoor.

2. You have stated that S. Venkatakrishnarow and others gave out the orders though others were present who had the power of distributing them?

A. It appeared to me to be with S. Venkatakrishnarow.

2. If you remember state from whose hand you received the Summud for your promotion?

A. From S. Venkatakrishnarow

Mention

2. Mention the names of the other persons present.-

A. Shaikh Tippa Jemadar Devarda Lutchmenarayana Pant. Whether Jetoor Cotaya was there or not, I do not clearly remember many other persons were there at the same time with myself C. Lutchmecantarow and G. Kesavarow received Summuds.-

2. Did you hear of S. Venkatkrishnarow selling for ready money any of the Summuds.?

A. No.

2. You have stated you heard some Summuds were signed before the names were inserted. From whom did you hear this.?

A. I cannot say from whom I heard it. It was publicly talked of by many persons.-

/Signed/ Suckaraza Bapiah.

Taken before me this 20th July 1842.-

/Signed/ W. Stokes
Collector.

No. 6.

Deposition given by Ingoovah Venkatakrishnamah on the 20th July 1842.-

2. How were you employed in the Cutcherry in the Month of January last, when the Vajsereddy Estate was attached.-?

A. As Jaree Zemindary Goomastah.-

Did

2. Did you hear any thing of the Summuds which were prepared for the Servants then entertained having been signed by the Head Sheristadar and Collector before the the names were inserted.?

A. I did not see any. I heard it talked of by the people.-

2. What did you hear.?

A. I heard that some of the Summuds were caused to be prepared by the then Head Sheristadar and signed by the Collector before the names were inserted and that they were afterwards filled up with names as circumstances might permit. By saying "that the Sheristadar caused them to be prepared" I only mean that he affixed his signature and did as above said.-

2. By whom did you hear were the orders of appointments distributed to the persons nominated.-

A. During the above arrangement, I received an order bearing the seal and signature of the Master wherein it is mentioned that I have been promoted to my present situation of Layer Muddutgar on 14 Rupees being an increase of Rupees 6½ to the Salary of my

former

former situation. I had taken much pains in the discharge of public business and thus attended for my promotion on Subenevis Venkata-kistnarow puntooloo (who was removed as Ameen of Ranchoor Zanah a few days before my promotion) both at the time when he was Wuzzoor Deputy Sheristadar and since his removal to the said Ameens situation. Having now and then applied to him previous to the attachment he was pleased to promise me promotion and so desired me to come to him on the day following the attachment on the morning of the 8th January. Accordingly as I was going to the house of Kistnarow Puntooloo having quitted my house in the morning of the 8th January the Assistant Sheristadar Davarsoo Lutchmenaraina Puntooloo saw me in my way and having taken me inside gave me an order telling at the same time that Kistnarow Puntooloo desired him to do so. The same order related to my appointment. I heard that the orders of others were caused to be signed by the Collector before the names are filled up, but as it is a long time ago I cannot say by whom I was so informed or which orders were

were caused to be signed before the names are filled up. I have heard but not seen, that Kristnarow Puntooloo first caused the other orders to be prepared. that he and the Head Sheristadar Lutchmenurasoo Puntooloo together distributed some of them in the house of Lutchmenurasoo Puntooloo and that some were carried to the house of Kistnarow Puntooloo who distributed some there.

2. Did you pay any thing to Subenevis Venkata Kristnarow Puntooloo about your promotion?

A. No.

2. Do you know of any one having paid any thing for the Summuds of appointment then made out?

A. I heard so

2. What have you heard?

A. I heard that Gollapoody Lutchmiah of yanamadalah and one of the Ameens named Cowtah Yegnadurowdanloo, paid some thing for providing their dependants respectively and that the orders for the above dependants were entrusted to the care of the said two persons.

2. From whom did you hear this?

A. I heard from Somayajooloo Soobanah that

that he had seen with Gollapoody Lutchmiah about five or six orders with or without names that he asked one for himself and was answered that he could not give them away as they were purchased for ready money and that he at the same time requested him to recommend and procure him some situation. Some others also informed me the above circumstance but I cannot recollect who.-

Question put by Kistnarow Puntooloo.-

2. Did you see the said Somayajoolah Soobanah or not while giving this deposition as he was standing opposite to you at a distance of about four or five fathoms?-

A. I did not look on that direction I don't Know whether he was there or not.-

/signed/ Anyoovah Vencata Kistnamah.

Taken before me this 20th. of July 1842.

/signed/ W. Stokes
Collector.

No. 7.

Deposition of Somayajoola Soobanah dated 20th. July 1842.-

2 Did you hear of any Summuds of appointment, prepared at the time where

when the Vaseredy Estate was attached & having been sold?-

A. I am not a servant but Volunteer. In the Bazar they talk both false and true words. I cannot mention any of their names.-

2. Did you see some orders & with Gollapoody Lutchmiah?-

A. I recollect 8th. January as the date of attachment of the Estate. On the morning of & that day Gollapoody & Lutchmiah came to my house on horse back, and said thus, "I have never come to "your house. I now came to visit you, and "then go away".- when I and he sat down, and in our friendly conversation, I asked him the cause of his coming. He replied "as the "attachment of the Estate going on I came to "ask for any situation for my people, who "have been attending as candidates. Having "represented to the Collector, he was pleased "to employ four of them," so he shewed me the orders and after having sat down for a minute went away.-

2. Were the names of the persons appointed mentioned in those orders?-

A. I did not peruse them properly.-

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I heard in the Bazar that out of the Summuds delivered over to Lutchmiah one or two were filled up while the others were left blank.-

2. You say that Lutchmiah has mentioned to you that four orders were given to him on his asking the Collector Was the Collector then at Guntoor.-?

A. I recollect that he was at Bute=
=tepaud for 3 or 4 days before that time.-

2 How then did he mention to you as if he had asked the Collector for Si=
=tuations who did he say gave him the orders.-?

A. He said they were sent to Krish=
=narow Puntooloo, and that the latter gave them to him. The inconsistency is his, not mine.

2 Were you not standing at a dis=
=tance of 4 or 5 fathoms opposite to Vencata=
=Krishnamah when he was giving his &c. deposition?-

A. As I am not a witness in these matters I stood there as well as others.-

/Signed/ S. Soobanah.

2. Have you mentioned the above circumstances to any one. If so did you &c. mention this or any thing more.-?

A. I do not recollect having mentioned it to any one. Had I done so I would have mentioned what I know that is perhaps &c.

I mentioned to some one the foregoing circumstances, I cannot recollect.-

/Signed/ S. Soobanah

Taken before me this 20th. July 1842.

/Signed/ H. Stokes.

Collector

No. 8.

To, The Collector in the Zillah of Guntoor

The humble Petition addressed by Subnevees Vencatakistnarow

Most Honored Sir,

1 In refutation to the false Petition addressed by Napeutty Sashagherry =pow Puntooloo, the present Head Sheristadar, to the Board setting forth, that during the attachment of the Estate of Rajah Vajee=
=reddy Ramanadabauboo, the late Collector sent blank orders of appointment to me with his seal and signature and that I sold them off for ready money, I beg leave to give the following remarks as it has been yesterday brought to trial.-

2 As Sashagerypow Puntooloo has by himself addressed the Petition he might be on his means of procuring false evidence as much as possible to support the

the same since the day of his drawing it out.-

3 In the deposition yesterday obtained from Sashagerry row Puntooloo, your honor questioned him, "By whom you will prove your charge?" He answered I can point out none to be a giver or to be one who saw. He further declared that (as the Collector was then at Bulliepaud and as the Head Sheristadar Moongamoor Lutchmenursoo Puntooloo proceeded to Amaravaty on the very night) he heard me to have distributed the orders and that it may be understood by the Cutcherry Servants. He also mentioned the names of Luckarayoo Banpanna Ingoova Vencatakristnamah &c.-

4 Were a witness examined as before knowing what the complainant deposed he would have no means to correspond intentionally his declaration to the complainants one. And the truth would infallibly come out fully. On the contrary as Sashagerry row Puntooloo named Luckarayoo Banpunna (who was then drawing out his own deposition) for the first witness to prove his argument, the weight of confidence to be placed on his evidence my be considered by your hono.

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5 The above Banpunna states in his depodition that he did not hear any orders to have sold by me that he heard some day that some orders are signed by the late Collector without inserting the names that he could point out none to have so said; that the order of his promotion from the Magistrate Javabnevijo situation of Rupees 21 payment to the Salt Javabnevijo situation of Rupees 28 payment has been given to him by me in the presence of the Deputy Sheristadar Yatoory Cotiah Head Assistant Sheristadar Davursoo Lutchmenarayanapuntooloo and Jamadar Lakoo Teja in the lodge of the said Lutchmenarayanapuntooloo.-

6 When your honor sent for Ingoova Vencatakristname and he came into the office Gungam Ramachendrarow Puntooloo &c. who were already standing there informed him all that passed before I have immediately represented the same to your honor and wanted your goodness to order him not to speak to any one before giving his deposition. During his trial Lomdyajooloo Soobana Gungam Ramachendra row Puntooloo

Pootragoonta

Pootragoonta Soobbiah and some others made some hints to him which I have also informed to your honor.-

7 This Vencata Kristnama has deposed that he heard som body say that certain orders were prepared and signed both by the Head Sheristadar and the Collector without inserting the names which were afterwards filled up with reference to the circumstances that his promotion order is given to him by Davaroo Lutchmenarayna Puntoolo the Head Assistant Sheristadar that one Somayajoolo Soobbanna told him that he saw 5 or 6 orders some with names and others not with Gollapoody Lutchmiah and heard him say that these orders are purchased ones. On my questioning him if this Soobbanna is over against you at 4 or 5 yards distance at the time of giving the deposition he answered that he did not see him. No sooner that I began this question but he posted off from that spot immediately. Many people who were there present and particularly the complainant Sadhagerry row Puntoolo as well as the Soobbanna too when he was again sent

sent for all admitted of his having stood there at that time. This Soobbanna is also a nearest relation to Vencatakristnamah-

8 Afterwards your honor having sent for back the above Soobbanna and interrogated him he deposed that he cannot say to have by any one heard as if the orders are sold; that Gollapoody Lutchmiah has shewn him some orders saying that his Children were waiting upon the Gentleman and that he has bestowed upon them the appointments that he did not see whether or not they contain names and that he knew, or told to any one no more than what he stated here. This very deposition proves Vencatakristnamas declaration to be false.-

9 When he (the complainant) holding such responsible office as the Head Sheristadar is to submit a charge to the Board of Revenue it was (your honor may believe) his duty to enquire before hand the reality and to mention by whom and after what manner he came to the knowledge thereof.- But on the contrary his complaining to the Board that Mr. Goldingham dent

sent back orders to me with his seal and sig:nature and that I have given them to high bidders and his deposing now before your honor that it was so used by many people pointing none out, and that it can be proved that I have distributed the orders will I hope lead your honor to consider on his natural conduct and the weight of confidence to be placed on his declarations.-

10 Every one of the witnesses he named said that the circumstances he declared, are heard by him in the Bazar. Thus nothing of this record worth my defence, however I shall represent hereunder whatever I am acquainted with.-

11 At the time of attaching the above Estate, I was in the Ranchoor Taulook Auneen situation. The Cutcherry of the Taulook was then stationed and the gate of Cunchanapully Lutchmeeamtarow's house where the then Head Sheristadar Moongamoor Lutchmenurseo Puntooloo was put up. As I was there on duty at the night of the 7th. January last he sent for the Volun:teer peons and registered their respective claims. There being then much clamour

He wanted me to take care that few, after few, be allowed into. I have accordingly done. He also wanted me to have him the assistance of my Subordinate in getting the orders entered on books I have done so too. At which being little ill I laid down myself a side for a little while. The Head Sheristadar Lutchmenurseo puntooloo, the Deputy Sheristadar Yatoory Cotiah, and the Head Assistant Sheristadar Davarseo Lutchmenaraim puntooloo remain:ing together distributed there several orders. Whereupon the former two being about to proceed to Amaravaty. they gave the remaining orders to the care of the latter. The Head Assistant Sheristadar and myself left that place together, and as his lodge is in the way leading to my house I accompanied him into his lodge and sat there a few moments. I did interfere nothing as charged by Sashagerry:row Puntooloo.-

12 If your honor please to ad:dress Mr. Goldingham the then Collector whether or not it is the truth that he signed the appointment orders before the names are inserted and sent them to me as stated by

Fort St. George 8th September 1842.

by Sashagerry now Puntooloo the fact will be known. Further if Moongamoor Lutchmenurson Puntooloo the then Head Sheristadar is interrogated whether or not he got the orders signed before inserting the names and who distributed them, it will be explained by him. As it is said that he is about to proceed to some other place I beg your honor to cause obtain his deposition before hand. Moreover the deposition of Yatoory Cotiah and Davoor-=soo Lutchmenarayna Puntooloo the ex Deputy and Head Assistant Sheristadars respectively will also be useful on this head. At the time of my being in the Huzzoor Cutcherry I having strictly watched over the conduct of the different servants and discovered several in-=stances of misconduct, all such people are indisposed with me in consequence of which and with the inclination of getting Sashagerry now Puntooloo's favor as he is now in the Head Sheristadars situation, Luck-=ranjoo Banjunnah and Ingoova Venca-=-Kistnamah have yesterday given quite false evidence. I can prove to your honor the manner of their conduct. Under these circumstances your goodness will judge well and render justice.

Guntoor
21st July 1842.

[Signed] Subneveis Venkatakristnarow

Deposition

Fort St. George 8th September 1842.

No 9.

Deposition of Golapoodi Lachmaya dated 21st July 1842.

2. Did any of your people obtain appointments on the attachment of the Vass reddy estate in January last?

A. My son Buchi Ramaya and my son in law Namboor Ramaya then got appointments. My son that of Police Goomashta in the Coorapad Tanna, My son in law that of Samudar of Nandipad.

2. Did their Sunnuds come first into your hands or theirs?

A. When the Gentleman visited my Village to measure the Tank belonging to Soudavaram and yenamadala, I took my children and presented them to him. He promised he would give them situations and ordered me to send them to Guntoor. Afterwards, I took my son, son in law and Nephew to Guntoor and again waited on him with them. He told me there were no vacancies then. If they would wait, he would appoint them when suitable vacancies might occur. Afterwards, he gave my nephew the place of Deputy Ameen in Chilkaloorpad. When I saw him again he promised to

to appoint the other boys also, On the report of the attachment of the Vapse=-reddy Estate, I went to Prellypad and again asked situations for my boys as=- there were then many vacancies He=- told me to come in the evening - He=- asked my boys names - I told him - On my going to him in the evening again he said he had given directions to the Serishtadar Mungomoori Luchmi Narsoo Punt and that I might go to Guntoor - I came in the evening of the 6th about 10 O'clock P. M. to Mungomori Luchmi Narsoo=- Puntoolo's house - He was waiting to set off for Amarawty - He gave me the two=- orders of appointment - I took them and gave them to my boys and sent them to their situations - The orders contained their names and were signed and sealed

2. Did you shew these orders to any one while they were in your possession?

A. I did not.

2 Do you know Somayazala Subanna?

A I do not.

2 Did you not shew the Summuds to Somaya=-zala Subanna?

A. I neither knew him, nor did I shew them

them to him -

2 Who were present when Mungamoori=- Luchmi Narsoo Punt gave you the=- orders - was Subnevisss Venkata krishna Row Punt there then?

A. He was not - I did not take notice who else was there -

(Signed) Gollapoodi Lachmaya

Taken before me this 31st day of July 1842.

(Signed) H. Stokes

Collector

No 10.

Deposition of Moongamoori Luchmenarsa Punt late Sheristadar in the Guntoor=- collectorate dated 22d July, 1842.

2 On the attachment of the Vapsreddy Estate in January last, were any=- Summuds of Appointment signed=- and sealed by the Collector before=- entering the name of the person appointed?

A No - In the English Memoran=-dum addressed to me by Mr Goldingham from Prettypad dated the 5th January, he stated that it was necessary to attach the Vapsreddy Estate, and that he=-

required

required some information in conse=
=quence - I therefore the same day wrote
and despatched a reply in English, and
on the 6th after taking my Meal at 10
O'clock I went to Mr Goldingham at
Prettypad - He said that the attachment
of the Estate was very emergent matter
and that I should then on the spot get
the necessary Servants Selected and Sunnuds
prepared for them, and give into the ex
Officiating Head Moonshi Sunjeeva=
Row for Signature and Seal, after which
I might go; that the attaching Servants
ought to reach their respective Stations
before the attachment was known -ex
The names of Mutsuddies (or Writers)
for the several appointments were then
decided upon in his presence - for the
Peons he ordered a Selection to be ex
made from the persons recommended
by the Delayets then waiting there ex
for employment, and to fill up the ex
remainder of the list from the persons
at Guntoor on the 7th after the Sunnuds
had been signed and sent from ex
Prettypad

Prettypad I remained till 2 O'clock on
the night of the 6th at Prettypad, got ready
all the Sunnuds for the Mutsuddies and
left them with the Head Moonshi and ex
came back to Guntoor - In not a single
instance was the name of the appointed
person omitted in these Sunnuds - I cannot
believe that any Collector would sign such
blank Sunnuds - I have served under ex
many Gentlemen in three Districts in=
=cluding this - None of them has ever
Signed such orders -

2 By whom were the Sunnuds ex
distributed -

A At 3 O'clock P. M. on the 7th the
Collector having signed the rest of the
Sunnuds, and distributed some of them
himself to parties who were there ex
present, sent the remainder to me by
Roy Sunjeeva Row with a Message that
I must deliver them to the appointed
persons - after 10 O'clock at night ex
I got them, therefore Copied in the
Cutcherry, and from 10 to 12 I gave
out a great many of them myself ex
and

and then made over the rest to be given out by the Head Assistant Sheristadar Devarasa Luchma Nara=yana, and set out to accompany Mr. Newill to Amarowati—

(Signed) M. Lachmenarsoo

Taken before me this 22d day of July 1842—

(Signed) H. Stokes
Collector.

No. 11.

Memo.

There is an Aryee from Ramanadababoo. He will not pay the Rupees 24,000 according to promise, nor the Rupees 12,000 and odd over charged, and has only paid Rupees 20,000 on account of December kist, after the solemn promise to me at his visit, and espressing the same in writing, we cannot trust his word any longer, particularly as he is at this time press=ing his Collections. we had better attach the Estate at once. The orders should

should issue immediately, otherwise we shall lose the Collections.—

Pretty paid January 4th 1842

(Signed) J. Goldingham
Received 5th
at 1 o'block P. M.

No. 12.

To the Collector

in the Zillah of Guntoor,

Aryee addressed by N. Sashiagerry Row Head Sheristadar.

In regard to the point of the Servants appointed at the attachment of the Vasareddy's Estate having been selected by S. Vencatakroostna Row Pun=tooloo, and of the appointment orders having been distributed by himself, as also some of the orders having been filled with names and sold after they had been signed by the Collector, I beg to make some mentions hereunder.

Many persons, who had served a long time and up to the re=moval of the former attachment of the said Estate, not having been employed on that occasion of attachment, through

through they remained volunteering for their former situations, they presented petitions to Mr Mathison on his arrival and were employed after enquiry into their service — If your honor should be pleased to send for and enquire as many of them as your honor pleases, your honor will know on whom they as well as the other Volunteers attend then, praying for situations; why the persons of service were not employed, why new men obtained situations, through whom they obtained so, and by whom the orders were distributed &c.—

Hundreds of Volunteers of the Rank of Peons who had served long and up to the removal of the former attachment, not having been employed though attending for their situations, and new ones having been entertained as attachment Peons they were employed by Mr Mathison on enquiry into their service — If as many of them as your honor pleases should be sent

sent for and enquired, your honor will know on whom those Volunteering for Peons situations attended, whose favor they wished for, and how those employed obtained the situations — At the time of the list of the peons being made out, some of the Huzzoor Deloyets, Jamadars, and others, had of course been in attendance — If therefore, they should be enquired, your honor will know who accepted those entered in the list, and under whose superintendence the list was prepared —

As to the point of names being inserted in the orders after they had been signed by the Gentleman, your honor looked at some original orders and I beg that some more may be sent for and looked at —

I beg your honor of references hereunder mentioned —

An enquetnamah to the Head Sheristadar dated 7th January with a list of the attachment servants bearing the same date was written,

and

and which was marked as having been received on the 8th In this List, one Vunkah Nursimmah Deetchatooloo is named as having been appointed Samuttar of Chintapully Moottah in the Coorapad Tanah – No order was issued to his address on that day. Orders were issued on the 10th to him and to the Head Sheristadar, and from which it appears that one Cauza Mullaparauze had been appointed to that Situation and there appearing a doubt towards him, he was taken off, and the above Narasimha Deetchatooloo appointed in his stead – If that Main List had been truly issued on the 7th, and Despatched the same day, it must contain the name of Mullaparauze – How, therefore, does it contain instead of his, the name of Narsimha Deetchatooloo whose appointment took place three days after then –

The said Main List of the 7th contains the name of Lingamullo Baupiah as appointed Shroff in the Huzzoor

Huzzoor but no order was issued to his address that day – There does not appear reason for no order being issued if he had been really appointed the same day – There are orders to his address and to the Head Sheristadar dated the 19th shewing him as having been appointed from the 7th – In consequence of the List containing the name of the person appointed twelve days after then, it will be easily seen that it was not really issued on the 7th –

The said main list of the 7th contains the name of Chittah Samba-nah as appointed Samuttar of Manchavarium Moottah in the Coorapaud Tanah – no order was issued to him that day – Orders were written to him and to the Auneen on the 10th, and from which it appears that one Adevecolanoo Rajiah had been appointed to that situation but as he would not go to it, Sambiah was appointed in his stead from the 7th – How then the Main List of

of the 7th does not shew the name of Rajah and how it contains that of Sambanah appointed on the 10th—

From the above circumstances it will be seen that the arrangement list of the 7th was not closed until the 19th, but for the purpose of concealing that circumstance, it is dated falsely as closed and Despatched on the 7th and as received by the Head Sheristadar on the 8th:—

From the said list of the attachment servants, it appears that some of the old servants in Mulrauze, Chilkaloorpaud, Police &ca establishments were brought to this attachment establishment and there is an order to the address of the Head Sheristadar under date the 17th containing appointments of the new people to the situations of those old Servants, and certain changes from the 7th itself, but many of the orders issued to the Address of the different servants bear the date of the 7th itself—

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The above order under date 17th contains the name of a Volunteer by name Sumbaraauze Seetaputty as appointed Samutdar of the Yatoocoor Moottah in the Chilkaloorpaud Estate, and there appears an order to the Ameen dated the 7th regarding it, but no order was issued to Seetaputty either on the 7th or on the 17th but it appears an order was issued to him on the 25th—

The Servants of out stations then changed to other places (excepting the Ameens) and some of those new Men who were then appointed as Samutdars and others in the Tanahs of Rajapettah, Baupatlah &ca, have got their appointments on that occasion without coming to Guntoor— It may be guessed that their appointments must have taken place by their having been brought to the notice of the Huzzoor by their Ameens respectively— But it does not appear that the Ameens had sent recommendatory Arzees in favor of those persons, nor does it appear that the persons themselves addressed Arzees

Arzees (to the Huzzoor). It does not likewise appear, how the appointment orders of those who had come to Guntoor to receive them, were despatched to them. It does not appear from the Tappal lists that orders were despatched by Tappal to the address of the Samut-dars, or others, nor are there orders to the address of the Ameens, which shew that the above appointment orders were forwarded to them to be distributed. There appear however packets of yadast on service to have been despatched on the 8th to the address of the different Ameens But as the Head Sheristadar was not at Guntoor that day, it does not appear who had addressed those Yadasts. There do not appear Copies of the Yadasts, nor do there appear any other means to know the same.

On your taking into consideration all of the foregoing circumstances, your Honor will observe that the appointment orders dated the 7th were not disposed of all on the same

day - that although several days had elapsed thereupon before the list which accompanied the order to the address of the Head Sheristadar had been closed, yet false dates of despatch and of receipt were put upon them (the list and order) to make it appear as if the list had been closed and despatched the same day - that the appointments have not taken place through proper Channel - that neither their appointments Sunnuds have been delivered to them through the regular channel, and that those appointments took place through a Channel different from the one between the Collector and Ameens. On your being pleased to examine the persons alluded to in the first part of this Arzee, as well as Servants &c mentioned in my Deposition, it will be observed that although Vencatakistna Row Puntoolo had already been removed from the Huzzoor Cutcherry by order of the Board, yet he had his control over

over the Huzzoor affairs that though Moongamoor Lutchmenursoo Puntoo-loo was the Head Sheristadar, yet he conducted himself according to his (Vencatakroostnarow Puntoolos) intentions that all of the above appointments took place through himself (Vencatakristnarow Puntoloo) and that the act of entertaining new men while there were people of service Volunteering as well as the act of distributing appoint-ment orders out of the proper Chan-nel, arose for the purpose of obtain-ing Money —

In the deposition taken from me your honor questioned me how would I prove the sale of the appointment orders as these circumstances were then frequently talked with much publicity, they will come to your honors under-standing in as much as they can from the enquiry to be made by your honor as above begged for, and from other references, but as

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I was then only in my house having already been removed out of my situation, and as his taking a sum of money for any appointment order is an act which must of course have taken place secretly, your honor will observe that it would not be possible for me to prove the said secret circumstance by witnesses.

In the Jeloogoo Drafts of the Jemmahbundy Reports sub-mitted to the Board under dates 10th and 14th February 1842, it will be seen, contain alterations in the hand writing of Vencatakistna Row-Puntoloo, this will likewise prove the circumstance of his having had the interference with the Huzzoor affairs even after his appointment as-ameen.

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There are in the Cutcherry some of the Arzees addressed by persons who had been servants before, but who were not then employed and which I beg your honor will be pleased to peruse. Some Arzees have already been returned to those who had addressed them. and which likewise your honor may be pleased to send for and peruse.

Please to peruse, Guntoor 12th August 1842.

(Signed) N. Sashagherry row
Head Sheristadar.

(True Translation)
(Signed) N. Sashagherry row
Head Sheristadar.

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No 13

Supplementary deposition of N. Sheshagerry row taken on the 12th August 1842.

2. You have this day presented an Arzee setting forth certain matters in support of the charges against S. Venkatkristna row, and Moorgamoori Luchminarsu contained in your petition to the Board of Revenue dated the 28th February last. Why did you not bring those matters to notice when a deposition on this subject was taken from you on the 20th July instead of after a delay of 20 days?

A I heard that a letter had been received from the Board upon my petition directing an inquiry into the interference of S. Venkatkrishnarow. I thought the Collector would himself examine the persons from whom the truth of the circumstances mentioned by me can be elicited, and that after ascertaining whether or not Venkatkrishnarow had interfered with the business of the Huzzoor Cutcherry after his removal from it, he would report to

to the Board accordingly, and that I might give such explanation as I might be called on for when necessary. In my examination on the 20th July, I was asked how I could prove the sale of appointments. The sale of such Sunnuds being bribery and a thing to be done in Secret, I was unable to name any Eye witnesses of such transactions. I answered that, that he was the channel thro which the appointments were made, and other circumstances which then occurred might be ascertained from some of the Cutcherry Servants, and I mentioned the names of some: Some of them were examined. Some remain to be examined. I thought it would be proper, after their examination, to state such further matters as might be necessary. As it appeared proper to bring some points to your notice, I have done so by an Arzee.

Q. By whom do you mean to say the irregularities pointed out in your Arzee were committed?

A. M. Lachminarsu was then Head Sheristadar Venkathistna row Punt was then

then Ameen of Pamboor. But, altho' ordinary matters were managed by M. Luchminarsu, there is no doubt that the important matters were managed by Venkatkrishna row's interference. Though by his office M. Luchminarsu was then Superior nothing was done contrary to the advice of S Venkatkrishnarow. Wherefore, I mean to say, that whatever was done, was done by S. Venkathrishnarow.

How can you prove that this was the case?

If the enquiry be made as requested in my Arzee, and the facts brought to light by that inquiry be considered, it will be shewn to be true.

(Signed) N. Sheshagherry Row H.S.

Taken before me this 12th day of August 1842.

(Signed) H Stokes
Collector.

No 14.

Supplementary deposition of Munganari Luchminarsu taken on the 8th August 1842.

Q. Mr Goldingham has written that when at Puttepaud, prepared with you

you the lists of the attaching Establishment for the Vaseredy Estate - as the list of the Comedwar peons was at Guntoor, he left blank the names of some of the peons in the orders and directed you to fill them up from that list - Did you do so?

A. I was with Mr Goldingham when the lists were made out for the Mutsuddies of the attaching establishment - Of the Peons, Mr. Goldingham ordered me to enter in the list the names of some who were then waiting, and for the rest, as the Comedwar peons were all at Guntoor, he directed me to go there and prepare a list of them - accordingly on the night of the 7th January, sent for all the Comedwars and made a list of their names and claims, and as from having them to go to Amaravaty, I was unable to fill up the names of all the lists signed by the Collector - I selected some of the fit Candidates as Peons for the different Tanahs and sent them with a list of my own and a Yadosht to the Amoens to be employed - On my return from Amaravaty, I nominated the remainder, and got a

a fair list made out and signed by the Collector and despatched it; the copy is in the Cutcherry -

Q. Did you or not see the list of Comedwars kept in the Cutcherry up to the time you were appointed Sheristadar?

A. No one told me of any such list, nor did I see it -

Q. You have heard read the Petition of N. Shashagerry row presented this day - What have you to say in explanation of the difference of dates pointed out in it?

A. Unless I am allowed to see the list and orders &c referred to in this petition, I cannot explain the discrepancies of dates - I therefore beg I may be allowed to see these papers -

/Signed/ M. Luchminursoo.

Taken before me this 12th day of August 1842 -

/Signed/ H. Stokes
Collector.

No 15 -

To the Collector in the Zillah of Guntoor -

Most Honored Sir,

The humble Petition addressed by Subenevis Venkatakrishna row -

Para 1st Napoty Sashagerry row Puntooloo having

having yesterday presented again a petition to your honor, and given a deposition too, against me in support of his charge to the Board of Revenue, that I have sold the appointment orders during the attachment of Rajah Vasareddy Ramanadha Bauboo's Estate, I (wearied out with the frequent inconsistent and unfounded mean charges of the above person) beg leave to give the following remarks.-

2 It appears that on the 4th February last he sent a petition against me in the above case to the Board of Revenue, but as I did not see that petition I could not understand what he might have stated therein.-

3 In his petition to the Board of date the 28th February last, he mentioned that Lutchmenursoo prepared "orders of "appointments of attaching servants without "the names of the to be appointed and "delivered them to Venkatakistnarow with "his signature and the signatures of Mr "Goldingham and Venkatakistna row "sold each of those orders to such persons as

"as purchased it for ready Cash". The manner of this allusion is plain that the act complained of is the one that he is perfectly acquainted with the further allegation he made therein that Would Luchmenursoo sign those "Orders before mentioning the names of "persons to be appointed and suffer the sale of them by Venkatakistna row if he "(Luchmenursoo) is not allowed a portion "of the proceeds of the sale", confirms more firmly the inference to be drawn, as if he is certainly aware of the correctness of the charge.-

4. In contradiction thereto, he mentioned in his deposition before your honor on the 20th ultimo, that he heared that the appointment orders are prepared some with names and others without them, that some individuals appointed to the situations of out Stations paid me some thing which he can adduce no proof to, that the appointment orders are not distributed by the then Head Sheristadar Luckmenursoo Puntoolu as he had been to Amaravaty, and that they are as he came to know distributed by me as will be

testified by the evidence of Suckarauze Bauspunnah Ingoova Venatakistnamah &c.-

5. Thus it will be seen that his heavy charge to the Board as if Mr Goldingham sent blank orders to me and I sold them, is shortened before your honor to trifling point that I have distributed the appointment orders.-

6 In answer to this I have sent a petition to your honor under date the 21st ultimo.- Your honor has also examined Suckarauze Bauspanah, Ingoova Venatakistnama, Sorrayajoola, Soobana, Gollapoody Lutchmiah, and Lutchme = = nursoo Puntoloo the then Head Sheristadar, and I believe, found out the incorrectness of even the point lastly he charged me with.-

† See Para 12 of my petition 21st ultimo.- 7 I prayed your honor to obtain the evidence of Mr Goldingham too, which I consider your goodness might have done.-

8 After so longer a period as 23 days he (Sashagerryrow Puntoloo) presented yesterday another petition which among the other points which I need not argue upon, charges me with the following things.-

That

1st That the evidence of the Mootasuddies and peons substituted by Mr Mathison to those employed by Mr Goldingham will prove on whom the Volunteers were then attending, through whom the arrangements took place, and who distributed the orders.-

2dly That the evidence of the Jamadars, and deloyets, will evince under whose superintending the list of Peons was drawn out.-

3dly That the Gentoo drafts of the 00 Summabundy reports made out after my removal to Cytrut consist my corrections.-

9 On receiving the above petition your honor obtained yesterday a deposition from him, in which your honor having questioned him why he did not inform the contents of this petition till after 20 days of his giving the first deposition, he answered that he was anxious to set forth these things if necessary after the trial closed and that thinking it now important he has presented this petition.-

10. Your honor can consider how satisfactory the answer is to the question. As he thought it now important to give this

this petition, he might in the same manner think after some months more to give another petition if he could then procure some others to give evidence as he will teach.—

11 The contents of his deposition of date the 20th ultimo, he petition and deposition of the yesterdays' date are at quite variance with his petition to the Board of date the 28th February last.—

12 Had there been any thing to be proved by the evidence of any of the Servants employed by Mr. Mathison, why would he not have declared the same in his deposition of date the 20th ultimo; and what kind of importancy he could discover now which was not then, if it were not the case that he during these 23 days sent Messages to them on the manner they should declare if called, as they have been the persons employed by himself.—

13 The interference I had in the enlistment

enlistment of the Volunteer peons is no more what I have already declared+ But his wanting now the evidence of the Jumadars and deloyets which he did not in his deposition of the 20th ultimo speaks of his having given some lessons to them two—

+ See Para 11 of my Petition dated the 21st ultimo.

14 I never be like himself unsteady in my arguments. The evidence I make choice of is always the same as I have already declared+ of—

+ See 12 Para of my Petition 21st ultimo.

1 Mr. Goldingham then Collector.—

2 M. Lutchmenarsoo puntooloo then Head Sheristadar.—

3 Y. Cotiah then Deputy Sheristadar.—

4 D. Lutchmenarain then Head Assistant Sheristadar and if necessary the evidence of Roy Sunjeevarem then Acting Head Moonshy.—

15 Your honor can consider whether these or those named by Sashagerry Row Puntoolo are trust worthy.—

16 It now remains that I should answer the 3d point. I confess that the drafts he mentioned contain my corrections.—The Head Sheristadar

Sheristadar was new, and the subject of these reports was of the period of my Deputy Sheristadarship, consequently the Head Sheristadar having questioned me on some points for explanation, I gave my remarks thereon which I fancy your goodness can consider is not beyond the duty of a Public Servant.-

17 Under these circumstances as it is clear that the Head Sheristadar Sashagerry Row Puntooloo is still procuring false witnesses with a pernicious design of affronting me, I hope your graciousness will without any loss of time rid me of his snares.-

Guntoor — — 13th August 1842. } (Signed) Subsenss Venkatakrishna Row

No. 16.-

To The Collector in the Zillah of Guntoor.-

Most Honored Sir,

The humble Petition addressed by Moorgamoor Lutchmumurso.-

In obedience to your honors' orders directing me to give explanation on

on the matter contained in the Petition of N. Sashagerry Row Puntoolo the present Head Sheristadar of date the 12th Instant, I, perusing the said Petition and the other Papers connected thereto, as well as the petition addressed by Sashagherry Puntoolo to the Board on the 28th February last, beg leave to set forth the following circumstances.-

In his petition to the Board of date the 28th February last he Sashagherry Row Puntoolo, made such expressions as are unworthy of drawing an utterance to the Superior Officers. And in every place wherever my name is mentioned, he did it in a manner disgraceful of my dignity.- Nevertheless as it will divulge this own merit, and as my reputation being a Servant of 27 years under the Honorable Company and obtained testimonials of value from several Gentlemen will never be affected thereby, I suit my writing to the dignity which I am endowed with.-

Notwithstanding it is of

greater

greater importance that I should argue upon his petition to the Board of late the 28th February last, yet as the case under trial at present seems important to require explanation on his petition of the 12th Instant, I shall in the first place give explanation on the latter.—

Points mentioned by Sashagherry Row Pantoolo-

1- That in the Establishment of the Zuffy Servants of the Vaseredd'ys Estate your people was preferred before old Claimants, who have been lastly entertained by Mr Mathison- The evidence of the latter, once will prove the reason of their not having got employments at the first instance-

Remarks thereon.

At the time of attaching the Vaseredd'ys Estate Mr Goldingham was of opinion that it should not be devulged before hand, under apprehension that the Zemindar's Servants will in that case defraud the revenues and appropriate the Collections. Hence all the late incumbents on that Estate had no means of information to attend before hand and lay their claims, but that the old

old claimants who were continually waiting the Office and the other Volunteers of long standing as well as some others recommended by divers Gentlemen, together with Servants of the Zemindar whose previous good conduct has been brought to the notice of Mr Goldingham, were made to fill up the establishment with among these people those as are in that Gentleman's view are named out by him and those as I seen saw in the Office to attend, are named out by me- The old claimants then in attendance are never excluded from, but provided for in the first place- If it is known in the Office whether Dacherazy Kistna Row, Redaimbee Ramanooja Charloo, and N. Kistniah / the present Revenue Muddutgar of Tanaly Tanah / and same as such are the people then entertained or not and whether they were the late incumbents on that Estate or not, it will be plain to your honor- It was

then

Hew further thought that the entertain=
=ment of new Hands would lower the
strictness of the Maniagement, And so
in order to secure the same against
any injury, several of the Servants of the
other Talooks were removed to it and
new ones employed in the other
Talooks, which are under peaceable Ma=
=nagement consequently if the whole arrange=
=ment then took place is reviewed, it will
be apparent that old Servants as were
in attendance had been employed. Moreover
among the old claimants then in
attendance one Hajah Mullaparangoor
was firstly nominated to the Samuldar
Situation of Chintatully Moottah, it
having at the same time come to know
that he was lately charged with an
effence he was set aside and one Vunca
Dachatooloo was in his room substituted
as is explained in the orders both to myself
and the Auneen of the Coorapaud
Taluk on the occasion. These cir=
=cumstances can prove that old claimants
in attendance were especially preferred
before

before Hers. While it was the case, after
Mr. Goldingham's departure from this
place, Shashgerry Row Puntooloo having
been restored to the Head Sheristadar
Situation and he being anxious to deface
the system of Mr. Goldingham he has
under pretence that he will entertain old
ones, employed several public offenders,
several quite new faces as never had their
feet towards the Office, and several of his
relations. I did not in that manner
perform during my continuance in the Head
Sheristadar Office. If your gordness is
now pleased to know the fact, it will
be understood that one half of the whole
Establishment of this District
consists of the relations of Shashagherry
Row Puntooloo, and that there are none
of my people with exception of the
Record keeper my brother, and the
English Writer of the Vapsered dy's
Estate, my Son. If I am handed with
a complete list of the arrangement took
place just before your Honor's arrival

here

here, I shall point out the names and the offences of different individuals he employed in detail- As they are all his relations and dependents, it appears that he gave them lepons to the false evidence he is in search after and now wanted your honor to try them, on the other hand if he is to prove any real things by them, would he have not mentioned it in his deposition of date the 20th Ultimo, and why would he after 23 days past require their evidence- This is only sufficient to consider that he has in this interval educated them well to dispose as he wants- The particulars of forming the Establishment at the time of attaching the estate are already explained in my deposition of the 22d Ultimo-

2 That the evidence of the Jamadar and Deloyets will prove under whose Superintendence the list of Peons was made out.—

2. I have explained this in my deposition of date the 12th Instant- If any real evidence is to be drawn from them it ought to have been explained in his deposition of date the 20th Ultimo- His requiring it now after so long a while, is sufficient to guess that he

he taught something to them too- In my deposition of date the 12th Instant your honor questioned me if the list of Volunteers kept in Office is not acted upon at the time of entertaining peons- I answered that I did not see it- But as I was then recently come to this place, as the list of peons was especially prepared by Ayatory Cotiah then Deputy Sheristadar under my orders, as he as well as the Head Assistant Sheristadar Davarasso Lutchmenarainapah Pantoolou were then attended with me, and as they both are of long continuance in this Office, I think that the particularities therefore can be represented by them if required.—

3- That the appointments orders are inserted with the names after they are signed by the Gentleman, that some of them are pursued by your honor and that some more may be perused & signed- It may be explained by your honor by Mr. Goldingham too- Sashagherry Peon Pantoolou says that your

3. Neither appointment orders nor orders of other affairs are signed without names- Nor did I ever get any such order

yours honor perused some orders of that discription. It is very amazing that he should make this evidently false allegation as if he produced some orders signed by Mr. Goldingham without names while the Principal witness he got named on that subject, Virt. Gollapoody Lutchmiah related the reality denying the point charged by him, and while the writing of the order of his Sons appointment is together with the name in the hand of Canoholanoo Venkana then assistant Jawbeniss. If some times he had produced any such order I shall provided it is shewn to me give satisfaction thereon. I fancy that Shashagherry Row Puntoolo might perhaps intended to feign that such orders as are different in hand writing between the names and the construction to be those signed without names. In every place it is usual that when several orders of the same construction are to be prepared such circular orders &c. they shall be first prepared by different hands and the names filled up afterwards before they are carried for Signature. In the same manner

manner when Estates are attached, as numerous orders of appointment are to be prepared and as several of them will be of the same expression, it is in every district usual that the appointment orders on such occasion be before hand prepared by different hands leaving blanks to the Name and rank and that they shall be filled up by other Servants after they are completely prepared with reference to the list. In the same manner I got first the orders prepared, and filled up the blanks by the Servants as were in Circuit with Mr. Goldingham and followed me there before they are given for signature. None of the names or ranks are inserted by any me as were at Guntoor. It is surprizing that Sashagherry Row Puntoolo should by this reason dissemble that orders are signed by the Gentleman is before the names are inserted. It is generally spoken that the orders of the arrangement made during Mr. Mathison's time also contain in the same manner a difference between the construction and names

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and ranks - For instance the order which one Macherauze Lutchimeah produced to your honor on the 12th Instant - when I was in your honor's presence which were given in Mr. Mathison's time consist of the same difference of hand writing - The other orders will also be in the same manner - If he (Shashagherry Rom Pantooloo) dwells on his argument that the appointment orders during the attachment of the Vaspereddy's Estate are fraudulent by such a difference of hand writing, it may be asked what satisfaction he will offer for the same kind of difference in the orders prepared by himself -

4. That the order dated the 10th January states that one Rajah Mulla parauze was firstly nominated to be Samaldar of Sintapully Moottah under Coorapaud Tanah on the 7th last the list of the 7th consists the name of Narasimmah Dechatooloo instead of Mullaparauze.

4. Had I been handled with Copies of the lists sent to the Ameens on the 7th January I would have explained more particularly on this point. The Sheristah Department did not yet give those lists declaring that they did not appear - I got Copies of those lists with my signatures left in the Duffters consequently no reason forth coming, for their disappearance -

The preparation of the first order in the name of Mullaparauze its repose, and the substitution of Venka Narsemma Deecha= -tooloo all took place on the 7th January last A rough list was firstly prepared, and in reference thereto orders are prepared, In the first rough list the name of Mullaparauze was entertained - Accordingly the order was also prepared in the name of Mullaparauze - This order was set aside after it was signed - The name in the rough list was then substituted to that of Narsimmah Deechatooloo and it was then Copied fair - But as it occurred then that 2 or 3 hundreds of orders be prepared in one day, the Moolasuddies, by over sight, did not prepare the order of Narsimma Deechatooloo - The mistake having been discover= =ed an order has been prepared on the 10th to Narsimma Deechatooloo - It is of no matter that such a slight oversight be observed at such a busy time such over sights are also common among the Writers, and they are not worthy of reckoning for an Offence -

† For reasons explained in remark No. 1 -

5. That Lingamallee Banjiah was appointed to Shroff on the 7th January last order is given to him on the 19th -

5. This Banjiah has been appointed Shroff on the 7th January as per the list of

of the Establishment and engaged on duty but Mr. Goldingham being of opinion that the Salary fixed in Vasereddy's Estate being Pusfees 10 is not adequate to his trust, and that Pusfees 4 should also be added from the Muttrauzewar's Estate, it was then thought proper that the order be written after it is considered and settled. I had then been to Amaravutty. After my return it was considered and settled and the order in his name was prepared on the 19th. The Enoyetnamah in my name on the subject can explain of his doing duty from the beginning.

6. That the order of the 10th January explains that one Adeedavoo Ranjiah was appointed in the first instance to be Sanuldar of Manchavarum Moottah under Pedda Coorapaud Tanah and he having refused to go there, Suttia Saumbiah employed in that Office on the 7th only. The list of the 7th consists of the name of Saumbiah instead of Ranjiah.

6. Vide Remark No. 4.

7. That in substitution to the Servants of the other Talooks removed to the Vaseredy Estate new people were employed on the 7th January and orders were also given on the very date to those people respectively, but the Enoyetnamah to the Head Shirastadar on this subject is written on the 17th.

7. He himself admits that the orders to those servants respectively are dated the 7th and that it is in

the Enoyetnamah to the Head Sheristadar on that occasion inserted that they are employed on the 7th. Thus there is nothing to suspect of them having been employed on the 7th. It was much busy on the day of attachment and as there was much space before the period of preparing the Baramuds, the Enoyetnamah to the Head Sheristadar has been afterwards prepared.

8. One Sumbarauze Seetaputty has been appointed to be Sanuldar of Vaseecoar Moottah under Chittatoor and Talook on the 7th January as stated in the Annexure, but the order to the said Seetaputty is issued on the 25th.

8. This Seetaputty has been employed on the 7th only. With reference to the order to the Annexure he entered on his duties. The Annexure having afterwards stated that the Sanuldar got no separate order like others, it has been drawn out afterwards. It is of no matter to question.

9. The new people then entertained have been employed without their attendance at Guntoor.

9. In his deposition of date the 20th Ultimo he declared that he confined himself to his house. While it was the case, how can he understand who came to

to Guntoor and who not. I have explained in my deposition of date the 22d Ultimo the manner in which the orders are distributed.—

10- That it is to be considered that such people are recommended to by the Ameens that neither the petitions of the Ameens nor those of such people are forthcoming

10. As he is practiced to give hints inwardly to the Ameens and to send for their recommendations for appointments as he pleases he might think that it will be the case with the others too. It was never in practice with Mr. Goldingham to receive any recommendations from the Ameens and give effect to them, in regard to the appointments, but that he kept a list of all the candidates either appearing before him or he is acquainted with, or had any claims of employment, and filled up the vacancies with them when occurred.—

11- That it does not appear how the people who had not come to Guntoor received their orders, that there is neither a reference in the Tappal list- That on the 8th January several Yadasts are dispatched to the Ameens but the Copies thereof are not in the Office.—

11- He did not explain who are the people he imagined not to have come to Guntoor- on the night of the 7th I have myself distributed several orders. The rest I gave given to the Head Assistant Sheristadar and went away to Amaravaty- Had he sent any orders by Tappall with his Yadasts to the Ameens besides

besides those he personally distributed, the Copies of those Yadasts will, if he (Sashagerry Row Puntoolo) did not cause to be distructed, remain in the Office.

12- That from the above circumstances it appears that some fraud has taken place with respect to those orders.—

12- With reference to his own nature he thought that others will also commit frauds, but no kind of fraud did in the least take place, There is nothing in the above circumstances fit to be considered by a Gentleman to be fraudulent.—

13- That though I held the Head Sheristadar situation I performed every affair on the consent of Venkata Kistna Row Puntoolo.

13- Any person of debility like himself might perform any thing on the assistance of others, but any one like myself has no occasion to do so- my being able enough is well understood by several Collectors, Sub Collectors &c under whom I served and by the Gentleman of the Board of Revenue Court of Sudr Adalut, and the Government- The testimonials of several Gentlemen- I have in hand can also prove this- The duties of my Office I have at my own labour discharged and not with the consent of either Venkata Kistna Row Puntoolo or any others- If on any matter, this Sashagherry Row Puntoolo and myself are examined before your Honor, it can be understood who is the party requiring the assistance and consent of others in performing his duties.—

14- That there are corrections made by Venkata Kistna Row Puntoolo in the Jamabundy reports I made out.

14- I have prepared the drafts of the Reports for fusly 1250, with reference to the information

that

that I had drawn from the records and Moot-
-la suddies, but as he (Venkatakistna Row Puntoolo)
was Deputy Sheristadar during the time of the
report and as he was well acquainted with the
past affairs - I have referred those drafts to his
view in order to see that there is no oversight - He
put some remarks on some certain points of
the reports - This circumstance cannot in the
least be offensive -

The above Sashagherry Row
Puntoolo in his petition to the Board of date the
28th February has stated that from the recommenda-
-tion of Venkatakistna Row Puntoolo I got the
Head Sheristadar Situation with Mr. Goldingham,
that I have during the attachment of Vaseredy's
Estate prepared the appointment orders without
the names signed myself as them got them
signed by Mr. Goldingham too, and sent them
to Venkatakistna Row Puntoolo, that he
disposed them off for ready Cash, that he
would have allowed me too a portion therein,
and that Mr. Hathaway not knowing my
conduct employed me as a Management
Sheristadar with the pay of the Head Assistant
Sheristadar of the Mulraunge Estate being Rupees
70 and the Rupees 60 fixed by Mr. Goldingham
to be received by the Head Sheristadar from
the Vaseredy's Estate for the additional
trouble arising from the Management
thereof, making a total of Rupees 130 and
some other circumstances the like -

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The contents of his Petition drew charge
of an heinous offence, and not tolerable,
such complaints are to punish the people
complained against if proved, or the com-
-plaints if failed, and not to be continued.
He has already given a deposition before
your honor on the 20th Ultimo, that he
cannot prove his complaint - His pre-
-ferring such charges as he cannot prove
against Mr. Goldingham and Native
Head officers, can subject him to exemplary
punishment - If the persons of preferring
false charges and declaring that they
cannot prove the same when enquiry
occurred are to be excused, any kind of
heinous charges on any reputable Officers
may by any one be without any deliberation
preferred - While Mr. Goldingham was
formerly Assistant Collector in the Nel-
-lore District I was there Manager of the
Salt Department, and discharged some
duties under him - I have subsequently
visited him now and then and repre-
-sented the services I render -
About 3 years ago when that
Gentleman came to Madras,

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I have visited him and represented the exertions I rendered to the benefit of the Honorable Company, and my being out of employment- That Gentleman having thus acquainted with my qualifications, he has sent for me on that acquaintance. Venkatakistnarow Puntoolu and myself were not greatly acquainted with each other- nor are we both relations, Nor were we both before served in any place together- The particulars of the orders having been prepared, I have already explained in my deposition of date the 22d Ultimo. Your honor has also received information from Mr Goldingham- This Shashagerry row puntoolu mentions that Mr Hathaway was not acquainted with my conduct but never declares what defici=ency he could discover therein- I have here=tofore served for 27 years the Honorable Company under several Gentlemen and the Sheristadar situation only for 12 years during whole period I have procured an advantage of about 13 lacks of Rupees to the Honorable Company- Several Gentle=men have reported to the Board of Revenue

my meritorious services by Samabundy reports and other letters and several Gentlemen = bestowed their testimonials too, Mr Goldingham having given me a Packet directed to = your honor and ordered me to deliver to your honor by myself, it became un= =avoidable that I should remain here until your honors arrival- consequently I consented it that time to hold the = situation of the management Sheristadar, until your honors arrival as desired by Mr Hathaway, which will be corro= =borated by the enclosed copy of the note written to me by that Gentleman; and I am not a man of holding any situation lower than the Head She= =ristadar- When I was at Madras se= =veral Gentlemen offered me lower Offices than Head Sheristadar for the present, but I would not like to hold them- By my arrival here this Sashagerry row Puntoo= =lu kept heavy arrears of business, which I have very shortly discharged, several of the Petitions referred by the Board of Revenue commencing with 1837 and several petitions = addressed

addressed to the Collector which were re=
=ferred to this Sashagerayrow Puntooloo have
been laid by him aside without answers to an
infinite number- I have taken much pains and
decided the whole of the Board petitions and the
petitions addressed to the Collector to a great
part- As Mr. Goldingham was eye witness
of it he was pleased to inform about my
abilities both to the Board and
Government- A perusal of the correspond=
=ence will explain the same to your
honor- If your honor pleases to peruse by
the accounts in what manner Collections
were made during my continuance in the
Head Sheristadar situation and how they
have fallen off service his reinstation to
that Office partly by his publicly using
that he will get dismissed the servants
employed by Mr. Goldingham and pre=
=paring lists of management for about 6
weeks and partly by his employing his rela=
=tions public offenders and the new people
entirely ignorant of duty, it will be eas=
=ily plain to your graciousness how
far he deserves to reckon my conduct-
After the attachment of the Vaseredy-
Estate

Estate took place, the state of that time
had predicted the prospect of an increase
of about 1 lac of Rupees by the end of the
fusly; and the Collections were also keeping
a pace with the prospect- There was also
the like prospect in the other estates Mul=
=ranzeware, Chitkaloorpaud &c- So soon
as he again came to the Head Sheristadar
situation, and disturbed the management,
all the former systems have been received
the management became clamorous and in=
=stead of the esteemed increase an abundant
decrease is resulted by the end of the fusly, though
the produce was extensive than the pre=
=ceding year- The management of the other
Talooks became generally the same- This
circumstance is generally known throughout
the District- If the communications of
Mr. Goldingham to the Board with the
prospect of increase, and the resulted de=
=crease is considered, it needs no other evi=
=dence to satisfy your honor on the reality
of what I have above stated- This Sashagerey=
=row puntoolo held for a great many years
the situations of stamp Vender and Magistrates
Manager- He does not know the revenue
transactions

translations. When Mr. Lewin went from this place to Rajahmundry Collectorship, the Head Sheristadar situation thereof being vacant that Gentleman sent for him to that situation on condition of examining him for a year. He being quite unable to discharge the duties thereof lost that situation within the end of the year. His incompetency to that Office having caused his dismissal approached, he resigned the Office, and returned back here. If the correspondence between Mr. Grant and the Board in that subject is sent for from the Collector of Rajahmundry, it will be plain to your honor. After his return to this place, Mr. Bruce then Collector here employed him as assistant Sheristadar of the Mulrajuzewar's Estate on a salary of 70 Rupees a Month. Ever during his continuance in that situation, he was employed on such trifling duties only as the examination of the Salt Cottaurs &c. After Mr. Goldingham's arrival here, the Head Sheristadar situation becoming vacant, he appointed Venkatakistnarow Puntoolo to act and reported the same

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to the Board. The Board not having sanctioned his appointment under reasons of his shorter length of service, and another fittest person not having then met with, Mr. Goldingham kept him in that Office reporting the Board that he has employed him for the present and that he will after a longer trial report as to his competency or otherwise. Afterwards he has often reported to the Board the incompetency, misconduct and ill transactions of this individual. If your honor pleases to refer a view to those papers, your goodness can be confirmed into the belief of his not having been by any Gentleman he served under, called to be competent to the Head Sheristadar situation. He mentions that 60 Rupees were allotted in the Vasseredy's Estate to the Head Sheristadar. Had he seen the Official records he would not have made this mentioning so. The Board of Revenue have issued an order during the management of Mr. Bruce, that Head Sheristadar should receive no more than the allowances fixed with reference to the graduation rule. I beg

your

your honor to peruse the same. Mr Goldingham (as Sashagenayagow puntooloo declares) did not allot the 60 Rupees to the Head Sheristadar but wanted to employ a separate Assistant Sheristadar. If the Establishment list of the Vasereddy Estate is perused it will be plain to your honor. It may perhaps be questioned how in that case that sum is paid to me. I beg leave to represent that Mr Goldingham being anxious of getting of a competent hand to it, ordered me to draw the same until further orders, but not fixed it permanently to me. If the Enayetnamah given to me on that subject is perused, it will be apparent to your graciousness. If the Head Sheristadar is actually to draw any thing from the attached Estate. Why a separate Head Assistant Sheristadar would have been employed for the Mulpauzewar's Estate on Rs. 70 pay, and why would it not have been included to the Head Sheristadar, what reason there can be to let out these Rs. 60 to the Head Sheristadar only. Under the foregoing circumstances your honor can believe that he is not at all

entitled

entitled to receive those 60 Rupees, and that it is also contrary to the Board's former orders.

In his Petition to the Board above alluded to, he mentioned that my remaining in this Office as Management Sheristadar will cause intrigues, my reluctancy to hold that situation I have above declared, your honor can guess by the foregoing particulars whether or not I am intriguous. As I was for several years on duty in the Nellore District only on the confines of this District, which afforded me with the means of learning the circumstances of this place, and as I have more plainly come to know of every subject after my arrival here, I have been enabled to give the following information. Gungam Seetaram puntooloo held the Sheristadar situation of this place for several years. He being fair and regular carried on the management in most calmly manner without the least intrigues. After his demise, Venkatakistinarow Puntooloo being Acting Head Sheristadar for upwards of one year, there were no kind of intrigues, and the Management.

management took place in a more quiet manner. After the entertainment of Sashagerrypow Pantoolee in the Head Sheristadar situation, intrigues arose here and increased by degrees. After his removal and my entertainment, all his intrigues had perished, and the management was mild. Since his reentertainment, the intrigues raised more abundantly, and are still more heavily extending day by day. Thus he is the only root of all the intrigues but none of that kind did ever take place by any other one.

From the foregoing circumstances I trust that your honor will take all the above particulars into your candid consideration, and treat him as he deserves for the mean and false charges he preferred.

Guntoor, 15th August, 1842. } / Signed / M. Lutchmenursoo.

To, M. Lutchmenursoo.

As I am of opinion that your experience and abilities will be of great advantage to the District and as it will be agreeable to Mr. Goldingham's wishes,

I shall be glad if you will remain attached to the Cutcherry at least till Mr. Stokes arrives as Head Assistant Sheristadar also attending to the Vasseredy Estate.

Let me know your inclination upon this subject.

Received 27th February 1842. } / Signed / A. Hathaway. True Copy / Signed / M. Lutchmenursoo, No. 17.

To S. Goldingham Esqre. Collector of North Arcot

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will have the goodness to inform me at your earliest convenience, whether, to the best of your knowledge and recollection, there is any truth in the Statement contained in the accompanying Original petition to the Board of Revenue from Napatti Sashagerrypow that orders of appointments for the servants of the attaching establishment for the Vasseredy Estate were prepared by Lutchmenursoo and Signed by you and himself before the

the names of the persons appointed were inserted, this information being required, to enable me to furnish a report called for by the Board of Revenue- The petition you will have the goodness to return with your reply.-

Guntoor Collectors Cutcherry 20th July 1842.

/Signed/ H: Stokes
Collector-

Sir, No. 18.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 20th Instant with original Petition No. 366 of 1842, from Nypoty Sashagerry now to the Board of Revenue- There is no foundation for the Statement contained in this Petition- Viz.t that Lutchmenurseo prepared orders of appointments of attaching Servants without the names of the persons to be appointed and delivered them to Veneata Kistnarow with his signature and the signature of Mr. Goldingham and Veneata Kistnarow sold each of these orders to such persons as purchased it for ready Cash.

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To have given blank orders is obviously so improper that the statement carries its own refutation- The persons appointed was fixed by me at Pruttypaud and Lutchmenurseo was with me at the time. The names of some Peons were omitted, as the list of Omedwar Peons was at Guntoor, but Lutchmenurseo was directed to select the best of those who were entered, and to select such from among the other Volunteers as had claims and were fit- A list of Omedwar Peons was kept, as several persons had lost their appointments from former attachments having been removed, and from the abolition of Choukies, and by keeping a list, it was intended to convey the impression that each persons claims would be attended to without reference to those in power- I was always anxious to satisfy myself of the qualifications of the individuals to be appointed, before any appointment took place, and this was observed in the nomination of the Servants for the Vasereddy Estate- It is possible that here and there, the name of an inferior

inferior Talock Servant was omitted, but this must have been for some reasons at the time and Lutchmenurasoo will probably be able to remember. His evidence will also furnish further information on the subject.

It is not likely, even on the supposition of blank orders, that Lutchmenurasoo who had been recently appointed Head Sheristadar, could have risked his appointment and character by a measure, which can only occur when corruption is general, and the Head of the Office feels his position sure. The appointment of Lutchmenurasoo to be Head Sheristadar was not acceptable to Nypoty Sashagerryrow, and as his every act and every word were narrowly watched, it is not probable that his first act would be as is alleged in the Petition.

The petition is herewith returned as requested.

Polycondah, July 26th. 1842.

/Signed/ J. Goldingham

/True translation & Copies &c./
/Signed/ H. Stokes
Collector

List of documents sent to the Board of Revenue with a letter dated 18th. August 1842.

No.1. Original petition of N. Sashagerry Row to the Board of Revenue dated 28th. February 1842.

2. Translation of the Petition from Caranadi Codundarandoo &c. to the Acting Collector dated 11th. April 1842.

3. Do. of the deposition taken from the Sheristadar N. Sashagerryrow on the 20th. July 1842.

4. Do. of Do. Vemaguntie Ramadoss Punt dated Do.

5. Do. of Do. Luckarauze Baupaya dated Do.

6. Do. of Do. Ingoovah Vencatakristna Mah dated Do.

7. Do. of Do. Samayajoolah Soobanah dated Do.

8. Copy of an explanation from S. Vencatakistnarow Punt dated 21st. Do.

9. Translation of the deposition of Gollapoodi Lachmiya dated Do.

10 Do. of Do. Mungamoori Lutchmenurasoo Punt.

Pont dated 22nd July 1842.

No 11. Copy of the Memorandum of Mr Goldingham referred to in the above, dated 4th January 1842.

12. Do of a Supplementary Arzee from N. Sashagerry row dated 12th August 1842.

13. Translation of a Supplementary deposition of N. Sashagerryrow dated 12th August 1842.

14. Do of Do of S. Lutchmenursa Pont dated Do.

15. Copy of an Explanation of S. Venkata Kistnarow Pont dated 13th Do.

16. Do of Do of S. Luchmenursa Pont dated 15th Do.

17. Do of a letter to John Goldingham Esq dated 20th July 1842.

18. Do of Do from Do dated 26th do.

19 to 32. Original Telugu Papers of do do.

Guntoor,
Collrs Cutcherry
18th August 1842.

(Signed) H. Stokes
Collector.

Proceedings.

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On the 7th March the Board transmitted for the Collectors enquiry and report, a petition which they had received from Nayputty Shashagherry Row, Head Sheristadar of Guntoor in which Lutchmanurroo lately officiating in the same situation, and Venkata Kistnarow Arzeen of Rachoor were charged with malpractices on the occasion of nominating an establishment for the management of the Vausareddy Zemindary. The present communication is a report of the Collectors proceedings in that case.

2. Mr Stokes did not pursue the enquiry so far as might have been done, and the Board think that under the circumstances stated, he exercised a sound discretion in this respect, and agree with him in thinking that no good could have resulted from carrying the investigation further. It is sufficiently apparent that the graver parts of the charge were made wantonly and without warrant, while it is equally clear that on some comparatively

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minor points, the accusation was well found-
-ed - In particular it is established that
some Sunnuds of appointment received the
signature of the late Collector leaving a blank
space for the name of the nominee whatever
may have been the actual event in the
present case there can be no question
that such a practice opens a wide door
to chicanery and extortion, and the Board
must remark that it is peculiarly liable to
censure in the circumstances under which the
Guntoor district then was. The Board can-
-not for a moment entertain Mr. Stokes's exculpa
-tory remark, if this practice is, as he says, of
frequent occurrence in his office, they request
that it may be immediately put a stop to.
These Proceedings will be sent to Mr.
Goldingham, and his particular attention is
requested to the Board's remarks on this point.

3. This investigation, in connection
with other proceedings that have gone before, proves
one thing most clearly, Viz.t that it is utterly a-
incompatible

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incompatible with the healthy and orderly ad-
-ministration of the Guntoor District, that
either Lutchmanarsoo or Vencatakeestna Row
should hold public employment in it -
The former of them has now no situation,
and the Board desire that he may not
receive any - The latter is under suspension
from his office as Dumeen of Rachoor, pend-
-ing the investigation of charges of malversation
and corruption preferred against him, and
whatever is the ultimate result of that
enquiry, the Board prohibit his reemploy-
-ment - The Board deem it unnecessary to
pass any record on the immediate subject of the
present petition, in addition to the foregoing
expression of their general sentiments -

From Actg Collr of Guntoor 20th April
in Lr no 5th May 1842.

4. The conduct of N. Shaghaghery
Row in this affair calls however for remark. The
Board are astonished that a public servant
of his rank and long standing should have
allowed himself to be so carried away by a
malevolent spirit, as to bring forward the
very heavy accusations contained in his
petition

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petition on mere Bazar report, and without any evidence whatever to support them, involving as they do a reflection on the late Collector himself. Mr Stokes will inform Shashaghery Row that he has incurred the serious displeasure of the Board. He has lately been subjected to weighty charges, and has passed a severe ordeal; the Board hoped that his future conduct would show him worthy of the acquittal and restoration to office which he has received and regret that he should so soon have disappointed their expectations.-

5. The charges against Venkata-krishna Row having been now a long time pending, the Board hope that Mr. Stokes will be able shortly to complete his investigation, and favor them with his report.-

They take this opportunity likewise to remind him of their Proceedings of the 14th July, regarding the investigation of the conduct of Ramanada Baboo, on which subject also they trust soon to hear from

him.-

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Ordered that copy of the foregoing Proceedings be sent to the Collector of Guntoor with reference to his letter recorded above, and to Mr. Goldingham for his information.-

Read the following letter.

To

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George.

From the Pt Coll. of Nellore.

Sir,

With reference to Mr. Porter's letter of the 18th Ultimo, I have the honor to return herewith the 3d Edition of the Law relating to India, the necessary alterations having been made in the 2d Edition.-

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Nellore,
Pt Coll's Cutcherry
21st August 1842.
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Signed J. V. Stonhouse
Principal Collector.

Ordered to be recorded.

Order thereon.-

To

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George.

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From the Pt Coll. of Nellore.-
Transmitting the Calculations of Imprisonment for Sundry Rokkums annexed in force in this Collectorate.-

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated the 24th Ultimo, and

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and to transmit herewith as therein required the cultivation and Jummabundy Hookoomnamah in force in this District. There is no separate Hookoomnamah for Cowle lands—

Nellore
Pt Collrs Cutcherry,
3rd September 1842.

} Signed T. V. Stenhouse
Principal Collector.

No. 1.

Cultivation and Jummabundy Hookoomnamah.

1. The Sahildars will take care to form the Sagoobuddy Dittums at the proper season, and they must be all sent in, so as to reach the Hoozoor by the 15th September.—

2. Ryots throwing up lands must throw up a proportionate extent of good land to the bad land which he wishes to relinquish.—

3. It is a common practice for the substantial Ryots to enter the names of their servants, Dependants or relations for the lands they occupy for the purpose of relieving themselves of demands for any uncollected balance of Sheist, this practice is not only prohibited for the future but the Ryots so doing will be held responsible for any balance which may eventually

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eventually be outstanding.—

4. With the Sagoobuddy dittums the Sahildars must forward a detailed list of the lands relinquished specifying the name of the Ryot, of the field, its turrum and assessment.—

5. If other cultivators are desirous of occupying lands which may have been relinquished by the Ryots who cultivated them in last year, they should be put in possession of them and the lands included in the dittum. No relinquishment of land will be permitted after the end of June as after that period it will be inconvenient for other Ryots to occupy the lands which may be relinquished.—

6. Cultivation accounts must be sent in monthly by the Sahildars in which shewing the dittum extent and actual cultivation of each field.—

7. If a Cadeem Ryot wilfully omits to undertake the cultivation of his land and any Ryot cultivates it, the original Ryot shall not be entitled to have it restored unless the new

new occupant consents, nor unless any balance due upon the land by the original Ryot be paid or except he can shew that the omission to cultivate was owing to unavoidable causes in which case the land will be restored to him from the ensuing fusly.-

8. A Ryot will be held answerable for the assessment on the land entered in his Kittum, unless from unavoidable causes of season, he was either unable to cultivate or having cultivated them, the crops may have entirely perished from drought or other unavoidable causes.-

9. Where a Ryot has the means of cultivating his Kittum land, and neglects to do so, or raises a dry crop on Maganie land when it was in his power to have raised a wet crop, he will be answerable for the Maganie Shist on that land.-

10. In the event of an absolute deficiency of water rendering it impossible to cultivate Maganee land with Magany produce, and the Ryot in

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consequence raises a Metta crop on such land, the highest rate of Metta Shist of that Village will be collected but the Ryot should give timely notice to the Circar through the Tahsildar and obtain previous permission to cultivate such land with dry grain and should he omit to do so, he will be chargeable with the Magany Shist upon the land so cultivated.-

11. Ryots will not be permitted to graze their Cattle on any unoccupied lands included in the Sagoobudy Goodicut, but only on the established pasture belonging to the Village, and in the event of any Ryots transgressing this rule he will be chargeable with 1/4 th of the full assessment of the land so grazed upon in addition to the usual Poolay.

12. A Ryot is permitted, if he pleases, to graze his cattle upon any part of his land taken up for cultivation, but he must pay the full Shist upon the land as if it had been cultivated unless it shall be proved that he was unable to cultivate it for want of

of water. If a Ryot however in the first instance wishes to take up unoccupied land as grass land it may be given, and at the time of forming the Settlem must be entered in it as taken up for grass land, and not for cultivation, but the quantity of grass land so taken must be only in a certain proportion to the land taken for cultivation and not to any extent the Ryot pleases. Lands so taken for grass will be charged with one fourth the full sheist of the land - the proportion of grass land to the cultivated land is not to exceed 25 per Cent. If any other Ryot wishes to cultivate the land so taken up for grass it must be given to him, and if kept notwithstanding by the first Ryot, he must pay full sheist for such land. -

13. Whenever a Ryot is unable from any unavoidable cause of season to cultivate to the full extent of his Settlem land, it is his duty immediately to bring the circumstance to the notice of the Curnums and Peishcar

Peishcar or Tahsildar - If he fail to do so, he will not be exempted from the sheist at the Summahbundy. -

14 In Villages which have been surveyed and assessed portions of fields of 10 acres or under are not to be taken up for cultivation and if the extent of the field does not exceed ten acres or exceeds it by not more than the fractional part of an acre the whole must be taken or none -

15. Tahsildars will examine the cultivated lands at the close of the cultivation of each series of crops as far as practicable themselves, and when not practicable by means of their Mazoomdars and Assistant Tahsildar and forward such accounts to the Hoozoor Cutcherry. -

16. The rates of assessment adopted at the Summahbundy will be the Mustah rates in Mustah Villages, the survey rates in the Pymaish Villages and Mr. Travers' rates in those Villages in which Mr. Travers' rates

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rates are still in force -

17. Magany lands cultivated with a second crop by means of Circar water will be additionally assessed with half the sheist of the first crop which will be entered on the accounts as Fasul Jastee -

18. Ryots deverting water for the purpose of raising a second crop on Magane land and leaving other Magany lands Bunjer which might have been cultivated had the water not been so misapplied will be charged with the full assessment of all the Bunjer land so left waste - If Ryots neglect to cultivate when there is a sufficiency of water a second Crop or two Crop Magany land they will be charged with the second crop assessment -

19. If Metta land be cultivated with Magany the Metta sheist will be assessed and brought to account under that Head, and the difference between it and the Humasaye Maganie sheist will be assessed as Fasul Jastee

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If there should be no Magany lands adjoining the newly cultivated wet land the Magany rate of the Village for lands of a similar description and quality will be adopted -

Metta. - 20. The Summabundy of the Metta lands will be made according to the established Manual upon the money rates of assessment for those lands -

21 If a second Crop is produced in Metta lands within the year, the usage of the District will be conformed to, which is not to levy any additional assessment -

Jareeb and Mooloom. - 22 For Jareeb and Mooloom the money rates of assessment hitherto in force will be adopted -

23. - Cunny Baroo Loo or large durable Wells constructed at the Ryots own expense by which Metta or Magany lands are converted into Mooloom or Jareeb with after they have been completed, be chargeable only with the original assessment of the land - Where Metta or Magany land are so converted by means of Wells which do not come under the designation of

of Cunny Baroo loo and at the expense of the Ryot, will receive a remission of the additional Assessment or Fusli Instead the Ryot has been reimbursed his outlay.

Metta and Maggany Lands cultivated from Mooloom or Sareeb Crops by means of water from Tanks, Ponds, Channels and Springs, will be charged respectively with the higher rates of assessment.-

24 Mooloom or Sareeb Lands left in waste or cultivated with Metta produce from the failure of the means of irrigation and which have been waste for more than five years, if restored to Mooloom or Sareeb cultivation by means of a substantial repair to any old Well will be charged with only half the fixed Mooloom or Sareeb Assessment till the Ryot is reimbursed the outlay he may have made. If the lands shall have been waste more than five years, the land is to be free from assessment the first year and half the term to be charged from the second and each succeeding year till the Ryot has been reimbursed the outlay.-

All

25 All Mooloom and Sareeb Lands entered in the Settlement will be charged with Assessment, whether cultivated or not which is conformable to the established usage of the District.- Remission will only be granted on such Lands in cases where any portion of the land has not been cultivated from want of water in the Wells or any unforeseen dilapidation of them, or other such cause.-

25.- If a Ryot takes any portion of the water in his Well for raising a second crop on a portion of his Mooloom and Sareeb or if the water be diverted to other lands leaving a portion of the Settlement of the Well uncultivated, he will be charged with the full Assessment upon the lands so left waste.-

Soolkie & Bunjer

27.- Tahsildars in forming their detailed accounts of Bunjer and Soolkie Lands will class them for the future under the four following heads.-

1st Comprising Lands not ploughed.

2 Lands where the seed was sown but did not vegetate.-

3d Lands where the crop withered when

when it was only a few inches above the Ground.-

4th Lands where the crop yielded straw but no grain.-

28 No remission will be made on lands which have yielded produce although it may not have yielded full produce. The Circar assessment on the lands having been formed on the average produce as the Ryots in years of abundant produce are not called upon to pay according to the increased produce; so it does not to be just or proper that in years when the produce does not reach a full average crop that any remission should be given on such account.-

29. Remission will be given on all Maganam lands in which the crops have entirely perished, but it is to be understood that in granting such remission the outturn of the Ryots whole cultivation with any profit he may derive from the sale of produce will be considered and to the loss he may have sustained under any former title.

30. The assessment on Melta Burjee Lands

lands will not ordinarily be remitted, such remission being confined to cases where the cultivation was prevented by unavoidable causes as of season, sickness, poverty, or unforeseen accident. No remission will be made for Metta Sooltee.-

31. All Sooltee lands upon which cattle may have been allowed to graze before an examination has been made by the Tahsildar will be charged with the full assessment.-

32- The assessment on crops cultivated in the beds of Tanks if afterwards inundated and destroyed will be remitted on proper accounts thereof being furnished by the Tahsildar.-

33- Ryots wishing to cultivate lands entitled to Coulerremission, must apply to the Circar for permission, and any Ryot cultivating such lands without such permission, will not have the benefit of the remission, but the full dues will be collected.-

34. No land to be given to any resident cultivator on Coulerremission except in addition to his usual lands.-

Lands

35. Land taken upon Cowle remission although left uncultivated will be charged with the Cowle assessment as if it had been cultivated unless the cultivation was prevented by a want of water in which case the assessment will be remitted, but in the following year the Ryot must pay the progressive Teerwa of that year. The assessment will be collected upon all the land taken upon Cowle remission if left uncultivated by the neglect of the Ryot.

36. If any Ryot take the Carar water to his Cowle lands leaving any cultivated any portion of his Carar lands, the full thirvah will be collected upon the portion of the Carar lands so left uncultivated.

3. The intention of giving the Cowle remission is to compensate the Ryot for the trouble and expence of clearing it of Jungle, levelling and other processes necessary to make it fit for cultivation. The Sagoobundy returns of the Villages although they may have remained Bunjer beyond the

the period fixed which entitles other lands to Cowle remission, will not be allowed to be taken up on Cowle as in such cases the Ryot is seldom put to much additional labor, or to any additional expense, and the land from having laid fallow has become stronger and more productive. Any extraordinary labor or expence which may in any particular case have been incurred by the Ryot will be considered at the time of Summabundy and Moiwasib Cummee granted according to the circumstances of each case.

38. The excess beyond 10 per % in the cultivated land of a Ryot discovered on measurement will be added to the Summabundy and the thirvah collected at the same rate as on the rest of the field. If a deficiency greater than 10 per % is found, the excess above 10 per % will be deducted. any difference one way or the other within 10 per % will not be interfered with.

39. The customs of the Village should be observed in the distribution of water to Manniums Lands. To the maunims of the Village servants water should be

be distributed in common with the Carnatic lands.-

40 Ryots or other persons are at liberty on obtaining previous permission from the Circar to plant Mango, Tamarind or other fruit trees in Mettoo, Maganie, Mooloom or Jareeb lands and enjoy the produce on their entering into an agreement that will permanently pay the assessment on their lands.-

41 Any individual bringing to light and proving any concealed cultivation will be entitled to ½ of the actual collections made on such cultivation.-

42 Topes planted for charity, or for public convenience or immemorial waste or Brampatre land to be exempt from assessment if not cultivated but if brought under cultivation to be assessed at the rate of the adjoining land of a similar description and quality provided they are not old topes planted previous to the assumption of the District - In such cases they are to be exempted from assessment. Application for permission to plant must be previously made to the Circar.-

Poollary 43.- The Poollary will be assessed by capitation at the rates hitherto in force, the

the Tahsildars will pay strict attention to having the cattle counted at the proper seasons of which detailed Yzahitahs must be sent to the Kooyzoor.-

44 Cattle sent away from the Village during the year for pasture to distants parts will receive a remission of one anna per Month per head of Cattle, provided the Ryat gives previous information of his intention, whereby the Cattle may be counted before they leave the Village and a regular account thereof furnished to the Kooyzoor. A similar account to be taken when they return to the Village. If the Ryat sends away his Cattle without giving previous intimation of his intention, he will not be entitled to any remission of the usual Poollery.-

45 The custom which has hitherto obtained of a partial or total exemption of Poollery to certain priviledged classes will for the present continue in force.-

46.- The rates of remission for Carnatic lands are as follows.-

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		This to be collected after deduction on account of Mundra:-	
		Mettia	Mayany
Land remaining Bunjer for 5 years.	1st In the first to year	1/2	3/4
	2 In the second year	3/4	1
	3 In the third year	1	1
Bunjer from 5 years but not exceeding 10 years.-	1st In the first to year	1/2	5/8
	2 In the Second year	1/2	7/8
	3 In the third year	3/4	1
	4th In the fourth to year	1	1
Bunjer exceeding 10 years	1st In the first year	3/16	1/2
	2d In the second year	3/8	3/4
	3 In the third year	5/8	7/8
	4th In the fourth to year	3/4	1
	5th In the fifth to year	1	1
Anandee Bunjer or land never cultivated.-	1st In the first to year	1/8	1/4
	2d In the second year	1/4	1/2
	3 In the third year	1/2	3/4
	4th In the fourth to year	3/4	1
	5th In the fifth to year	1	1
Lands to be cultivated after clearing it of Jungle.-	1st In the first to year	"	"
	2d In the second year	1/8	1/4
	3 In the third year	1/4	1/2
	4th In the fourth to year	1/2	3/4
	5th In the fifth to year	3/4	1
	6th In the sixth to year	1	1

Signed J. C. Stonhouse
Pt. Coll.

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Order thereon.- Ordered to lie on the table.-

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To

10059 Fort St. George 8th September 1842.

Read the following Letters.

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

Sir,

From the Sub Coll.r in charge of Bellary

33

I have the honor to inform you for the information of the Board that I have confirmed Chetumbara Row as Sheristadar in the place of Hasavva Row.

Hasavva Row was put provisionally on the Pension Establishment on the 1st July 1841 and Chetumbara Row has been Acting as Sub Collectors Sheristadar since then I therefore trust the confirmation of Chetumbara Row in the appointment will meet with the Board's approbation.

Bellary District Coll.rs Office
on circuit at Sanalapoor
17th August 1842.

} Signed C. Pelly
Sub Coll.r in charge

Resolution thereon. The Board of Revenue approve and confirm the appointment of Chetumbara Row to the Office of Sheristadar of the Sub Collectors Establishment in the District of Bellary reported in the foregoing letter.

To

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

From the Sub Coll.r Bellary } Para 1

Sir

With reference to the Board's instructions for collecting Quit Rent on Houses I have the honor to forward 3 Statements containing information regarding all the Houses in this District and to request the Board's final order on the subject after the perusal of the few remarks I shall now submit for their consideration.

Submitting a Report regarding Quit Rent on Houses &c in the Collectorate.

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1 Mr. Sub Secretary Carter's Circular letter dated 20th Sept.r 1839
Mr. Secretary Sims's Letter dated 4th June 1842
Do. Do. 18th January 1841
2 Statement of Houses &c held under Govt. Grants.
2 Do. Do. which have no Grants.
3 Abstract Statement of these two Statements.

2 Statement No.1 contains a List of all the houses and lands held under Government Grants. It is divided into two heads. The first contains all the Lands held under Government Grants situated within the Cantonment of Bellary. There are 11 Grants for these lands and since they are situated within the limits of a Military Cantonment and also held under Government Grants there is consequently no demand of Quit Rent upon them according to the terms

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of Mr. Secretary Smollett's letter of the 18th January 1841

3 Regarding the 2nd head however of this statement it will be observed that they are only six Grants for Lands attached to houses situated beyond the limits of any Military Cantonment of which three (Nos. 12, 13 and 14) are situated at Bellary one No. 15 at Adoni and two (Nos. 16 and 17) at Anantapoor.

4 No. 12 and 15 (the present property of Mrs. Heller and Mr. Abraham) were the property of the Estate of the late Nabob of Kurnool and Sold by auction under the instructions of Government dated 3rd May 1842. The Quit Rent as entered in the Grants given for these houses was, it will be seen by these instructions and according to the terms of the Notice published in the Fort St. George Gazette of 10th May 1842 page 365 to be limited to the Amount of Assessment to which the land would be subject if taken for purposes of Cultivation which is stated in Column 20 at Rupees 54-12-4 for Mrs. Heller's house and 21-14-0 for Mr. Abraham's house.

See Enclosure A

5 There are no such specific orders for collecting the Quit Rent on the other Grants for the lands entered in Nos. 13, 14, 16 and 17. But the same principle should, I think be applied to all. The Quit Rent on No. 13 (General Monteith's property) as entered in the Grants is 53-3-5. The Jaghire or Gross Assessment not deducting the general remission of 1/3 or 1/4 allowed to all lands is 29-7-4. With this single

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single exception these four houses have the Assessment of the land (inclusive of the general remission allowed on all lands when taken for the purposes of Cultivation) entered in the Grants as the Amount of Quit Rent to be demanded.

6 I would therefore request leave to levy the Quit Rent on these as well as all the lands held under Grants without the limits of the Military Cantonment on the same principle as Mrs. Heller's and Mr. Abraham's houses &c. limiting the Quit Rent to the Amount of Assessment to which the land would be subject if taken for purposes of Cultivation, and this including the trifling difference found in re-measurement if any would be as follows.—

			Rs.	a.	p.
At Bellary	No. 12	Mrs. Heller's Grounds	54	12	4
	" 13	General Monteith's Do.	22	14	7
	" 14	Mrs. Charles Pelly's Do.	31	9	9
At Adoni	" 15	Mrs. Abraham's Do.	21	14	0
At Anantapoor	" 16	Reverend Mr. Thompson's Do.	1	5	7
	" 17	Mrs. C. Pelly's Do.	7	6	8
		Total	139	14	11

But from this Quit Rent I believe that the houses and lands would be exempt which are unoccupied for a full year.—

7 The Statement No. 2 contains a list of all the houses and Grounds held without Grants and praying no fee or Quit Rent of any kind to Government. The following is an Abstract

No.

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	Number of Houses, Grounds &c.	Extent of Ground	Survey Office Assessment	Estimated Revenue	Net Amount of Rent demanded
		Acres R. Rs.	C Rs. a p	C Rs. a p	C Rs. a p
Ft. Bellary: In the Fort	*50	22 30 4	" " "	55 10 2	41 11 11
In the Cantonment	48	157 8 5	184 1 9	" " "	146 " 4
Total within the Military Cantonment	98	179 38 9	184 1 9	55 10 2	187 12 3
Beyond the Military Cantonment	2	29 10 10	25 13 4	" " "	20 9 11
Total in Bellary	100	209 9 3	209 15 1	55 10 2	208 6 2
Ft. Goaty	10	33 13 10	34 11 4	" " "	26 " 7
Ft. Anantapoor	1	9 4 4	3 15 10	" " "	2 15 10
Ft. Hindeypoor	1	6 12 "	2 12 9	" " "	2 1 7
Total	112	257 39 1	251 7 "	55 10 2	239 8 2

*Total No. 50.
Houses 48
Gardens Nos 1 & 2.

There

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[illegible] are no Gardens [illegible] Ground attached to the Houses, [illegible] Rent [illegible] demanded [illegible] Gardens [illegible] the Cantonment [illegible] Rent demanded [illegible] Ground [illegible] Cantonment [illegible] Rent demanded [illegible] Cantonment [illegible] Rent demanded [illegible] Cantonment [illegible] Rent demanded

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a Military Station has been nearly abandoned One or two Officers at the most over residing there.

8 There is some doubt existing regarding the house (the last in the Statement No 2) belonging to Mr. C. Pelly situated at Hindoopoor. The trees for the most part in the vicinity of the Bungalow and in the Compound seem to be the property of Government while the house and some of the larger trees close to it were considered Mr. Robertson's the late Principal Collector's property and have been recently sold by the Administrators to Mr. Robertson's Estate to Mr. Pelly. I beg to enclose herein a copy of a letter from the Sub Collector to the Collector of Bellary under date the 25th April 1842 (B) being a copy of a Report about these premises addressed by me to the Collectors Mr. Keller and to request the Board's orders on the subject.

9 If the above suggestions are approved of by the Board according to the Statement herewith sent the following Abstract will shew the total Amount of Quit Rent demandable the Amount to be deducted and the sum to be collected

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Items Sums held under Government Grants &c.

Places	Number of Houses	Net land Tax. Rs.	a	p
Bellary	14	257	15	4
Anantapoor	2	8	12	3
Adonie	1	21	14	"
Total	17	288	9	7
Deduct				
Houses within the Military Cantonment at Bellary	11	148	10	8
Permanently unoccupied House at Anantapoor belonging to Reverend Mr. Thompson	1	1	5	7
Total Remissions	12	150	"	3
Net Demand of Quit Rent	5	138	9	4

Rents and Land Tax received for Land Government Grants &c.

Bellary	100	208	6	2
Gooty	10	26	"	7
Anantapoor	1	2	15	10
Hindoopoor	1	2	1	7
Total	112	239	8	2
Deduct				
Houses in the Fort of Bellary	48	28	7	8
Unoccupied Houses at Anantapoor and at Gooty and at Hindoopoor	11	28	3	8
Total Deduction	59	56	11	4
Net Demand of Quit Rent	53	182	12	10
Grand Total of the Net Demand of Quit Rent	58	321	6	2

The

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No. 57

The accounts having only just been completed and no demand having yet been made for Quit Rent in this District, I request the Board's permission for making the demand from the commencement of the present Fusly year only. But should the Board order that Quit Rent for past years be levied and fix the number of years for which it is to be collected as arrears, it will be necessary to know whether the present owners of the property are to be held liable for any rent that might become due by the Board's decision, while the property was not their's but in the possession of a former proprietor. And I therefore have the honor to request you will obtain this information also for my guidance.

Bellary District
Collector's Office
On Circuit Kurnaul
22nd August 1842.

I have &c.
(Signed) C. Kelly
Sub Collector
in charge

Entered

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A

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 3rd May 1842.

Read again letter from the Collector of Bellary dated 18th January 1842.

Read also the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Revenue Department.

(Here enter 4th March 1842 No 284)

Agreeably to the recommendation of the Board of Revenue conveyed in their Officiating Secretary's letter of the 10th February last, which accompanied the above Extract, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council resolves to direct that the demand for Quit Rent on the two Houses and Grounds situated at Bellary and Adonie belonging to the late Nabob of Kurnool which are about to be sold, be limited to the amount of Assessment to which the two land would be subject if taken for the purpose of Cultivation.

His Lordship in Council authorizes the Collector of Bellary on the sale of the above Property being completed, to convey titles in the manner proposed by him in his letter of the 4th January last.

Ordered that the Advertisement received with Mr. Mellor's letter be published.

as

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as modified in red ink, in three alternate numbers of the official Gazette, the day fixed for the Sale of the property being the 31st Instant.

/A true Extract/
/Signed/ H.T. Chaunier
Chief Secretary

To
The Collector of
Bellary.

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To
The Collector of
Bellary.

Sir,

Para. 1 I have the honor to submit for your notice such information as I have been able to obtain regarding the Bungalow at Hindoopoor built by Mr. Gosling formerly Head Assistant of this District from which you will perhaps agree with me in the conclusion that the Bungalow is the property of the Estate of the late Mr. Robertson Principal Collector of Bellary while the trees would appear to belong to the Government. It seems to me advisable that some measures should be taken for separating or uniting the Bungalow and Sope under one head.

2, The Bungalow was built by Mr. Gosling in the year 1821. It consists of one Centre room surrounded by a Verandah.

There

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There is an Account of Expenditure for it in the Talook Cutcherry Amounting to Rupees 620-13-4. Besides which it is believed Mr. Gosling spent more money on it.

20th December 1825 3. Mr. Gosling died in 1825 and there is an order of Mr. Robertson the Principal Collector to the Tahsildar dated 25th June 1826 directing two men for the present to be kept on a total pay of 3½ Rupees per Month to take care of the trees and Bungalow.

4 Subsequently Mr. Robertson in October 1828 directed the Tahsildar to ascertain what Offers for the purchase of the property could be obtained and an Offer was made for the Bungalow 150 Rupees, and for the Garden and Well including the Trees 210 Rupees in all 370 Rupees.

5, In May 1830 Mr. Robertson directed the property to be purchased on behalf of the Government for 370 Rupees having ascertained that it would be of service for travellers and for the Curnums and Cutcherry servants during the Annual settlements But more especially I believe with the view of taking care of the young Trees and he afterwards authorized repairs to the amount

of

of 97 Rupees.

6. I know from Conversation I have had with Mr. Robertson that it was his intention this Bungalow should have been kept on account of Government. But when there were several other works which he had Executed without sanction which had not been passed, he afterwards abandoned the idea of recommending this Bungalow for sanction and paid the purchase money 370 Rupees, the price of the Bungalow and trees (as offered by some Natives before) himself, and I have seen in the English accounts in your Office an entry to this effect but I have not the Memorandum by me at present.

7. But it was not, it seems, Mr Robertson's intention to take the trees from the care of Government. But having been engaged in planting many Topes over the District he considered this planted partly by Mr Gosling might also be kept up as a Government Plantation. Hence there will be found a charge for watering these trees amounting (from fusly 1236 to 1249) to Rupees 450-14-0. The following is an abstract of all the charge I

I can find on account of this Bungalow.

1232 fusly. Expenditure paid by Mr Gosling as entered in a Memorandum found in the Talook Cutcherry ... 620-13-4

1239 Dr. Sum paid by Mr Robertson late Principal Collector for the purchase of the property on account of Government. ... 370-0-0

1239 / 1241 Dr. Dr. Dr. for Repairs ... 97-0-0

1236 to 1244 fusly. Cash payments by Principal Collector on behalf of Government for watering trees from Fusly 1236 to 1244 ... 420-14-0

1245 to 1249 Dr. Remissions of Jody for same purpose from fusly 1245 to 1249 two persons at 6 Rupees per Annum ... 30-0-0

8. From the above it appears that the payments made by Government amounts to Rs. 547-14-0; besides the purchase sum paid to Mr Goslings Estate by Mr Robertson 370 Rupees. The extent of the Grounds is as follows.

Acres	Gr.	As.	Rate Cr.	F.	As.	Assessment Cr.	F.	As.
6	12	0	0	1	8	0	9	7

There

There are now the following trees planted in Fasly 1236 397
Fasly 1240 83
480

As follows

34	Tamarind
34	Ippee
2	Jack
96	Margosa
1	Murree
13	Soonkasalah
60	Mango
49	Neridi
3	Velaga
23	Jooree
3	Conda jooree
57	Pomgranate
78	Goa
4	Regu
7	Pippali Neridy
4	Seetaphalum
12	Lime
480	Total. trees.

9. The trees are not at all flourishing with a few exceptions as the ground is not good.

10 No offer for the Garden or Bungalow will now be made by the persons who before offered or by any other Native at this place.

11. The Bungalow would require about 200 or 300 Rupees now to put in order and the trees still require to be tended.

12. It is possible that the Bungalow might be sold on behalf of the proprietors if the question to whom the Bungalow and Garden

Garden properly belonged was not disposed of.

Bellary District
Anantapoor, 23d April 1841 } (Signed) C. Pelly
Sub. Collr.

Statement.

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No. 1. of

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Bellary.

Situation	No.	Name.	As specified in the Grant of Remission — Extent of Ground			Certificates — Quit rent per Annum		Conversion of Col.s into Acres		Amount — Conversion of the amount of Quit Rent in Col.s into Company's Rupees			As per survey account. — Sunna			Net Demand after deducting the established remission		
			7			8		9		10			11			12		
			Cawnies	Money Rent		S. Pags. Fs.		Acres	Gs. As.	Cols.	a	p	Cols.	a	p	Cols.	a	p
Quit Rent	1	Mr. F.	5	16	2370	8	25 30	7	22 "	29	15	6	7	11	4	5	12	6
	2	Mr. A.	2	"	"	"	26 30	2	26	2	"	10	1	8	9	1	8	9
	3	Mr. R.	8	5	4	13	24 6¾	10	27	47	6	11	62	3	5	41	8	5
	4	Mr. S.	7	20	1748	11	33 44	10	16	41	4	5	10	11	"	8	"	3
	5	Doctor S.	4	21	4	1	14 37	6	19	4	10	1	6	9	9	4	15	4
	6	Rungarad	5	12	8	1	34 58	7	11	5	6	10	7	6	6	5	8	10
	7	Rungarad	Acres	Gunth. Acres		18	3 41	10	33 10	63	4	5	44	6	2	30	2	7
	8	Reverend A.	Cawnies	Money Rent		16	17 22½	7	20 "	57	5	6	7	10	6	5	11	"
	9	Mr. J. C.	5	16	848	64	" "	"	38 "	"	15	7	"	8	9	"	8	9
	10	Mr. J. C.	"	17	655	"	15 7			36	13	2	13	12	6	10	5	4
	11	Major J.	11	12	1334	36	13 2	13	19 12									
			3	4	365	3	8 "	4	8 12	3	8	"	2	7	4	2	7	4
		Land en								2	14	8	29	6	6	22	"	11
		Correspond	"	"	"	"	" "	28	31 12	295	9	11	194	6	6	138	10	11
		belonging	Inside the			Contonment		110	32 14									

Within the Contonment of Bellary not liable to Assessment

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Excess of land included in the Grants as occupied by the owners

Acres			Sum.			Net Demand after deducting the Established remissions			Acres			Amount of Quit Rent as per Columns 10 & 13.		
13			14			15			16			17		
Acres	G	A	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	Acres	G	A	C. Rs.	a	p
	1	30		1	10		1	36		9	12		31	3
	"	21	8	"	5	"	"	5	"	3	7	8	2	5
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	10	27	"	47	6
	4	6	4	4	1	10	3	1	5	14	22	4	44	5
	"	35	6	"	1	6	"	12	4	7	14	6	5	6
	1	2	2	1	1	6	"	13	2	8	13	2	6	4
	2	33	6	2	13	10	1	14	7	13	26	"	65	3
	1	2	7	1	"	4	"	12	3	8	22	7	58	1
	1	7	11		11	4	"	11	4	2	5	11	1	10
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	13	19	12	36	13
	"	25	4		6	2	"	6	2	4	34	"	3	14
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	28	31	12	2	14
	14	3	"	13	2	6	9	15	9	124	35	14	305	9

As per Remeasurements made in Fusly 1251.

Total Sum in Colm 11 & 14			Deduct Established remission			Net Demand			Whether the Grants are forthcoming or otherwise		Remarks
									Grants actually produced by the owners	Grants not produced but appearing to have been issued originally as per Register in this Office	
18			19			20			21	22	23
C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p	C. Rs.	a	p			
						7	"	"	1	"	
9	5	4	2	5	4						
						1	13	9	"	1	
1	13	9	"	"	"						
						41	8	5	"	1	
62	3	5	20	11	"						
						11	1	8	"	1	
14	12	10	3	11	2						
						5	11	8	1	"	
7	10	3	1	14	7						
						6	6	"	"	1	
8	8	"	2	2	"						
						32	1	2	1	"	
47	4	"	15	2	10						
						6	8	2	1	"	
8	10	10	2	3	8						
						1	4	1	1	"	
1	4	1	"	"	"						
						10	5	4	1	"	
13	12	6	3	7	2						
						2	13	6	1	"	
2	13	6	"	"	"						
						22	"	11	1	"	A Grant was obtained in the Military Department now it is not forthcoming
29	6	6	7	5	7						
						148	10	8	8	4	
207	9	"	58	14	4						

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Situation	No.	Names of	Certificates As specified Extent of Ground			in the Grant Quit Rent per Annum			Amount Conversion of Colt 7 into Acres		Conversion of the amount of Quit Rent in Colt 8 into Company's Rupees		As per Survey Account Turn			Net Demand after deducting the Established remission		
			7 Cawnies Nanny S. Feet			8			9			10	11			12		
						L Rags	F	C	Acres	J	A	C Rs	a	p	C Rs	a	p	C Rs a p
Brigand the Compliment of Bullocks & Cattle by Quit Rents	12	A. Mellon	56	16	795	85	"	75	74	19	9	297	9	2	73	"	5	54 12 4
						C Rs	a	p										
	13	General Wo	21	19	1591½	53	3	5	28	34	"	53	3	5	29	7	4	22 1 6
	14	C. Pelly Esq	33	19	272	43	1	"	43	35	"	43	1	"	42	2	4	31 9 9
									147	8	9	393	13	7	144	10	1	108 7 7
Admin			Acres	Jottahs	As	L Rags	F	C										
	15	Mrs Abra	5	"	15	5	30	15	5	"	15	19	13	7	32	13	"	21 14 "
			Cawnies	Nanny	S. Feet	C Rs	a	P										
Quartafeer	16	Reverend M	3	2	1725	1	12	7	4	4	11	1	12	7	1	12	9	1 5 7
			Acres	J	A	SP	F	C										
	17	C. Pelly Esq	22	3	1	2	34	"	22	3	1	9	10	7	9	7	2	7 1 5
									26	7	12	11	7	2	11	3	11	8 7 "
		Total Outside the							178	17	4	425	2	4	188	11	"	138 12 7
		Grand Total				Cantonment & &c			289	10	2	720	12	3	383	1	6	277 7 6

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Excess of Land not included in the Grants as occupied by the owners.						As per Remeasurement made						in Fusly 1251.						Whether Grants are forthcoming or otherwise.		
Acres		Sum		Net Demand after deducting the Established remissions		Acres		Amount of Dust Rent as per Columns 14 & 15		Total Sum in Col 11 and 14.		Deduct Established Remission		Net Demand.		Grants actually produced by the owners	Grants not forthcoming but appearing to have been issued originally as per Registers in this Office.	
13		14		15		16		17		18		19		20.		21.	22.	23.
Acres	G A	C Rs	a P	C Rs	a P	Acres	G A	C Rs	a P	C Rs	a P	C Rs	a P	C Rs	a P			
" " "		" " "		" " "		74 19 9		297 9 2		73 " 5		18 4 1		54 12 4		"	1	
1 5 "		1 1 6		" 13 1		29 39 "		54 " 6		30 8 10		7 10 3		22 14 7		1	"	
" " "		" " "		" " "		43 35 "		43 1 "		42 2 4		10 8 7		31 9 9		1	"	
1 5 "		1 1 6		" 13 1		148 13 9		394 10 6		145 11 9		36 6 11		109 4 8		2	1	
" " "		" " "		" " "		5 " 15		19 13 7		32 13 "		10 15 "		21 14 "		"	1	
" " "		" " "		" " "		4 4 11		1 12 7		1129 " 7 2		1 5 7		1		"		
1 8 3		" 7 "		" 5 3		23 11 4		9 15 10		9142 2 7 6		7 6 8		1		"		
1 8 3		" 7 "		" 5 3		27 15 15		11 12 5		11 10 11		2 14 8		8 12 3		2	"	
2 13 3		1 8 6		1 2 4		180 20 7		436 4 5		190 3 6		50 4 7		139 14 11		4	2	
16 16 3		14 11 "		11 2 1		305 26 5		731 14 4		397 12 6		109 2 11		288 9 7		11	6	

Bellary District
Collectors Office on Circuit.
Herahaul 22nd August 1842

E. E. Esqr. /Signed/

E. Pelly
Sub Collector in Charge

Statement

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No 2.

Statement of Bungalows Houses and Ground held without Government Grants in the Zillah of Bellary and paying no assessment

Bellary Year ending 10th

	Unoccupied	1	393	1139	75	164		
3 Pensioned Conductor Ross (Mr. Ross' agent)	Unoccupied	1	36	26	7	11		
4 Mr. Murray	Dr. Allumn	1	88	65	17	410		
5 Mr. Harris (Mr. Ross' agent)	A Doctor Name Unknown	1	1328	323	127	258		
6 Mr. Tallock (Dr.)	Dr. Dr.	1	134	101	26	77		
7 Mr. Abraham	Messrs. Abraham & Co's Shop	1	168	127	32	95		
	Mr. F. Abraham	1	102	77	11	58		
	Conductor McBraid	1	181	139	36	103		
	Colonel Britain	1	2911	166	55	111		
	Serjeant Woodcock	1	54	39	11	210		
	Play House	1	50	39	11	210		

Bungalows

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8	Mr. Richardson	Lieutenant Balmaide	1	"	37	"	25	"	7	" 110
	Mr. Abraham agent	Mr. Ramsbottom and another	1	"	3412	1105	"	67	1310	
9	Mr Sampson	Unoccupied	1	"	107	"	77	"	11	" 58
		Unoccupied	1	"	141	"	106	"	27	" 711
10	Revd Mr. Thompson	Mr. J. Dillon and his School	1	"	205	"	152	"	310	" 114
		Captain Munsay 4th Regt	1	"	815	"	68	"	19	" 411
		Lieut. Hawkes 3d Regt	1	"	214	"	2.	"	6	" 16
11	Pensioned Serjeant Powell	Pensioned Serjt Powell	1	"	714	"	48	"	12	" 36
		Captain Chitwode 4th Kings' O. Rts	1	"	1114	"	89	"	22	" 67
12	Pensioned Serjeant Lyck	Pensioned Serjt Lyck	1	"	310	"	41	"	1.	" 31
13	Mostiah Movr Tappall Office Head Writer	Mr Lambe Post Master	1	"	68	"	41	"	12	" 39
14	Dunjee	Dunjee	1	"	8	"	510	"	16	" 44
15	Danacoty Moodely	A Sculptor or Engraver	1	"	32	"	24	"	7	" 19
16	Soondertow Son of Gungiah	Military Pay Office	1	"	176	"	109	"	28	" 81
17	Boodunbee	Capt.n Grubb Artillery	1	1	8	1147	"	78	1611	
18	Mrs Innes Widow of a Pensioned Conductor Mr. Alexander Agent	Lieut. Name Unknown	1	"	15	"	115	"	211	" 86
		Total	48	26	1311	37	155	979	2878	
19	A Garden (Mr Ross Agent)	Mr Ross	1	"	352	674		197	4139	
20	Garden of the Officer Commanding the Garrison	Mr Abraham	1	1	217	1135		2121	866	
		Total Gardens &c	2	2	169	1709		466	1343	
		Total in the Fort	50	22	304	55102		13143	4111	

The lands of these two Gardens were not Assessed at Survey, as they were Gramatum Parumpoke but now fixed as other Garden lands at Cds 2. 8. per Acre in consequence of their being long since watered by the Nagalchatroo Tank and the occupants enjoy the produce of those Gardens.

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21	Mr. J. C. Blake Head Writer in the Zillah Court.	Captain Wroughton	1	2 15 12	4 10 1	1 2 6	3 7 7	
		Major D. A. Fenning	1	3 " 14	1 12. " "	"	1 12.	
		Ensign Ettams 3d L.I.	1	2 1 8	1 2 11 " "	"	1 2 11	
		Mr. H. C. Ogilvie Zillah Judge	1	11 2 3 4	11 13.	2 15 3	8 13 9	
		Adjutant Moor 3d L.C.	1	2 " 8	3 12 8 "	1 5 2	2 13 6	
		Mr. Chester Vetarenary Surgeon	1	3 3 3.	4 5 2	1 1 3	3 3 11	
22	Mr. Abraham	Adjutant Skelton 3d L.I.	1	6 1 8 6	12 3 9	3 " 9	9 3.	
		Dr. Andrews Dr.	1	5 2 0 8	10 6 10	2 9 8	7 13 2	
		Unoccupied	1	" 2 1 5	" 9. "	2 3 "	6 9	
		Fort adjutant Light 3d L.I.	1	6 13 6	6 12 6	1 1 1	5 1 5	

Bellary 1 Cmd. 1/-
Fort Adjutant Mr Cruttenden

Burbak
Hess Bungalows use and title to

		Captain Grain 5th L.C.	1	6 2 11	6 11 11	1 10 10	5 7 1	
		Dr. Parry 4th R.O. Regt	1	3 3 4 10	4 8 4	1 2 1	3 6 3	
		Revd. Whitford	1	3 1 7 8	3 13 10 "	1 5 5	2 14 5	Since left the Houses
23	Mr. Ross	Dr. Mr. Serjeant Wiggins	1	1 6 4	2 3 " "	8 9	1 10 3	
		Lieutenant Abdy 3d L.I.	1	1 2 3 6	2 15 7 0 "	1 2.	2 3 10	
		Lieut. Gall 5th L.C.	1	1 2 4.	3 " 5 "	1 1 1	2 4 6	
		Lieut. Ettam 3d L.I.	1	1 8 1 2	2 4 9 "	9 1	1 1 8	
		Captain Neil Asst. A.G.	1	6 2 4 10	6 11 11	1 10 10	5 7 1	
		Captain Palmer Nizams' Service	1	2 3 7 12	1 1 5	1 " "	1 1 5	

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24	Mr Francis (Mr Ross's agent)	Unoccupied	1	1	7	13	138	138
		Captain Fraser 5th L. C.	1	3	32	12	237	237
25	Mrs Mason (Mr Ross's agent)	Colonel Hert Commanding 3d L. I.	1	3	13	3	641	191	4110
		Lieut Dally Do	1	2	21	4	142	136	3108
26	Mr Sharleil (Mr Ross's agent)	Lieut Wyke Do	1	3	7	12	1132	1132
		Lieut Rewington 5th L. C.	1	1	33	7	315	153	2153
27	Mr Paine (The Revd Mr Thompson Agent)	Captain Grant 5th L. C.	1	4	4	2	54	254
28	Mrs Maria Wyke	Unoccupied	1	2	11	4	1310	136	3104
29	Mrs Gillon	Captain Studdy	1	2	19	13	13
30	Mr Sampson	Unoccupied	1	2	36	1	1010	11010
31	Captain Harris D A. Q. M. G.	G. Captain Harris Dy Apt Do	1	4	31	11	2127	2127
32	Mrs Kelly	Mr Kelly	1	2	04	178	178
33	Apt Apothecary R. Ford	Conductor Kelly	1	1	5	124	48	138
		Unoccupied	1	13	33	14	311	A new Building in Progress.
34	Serjt Mrs Grovas	Serjeant Mrs Grovas	1	2	04	82	2	62
		Dr Mr Palmer 4th N. I.	1	2	88	435	18	329
35	Rungavada Moodely	Unoccupied	1	2	24	3	5	12	245
		Dr Mr G. 5th L. C.	1	6	19	4	794	1144	511

Bungalow / Conflt
Hire Bungalows are not Lists No. for Fort & Cant.

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36 P. Sashachella Moody. Son of Sabapaty Moody. (Peyagaroya Moody agent)	Unoccupied	1	3	2	1127	"	"	"	1127
	Ensign Wood 4th N.I.	1	2	288	523	1	45	3	1310
	Band Master 5th L.C.	1	2	712	426	1	8	3	110
37 Loonder Row adopted Son of Gungiah.	Mess House Unoccupied	1	3	178	2.1	"	"	2	1
	Capt. Durand 3d L.I.	1	7	133	447	"	"	4	47
	Mess House of the 4 Regt N.I.	1	5	30.	6114	1	010	5	6
38 6 Appiah and 6 Venkiah	Adjutant Silver 4 Rt N.I.	1	4	28	2511	"	"	2	511
	Dr Parry 4th Dr.	1	3	11.	1147	"	"	1	147
39 Liddaramoodoo Son of Hamatum Chinniah	Riding Master	1	"	35.	1106	"	68	1	310
	Davidson 5th L.C.								
40 Colonel Olivier (Chokalinga Moody agent)	Unoccupied	1	4	38	8 " 4	2	1	6	3
41 Kistna Row Head Writer Paymaster's Office	Dr Lynton 5th L.C.	1	130.		351	"	131	28	"
21	Total of Bungalows out side of the Fort	48	157	85	184	19	38	15	146 " 4
41	Total within the limits of Contonment	98	179	389	239	11	11	51	158 137 123
42 Mr Ross	Dr Davidson Supt. Surgeon	1	22	212	21	14	"	5	35 16107
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Cuddah.
Bungalows &c out
Beyond the Military Limits of Contonment

19½ Rupees per Cent 1842

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Particular to 7 Col

									Circar Land.	Cnam land
1 Lieutenant Clark, Executor to the Estate of the late Conductor Brady / Agent Moyandy Pillay Garrison Writer at Gooty.	Unoccupied	1	3	30.	6	9	1103	4149	" " "	4149
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Amount from

1 Mr C. Pelly Sub Collector of Bellary	Unoccupied	1	6	12 "	2	129	" 11 2	217	" " "	" " "
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Bellary Collectors Office
On Circuit, "
Herahail 22d August 1842

C. C. Jr / Signed / C. Pelly
Sub Collector
In Charge

Note. The Names of the Occupants are those who were actually inhabiting when the Statement was preparing.

Abstract.

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Island beyond

of Bungalows

Government

Items	Established remission	
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	" 4 5	
	3 7 2	
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	13 14 3	
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	51 15 8	
	5 3 5	
	57 3 1	
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Field without Government Grants
after separate Statement of 1842

Field Government Grants
Grants as per
Statement of 1842

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the limits of the Military Cantonment in the Zillah of Bellary

and Compounds-

Grants			Total as per Remeasurement			
Net amount of Survey Assessment realizable	Extent of Ground	Amount of Quit Rent &c. entered in Cols 5 and the Net Assessment realizable as entered in Columns 12	Original Survey Assessment entered in Columns 6 and 10	Established remissions as entered in Columns 9 and 11-	Net amount of Survey Assessment realizable as entered in Cols 8 and 12.	
12	13	14	15	16	17	
Rs A fs	Acres	G a	Rs a fs	Rs a fs	Rs a fs	
9 15 9	124 35	14 305 9 8	207 9 "	58 14 4	148 10 8	
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8th Sep

Houses &c held under Government Grants within the limits of the cantonme
exempted from the payment of Quit rent as per letter from the Board of Revenue dated 8th January 18

Number of Proprietors	Number of Houses	Extent of Ground	Amount of Quit Rent	Original Survey Assessment	Established Remissions	Net amt of Assessment realizing
18	19	20	21	22	23	2
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Order thereon (Read again in Cont. 22nd Septr.) Ordered to be brought forward at a future day.—

Read the following letter

To

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

From the Asst. Collr. of Cuddapah } Sir, Para. 1 I have the honor to

Submitting further reasons for dividing the Camalapoor Talook between Chennoor and Poolevendla and making Cuddree a separate Talook

acknowledge the receipt of an Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 11th Instant in which objection is made to my proposition to divide the Camalapoor Talook between Chennoor and Poolevendlah and to make Cuddree a separate Talook on the ground that the Magistrates of the Ceded Districts have submitted for the sanction of Government such an addition or alteration in the present Establishments of their Districts as they may consider necessary to put down gang robbery and that therefore no other Change

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is

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is necessary.—

2 On the 7th April 1840 the Government sanctioned the temporary employment of a moveable force consisting of one Surchishum 4 Duffadars and 32 Peons to be posted in those portions of this District most exposed to the inroads of Gang Robbers, and my Predecessors have recommended that this Establishment may be made permanent. but I am not aware of any other addition or alteration in the present Establishment of this District being under the Consideration of Government.—

3 In submitting the proposition which I did I certainly had in view the improvement of the Police of the Poolevendla Talook which still stands

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stands much in need of reform, though it has undoubtedly received Considerable protection from the entertainment of the above Establishment a part of which is posted within it, but there are other important Considerations affecting both the Revenue and Police ad: ministration which strongly point out the necessity of the proposed Change.

4

No addition to the Police force can ever compensate for the injury which the interests of the Government and the People must necessarily sustain by a larger tract of Country being placed under a Tahsildar than he can efficiently manage. In the pre: sent instance not only is the extent of the Talook too great for one Tahsildar but it

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is intersected by a Chain of Hills which in a great measure precludes rapid Communi= =nication between the two devisions.

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Many of the villages of the Poolevendla Talook are situated between 50 & 60 miles from the Cuddapah station and between them there is the above range of high Hills. It is impossible that the village collections can reach the Talook Treasury in one day. The village Servants who accompany the remittances must thus be at least 4 days absent from their homes. The inhabitants too are put to serious inconvenience by being obliged to proceed to such a distance when they are required to attend for any investi= =gation at the Tahseldars' Cutcherry. It is true that the Deputy Tahasildar is sta= =tioned in the subdivision but as he has no Establishment seperate from that of the Tahsildar all enquiries of any importance which may require a reference to for= =mer Proceedings or Accounts must be made at the Talook Cutcherry.

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Another very important object which I had in view in the proposed alteration was to place the Police of the town of Cuddapah

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on a more efficient footing than it is at present. Thefts and robberies are very frequent there, and the present Establishment is quite inable to suppress them.—

7 The only way in which this could be remedied would be by taking Peons from other Talooks and thus assigning them a different duty from that which in the Moyenzabitah they are represented as performing this would undoubtedly be considered objectionable.—

8 In the Poolevendlah division of that Talook there is an excellent Tahsildars' Cutcherry which is now abondoned, but which would furnish ample accommodation for the Tahsildar under the new arrangement, no expence need therefore be incurred in that respect.—

9 By my proposition the new Talooks will all be of a moderate size—not more than two or three villages will be more remote that 25 Miles from the Cutcherry station. The Police of Cuddapah will be greatly improved and this will be effected without the Government being put to any additional expence. I am not aware of any objection to counterbalance these advantages.—

Every

10 Every person whom I have consulted on the subject concurs with me in opinion that the alterations proposed in my letter of the 19th. July will be beneficial both to the Government and to the People, and I trust I shall therefore be excused for again urging them on the consideration of the Board of Revenue.—

Cuddapah
Prin.l Coll.rs Office
26th. August 1842

/Signed/ W. H. Arbuthnot
Acting Prin.l Collector

Proceedings thereon.—

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The reasons advanced in support of this recommendation are drawn from circumstances of both the Revenue and Police administration—with respect to the former, the Board do not consider that there is sufficient cause for altering the present distribution of the Talooks. With regard to the latter, they are unwilling to countenance any change in the Police arrangement of the District until the reports which have been called for from the Collector as to the Cuttoobuddy Enams, and the improvement of the Police generally shall have been under their consideration.—

August 25th. 1842

Provisions

2 Provision can best be made on the same occasion for amending the Police of Caddapah Town, the measure proposed by Mr. Arbuthnot, of drawing Peons from their duties in the various Talooks, and congregating them in that place, is what the Board cannot sanction.—

Read the following letters

To

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort S.t George

Sir,

From the Collector, of Chinglepat, } for the information of the Board, that, on the 25.th Instant the Salt Rishcar and same Peons of Covelong seized 1 Grace and 39 Salt in the possession of eight Brinjaries named in the Margen, who stated that they had procured it from certain Pariahs attached to the Salt Pans, but against whom there was no evidence beyond the Statement of the Brinjaries. Those Persons attempted to smuggle the Salt under cover of three

I have the honar to report

*Value Rupees 126.4.3	81 Mercalls of
*Sattoopandy Mooneyen	1
Yerroo	1
Cunden	1
Canandy Vencategan	1
Timmen	1
Suttoopandoo Goorasoomy	1
Menpandy Goorasoomy	1
Poly	1
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three Rowanahs granted in the names of three other men of their class for 1 Garce and 210 Mercalls of Salt purchased at the Cotaur of Covelong but as the holders of the Rowanahs had no stolen Salt in their possession, I have permitted the quantity regularly purchased to be taken away and now request the sanction of the Board for confiscating the smuggled Salt, and for paying one fourth of its sale proceeds as a reward to those who seized it according to Section XV Regulation I of 1805.—

Chinglepat District, Collector's Cutchery, Pullycarnay 31.st August 1842. } Signed A. Freese Collector

Resolution thereon—

39-40 Under the circumstances set forth in the foregoing letter the Board sanction the confiscation of

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of the smuggled Salt the seizure of which is therein reported, and the distribution of the proceeds according to the Regulations.—

To

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

From the Collector of Chingleput — } Sir,

I have the honor,

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to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of the Pamphlet published by Dr. Royle "on the production of Isinglass along the coasts of India" received with your letter of the 22nd Ultimo.—

Chingleput District, —
Collectors Circuit Cutcherry, — } (Signed) A. Freese
Tiruvapaoor 2d September 1842. } Collector

Order thereon

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Ordered to be recorded.

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Read the following letters.

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

Sir,

To the Collector of North Arcot — } Para 1

Reporting the death on the 10th April 1842 of Ramachendra Naidoo who enjoys a Pension of 240 Rupees per annum and recommending that 2/3rds of the Pension may be granted to the elder son of the deceased for the support of the family.

I have the honor to report the death on the 10th April 1842 of Ramachendra Naid son of the late Coomara Ragoonatha Naid who was adopted by the late ejected Poligar of Paloor. The deceased enjoyed an allowance of Rupees 840. per annum under the orders of Government dated 9th June 1829. which is now liable to a reduction as explained in Paras 8 and 9. of the Minutes of Consultation dated 4th September 1827. The deceased has left two sons named Ragoonada Naid aged 7 years and Venkatapah

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Venkatapah Naid of about 3 or 4 years. The other Members of the family are Laxmandehy Ummah the Mother of the deceased sons, Sooramma the 2d Wife of the deceased and her Daughter.

2. Under the circumstances explained I beg to recommend that an allowance of Rupees 360 per annum being two thirds of the amount enjoyed by the last incumbent may be granted in the name of the elder son Ragoonautha Naid for the support of the family Sooramma the 2d Wife of the deceased incumbent received Rupees 6 per Mensem, out of the allowance according to an arrangement made by Mr Roberts. This individual now claims 1/3d of the whole allowance. This claim is inadmissable but instead of

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of looking to the Head of the Family for support a payment of Rupees 6 per Mensem, may be made to her to be deducted from the two thirds which it is now recommended may be granted for the support of the Family.

From Board to Government 18th May 1829 Para 3.

3. It will be in the recollection of the Board that Veeraragoonautha Naid the legitimate son of the former Poligar enjoyed the allowance of 20 Pagodas per Mensem or Rupees 840 per annum, which is the subject of the present communication and that this individual succeeded to the greater pension of Pagodas 60 per Mensem on the death of Lomara Ragoonath Naid, on which occasion the smaller pension of Pagodas 20 lapsed to Government but was given by Government for

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for the support of the Family of Connara Ragoonatha Naid claims are now set forth by Veeraragoonath Naid to the Pension of 20 Pagodas, but as he succeeded to the larger Pension and the smaller Pension lapsed on that occasion these claims are inadmissible.

North Arcot Collector's Circuit Cutcherry Palmanair 24th August 1842 } | Signed | A Goldingham Collector

Order thereon.

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Ordered that the foregoing letter be submitted for the consideration and orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

The Board beg to second the recommendation of the Collector conveyed in Para 2 of the above letter, Viz.th that the allowance of Rupees 560 per annum being 2/3ds of the Pension enjoyed by the late Ramachendra Naidoo be continued to his elder son Ragoonauda Naid for the support of the family, subject to the payment of Rupees 6 per Mensem to Sooranmah the 2d wife of the deceased incumbent.

To

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To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue

From the Collector in the Nth Dn of Arcot

Sir, Fort St. George

With reference to Mr. Porter's letter of the 13th June last giving Cover to a Petition from Syed Tippoo and his Sister Hoossain bebee, I have the honor to report for the information of the Board

†No 836 of 1842 returned.

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that one Kyroon bebee was on the receipt of about 36 or 37 Rupees annually being 1/16 share from the moiety of a Dehaut Enam Village of Poonjey in the Talook of Cauveripauk - This Kyroon bebee died on the 4th July 1837 leaving Syed Tippoo her Brother's son, and Hoossain bebee her Sister's daughter both of whom she brought up from their infancy as her acknowledged heirs - whilst the claims of these individuals, to the Enam were under consideration instructions was received from the Board of Revenue in a letter dated 17th October 1839 directing "that the rules relating to Mootaliquan "Enams circulated under date the 31st July 1815 shall

"shall in future be applied also to the
"case of Mootaliquan Dehat Enam;
"and to act accordingly on the Demise of
"the incumbents of any such Enams"
Nothing consequently has been done in
the instance of the Petitioners claim up to
this moment, but as the resolution con-
tained in the Board's letter above
quoted was issued long after the death
of the Dehat Enamdar and as the
claim of the Petitioners were under
consideration at the date of the orders
referred to, it is not probably intended
that these orders should operate retro-
spectively - They beg to submit the case of
the Petitioners for the favorable consider-
ation of the Board. The arrears due
from the 4th July 1837 - the date of the last
Incumbents Demise according to the
produce per annum is Rupees 157-3-6
This will be payable to Syed Tippoo,
in whose name the Enam will be
continued on the terms as before - The
Enam will lapse at the death of Syed
Tippoo under the orders quoted.

Till the end of Fusly 1250

North Arcot ---
Coll.rs Circuit Cutcherry
Palmanair, 24th August 1842

/ Signed / I Goldingham
Collector

Ordered

Order thereon. Ordered that the
(45-46) foregoing letter be submitted for
the favorable consideration of the
Right Honorable the Governor in
Council with the Board's recommend-
ation under the explanation fur-
nished by the Collector that the
1/16th share from the Moiety of the
Dehaut Enam enjoyed by the late
Valued at Rs 56 or 57 per Mensem
Kyroon Beebee may be made over to
Syed Tippoo on the conditions
quoted together with the amount
of arrears due since the death
of the late incumbent above-
mentioned being Rupees 157
3 — 6 -, Viz.t, from the 4th of July
1837 till the continuation of Fusly
1250 -

Read again letter
from

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From the Principal Collector of Salem
dated 30th July and entered in the
Consultation 18th Ultimo.

Proceedings thereon.

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On a review of the
Documents connected with the case
of Veeraragava Pillay Zemindar
of Tereyalum which accompany
the foregoing letter the Board
resolve to pass the following
Endorsement on original a
Petition No. 1991 of 1841.

"The Board of Revenue see no
"occasion to interfere in the
"matter of this Petition. The Petitioner
"may seek redress, if he thinks
"proper in a Civil Court.

Read

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Read the following letter

(48)

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

From the Pr. Collector of Salem -- &c

Sir,

I have the honr to acknow-
ledge the receipt of Extract from the Boards
Proceedings dated 1st Instant directing
me to give effect to the instructions of Govern-
ment if I saw no objection to the adoption
of the Method recommended by the Com-
mander of the Forces for the payment
of the details at Royacottah.-

Bringing to notice the inconvenience attending the orders of Govt for sending a Talook Shroff from Kistnagherry to see the pay of the Dett counted out at Royacottah and suggesting that the Officer Commanding the details there should send to the Treasury a fit person to receive the money.

2. These instructions are
that I should send from Kistnagherry
a Talook Shroff to see the pay of the
Detachment counted out at Royacottah
before the Officer Commanding.

3. With reference to this I beg
you will bring to the Board's notice that
having only one Shroff in the Kistnagherry
Talook, it is quite impossible that I could
detach him even for a day from his Talook
duties - The time when the Paymaster's Bill
is received for the payment of the Royacottah
Detachment is exactly when the greatest part of the
Collections are brought to the Talsildar, the delay of
whose

whose remittance to the Hurzoor treasury will also delay the remittance from the Talooks of Denkencottah, Ossoor, and Dhurumpoory, perhaps preventing the entry of some of these from the current Months accounts.

The Board will also have it in recollection that the order c. authorizing the payment of Paymaster's drafts otherwise than from the Principal Treasury specified, that they were to be paid at the nearest Talook treasury and I beg to bring to the Notice of the Board, that if the responsibility of the Tahsildar is to be carried beyond his Cutcherry in making his payments it is the means of bringing both to him and the Collector an increased burden already heavy enough, and for which there is no necessity - When the Paymaster's draft is brought to the Treasury and paid there the responsibility of the Treasury should end, and ought not to be carried until the Money reaches its destination -

5. The Officer Commanding the Royacottah Details must have a Writer for the purpose of attending to his accounts - there can be no difficulty in sending him with the Guard to

to count 3,000 Rupees or if he has no person of that sort 'tis quite as easy for him as for myself to engage one to do the duty - and I beg to submit for the consideration of the Government that the principle contained in the recommendation of the Officer commanding the Forces is objectionable as calculated to introduce irregularity in the c. treasuries which is the first step towards loss both to individuals and Government - I would therefore solicit the Board's recommendation to c. Government that the Officer Commanding the Royacottah details should send to the Treasury a fit person to receive the Money, and if he has not got one that he should be procured.

6. On the receipt of Captain Glover's first letter, the Tahsildar was instructed to seal the bags and informed that his responsibility ceased when the Coin was removed from his possession.

Salem Zillah .....
Ossoor Princ. Coll.rs Cutcherry
19th August 1842. ..

/ Signed / L. D. Gleig
Princ. Collector

Ordered

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

To The Acting Chief Secretary to Government

To the Ag Chief Secty to Government

Sir,

19th July in Cons 1st August 1842

With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Dated the 19th of July last, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the consideration of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council the accompanying letter from the Principal Collector of Salem, stating certain objections to the adaption of the Method recommended by the Commander of the Forces for the payment of the Details at Royacottah

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2. The Board instruct me to state that they fully concur in the opinion expressed by Mr Gleig that the principle contained in the recommendation is objectionable as calculated to introduce irregularities in the Treasuries and they would therefore recommend that a trustworthy person be deputed by the Officer in Command of the Details to receive charge of the Money at the Treasury from which time they consider that the responsibility of the Collector and that of his servants should entirely cease

Revenue Board Office
Fort St George 8th September 1842

/ Signed / J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary

Read

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Read the following letter

From the Pl Collr of Salem

On the subject of the complaint preferred by Gopal Iyen of Colagattoor and Vencataramien Caradar of the same place against Timmapien late Tahsildar of Darumpoory.

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To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St George

Sir,

Para 1. Having now got a translate of the report from the acting Head Assistant of this District on the enquiry made by him in the case of Gopal Iyen of Colagattoor, and Vencataramien Caradar of the same Village, I have the honor to forward it as well as Copy of the original for the information of the Board.

2. Regarding the first matter of complaint that the Tahsildar Timmapien had exacted from the pay of the Currums 6 Annas per Rupee which sum was afterwards made up by a Tafree on the inhabitants. the complainant only knows what he heard from the Currum of Adamancottah and to prove his case, produces three lists of names which he asserts the Currums had given him. The Currum denied ever having told him anything of this sort, and denies that the documents are in his hand writing, that only

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a small portion of the 2nd paper that the two others were not written by him, but that they are filled up in the hand writing of the Cavadars Goomastah Ramiah. the Acting Head Assistant called 7 persons mentioned in these documents who all denied having given, or been asked for any thing. I afterwards requested him to summon every one whose name was therein entered. of 111 men, 58 men appeared and all gave the same evidence that they had neither given nor been asked to give any thing for the purposes stated in the complaint. The only conclusion to be come to as regards this item is that it is a false complaint, and I doubt not, got up for the sole purpose of doing the Tahsildar an injury like several others which have been brought against him.

3. The second complaint made by Gopaul Iyen is that Timmapien received from the ryots 60 head of cattle for his own use without paying for the same. Complainant being called on for proof states, that he knows nothing but what he heare from the Admancottah Carcoon cannot name one person from whom cattle was taken.

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On the examination of the Carcoon, he denies having told the complainant as above stated and declares that he has never spoken with the Complainant at all. there are no witnesses. this no doubt is of a character similar to the complaint first entered. it is false. had it been true, its not probable that all the persons from whom cattle were taken would have remained quiet until Gopal Iyen thought fit to make his complaint.

4. The third complaint of Gopal Iyen is, that Timmapien received small sums of Money from parties who relinquish their old or take up new lands. Of this he has no proof, for he says the circumstance was mentioned to him by some Ryots whose names are unknown, but requests that all the people whose names are entered in the Books as having taken up or relinquished land in that year might be examined. 8 Ryots who relinquished, and 6 who took up lands were examined and stated, that they had given nothing. this complaint is like the others without foundation.

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The fourth complaint states that the Tahsildar, in examining into a dispute between the right and left hand Caste gave a decision so contrary to the opinion of the complainant that he thinks he must have received a bribe on the occasion - what that bribe was he cannot tell: from whom received he cannot tell: but his suspecions led him to make the complaint. there is no evidence, and his suspecions therefore can be of no use to any one but himself. this being a magisterial enquiry, the parties, if they thought fit, should have appealed.-

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The 5th Complaint of Gopal Iyen states that the Tahsildar having accused the Curnam of Kotasholapaudy of keeping a stray bullock in his possession, by threats, got 100 Rupees from him the Curnam denies this - the case was sent up to Mr Pratt and disposed of by him this complaint is like the rest.-

This

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The 6th Complaint of Gopaul Iyen is that the Tahsildar placed a light Teerwah on certain spots of land. These spots have never been cultivated since they were taken up on Cowle, and a reference to the report of the Acting Head Assistant Magistrate who personally inspected the land, shews, that his opinion is, that without a new surface being laid on the land, it's unfit for cultivation.-

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The 7th complaint of Gopaul Iyen is, that he and a person named Vencatapah, cultivated a Poonjah butvarty Enam that the complainant having used the Circar water, fuzl Jasti was yearly levied on his lands, whilst on the lands of Vencatapa, cultivated in like manner, no charge was made until on complaint to the Tahsildar he collected 35 Rupees, which he appropriated to his own use - he says he saw Vencatapah pay this to the Curnam, but has no one except Vencatapah to whom to refer for proof - Vencatapah denies all - It appears that the Curnam at the time of Gumma,

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reported that he cultivated land in excess of his Enam and a Goomastah was sent to measure his lands. his Enam was found correct, but 19 goontahs of Nunjah was cultivated by him in excess. there is no proof that the Jahsildar misappropriated any of the public money.

9. With reference to the complaint entered in the 2d Para of his argus that he had paid 4 Cundayums of paddy and 2 Rupees above what was actually due I have to inform the Board that from certain Enam lands in Daramproory, a portion of produce is paid for tank repairs. finding that on many of these lands a long arrear existed. I issued orders, calling the attention of the Jahsildar thereto, and directed the immediate realization. The collection made from the complainant is according to the Curnums accounts, to which his own signature is attached. he was due 4 1/4 Cundayums of paddy, on which account, 3 3/4 Cundayums of paddy was collected and the balance of 1/2 Cundayem was collected in money at the rate of 4 Rupees pr Cundayem

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there is no evidence that any excess collections were made from him. the above has all been brought to Circar account.

10 In the 3d Para, Gopaul Iyen states, that a notice issued against a certain Ryot had not been carried into effect by the Village Curnam. the Jahsildar Timmapien does not appear to have had any thing to do with this, nor does it appear to have mattered much its not having been pasted on the mans door. the balance was collected. at any rate 'tis difficult to know why the complainant should interest himself. This ends the complaint of Gopaul Iyen, which he has been so anxious to bring to the Boards notice. 'tis a complaint brought forward only for the purpose of doing an injury to the late Jahsildar. the Board will observe, that the greater number of items are brought forward on hearsay and denied to have been communicated by the pretended informant. The other complaint alluded to by Mr Oswell in his report, is from a Curnam of Colagutoor, equally worthless as the

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the above. Ienclose a Copy of it and the examinations for the Boards information. The reason of all these complaints will be better stated to the Board by Timmapah who is now at Madras. than by any one else - I am satisfied that they are the effects of a conspiracy against him -

Salem Zillah,
Assoor,
Pt Coll.r Cutcherry
20th August 1842

(Signed) J. D. Gleig
Pt Coll.r

Translation of a Memorandum sent by W Oswell Esqre Acting Head Assist.ant Collector in the Zillah of Salem on the 24th June 1842.

A Memorandum from the Huzzoor dated 25th May 1842 together with 8 Complaints preferred by Gopaul Iyen of Collagatoor in the Daramporry Talook and Vengattaram Iyen Carradar of the same place against Timmapah late Tahsildar of the same Talook (directing the Acting Head Assistant Collector to enquire into the same and report the result) reached his office An enquiry was according ly instituted and

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and the 1st Prosecutor Gopaul Iyen in the 1st Para of his 1st complaint preferred to Mr Brett stated that the Tahsildar made an exaction of 6 Annas per each Rupee from the pay of Carnams for Fusly 1250, and that for the reimburse=ment of the same every Ryot was press'd to pay a fixed sum as a contri=bution. He (the 1st Prosecutor) now de=posed that he only stated what he=heard in this case from the Curnum, and at the same time produced 3 do-cu=ments which he had obtained from the Carnam. When Ramien Curnum of Admancottah was examied he stated that some parts of the Documents Nos 2 and 3 contain his hand writing but the document No 1 is not his writing. and that in the other documents whatever he=pointed out was his own writing but the rest was not his. The 7 Ryots mention=ed in the 3 documents now produced=together with their Puttahs and receipts for Fusly 1250 were brought to be=

examined

examined, but when they were questioned whether any thing in Fasly 1250 was paid by them above the sums mentioned in the receipts produced by them for any pur= =pose. they deposed in the negative. The salary of Ramien Curnum of Adman= =cottah for Fasly 1250 was Rupees 96 but agreeably to the complaint if the Tahsildar had exacted at the rate of 6 annas for each Rupee a sum of 36 Rupees must have been collected to reimburse the amount of the above exaction, but quite contrary to this the do= =cument shews a collection of Rupees 105= 10 and consequently it cannot be determined for what purpose this document was first made out, and further the document clearly contains two different writings although the documents No.s 2- and 3 were memorandums kept by the Curnums for some other purposes, yet the prosecutors are suspected as having decei= =fully enlarged them by adding something here and there according to their own wishes- The document No.- 1 is fully interleaved..

2 The Prosecutor was ques= =tioned regarding the 2nd para of his com= =plaint wherein he stated that the Tahsil= =dar had received from the Ryots for= his

his own use about 60 head of cattle without paying their value, and he answered that he stated in his complaint what he heard from the Carkoon of Admancottah Division when the Carkoon of Admancottah Division was sent for and examined he deposed that he knew nothing on the matter nor did he inform any thing to the Prosecutor whom he never knew before this.-

3rd In the 3rd para of the com= =plaint it is stated that the Tahsildar was in the habit of receiving Rupees 2-1-1½ and ¾ from the Ryots who gave Jody= =Razeenamah as well as from those that tendered their offer for taking up Lands, that this was brought to the knowledge of the Prosecutor by certain Ryots whose names were unknown, and that the Ryots entered in the Books of Durkast and= =Jody Razeenamah will prove the fact. Eight Ryots who gave Razeenamah= were summoned and examined when they deposed that they gave nothing to the= =Tahsildar on account of their Jody Razee= =namah- Six Ryots who tendered their offer for taking up Lands for cultivation

have

have also deposed that they gave nothing to the Tahsildar.-

4 In the 4th para of the complaint it is stated that the Tahsildar in the dispute of the Right hand and left hand castes had unjustly passed a decision in favor of the left hand caste and that he must have undoubtedly received a bribe for doing so. The proceedings held in the above case by the Tahsildar are herewith forwarded.-

5 In the 5th para of the complaint it is stated that one Kistnapa naick Carnam of Couttacholla paudy paid 100 Rupees to the Tahsildar for having implicated him on a false charge as if he had purchased a bullock which was an unclaimed property. Upon enquiry the said Kistnapa naick deposed that 15 years ago his deceased brother had purchased a bullock which an individual now claimed as his own; owing to this he was summoned by the Tahsildar who after making an enquiry on the matter told him that he will

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make an Arzee to higher authority on the subject, and that he paid nothing to the Tahsildar who did not force him to pay 100 Rupees as above stated. Upon the Tahsildar's report it appears that Mr Brett ordered the restoration of the Bullock to the owner on the 4th June 1841.-

6 In the 6th Para it is stated that the Tahsildar fixed a very light Teerwah on certain spots of lands in the Maittoopatty Village attached to Colagatoor the Curnum of the said Village was therefore required to state what Mijsal Teerwah was fixed upon the above spots. The above spots the Curnum deposed were never assessed and therefore the Teerwah of the adjacent spot called Calurmaniem was fixed on them. When a question was put why the Teerwa of the said bad spot was taken as a Mijsaul Teerwah while there are many other lands the Teerwah of which is higher than the above. The Curnum answered that the spots in question being very inferior

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the Teerwah of the Colarmanicm land was obliged to be taken as Mossaul for the same. Upon this the acting Head Assistant Collector proceeded to the spots and on inspection found them to be very inferior in quality the soil being of a Saltish nature, but from the period they were taken up on Cowle tenure to this very day no cultivation was carried on in the event of the Ryots wishing to cultivate the spots they must remove the earth of the surface and put fresh earth when it is supposed they will become productive. but in their present state they are unfit for cultivation.

7 Gopaulien of Colaguttoor in his 28 Complaint preferred to Mr Brett he stated that he and another Vencatien have some buttawurty poonjah Manniem Lands under the Tank of Colaguttoor, which in the days of Mottadar were converted into Nunjah by Circar water, that when the Mootah came under Aumany payment for water was received from him while Vencatien was exempted from such a charge which it was said amounted to Rs 42 of which remitting Rupees 7 the remainder

Rupees

Rs 35 was received and appropriated by the Tahsildar to himself thro' the mediem of the Curnum.

Vencatien deposed that he neither converted his poonjah land into Nunjah by Circar water nor was there a balance against him on that account to the amount of Rupees 42, nor did the Tahsildar receive 35 Rupees from him after deducting 7 Rupees. There does not appear any thing in the shape of balance against Vengattien on account of water, for at the time of Jummabundy the Curradar reported that he cultivated some Nunjah land in addition to what was mentioned in his Puttah, in consequence of which a Tolook Goomastah went and measured his buttawurty lands and found 19 Goontahs of Nunjah land have been cultivated by him in excess, but his Poonjah land was quite correct unconnected with the Nunjah abovementioned, which goes under the denomination of Darib Jaustg, but the Poonjah was not converted into Nunjah by

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by the Circar Water. A copy of the measure-
-ment taken by the Talook Goomastah is
herewith forwarded.-

8. The Prosecutor in the 2nd
para of this complaint stated that 4 Canda-
-yems of paddy and 2 Rupees were collected
(in excess of what was actually due on ac-
-count of deepening the tank) from him by
the Tahsildar at the instigation of the
Curnum. The Curnum accounts prove
that 4½ Cundayems were due for which
it appears by the deposition of the Curnum,
that he only paid 3/4 Cundayems of Paddy
and 2 Rupees the price of ½ Cundayem,
besides this the Prosecutor had affixed
his signature for the 2 Rupees above al-
-luded to which he now acknowledges.

9. In the 3rd Para of his
complaint the Prosecutor states that a
notice was issued for the balance against
one Dodaramia of Collagatoor, but which
notice was presented by the Curnum of
the said Village from being pasted
in the house of the said Individual
until the date of this complaint - Upon
enquiry

enquiry it appears that one Goondarow
Seristadar of Darampoory then acting for
Tahsildar issued a notice on the 21st August
1841 on account of a balance against Dada-
-ramia, which notice was sent to the Curra-
-dar of Collagatoor with a Takeed directing
to cause it to be pasted in the house of
the defaulter. The Curradar ought to have
acted accordingly, but if he did not do so,
it was his own fault, however the balance
was realized on the 20th September, but the
delay in the recovery of the balance had
it is supposed arisen from the frequent
changes of the Tahsildars, for two or three
Tahsildars were changed from the date
of the issue of the Notice to the date of
the recovery of the balance. So the suc-
-cessor must have been ignorant as to what
had been passed in the days of his pre-
-decessor on this account.-

Regarding the circum-
-stances contained in the 1st and 5th Paras
of the complaint preferred by the Curra-
-dar of Collagatoor Village he (the Prose-
-cutor) deposes that he knows nothing
and that he has no complaint whatever

regarding

regarding them. The subject of the 2nd and 3rd Paras being included in the complaint preferred by Gopaulyen of Collagatoor they were inquired into. The circumstance mentioned in the 4th para was already examined and decided and therefore there does not appear any necessity to interfere with the circumstances contained in his complaint. The Estimate for the repairs of Collagatoor Tank is herewith forwarded.

(Signed) W. Oswell
Actg Head Asst Coll:

(True translation)
(Signed) J. D. Gleig
Pr Coll:

List of Packet containing the examination of Timmapiah late Tahsildar of Darumpoory in the matter of the complaints preferred by Gopaul Iyen and Venkatramien, bearing reference to the Reports made to the Board by the Principal Collector of Salem on the 20th August 1842.

1. Bundle containing 3 Complaints of Gopaulien and 3 lists in the Canarese Language.
1. Bundle containing 66 papers on the Subject of Tafrick mentioned in the 1st Para of the Complaint and a Deposition from Ramiah

Ramiah Curnum of Admanecottah.

1. Deposition with reference to the 2nd Para of Complaint
1. Bundle containing 6 Depositions &c from the individuals who gave Sodaranzeenamah, and 8 Depositions from the persons who received Toollo-chit referring to the 3rd Para of Complaint.
1 Bundle containing 26 Vouchers, with reference to the 4th Para of D:
1 D: - - D: 2 with D: 5 D: of D:
1 D: - - D: 5 with D: to the Paras 6-7 & 8 of D:
1 D: containing 2 papers; Viz: Copy of a complaint of Venkatramien Caridar and copy of Deposition taken from him with reference to the 10th Colr: of D:
1. Copy of Memorandum from the Acting Head Asst Collector.
1. Deposition taken from the Defendant Timmapien.

These accompanied the letter to the Board dated 20th augt 1842.

10 Total ten, containing 124 Vouchers.

Principal Collr Cutcherry, Salem Tillah, Signed J. D. Gleig
Pr Coll:
Ofsoor 2/d August 1842.

Proceedings thereon. The foregoing Report
Br: No 9 of 1842. on the Petitions entered in the Margin
52 - D: is accompanied by the Original
118 - D: Proceedings held by the Acting Head
Assistant Collector in the enquiry
61 made on the matter of Complaint on
perusal

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perusal of which the Board are satisfied that the whole of the charges preferred by the Petitioners Gopaul Iyer and Venkataramier, inhabitants of the Village of Colaguttoor against Timmapien late Tahsildar of the Darampoory Talook are utterly groundless and false, and they accordingly resolve to pass the following Endorsement on the Petitions above alluded to.

Endorsement

"The Board of Re-
=venue having made a reference to
"the Principal Collector of Salem
"on the subject brought to notice
"in this Petition are satisfied
"that the whole of the charges pre-
="ferred by the Petitioners against
"Timmapien late Tahsildar of
"Darampoory Talook in Salem
"are frivolous vexatious and false.

Ordered

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Ordered also that the following letter be submit-
=ted with reference to the En-
=dorsement therein referred to.

To The acting Chief Secretary to Government

Sir

With reference to

To the Actg Chief Secy to Government

the orders of Government con-
=veyed by Endorsement on the accompanying Petition entered in the Margin under date the 28th July last. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to state that a report having been furnished by the Principal Col-
=lector of Salem on similar Petitions presented to this Office

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Office by the same individual the Board are satisfied — that the whole of the charges preferred by him against the late Tahsildar of the Dam- -rumpoory Talook in that — District were utterly with- -out foundation, and that — the Petitioner had every — opportunity afforded him — of substantiating the alledged facts had it been in his power.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
8th September 1842

(Signed) J. D. Boardillon
Secy.

Read the fol- -lowing letter.—

To

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To

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

From the Pro. Coll. of Salem — Para 1

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Referring to the Extract from the Board's Proceedings dated 4th Instant, I have the honor to inform you for their information, that in compliance therewith, I have assumed charge of the Shervaroy Hills. The rates of assessment to be fixed thereon until a survey can be made, require the Board's consideration. The Malialies or original possessors of the soil, have no fixed assessment the revenue is levied on the Plough or Hoe and not always at an equal rate; but very much guided by the circumstances of the Cultivator — these rates, whatever they may be, it would be well to retain as far as these people are concerned; but with regard to the Coffee planters, it will be better to adopt a fixed amount per Acre. In the lands given on grant to Mr. Cockburn, the sum fixed was one Rupee per Acre the greater part of lands subsequently taken up, have been given by the renters whose terms are not now binding as a temporary measure. I would beg leave to suggest, that the average Poonjah assessment of the Salem Talook, which is

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is Rupees 1 14 - - per Acre may be adopted as the amount payable by persons not being of the original inhabitants until a more satisfactory settlement can be effected.—

2 I require the sanction of Government for this imposition of tax and as the year is already well advanced as regards cultivation, I solicit the Boards early instructions on this subject.—

Salem Hillah - - -
Opsor. Pc. Coll.s - - - -
Cutcherry 23d. August 1842

/ Signed / J. D. Gleig
Principal Coll.r

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.—

To the Principal Collector of Salem

To the Pc. Coll.r of Salem —

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge your letter of the 23d. Ultimo soliciting instructions as to the rates of assessment to be levied on the land of the Sherveroy Hills, recently taken under Amauny Management.—

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Rec.d 9th Sept.r 1842.

2 The Board instruct me to say that they concur with you that the Custom by which the land Revenue is levied from the original inhabitants, Viz.t on the number of

of Coughs & Roses, should not be changed at present. With regard to the settlers, the Board think it unnecessary for the present to charge them with a higher rate than is fixed on the land granted to Mr. Cockburn; and they desire that one Rupee an acre may be the assessment of all land occupied by settlers whether Cultivated or not - The Board desire also that you will be careful to make it known to both classes of occupiers, that these rates are only temporary, and will be liable to revision and charge on the introduction of a regular Revenue System.—

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George 8th Sept.r 1842

/ Signed / J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary

Read the following letter

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

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From the Pc. Coll.r of Salem.—

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 25th May conveying the orders of Government relative to Mr. Onchterlony's request to hold lands for the purpose of Coffee Cultivation in the Salem District.—

Requesting to know with reference to the orders of Government relative to Mr. Onchterlony's request to hold land in Coffee plantation in

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in the Salem District the particular description of land to be given for that purpose.

2 The Government consent to allow Mr. Onchterlony to hold acreage 1000-2000 or whatever lands he may occupy on a lease for 21 years free for the first five years, and afterwards to pay the usual land assessment and that a similar indulgence be extended to all who may wish to engage in Coffee Cultivation whether Natives or Europeans.

3 In the Board's letter to Government dated 14th April, the lands alluded to are waste lands, but in the Extract from the minutes of Consultation conveying the order abovementioned no particular sort of land is specified. I would therefore request the Board's instructions relative to the following queries.

4- Are Bunjer lands only to be given for Coffee cultivation on the terms offered to Mr. Onchterlony or are lands under Cultivation allowed to be held on the same terms if procured by parties from the present holders. If only bunger, how many years waste must they be?

5 Are Kunjah and Bagayet lands to be given on the same terms and if so, are the planters entitled to a supply of

of water from the tanks or wells from which these lands have been formerly cultivated?

6 In the event of future applications, is it expected that I am to bind a ryot in a 21 years lease before allowing the 5 years remission of Assessment, or am I at liberty to allow the land to be held by him on the ordinary terms of putta?

7 I am anxious for specific instructions on this subject, for being myself of opinion that no species of cultivation in the District can so well afford to pay the Government demand as that of Coffee I may be led thereby to be less liberal than is consistent with the intentions of Government.

Salem Zillah Cutcherry
Collr. Cutcherry --
24th August 1842.

/Signed/ J. D. Gleig
Principal Collector

Memorandum

If two thousand Acres are taken in Denkencottah of Kunjah land where the average Teerwah is only Rupees 5-3-5-
The full demand for 21 years is Rupees 2,18,963
12 -" the amount remission for 5 years Rupees 57,135-6-8
a per Centage on the whole demand of Rupees 23¾ a similar reduction on lands occupied by Sugar cane where sugar fit for export was manufactured, would greatly increase that species of Cultivation, and be equally beneficial in securing an article of export.

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Proceedings thereon

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The application to Government referred only to waste lands, and the reply cannot be held to extend to any other. The Cowlenamah now in force in the Salem District contains four classes of waste in Ranjah; 1st from three to ten years waste; 2d from ten to twenty; 3d above twenty years; & 4th the Anaudy or immemorial waste & Parumbokee. In Runjah and Bagayet there were only two classes; five to fifteen years waste and above fifteen years.

Cowlenamah Para 4.

Cowlenamah Para 9th 13

The Board consider the order of Government in question to apply to the 3d & 4th classes of Ranjah, and to the 2d class of Runjah and Bagayet; land waste for shorter periods than are comprised in these classes, may be taken for Coffee planting as for other purposes, under the rules of the Cowlenamah Lands not entitled to Cowle whether procured directly from the occupying Ryots or Cultivated in waste of less time than the Cowlenamah refers to, will not be entitled to remission; but there is no objection to such land being obtained and used for Coffee planting.

2 Runjah and Bagayet lands granted under the present order of Government will be entitled to water, in the same manner as if they had been taken under the rules of the Cowlenamah, and to the remission of the Runjah & Bagayet rates of Tarrawaly on the ruin of the sources of irrigation & allowable under these rules. Dungahs for land under this order of Government will be dealt with, agreeably to the order of the Court of Directors in Para 55 of their General letter of the 28th July 1841.

3 Future applications for land under this indulgent order of Government should be reported by the Principal Collector to the Board for their orders.

Read

J. J. B.

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Read the following letter.

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

From the Pl. Collr. of Madura.

Sir,

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In reference to the 2d para of the Board's Proceedings of the 8th received on the 20th Instant, and in reference to the 5th para of the Minutes of Consultation of the 23d July 1838; the 5th para of the Minutes of Consultation of the 14th June 1839, and the 7th para of the Minutes of Consultation of the 19th October 1840, I have the honor to request your Instructions if I am to offer an answer on the subject of the Minutes of Consultation of the 23d July last received with the Board's Proceedings of the 8th Instant, as my explanations of many of the matters that drew forth the observations of the Council, tho' forwarded to the Board on the 25th June do not appear to have been before the Right Honorable the Governer when the subject was under consideration on the 23d of July.

Madura
24th August
1842.

[Signed] J. J. Blackburne
Princl. Collector.

Ordered

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.-

To, The Principal Collector of Madura.

To the Pr. Collr. of Madura.

Sir,

In ans. 8th Sept. 1842

In ans. 8th Augt.

In ans. 28th July

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I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge your letter of the 24th. Ultimo and to inform you in reply that as all the matters noticed by Govern=ment in Minutes of Consultation 23d. July 1842, with reference to your land Revenue report for Fusly 1250, are touched on in your letter of esplanation under date June 25th. it is not considered necessary that you should make any further reply to the observations of Government.-

2 Your letter of the 25th. June will be laid before Government at an early date with your Summabundy report for Fusly 1251, and the remarks of Govern=ment upon it will reach you in due Course.-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
8th. September 1842

(signed) J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary

Read the following letters.-

To

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

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From the Collr. of Jinnevelly

Sir,

Para 1. I have the honor to acknow=ledge the receipt of the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board under date the 13th. June last conveying to me the Sanction of Government for the maintenance of an Establishment for conducting the survey and Assessment of this District.-

2 Though the Cultivation of the present Season had Commenced in the wet lands depending upon River Irrigation at the period of my receiving the above intimation and the measuring of these lands, could not be consequently under=taken. I was desirous of endeavouring to make some present progress in the work and previous to engaging in the general Survey of the District to submit for examination in the Cutcherry of the Board as directed the accounts of three or four Villages. I have found however that the season is too far advanced even for this, and that I could not

Reporting reasons for not immediately entering on the work of the Survey its anticipated Commencement in February next. Soliciting explicit instructions as to what extent the Combination of a scientific with a Revenue Survey is to be maintained the urgent necessity of a further European aid and craving the nomination early in 1843 of an Officer qualified to undertake charge of or responsibility usually entrusted to a Sub Collector.-

not now select Villages for my operations which would embrace the several items of Cultivation the different descriptions of soil and tenure which it would be desirable should be contained in the accounts to be laid before the Board for the purposes of structure and approved examples for future proceedings — I have therefore to report for the information of the Board that nothing further can be done with respect to the Survey till the Crops of the present year are cleared from the ground and that the month of February will be the earliest date for the entering on this arduous duty — In the mean time I have to solicit the instructions of the Board on the matter of the Survey itself, the nature of which seems to be materially changed from that to which my letter of the 20th. January referred by the Combination of a Scientific with a Revenue Survey —

3 A regular Scientific Survey of this large District would under ordinary circumstances be a work of time even if a much larger Establishment than that apparently contemplated

were

were entertained — "To an experienced "practical Surveyor with a small "Establishment —" such a Survey would I imagine be the occupation of several years. I presume therefore that it is the intention of Government that the minuteness generally required in Scientific Survey should not be looked for on this occasion. If this surmise be correct it remains to decide how and to what extent the Combination is to be maintained whether the Services of the Scientific Surveyor are to be employed in controlling the work of the Revenue Officers or whether in testing the correctness of their measurements when differences or objections are raised whether the limits only of the different Villages are to be defined by him or whether the most prominent features of the Country merely are to be laid down and correctly marked leaving the work within these limits or marks to be carried on by the Revenue Officers —

4 That it is highly desirable that the Survey should approach as near

near correctness as possible is indemi=
=able that the aid of Science will ex=
tend to this, is equally so, but it is
to be observed that the time occupied
in the duty thus to be performed will
be lengthened and the expence thereby
augmented. Under these considera=
=tions I trust the Board will excuse
my applying to them for explicit
instructions on this subject.—

5 I take this opportunity of
stating to the Board my conviction
formed on the experience of the ex=
past year that it will be necessary
to afford further European assist=
=ance to the Collector of this District
while he is engaged in the work
of the Survey. The current duties
Revenue and Magisterial of ex=
Tinnevelly are complicated and
arduous more so, than in any ex=
District with which I am acquaint=
=ed and of themselves occupy ex=
without relaxation the whole time
of

of the Head of the office. The
annual settlement during the
months of March April May and June
imposes increased and unceasing
labour on the Collector and his Assist=
=ants are at that time engaged
in similar occupation in the Talooks
committed to their charge at this
very period the survey should
be in full operation and unless
the Collector be then relieved of
the current detail work of his
office it will be next to im=
=possible for him to conduct ex=
this important work in a manner
satisfactory to himself, the Board
or the Government.—

6 During the survey of
Tanjore an additional Sub=
Collector was sanctioned and ex=
=alike addition of European
aid has been accorded in
other

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other Districts on like occasions. The encreased assistance was doubtless requisite and is equally if not more urgently necessary for this District and I therefore would crave the recommendation of the Board to the Government for the nomination early in 1843 of an officer of some Revenue experience qualified to undertake a charge of equal responsibility with that usually entrusted to a Sub Collector.

Tinnevelly ----
Tencassey ----
16th August 1842

Signed W. C. Montgomery
Collector.

Order thereon (59-60) — Ordered to be sent again in Circulation

To

Fort St. George 8th September 1842.

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

From the Collr. of Tinnevelly — Sir,

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I have the honor to enclose translation of an Arzee addressed to me by the Brahmins of the Nelliappa = swamy Pagoda situated in Tinnevelly Cusbah praying that a sum of 3,900 Rupees may be expended from the Tripany Funds of that Institution now in deposit in the purchase of certain buildings and Ground adjacent to it formerly forming the place for the manufacturing of paper by the convicts previous to the removal of the Court and Jail to the old Commercial buildings and to Palamcottah. This Ground is situated between the Pagoda and the Taloork Cutcherry and with the buildings thereon was put up to Auction by the Assistant Judge under the orders of Government it being no longer of use; and being the property of Government the Amount of the sale will be carried to the

the credit of Government - The Estimated Price has been fixed at Rupees 3900 but no one at the auction offering a sum approaching to that amount the property was not disposed of - It is proposed by the Petitioners to appropriate it if purchased on account of the Pagoda as a place of Shelter for the Pagoda Cattle, but the special reason for desiring the building is to prevent Ground so near the Pagoda being occupied by houses. The Tahsildar of Nellaimbalum has reported to me on my making reference to him that the Towns people wish the Ground to be purchased on account of the Pagoda and such purchase being decidedly favorable to the Government and the object being as little objectionable as any to which it is likely the Funds will be appropriated I have the honor to request the permission of the Board for the disbursement of such a sum within 3900 Rupees from the Tripany Funds of this Pagoda as may be found sufficient to make the required purchase.-

Tinnevelly Encaunsey
24th August 1842 - } I signed I W. C. Montgomery
Collector
Translation

Translation of a Petition most respectfully addressed by the undersigned Stalattars and Stanattars of the Nelliappea Sawmys' Pagoda in Tinnevelly.-

As a spacious building is required for keeping the Cows Calves and Bullocks belonging to the Pagoda - and as Individuals have only bid half of the Estimated value for the Ground and Paper Manufactory with tiled roofs attached to the Sail situated on the west side of the Pagoda which was put up to auction by the Court for Rupees 3,900 and as this building which is complete with tiled roof is situated close to the Pagoda and in the South westerly direction and is convenient for keeping the cows, we beg that it may be purchased at the Estimated cost from the Tripany fund in Deposit on account of the Pagoda.-

11th July 1842.

(True Translation)
I signed I W. C. Montgomery
Collector.

Resolution thereon - Under the explanation furnished in the foregoing letter, the

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the Board of Revenue sanction the disbursement from the Tripany Funds of such a sum within /3900/ Three thousand nine hundred Rupees as may be sufficient to effect the purchase of certain buildings and Ground situated within the Town of Tinnevelly therein alluded to, and stated to be required for the use of the Vellid pp asawmy Pagoda.

To

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To

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

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From the Collector of Tinnevelly—

Reporting on the Settlement of Extra Sources of Revenue of the Tinnevelly District for Fusly 1251. Shewing an excess of Rupees 4,059-6-3 over and above the Demand of Fusly 1250.

Sir,

I have the honor to report on the Settlement of the Extra Sources of Revenue of this District for Fusly 1251, and to forward the usual Statements therewith connected.—

Paro 1.

Salt
Sayer
Sea Customs
Abkarry
Stamps
Moturpha
Small Farms
and Licences
A and B and
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Salt

2. The Collections realized from the Sales of the Salt during the Fusly amounted to Rupees 245,718-10-8 being Rupees 7745-10-7 short of the amount brought to account in the previous year—

Fusly 1250	253464	5	3
" 1251	245718	10	8
Decrease	7745	10	8

3. It will be remembered that the Salt Sales of Fusly 1250 were the largest on record by Rupees 6438-11-2, and it was scarcely to be expected that subsequent years would yield a similar Revenue— At the commencement Viz^t from 1st July to 27th August of Fusly 1250

of

of that year the sales at the Pans of Vypaur at the Northern extremity of the District were unusually large being Rupees 15,664-11-0 but no old Salt being in store during the corresponding period of the present year in consequence of the previous increased consumption the sales were stationary there at a time when the large exportation of bottom from that Port afforded an opportunity of employing return carriage for the conveyance of Salt to the Interior. The decrease of the sales of Vypaur was however partly made up by increased consumption at the depôts of Munguncoolum and Arasady in the vicinity of it.

4. The low price of and the small demand for grain during the year 1251 have been supposed to have materially affected the Salt Sales by rendering capital scarce, and causing a diminished trade in grain towards the coast. Some slight interruption also to the Salt trade was experienced in December

December by the Marching of Troops from Palamcottah.

5. The exertions of the Head Assistant Collector Mr Pringle, to whose immediate management the details of this Department are entrusted, which last year called forth the approbation of the Board and Government, have been equally bestowed on this branch of his duty in the present year. Every station has been visited and every precaution that experience could suggest has been adopted to prevent fraud. In whatever part of the District the demand for Salt has appeared to decline, enquiry as to the cause has been instituted, and I have no grounds for supposing that the decrease now reported is to be in any way attributed to defective management, illicit transactions in Marine, or the use of Earth Salt in the Interior.

6. Though the sales of Fusly 1251 have fallen short of Fusly 1250 they have exceeded, as will be seen by the Marginal

Fusly 1239	218436	1	8
" 1240	210226	14	7
" 1241	196296	3	3
" 1242	183209	4	0
" 1243	185084	12	11
" 1244	211050	14	8
" 1245	238888	14	8
" 1246	236196	3	0
" 1247	242809	14	0
" 1248	247025	10	1
" 1249	237181	"	6
" 1251	245718	10	8
Average of 10 years	215938	"	3
Beriz of Fusly 1251	245718	10	8
Increase	29780	10	5

Marginal Statement all previous years except Fusly 1248 since the rise of the Monopoly price and are Rupees 29780-10-5 above the average of the last 10 years.—

7. The Margenal Statement will shew the state of the Manufacture during the past year and the stock on hand at the beginning of Fusly 1252.

	G.	M.	M.
Balance on the 12th July of Fusly 1251	1929	169	0
Deduct wastage of Fusly 1249 and 1250 not yet written off	130	177	0
	1798	390	0
Supply received in Fusly 1251	3317	220	"
	5116	210	0
Gain by Measurement	46	62	½
	5162	272	½
Quantity disposed of in Dº	2340	71	½
	2822	201	0
Deduct wastage on Dº	37	216	"
Balance on the 12th July Fusly 1252	2784	385	"

8.

Charges—

Fusly 1250	21080	11	1
" 1251	41407	7	4
Increase	20326	12	3

The large increase in the Charges of Fusly 1251, in comparison with 1250 is caused chiefly by increase of quantity of Salt received in store within the past year, but partly by the increased rate of boodewaram from 7 to 10 Rupees per Garce, which on the representation of Mr Thompson was sanctioned by the Government on the 6th July 1840 This augmentation of 3 Rupees per Garce was not

not carried into execution till the present season of Cultivation, so that only Garces 2006-289-" the quantity manufactured and brought into store between January and the close of the Fusly has as yet been paid for at the rate of 10 Rupees-9.

Sales of Salt	245718	10	8
Extra Revenue or fines imposed on Servants &ca	121	"	"
	245839	10	8
Deduct Charges	41407	7	4
Net Collections of Fusly 1251	204432	3	4
Dº " 1250	232464	4	3
Decrease	28032	"	11

10.

Sayer.

Under Rent.

Demand

Fusly 1250	79770	"	"
" 1251	71800	3	8
Decrease	7969	12	4

	Fusly 1250.	Fusly 1251.	Increase	Decrease
Betel	39950	37665	0	2285
Tobacco	27350	27600	250	0
Cheeya root	2500	2500	0	"
		Net Decrease		2035

The Charges being deducted from the gross Collections as noted in the Margin the Net Salt Revenue for the year stands at Rupees 204432-3-4 or Rupees 28032-0-11 below Fusly 1250.—

The Betel, Tobacco and Cheyaroot duties were rented in Fusly 1251 for Rupees 67765 less by Rupees 2035 than in the previous year The chief portion of this decrease is in Betel caused by the diminished beddings for the rent The frontier Tobacco duty which was rented for Rupees 9970- in Fusly 1250 was at the recommendation of my predecessor & under the authority of the Board retained under Aumany during Fusly 1251 and has

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has produced Rupees 4,035–3–8 The cause of this duty not being rented in the past year was the supposed inadequacy of the offer at the time of bidding and the cause of no larger sum than Rupees 5000 having been bid was that the Travancore Market had been glutted during Fusly 1250 Under these circumstances the sum brought to account under Aamany Management was as large as could well be expected to be realized The amount of these duties under Rent Viz.t Rupees 67765 " " has been collected in full, Rupees 64,470 having been paid within the Fusly and Rupees 3295 subsequently—

Amanie. 11. The collections of the Sayer duties under aumany exceed in the year under review by Rupees 8904–3–3. those of the previous year. This large Increase I am inclined mainly to attribute to vigilant and unremitting supervision; and I am happy in noticing to the Board the attention which Mr. Lane has invariably devoted to the details of the Sayer

Fusly 1250	115118–6–4
" 1251	124022–9–7
Increase	8904–3–3

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Sayer Department since it was placed under his charge at the commencement of the Fusly. The Chief items where Increase has occurred are Piece Goods, Nuts, Cocoanuts, Jaggery, and Silk Thread—

12. The gross Collections under the Head of Sayer amount to Rupees 192527–13–3 which combined with Extra Collections and Arrears realized on account of past Fusly, makes Rupees 196377–10–5—

Collections		192527–13–3
Extra Revenue	199–13–2	
Arrears	3650–"–"	
		196377–10–5

13. Charges. The Charges in the Sayer Department exceed those for the past Fusly by Rupees 225–2–1, the payment of Drawback in particular having been somewhat larger in this year. Deducting these charges from the gross Collections noticed in the foregoing Para Rupees 178470–11–4 is the Net Sayer Revenue of Fusly 1251, Rupees 152–11–7 below the past fusly

Fusly 1251	17906–15–1	
" 1250	17681–13–"	
Increase	225–2–1	

Gross Collections		196377–10–5
Deduct Charges		17906–15–1
Net Collections Fusly 1251		178470–11–4
Do. Fusly 1250		178623–6–11
Decrease		152–11–7

fiesly—

14.

Sea Customs.

The collections under this Head have produced an advance of Rupees 1884—1—8 over and above the Amount of the previous Fiesly as noted in the Margin—This is to be attributed chiefly to a large importation of Betel nut from the Island of Ceylon which with encreased Exportation of Piece Goods and Jaggery and increased export and Import of Sundries make a gross Increase of Rupees 4826—6—0 which has been reduced to the Net sum of Rupees 1884—1—8 by the decreased Receipts on the Exportation of Chanks to Bengal and on certain Sundries of Import and Export—

Fiesly 1250	18638—2—1
" 1251	20522—3—9
Increase	1884—1—8

Gross Increase	4826—6—0
Decrease	2942—4—4
Net Increase	1884—1—8.

15.

Collections

Adding to the above Collections the amount derived under the Head of Extra Revenue amounting to Rupees 30—10—9 the aggregate gives Rupees 20552—14—6—

Sea Customs	20522—3—9
Extra Revenue	30—10—9
Gross	20552—14—6

16.

Charges.

The charges on this account amount to Rupees 2391—1—2 whereas they were Rupees

Fiesly 1250	6069—4—11
" 1251	2391—1—2
Decrease	3678—3—9

Rupees 6069—4—11 in the preceding Fiesly shewing a decrease of Rupees 3678—3—9 The disbursement of past year it will be remembered comprized refunds under the authority of Government of duty overlevied on certain consignments of Cotton and payment of the Arrears of Commission to the late Collector Mr Eden, but there having been no similar Charges in Fiesly 1251 the Charges for that year have decreased Rupees 3950—8—3 from which Increase in the payment of Drawback and Extra charges amounting to Rupees 272—4—6 being deducted the Net decrease of Rupees 3678—3—9 is shewn—

† 3d December 1840 and 10th May 1842.

17.

The above charges being set against the gross Collections the Net Revenue gives Rupees 18161—13—4 which in contrast with the preceding Fiesly produces an Increase of Rupees 5593—"—2 in favor of the year—

Gross Collections	20552—14—6
Deduct Charges	2391—1—2
Net Revenue Fiesly 1251	18161—13—4
Ditto in Fiesly 1250	12568—13—2
Increase	5593—"—2

18. The Marginal Note will show that the demand under this Head has exceeded the

Askarry Demand

Fiesly 1250	22909—"—"
" 1251	24594—"—"
Increase	1685—"—"

the Amount of the past Fusly by Rupees 1685 -"- -" caused by increased biddings for the Rents of both Arrack and Toddy.

19. Of this sum Rupees 24551-8-0 were collected within the year and Rupees 42-8-0 since, leaving no balance outstanding for the year under report.

20. Inclusive of the Collections of the arrears of the preceding year the gross receipts Amount to Rupees 26023 12-0 which as there is no deduction whatever to be made for Charges in this year is the Net as well as gross Abkarry Revenue for Fusly

Net Collections of	Fusly 1250	21479-0-8
Ditto	1251	26023-12-0
Increase		4544-11-4

1251, exceeding that of the preceding Fusly by exactly Rupees 4544-11-4.

21. The Revenue of Stamps for Fusly 1251 has yielded nearly an equal Amount with the last year. The trifling decrease of Rupees 138-14-0 had been occasioned chiefly by the decrease in the penalty imposed upon parties litigating in Court which in the year 1250 alone Amounted to Rupees 1090, whilst it was Rupees 356-1-0 in Fusly 1251.

Stamps	
Fusly 1250	23141-2-6
-" 1251	23002-4-6
Decrease	138-14-0

22. The charges under this Head are

shewn in the Margin less by Rupees 89-5-3 than in the last year, in consequence of there having been no extra Charges in the present similar to that incurred in the past period on account of Commission to Collector.

Charges.		
Fusly	1250	578-5-3
"	1251.	486-"-"
Decrease		89-5-3

Deducting the Charges Rupees 486 from the Collections a Net Revenue of Rupees 22516-4-6 or Rupees 49-8-9 short of the previous year is obtained.

23.

Collections		23002-4-6
Deduct Charges		486-"-"
Net Revenue	Fusly 1251	22516-4-6
Ditto	Fusly 1250	22565-13-3
Decrease		49-8-9

24.

Moturpha Demand.		
Fusly	1250	106960-13-0
"	1251.	105871-4-7
Decrease		1089-8-5

Of the Moturpha demand Rupees 100867-13-3 have been collected within the Fusly leaving a balance of Rupees 5203-7-4 subsequently reduced to Rupees 2118-10-3 to be realized hereafter.

25th August 1842. 25. Having in my Report on this Item of Revenue called for on several occasions by the Board entered in detail into the subjects of this tax, it is unnecessary for me to do

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do more in the present occasion than to re-
remark that the Settlement for Fusly 1251 is
less by Rupees 1089-8-5 than that of the previous
year, that this decrease is derived from a
gross Increase of Rupees 10884-9-9 caused
by an increase in the Number of persons
paying loom, professional, House, and Poll
taxes, and by a decrease of Rupees 11974-
2-2 caused by deaths, desertions, and discon-
-tinuance of Trade in this year, as also by the
remission of personal tax imposed on those
who from old age, infirmity, loss of limbs, or
other causes were more objects of Charity than
taxation, on widows taxed as such, and
on persons who were found to be Cultivators
and therefore having claim to exemption, &c
but who with those above noticed had
been hitherto Charged with Moturpha-

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Inclusive of arrears and
Extra Revenue the total collections
under this Head come to
Rupees 114636-10-7 and as there
has been no charge incurred
on account of this Item in
this year that amount is the

Net

Collections	100867	13	3
Arrears	13670	14	4
Extra Revenues	297	15	0
	114636	10	7

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Net Revenue for the year which when con-
-trasted with the preceding Fusly exhibits
an increase of Rupees 9308
10-9 in favor of Fusly 1251-

Net Collections Fusly 1250	105327	15	10	
" " Fusly 1251	114636	10	7	
Increase	9308	10	9	

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Under the Head of
Sundry Small Farms and Licenses
which have yielded Rupees 26648
6-3 or Rupees 8529-14-8 beyond
the amount derived from the
same source during the past
Fusly are comprized the Cheyaroot, Chank
and Fish rents. The chief Increase is
from the Revenue of Chanks which was
rented out for a portion only of the past,
but for the whole period of the present
year amounting to Rupees 5137-8-0 A
considerable Increase of Rupees 3392-6-8
has been effected in the Demand for the
Fisheries in Tanks and watercourses caused
by increased offers. The collections realized
on account of the above Demand are
Rupees 23944-9-10 leaving a balance
of Rupees 2703-12-5 at the end of the Fusly
subsequently reduced to Rupees 852-7-7
most of which is in course of Collection. These
Collections together with the arrears and
Extra

Sundry Small Farms & Licenses.	Demand.		
Fusly 1250	18118	7	7
" 1251	26648	6	3
Increase	8529	14	8

Extra Revenue brought to account in this year make an aggregate of Rupees 28618–11–8 Deducting from this sum the refunds made to the Shank renter for the time he lost in the fishing for Shanks pending the acceptance of his proposal for which according to the terms of it he was entitled to remission (Vide the correspondence noted in the Margin) amounting to Rupees 1,376–8–10 and the only charge in examining the Pearl Banks off this Coast in Fuslies 1249 and 1251, in order to ascertain their condition for those years amounting to Rupees 740–7–9 making together Rupees 2087–11–7. a Net Collection of Rupees 26,531–11–1 or Rupees 3470–1–5 over and above the Net amount of the preceding Fusly is the result—

Collections	23,944	9	10
Arrears	4,059	7	8
Extra Revenue	14	10	2
	28,618	11	8

Net Revenue Fusly 1250	23,061	9	8
Ditto Fusly 1251	26,531	11	1
Increase	3,470	1	5

28. The total demand, Collection and balance of the different sources of Extra Revenue are shewn in the following Statement—

Fusly

	Fusly 1250.	Fusly 1251.	Increase	Decrease
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Demand	638,120 4 9	642,179 11 "	4059 6 3	" " "
Balance at the end of Fusly	23,547 2 1	11,244 11 9	" " "	12,302 6 4
Current Collections	614,573 2 8	630,934 15 3	16,361 12 7	" " "
Arrears Ditto	26,614 12 8	25,452 10 "	" " "	3162 2 8
Extra Revenue Ditto	398 13 1	664 1 1	265 4 "	" " "
	641,586 12 5	656,051 10 4	13,464 13 11	" " "
Deduct charges	45,495 12 8	64,278 8 2	18782 11 6	" " "
Net Revenue	596,090 15 9	590,773 2 2	" " "	5317 13 7

From

79. From the above State-
=ment it will be observed that the re-
demand of Extra Sources of Revenue for
Fusly 1251, is Rupees 4,059–6–3, over and
above the amount of the preceding re-
Fusly, and that the Collections re-
realized within the Fusly Amounting
to Rupees 630934–15–3 are more by re-
Rupees 1,361–12–7 than those of the re-
last year, that the balance of Rupees re
11,244–11–9 at the end of this year is less
than that of the preceding by Rupees
12,302–6–4, and that this balance has
been reduced by subsequent Collec-
=tions to Rupees 2,971–1–10–Notwith-
=standing the increase in the gross
Collections to the extent of Rupees re
13,464–13–11, the Net Revenue exhibits
a decrease of Rupees 3,317–13–7–as re
shewn in the foregoing State-
=ment, owing to the increase re
of Charges chiefly for the Salt re
Coodeewarums

Coodeewarums noticed
in Para 8.–

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Signed/ H. C. Montgomery
Collector.

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B. Statement shewing the Demand Collection and Balance of arrears of Extra Revenue due on account of former Fusles for Fusly 1251 in the Province of Tinnevelly.—

	Total demand on account of old arrears at the close of Fusly 1250.	Arrears due on account of Fusles from 1241 to 1248	Collections on account of Fusles from 1241 to 1248	Balance	Arrears due on account of Fusly 1249	Collections on account of Fusly 1249	Balance	Arrears on account of Fusly 1250	Collections on account of Fusly 1250	Balance	Total Collections on account of Arrears in Fusly 1251	Total Balance of Collections
	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.	Rs. a. P.	Rs. a. P.	Rs. a. P.	Rs. a. P.	Rs. a. P.	Rs. a. P.
1 Salt	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
2 Sayer	7,380 " 9	3,730 " 9	" " "	3,730 " 9	" " "	" " "	" " "	3,650 " "	3,650 " "	" " "	3,650 " "	3,730 " 9	
3 Sea Customs	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
4 Abkary	1,472 4 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	1,472 4 "	1,472 4 "	" " "	1,472 4 "	" " "	" " "
5 Sundry small Farms and Licences	1,109 15 2	1,158 " 9	" " "	1,158 " 9	738 13 11	550 " "	188 13 11	4,213 " 6	4,109 7 8	103 8 10	4,659 7 8	1,450 7 6	
6 Stamp	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
7 Moturpha	36,075 1 6	21,333 " 1	20 8 "	21,312 8 1	530 3 10	256 5 2 7	144 14 11 3 7	13,648 " 4	563 12 9	13,670 14 4	22,404 3 2		
Total	51,037 5 5	26,221 1 7	20 8 "	26,200 9 7	1,269 1 9	552 5 6 7	16 12 3	23,547 2 1	22,879 12 6	667 5 7	23,452 10 "	27,584 11 5	

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E. E. Fl. [Signed] H. C. Montgomery

Collector.

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No. 1 Statement of the Gross Collections of Salt Revenue in Fusly 1251 in the Province of Tinnevelly

Names of the Chowkies	Places of Present Manufacture	Places of former Manufacture	Amount of Collections of Fusly 1251	Total	Remarks. Memorandum of Salt sold since the establishment of the Monopoly
1	2	3	4	5	6
Vy paur	Vy paur	Vy Paur	31388 11 2	31388. 11 2	
		Colatoor	" " "		
		Puttanamurdoor	" " "		
		Mailmanday	" " "		
		Calloorney	" " "		
Munjuncolum	Munjuncolum	Munjuncollum	" " "	36013. 15 2	
Arasady	Arasady	Arasady	37516 12 "		
		Poliam arasady	" " "		
Tutacorien	Tutacorien	Tutacorien	7568 2 10	32618 8 10	
	Terkalum	Terkalum	25050 6 "		
		Carumpollum	" " "		
Paliacoil	Palicoil	Paliacoil	24282 9 "	35807 10 "	
	Terkoocoil	Terkoocoil	5330 1 "		
	Agarum	Agarum	6795 " "		
Coil patam	Coil patam	Authoor	" " "	38222 10 "	
		Coil patam	38222 10 "		
		Trichendoor	" " "		
Coolasagarapatam	Coolasagarapatam	Coolasagarapatam		15807 12 "	
Vezia putty	Vezia putty	Vezia putty	6202 9 10		
	Coottangally	Coottangally	12140 1 8	18342 11 6	
				245718 10 8	

Quantity of Salt sold			Amount of Sales		
M. G	M.	M	C M.	A	P
Fusly 1215	637	191 7/8	44625	11	4
" 1216	716	323 10/16	50176	8	6
" 1217	975	195 5 7/10	68282	7	5
" 1218	1434	345 6 13/16	100440	13	7
" 1219	1238	355 4 1/2	122443	9	10
" 1220	1237	177 2	120364	10	3
" 1221	1257	191 2	132035	2	4
" 1222	1275	95 1/2	133891	12	4
" 1223	976	59 3 5/8	102495	9	9
" 1224	1442	107 7/8	151438	2	6
" 1225	1301	326 1 5/16	136690	13	5
" 1226	1520	200 6 9/16	159652	10	6
" 1227	1564	135 1/8	164157	11	4
" 1228	1709	9 7/8	172119	5	3
" 1229	1683	354 4 13/16	176384	4	2
" 1230	1835	113 5 1/2	192463	2	1
" 1231	2423	138 8 11/16	254066	1	10
" 1232	2040	306 4 1/2	214572	13	8
" 1233	1826	130 3 5/8	127825	"	10
" 1234	2014	67 4 1/4	147073	1	8
" 1235	2358	104 8 3/4	165079	1	7
" 1236	2249	125 6	157452	"	1
" 1237	2195	23 3 1/4	154841	14	"
" 1238	2219	187 1/4	233044	1	6
" 1239	2080	137 3 5/8	218436	1	8
" 1240	2002	84 2 1/2	210226	14	7
" 1241	1869	195 "	196296	3	"
" 1242	1744	340 "	183209	4	"
" 1243	1762	284 1/4	185084	12	11
" 1244	2010	3 1/4	211050	14	8
" 1245	2275	53 "	238888	14	8
" 1246	2249	195 "	236196	3	"
" 1247	2372	190 "	242809	14	"
" 1248	2352	350 "	247025	10	1
" 1249	2258	346 5	237181	"	"
" 1250	2413	378 3 1/4	253464	5	3
" 1251	2340	71 1/2	245718	10	8

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No. 2. Comparative Statement shewing the Gross Collections of Salt Revenue between Fusles 1250 and 1251.-

Salt Chowkies.	Amount of Gross collections of Fusly 1250.	Amount of Gross Collections of Fusly 1251.	Increase.	Decrease.
	CRs. a P	CRs. a P	CRs. a P	CRs. a P
Vypaur	42,361 " 7	31,388 11 2	" " "	10,972 5 5
Munjancolum	32,809 9 10	36,013 15 2	3,204 5 4	" " "
Aravady	35,235 6 "	37,516 12 "	2,281 6 "	" " "
Tutacorien	32,841 6 "	32,618 8 10	" " "	222 13 2
Palayacoil	35,429 10 "	35,807 10 "	378 " "	" " "
Coilpatam	35,795 13 "	38,222 10 "	2,426 13 "	" " "
Coolsagaropatam	23,985 10 10	15,807 12 "	" " "	8,177 14 10
Vezeapatty	15,005 13 "	18,342 11 6	3,336 14 6	" " "
Total	253,464 5 3	245,718 10 8	11,627 6 10	19,373 1 5
		Deduct	Increase	11,627 6 10
		Net	Decrease	7,745 10 7

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No. 3 Statement shewing the quantity of Salt manufac

Names of the Choukies	Names of the Salt Pans or place of Manufacture	Quantity of Salt Manufactured		
1	2	3		
		G	Gn.	m.
Typaur	Typaur	217	222	"
Munjuncolum	Munjuncolum	210	70	"
Arasady	Arasady	202	62	"
Tutacorien	Tutacorien	"	"	"
	Do. Terkolum	110	118	"
Poliacoil	Poliacoil	212	146	"
	Terkocoil	"	"	"
	Agaram	"	"	"
Coilpatam	Coilpatam	171	9	"
Coolasagarapatam	Coolasagarapatam	94	103	"
Vezia pathey	Vezia pathey	25	25	"
	Coottungooly	20	219	"
	Total	1270	68	"

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		G.	m.	m.
1841.	12	10	"	13 "
	13	10	"	50 "
		20	"	63 "
1840/42.	10	10	"	181 "
	11	10	"	175 "
	12	10	"	197 "
	13	10	"	139 "
	14	10	"	198 "
	15	10	"	171 "
	16	10	"	163 "
	17	10	"	193 "
	18	10	"	177 "

13.

Typaur

Typaur

Munjuncolum

Munjuncolum

Typaur

Tyaur

Tyaur

Munjuncolum

Munjuncolum

Tyaur

Tyaur

Tyaur

41	10	"	"	9	82	"	318 "
42	10	"	"	9	120	"	280 "
43	3	280	"	3	232	"	48 "
	63	280	"	60	323	"	4 333 "

1840

1	10	"	"	9	34	"	346 "
2	10	"	"	9	63	"	337 "
3	10	"	"	9	3	"	303 "
4	10	"	"	9	234	"	166 "
5	10	"	"	9	368	"	32 "

1841

8	10	"	"	9	297	"	103 "
9	8	70	"	7	383	"	87 "
	68	70	"	64	204	"	3 266 "

1840

37	10	"	"	9	115	"	283 "
38	10	"	"	9	73	"	327 "
39	10	"	"	9	27	"	373 "
40	10	"	"	9	76	"	324 "

1841

4	10	"	"	9	361	"	39 "
6	10	"	"	9	300	"	100 "
7	10	"	"	9	368	"	32 "
10	10	"	"	9	381	"	19 "
21	10	"	"	9	383	"	15 "
22	10	"	"	9	379	"	21 "
23	10	"	"	9	349	"	31 "
	181	300	"	175	283	"	6 17 "

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Paliacoil

Thercoocoil

Paliacoil

Agarum

Coilpatam

Coilpatam

	G.	m	m	G.	m	m	G.	m	m
1840									
3	10	"	"	9	349	"	"	21	"
1841									
12	10	"	"	9	380	"	"	20	"
13	10	"	"	9	365	"	"	35	"
14	10	"	"	9	387	"	"	13	"
1840									
1	10	"	"	9	370	"	"	30	"
2	10	"	"	9	397	"	"	3	"
4	10	"	"	9	381	"	"	19	"
1840									
1	10	"	"	9	281	"	"	119	"
2	10	"	"	9	259	"	"	141	"
3	10	"	"	9	250	"	"	150	"
4	10	"	"	9	300	"	"	100	"
5	10	"	"	9	212	"	"	188	"
6	10	"	"	9	258	"	"	142	"
7	1	50	"	1	40	"	"	10	"
	131	50	"	128	259	"	2	191	"
1840									
9	10	"	"	9	6	"	"	304	"
10	10	"	"	9	59	"	"	341	"
11	10	"	"	9	113	"	"	287	"
12	10	"	"	9	113	"	"	287	"
13	10	"	"	9	200	"	"	200	"
14	10	"	"	9	228	"	"	172	"
15	10	"	"	9	112	"	"	288	"
16	10	"	"	9	53	"	"	347	"
17	10	"	"	8	375	"	1	25	"
18	10	"	"	9	67	"	"	333	"
19	10	"	"	9	172	"	"	228	"
20	10	"	"	9	172	"	"	228	"
21	10	"	"	9	132	"	"	268	"
22	10	"	"	9	213	"	"	187	"
23	10	"	"	8	376	"	1	24	"
24	10	"	"	9	51	"	"	349	"
25	10	"	"	9	200	"	"	200	"
26	10	"	"	9	186	"	"	214	"
27	10	"	"	9	142	"	"	258	"
28	7	95	"	7	5	"	"	90	"
	197	95	"	183	175	"	13	320	"

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				G	m	m	G	m	m
			1840.						
Vezziapathy	2	10	"	"	9	229	"	"	171	"
	3	10	"	"	9	214	"	"	186	"
	4	10	"	"	9	270	"	"	130	"
	6	10	"	"	9	331	"	"	69	"
	7	"	101	"	"	97	"	"	4	"
			1839						
	10	8	129	"	8	70	"	"	59	"
			1840						
		10	"	"	9	310	"	"	90	"
Vezziapathy	2	10	"	"	9	18	"	"	382	"
	3	10	"	"	9	153	"	"	247	"
	4	10	"	"	9	10	"	"	390	"
Coolungooly	5	10	"	"	9	69	"	"	331	"
	6	10	"	"	9	75	"	"	325	"
	7	6	125	"	5	350	"	"	175	"
			1841						
	2	10	"	"	9	355	"	"	45	"
		124	355	"	118	151	"	6	204	"
	83	738	350	"	751	134	"	37	216	"

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No 5. Comparative Statement of the Collections of land duty in fusslies 1250 and 1251 in

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No. 6 Statement Shewing the different Items on which the Land duty has been collected in fusly 1251, in the District of Tinnevelly as required by Minutes of Consultation of 7th January 1837

	Raw Articles.					
1	Tobacco					
2	Betel	29335	3	8		
3	Gunjah	36920	"	"		
4	Betel nut	7	5	1		
5	Rape Seeds	9272	9	10		
6	Tamarind	2592	2	11		
7	Cocoanut	3122	11	4		
8	Cheyaroot	1892	37			
9	Lamp Oil seeds	2250	"	"		
10	Sundries	619	10	3		
11	Dry Cocoanut	319	7	11		
12	Pepper	19	39			
13	Cardemums	1	1	6		
14	Sandal wood	12	15	3		
15	Sendrookum flowers	2	3	6		
16	Common Seeds	141	15	3		
1	Piece Goods	"	"	"	86508	13 10
2	Opium	73819	1	6		
3	Oil	"	"	"		
4	Ghee	1991	5	11		
5	Sugar, fine and Brown	163	1	3		
6	Palmira Jaggery	58	6	10		
7	Iron	18512	2	"		
8	Indigo	2032	8	11		
9	Gunny	6	"	11		
10	Cotton	593	2	3		
11	Thread	8070	"	10		
12	Silk	180	14	4		
13	Salt petre	706	10	2		
		"	1	2		
					106132	3 1
	Deduct Amount paid to the ycomiadars				19262	5 11
	Net Amount				192527	13 3

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No. 7 Statement of the Gross Collections of the Revenue in fusly 1251 in the Province of Tinnevelly.

Name of the Chowkies.

	Amount of Collections for fusly 1851.			Remarks.
Cayaram	434	4	4	
Tutacorein	5850	8	10	
Colapatam	5894	1	8	
Coolasagarapatam	8046	21		
Total	20522	39		
Auckisrage duty	749	8	1	

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Decrease in the exportation of Chank to Bengal	2170 12 6
Do = Do of Grain to Madras and Tanjore	147 14
Do = Do of Tobacco to Malta	131 59
Do = Do of Cotton wool to China	98 62
Do = Do of Metal to Ceylon	63 " "
Do = Do of Senna to Madras	49 101
Do = Do of Cheyroot to Madras	18 31
Do = Do of Drugs &c = to Ceylon and London	8 153
Do = Do of Dry Coconut to Madras	6 76
Do = Do of Horns to Madras	5 118
	2699 94
	2,942 44
Net Increase	1,884 18

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No. 9 Statement of the Revenue in Fasly 1251 in the Collectorate of Tinnevelly.

Name of the Renters	Amount of Rent	Total
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Arnaud's Rent of the whole District	12 0 0	
Do. of Palamcottah	14,600 " "	
Do. of Eteacorin	2760 " "	
Festival at Tricholore	80 " "	
	19 " "	17239 " "
Lobaly Rent of the whole District	4510 " "	
Do. of Palamcottah	1125 " "	
Do. of Eteacorin	420 " "	
	Total Company's Rupees	24594 " "
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No. 10 Statement of the Sundry Small farms and Licenses in the Province of Tinnevelly for Fasly 1251.

Name of the Renters	Amount of the Rent	Total
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Fish Rent		
Nelliambalum	736 1 11	
Vedoo-gramum	792 13 "	
Tencausey	541 14 5	
Sauttoor	55 14 10	
Streevycoontum	1510 " "	
Oatapadaurum	181 8 "	
Punjamaul	752 12 7	
Chokumputty	623 12 "	
Nauganary	691 6 "	
Vullyoor	316 14 "	6203 " 9
Sherinmadary	446 1 "	
Bramadasam	935 15 "	
Streevilly pootoor	2414 14 3	
Shenkersuno covil	315 15 3	4112 13 6
		10315 14 3
Cheyaroot Rent		
Cheyaroot rent of the whole District	Nagamadoomera Mercoyen	7220 " "
Chank Rent	M. Coog	9112 8 "
Total Company's Rupees		26648 6 3

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8		Do.		Do.			1	8	"				
32		Do.		Do.			1	32	"				
										157	162	4	5438 6585 8
6	1	Anna Layer		Rowannah			46413	2900	13				
4		Do.		Do.			13930	3482	8				
8		Do.		Do.			5969	2984	8				
1		Rupee		Do.			1357	1357	"				
2		Do.		Do.			807	1614	"				
4		Do.		Do.			111	444	"				
										68587	12782	13	68587 12782 13
	1	Anna Lea custom		Rowannah			33	2	1.				
4		Do.		Do.			241	60	4				
8		Do.		Do.			342	171	"				
1		Do.		Do.			247	247	"				
2		Do.		Do.			275	550	"				
4		Do.		Do.			399	1596					
10		Do.		Do.			28	280	"				
20		Do.		Do.			16	320	"				
										1581	3226	5	1581 3,226 5
													75606 22,594 10

Add

Amount of Penalty levied on documents not written on the prescribed Stamp papers	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	356	4
Value of Papers furnished to pauper Plaintiff	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	46	8
Additional fee levied on the sales of stamped papers for deeds.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	14-6
								Total Company's Rupees	23002	4-6

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No. 13 Statement shewing the Amount of Revenue of Moturpha in the Zemindaries of the Province of Tinnevelly for Fusly 1251.

Names of the Zemindaries. Summah.	Rs.	as.	p.
Ettiapoorum including Panjalamcottah & Coorchey	3843	12	-
Shevagherry	1176	15	4
Wootloomally	572	5	10
Paryoor	786	6	-
Tatavencattah	129	14	5
Cadumboor	157	8	10
Pauraully	101	12	2
Gollapulty	228	6	4
Yailoomaday	405	7	4
Alagapoory	64	7	9
Nadoovacoorchey	17	14	5
Manecachee	832	6	5
Sorunday	51	15	10
Shennulgoody	60	4	5
Attangaray	87	3	1
Mailmanday	81	13	4
Nagalaupoorum	551	3	2
Sundyoor	245	10	9
Woorcaud	193	6	1
Singumpulty	20	4	6
Munnaurcottay	96	12	-
Saithoor	319	13	10
Sapatoor	228	7	3
Covelpulty	222	10	9
Auvoodiapoorum	113	12	6
Vandemettah	181	1	1
Gollengondan	30	5	3
Colathoor	111	13	1
Candelgoodey	220	10	7
Total	11134	11	4

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No. 14 Account Particulars of the Source of Extra Collections, entered in Column 9 of the Statement A, of the Extra Revenue of Fusly 1251, in the Province of Tinnevelly.-

	Rs	as	p	Rs	as
Salt					
Amount of Fines				121	
Sayer					
Extra Revenue-					
Amount Sale of Smuggled Piece Goods &c.	105	11	4		
Amount of Double duty Collected on Smuggled Piece Goods &c.	92	11	3		
Amount of Excess Collection by Batel Rent of Punjanahl Talook	-	-	2		
Amount unpaid for a Valachary Curnom of Pulcoorchyat &c.	1	6	5		
				199	13 2
Sea Customs-					
Amount Sale of Smuggled Goods	10	3	2		
Amount of Double Duty Collected on Smuggled goods	20	7	7		
				30	10 9
Small farms and Licences					
Amount of Fish rent not included in the Jummabundy of Fusly 1250, and brought to account in this Fusly.				14	10 2
Moturpha-					
Amount of Collection made on account of Moturpha not included in the Jummabundy account viz.					
Fusly 1245	11	8	3		
1249	149	4	3		
1250	133	4	11		
1251	3	13	7		
				297	15 -
Total Company's Rupees				664	1 1

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STATEMENT *shewing the Gross Collections, Charges and Net Revenue of all Branches of Revenue, Land Revenue excepted, for Fuslies 1249 - 1250 and 1251*

	For the last three Years.									Comparison of the Last two Fuslies.						REMARKS.
	Fusly 1249			Fusly 1250			Fusly 1251			Increase			Decrease			
SALT.	Rups.	A.	P.	Rups	A.	P.	Rups.	A.	P.	Rups.	A.	P.	Rups.	A.	P.	
Gross Collections	237313	9	11	253244	15	4	245539	10	3	"	"	"	7705	4	8	
Charges for Purchase or Manufacture	19925	12	4	8391	2	11	29243	"	3	20851	13	4	"	"	"	
Do. Superintendence and Sale, &c	12046	9	9	12189	8	2	12186	7	1	"	"	"	25	1	1	
Total Charges	31972	7	1	21080	11	1	41429	7	4	20326	12	3	"	"	"	
Net Revenue	205341	2	10	232464	4	3	204432	3	1	"	"	"	28032	"	11	
Per Centage of the Charges	13	10	27/32	8	5	37/38	16	12	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	
TOBACCO MONOPOLY.																
Gross Collections	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Charges for Purchase	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Do. Superintendence and Sale, &c	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Total Charges	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Net Revenue	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
Per Centage of the Charges	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
LAND CUSTOMS.																
Gross Collections	203658	9	7	196305	3	11	196377	12	5	72	6	6	"	"	"	
Charges of Collection	12923	15	11	13112	14	3	13116	6	11	"	"	"	25	7	9	
Charges „ Commission	139	12	6	166	"	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	166	"	6	
Charges „ Drawback	8204	5	3	4372	13	10	4790	3	2	417	10	4	"	"	"	
Total	23020	2	1	17681	13	"	17906	15	1	225	2	1	"	"	"	
Net Revenue	180638	7	6	178623	6	11	178470	11	4	"	"	"	152	11	7	
Per Centage of the Charges	11	4	10	9	"	1/2	9	1	37/38	"	"	"	"	"	"	
SEA CUSTOMS.																
Gross Collections	23981	2	"	13638	2	1	20582	14	6	1911	12	5	"	"	"	
Charges of Collection	2194	7	2	6049	9	5	2125	2	9	"	"	"	3924	6	8	
Charges „ Commission	224	10	11	19	11	6	"	"	"	"	"	"	19	11	6	
Charges „ Drawback	"	"	"	"	"	"	265	14	5	265	14	5	"	"	"	
Total	2419	2	1	6069	4	11	2391	1	2	"	"	"	3675	3	9	
Net Revenue	21561	15	11	12553	13	2	18191	13	4	5593	2	"	"	"	"	
Per Centage of the Charges	10	1-3/4		32	9	1/2	11	10	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	
ABKARY.																
Gross Collections	16958	13	6	21491	12	"	24023	12	"	4532	"	"	"	"	"	
Charges	144	12	8	12	11	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	12	11	4	
Net Revenue	16924	"	10	21479	"	8	24023	12	"	4544	11	4	"	"	"	
Per Centage of the Charges	"	13	8	"	"	11 31/32	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
SUNDRY SMALL FARMS AND LICENSES.																
Gross Collections	19194	5	4	23064	9	8	28618	11	8	5557	2	"	"	"	"	
Charges	193	"	8	"	"	"	2237	"	7	2087	"	4	"	"	"	
Net Revenue	19001	4	11	23064	9	8	26531	11	1	3470	1	5	"	"	"	
Per Centage of the Charges	1	"	1/64	"	"	"	7	4	33/64	"	"	"	"	"	"	
(Here enter all other items of Extra Revenue peculiar to the District.)																
Stamps Revenue																
Gross Collections	25840	13	2	23141	2	6	23002	4	5	"	"	"	138	11	"	
Charges	1414	12	5	575	5	3	486	"	"	"	"	"	89	5	3	
Net Revenue	24426	"	9	22565	13	3	22516	4	6	"	"	"	49	8	9	
Per Centage of the Charges	5	7	1/2	2	7	9/19	2	1	9/19	"	"	"	"	"	"	
VISSABUDDEE AND MOHTURPHA.																
Gross Collections	10844	5	3	10543	14	11	11436	10	7	923	11	7	"	"	"	
Charges	938	15	1	75	15	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	75	15	1	
Net Revenue	10552	6	2	10532	15	10	11436	10	7	903	10	9	"	"	"	
Per Centage of the Charges	"	14	11/32	"	1	1 52/64	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
GRAND TOTAL.																
Gross Collections	633417	11	"	641586	12	5	655651	10	4	13464	13	11	"	"	"	
Charges	60103	4	1	45195	12	9	64278	8	2	18732	11	6	"	"	"	
Net Revenue	573314	6	11	596090	15	9	591473	2	2	"	"	"	5317	13	7	
Per Centage of the Charges	9	7	10	7	1	5 1/2	9	13	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	
GRAND TOTAL.																
Gross Collections after deductions for Manufacture or Purchase of Salt & Tobacco	613491	13	8	632695	9	6	625803	10	1	"	"	"	6286	15	5	
Charges after deductions for Do	41177	6	9	36604	9	9	35035	7	11	"	"	"	1569	1	10	
Per Centage of the Charges on the Gross Collections after deductions	6	8	9	5	12	6 7/19	5	9	7	"	"	"	"	"	"	

Tinnivelly 11th July 1842

E. E. & C.

W. G. Montgomery

Collector

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Order thereon. Ordered to be brought forward at a future day.

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Read the following letters—

To

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

From the Pr. Coll. of Canara, Reporting on the Petition No. 1861 of 1841 from certain heads of the chetra-paul Pagoda in the Bekal Talook of the District of Canara.—

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Sir

1. I have the honor to submit for the information of the Board the following report on the accompanying Petition No. 1861 of 1841, from certain heads of the Chetrapaul Pagoda in the Bekal Talook of this District. The Petitioners complain of their having been deprived of their Pagoda, and assert that neither the Rajah of Neelaswar has any right to nominate a person to the Office of Puttally, nor is the Sircar competent to interfere in the case of the Pagoda referred to in their Petition.—

2 With respect to Petitioners having been deprived of the Pagoda, I beg to state that they have not been disturbed, but on the contrary supported in the enjoyment of the rights and privileges, which are attached to the Office they hold.

This

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There is clearly shewn in the several Pattahs issued in the case of Petitioners one of which, translated is herewith forwarded for the information of the Board.

3. The temporal affairs of the Pagoda appear for a length of time to have been under the superintendence of a Puttally or Manager, whose Office is found included in the list of the Pagoda's Jusdeek, which was framed in reference to former accounts at the time when the Pagoda lands were assumed and a Money allowance fixed for them in lieu thereof. But neither the Petitioners, or their Predecessors in Office, have ever professed any controuling authority over the lands or funds of the Pagoda, dependent of the Puttally

4. Several successive Pattahs have been appointed by the former Collectors of this District and on the death of the incumbent in 1840, several persons were presented for the Office both by the Petitioners

Petitioners, and Rayah, one of whom that appeared the fittest in all respects for the duty was appointed by the Officer in charge of the Talook.

5. In the course of the inquiry which proceeded the appointment of the Pattally in question, the Petitioners very much wished that the Office should be abolished, and no Pattally appointed for the Pagoda. The object they had in view in this desire was no doubt, the acquisition of the uncontrolled disposal of the funds belonging to the Pagoda. But it must be supposed that the original appointment of the Pattally, was for the purpose of preventing any misappropriation of the Revenues of the Pagoda; and where a proper person is selected for the Office there can be no doubt that he acts as a useful Check over improper expenditure of the funds by the Officers of the Pagoda.

6. With regard to the sanction of the Board not having been obtained for the appointment of the Pattally, I beg to observe that the Pagodas in this District being

being mostly small and unimportant, it does not appear ever to have been usual to report such cases to the Board, and there is no instance on record of the appointment of any of the Pagoda Servants having received the sanction or confirmation of the Board, since the enactment of Regulation VII of 1817.

7. As the contemplated withdrawal of all Government interferences in the Pagoda affairs, will soon put an end to all questions like the one now under discussion, I think it unnecessary to add any thing further than to repeat, that Petitioners have no just cause for their present complaint, nothing having been done in this case which is not sanctioned by long Established custom.

Principal Collr.s Cutcherry,
Mangalore, 13th Augt.o 1842.

I Signed I H. M. Blair
Princ.l Collr

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Translation of a Takeed to the Bekul Tahsildar by the Principal Collector Mr. Blair in the case of Pattally Shiva in Chetrapaul Pagoda dated 22nd July 1840.

Moolcherry.

Fort St.e George 8.th September 1842.

Moolcherry Nair Madaire Nair and Camaca Pillay of the Chetrapaud Dasvastanum in the Ajanoor Village of your Talook preferred an Appeal No.e 72 of 1840 against the order of the Head Assistant Collector directing the appointment of Pattally in that Pagoda, and praying for the reversal of that order, on the ground that there was no occasion for the Services of a Pattally there

The proceedings forming the case were all sent for and your Arzees to the Head Assistant Collector No.e 666 and 928 of 1249 and No.e 424 addressed to the Huzzoor with enclosures as well as the final order issued by that Officer No.e 425 were perused together with the Tusdic Accounts and petition preferred by the third Rayah of Neleshawar Ramawaram.

It appears that the tusdic fixed for the Pagoda is 30 Pagodas per annum, of which 3 Pagodas is the allowance allotted to the Office of Pattally. It is evident that the Pattally Ship has been usually filled by individuals who may be presented by the Neleshawar Rayah and the Pagoda people

On

Fort St.e George 8.th September 1842.

On the death of the former Pattally, the 1.st and 3.d Rayahs prayed for the appointment of a successor, when the individual recommended by you after enquiry, had been ordered by the Head Assistant Collector to be appointed to the vacancy, which is a proper order.

The Appellants deprecate the Appointment of the Pattally the reason of which is no other, than to obtain the unrestricted appropriation of the Pagoda funds to which the Pattally is a bar. The order of Head Assistant Collector is therefore confirmed. The privileges and rights, which were enjoyed by the Appellants should be continued fully to them without any abstruction. You will act up to the order of that Gentleman, and take care that the standing Maumul, concerning the precedence, privileges &c.a is not any wise departed from. The Vakeel of the Appellants on being questioned, merely states that they do not agree to the Appointment of a Puttally but

Assigns

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-assigns no good reason for the objection-

It is stated in the appeal Arzee that the accounts of the former Pattally ship have not been rendered. You will therefore require the accounts of that Pattally ship also together with those for the time during which the Pagoda was managed by the Appellants, and examine them carefully. Should any irregularity be found out, you shall hold due enquiry into them, and report the case to the Officer in charge of your Talook, for his orders submitting a brief information thereon to the Huzzoor.

You will take particular care that no embezzlement or fraud is practiced in the affairs of the Pagoda according to the instructions already received by you. The Tundick Accounts &c.a are returned herewith, to be replaced on your records.

/Signed/ H. M. Blair.
Principal Collr

/True Translation/
/Signed/ H. M. Blair.
Princl Collector

Ordered

Fort St.e George 8th September 1842.

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Order thereon
/Read again in Cons.s 15th September/

Ordered to be sent again in Circulation.

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

From the Princl Collr of Canara

Sir,

I have the honor to inform you that in consequence of the early setting in of the Monsoon this year the manufacture of Salt was stopped, before the quantity required for the Monopoly had been prepared. Of 3119 Garce, for the manufacture of which orders had been issued, 1853 Garce only were produced leaving a deficiency of 1266 Garce.

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2. I have therefore published a proclamation inviting tenders for the supply of 1150 Garce of Bombay and Goa Salt which will be required for the consumption of the current year, and I request the Boards Sanction for the purchase of that quantity, as also to make the necessary advances to the Contractors, to the extent

	Garce
†Bombay	650
Goa	500
	1150

of

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these Petitioners to call for any change.

2. Ordered that the three Petitions be respectively endorsed as follows.

On Nos 1903 of 1841. & 174 of 1842.

"The grounds on which the Petitioners claim to the management of the Navanguiattah Pagoda was rejected by the Collector are sound and just and the Board see no reason whatever to alter the arrangement by which this Pagoda was placed under the charge of the Zamorin Rajah."

On No 481 of 1842.

"The grounds on which the Petitioner's claim to the Superintendence of the Tirukandiour Pagoda was rejected by the Collector are sound and just; and the Board see no reason whatever to alter the arrangement which placed this Pagoda under the sole management of the Zamorin Rajah."

Read the following Registers.

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Ordered.

10196 Fort St. George 8th September 1842.

Ordered that the following address be submitted with the foregoing Register.

To The Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

To The Acting Chief Secy. to Government. Para 1. With reference to Mr. Porter's letter of the 28th July last, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for transmission to Bengal the enclosed Copy of the Register of Permits issued for the exportation of Salt to Calcutta from the Port of Madras during the Month of July 1842 Bengal Maunds 73816.

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11th August to 8th Sept. 1842.

2. Adding this to the quantity reported in Mr. Porter's letter above referred to the total exportation to the end of July on account of the Bengal Indent for the year 1842 is Bengal Maunds 6,30,726.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 8th September 1842.

/Signed/ J. D. Bourdillon Secretary

Resolved

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Resolved that the following letter be dispatched.

To The Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

To the Actg. Chief Secy. to Government. Para 1. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying General Statement prepared in the usual form from the Monthly Accounts, shewing the Collections of Ordinary Revenue from 12th July 1841 to 30th June 1842 of Fusly 1251 compared with the Collections in the same period of Fusly 1250.

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2. Abstract B, shews a Net Increase in the aggregate of Rupees 55,516-5-10 resulting from a Net Decrease of Rupees 297403-3 in the Collections of Land Revenue, and a Net Increase of Rupees 352919-6-1, in the Collections from Extra Sources of Revenue.

Decrease in the Collections of Current	6,15,208 10 9.	
Deduct Increase in the Collections of arrears	317805 10 6.	
	297403 3.	

3. Abstract C shews the Increase and Decrease in the Collections of Land Revenue, and the Revenue from Extra Sources in the Several Districts.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 8th September 1842.

/Signed/ J. D. Bourdillon Secretary

General

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Fort St. George

Madras

8th September 1812.

Presidency from 12th July to 30th June of Fusly 1251 Compared.

Collections of

Arrears and Current.

Land Revenue.

Comparison.

Increase

Decrease

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		Current	Total	Arrears	Current	Total	Increase	Decrease
		9	10	11	12	13	14	15
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
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3		87,064 15 0	21,329 7 13 3	" " "	" " "	" " "	21,329 7 13 3	" " "
4		1,83,571 10 9	2,00,10 1 10	" " "	" " "	" " "	2,00,10 1 10	" " "
5		4,181 6 -	" " "	54,680 6 4	14,302 11 -	68,983 1 4	" " "	68,983 1 4
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10	Northern D	28,595 1 8	92,903 7 11	" " "	2,36,553 2 3	2,36,553 2 3	" " "	1,43,649 15 4
11	Southern D	" " "	17,56,93 5 -	" " "	4,10,675 6 8	4,10,675 6 8	" " "	2,35,036 3 3
12		" " "	2,31,951 -	" " "	3,82,255 1 4	3,82,255 1 4	" " "	3,79,905 12 3
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Add Old.

Deduct Coll
Collections

Town of St. George

with the Collections in the same Parish of Lucky 1850.

Page	Lucky 1850.	Lucky 1854	Lucky 1850.	Lucky 1850.
		Parish of St. George		
	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Yr. Ab.	Yr. Ab.	Yr. Ab.	Yr. Ab.	Yr. Ab.	Yr. Ab.
1	1235	10	2635	35	6157	3			2319	3	25	3
2	1	6	17	5	1218	15			1	1	1	1
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Page	Lucky 1850.	Lucky 1854	Lucky 1850.	Lucky 1850.
		Parish of St. George		
	22	23	24	25	26	27
	Yr. Ab.	Yr. Ab.	Yr. Ab.	Yr. Ab.	Yr. Ab.	Yr. Ab.
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Sundry Small Farms and Licenses

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7	78 93 7 1	64 67 1 1	" " "	14 26 6 "	71 922 13 10	72 336 3 "
8	101 33 5 7	139 22 8 6	37 89 2 11	" " "	" " "	" " "
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10	64 87 8 8	41 16 5 4	" " "	2 341 3 4	289 30 12 5	271 77 7 4
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12	246 77 9 6	250 35 6 5	35 7 12 11	" " "	391 15 11 8	410 163 5 4
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					Net Decrease 38 714 11 5	
	12 130 96	Deduct Decrease				
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Tobacco Stamps

	Fasly 1250	Fasly 1251	Increase	Decrease	Fasly 1250	Fasly 1251	Increase	Decrease
	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47
	Rx. As.	Rx. As.	Rx. As.	Rx. As.	Rx. As.	Rx. As.	Rx. As.	Rx. As.
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16	" "	" "	" "	" "	23698 12 4	20646 12 3	" "	3052 " 1
17	" "	" "	" "	" "	17444 12 4	15657 " "	" "	1787 11 4
18	2621107	2532968	" "	88135	3405059	3713413	308473	" "
19	4814931	0114821	" "	32499	9503814	6500988	" "	28658
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	7470432	4734978	97 " "		120638 9	1647301	1 4 4 2 1 1 8	11 1 5772 8 7
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	7470422	4734978	97 " "		120638 9	1647301	1 4 4 2 1 1 8	11 1 5772 8 7

Deduct Increase 5772 8 7

Nett Decrease 32612 " 3

6859321510671691 15 1

6410926328610 6

4300901540798613 11

34639 12 " 34131 13 2

Total of the Extra Branches of Revenue — Nett

	Fasly 1250	Fasly 1251	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
	48	49	50		51	
	Rx. As.	Rx. As.	Rx. As.		Rx. As.	
	298972 4 6	338509 14 9	39819 8 4		281 11 1	39537 10 3
	345222 " 4	286908 " 6	281914 "		31163 13 10	" "
	3019077 12 5	1551171 13 10	1507277 15 1		11463 13 8	11926 4 1 5
	4135900 4 8	4306259 11	1679411 4		2668 12 1	11125 5 3
	4153938 14 9	1077191 0 2	1167403 7		19353 8 2	" "
	5193859 11	5952201 2 3	8259811 9		6763 9 5	7583 5 2 4
	2097675 11	3021558 5 2	321691 2		5825 9 11	1390 15 3
	5868211 "	5930781 2 4	1272733 3		6251 1 11	6496 1 4
	5713551 4 3	6639941 " 6	1017561 2 1		9118 9 10	9263 8 2 3
	3187917 "	3014836 9 3	2083779		34792 5 6	" "
	4377861 0 4	1681864 1 3 3	3222169		1521 3 10	30700 2 11
	9480744 "	9511356 1	9735559		6374 3 8	3361 2 1
	1645210 8	1673531 5 3	9433 5		1110 14 10	" "
	2028411 5	6094611 "	2033510 4		13616 4 10	6619 5 6
	8432331 0 9	8632852 2	2005175		" "	20051 7 5
	4563821 4 "	4616852 6	139211 "		5618 5 6	8302 10 6
	2906451 3 10	2856987 8	1219927		17146 8 9	" "
	1231875 7 7	1218296 5 "	2045915 "		34039 1 7	" "
	1482292 14 7	1425304 4 9	1652213 10		73511 7 8	" "
	1115395 3 9	1186703 15 2	69810 " 5		15315 "	68308 11 5
	259704 9	241667 10	" "		18031 2 11	" "
	4453181 2	2407983 11 2	" "		37331 11 "	" "
	1209462 3 10	1214618 4 13 5	663132 7 10		31127 15 "	5166301 3 11
	" "	" "	" "		1058 3 3	" "
	" "	" "	87551 9		98138 "	" "
	1210337 8 15	1214502 9 8 5				

5176891 2 16176 9 11 1

16176 9 11 1 Deduct Decrease

3529 19 6 1 Nett Increase

1120175 3 1 1 1147282 9 1 2

9016 25 14 3 9834 6 9 1 3

Total including Extra Branches of Revenue

	Fusly 1250		Fusly 1251		Increase		Decrease		Nett. Increase		Nett. Decrease	
	54		55		56		57		58		59	
	Rx.	As.	Chs.	As.	Rx.	As.	Rx.	As.	Rx.	As.	Rx.	As.
1	4,34,683	15 6	11,38,287	11 7	39,519	8 1	36,215	9 3	3,603	15 1	"	"
2	1,36,033	6 10	15,31,266	11 "	2,02,397	2 "	31,165	13 10	1,71,233	4 2	"	"
3	16,86,008	11 5	20,48,570	10 1	36,102	5 12	14,063	13 8	36,256	11 8	"	"
4	9,54,786	12 4	9,88,922	3 5	36,801	3 2	3,668	12 1	34,133	7 1	"	"
5	1,31,805	6 7	12,42,143	" 8	11,674	3 7	88,336	9 6	"	"	"	"
6	13,95,306	9 4	12,97,425	3 "	82,598	11 9	1,80,802	1	"	"	76,662	5 11
7	19,97,283	3 9	20,35,710	10 9	44,253	" 11	58,259	9 11	38,427	7 "	"	"
8	2,27,837	6 2	8 2,32,733	7 3	4 105,192	2 7	6,231	1 11	98,961	" 8	"	"
9	23,13,136	10 8	24,35,520	11 2	13,802	10 4	9,118	9 10	12,684	" 6	"	"
10	22,53,883	1 10	20,96,258	4 9	20,837	7 9	1,81,442	4 10	"	"	157,604	13 1
11	24,52,534	8 10	22,48,198	8 6	32,226	6 9	2,56,557	7 1	"	"	204,336	" 4
12	4,31,439	" 1	39,36,894	5 11	9,735	5 9	3,86,279	15 11	"	"	376,544	10 2
13	1,60,439	7 10	15,30,192	2 2	9,433	5 8	80,190	9 1	"	"	79,217	5 8
14	23,24,463	3 10	25,17,469	8 2	20,235	10 4	2,722	9 6	"	"	69,311	8 8
15	3,39,626	7 9	3,17,264	7 9	11 15,702	1 2 2	"	"	15,702	1 2 2	"	"
16	24,10,302	8 8	24,99,313	11 8	94,629	8 6	5,618	5 6	89,011	3 "	"	"
17	22,70,888	7 8	23,89,199	15 5	1,35,458	" 6	1,71,468	9	1,185	11 7	9	"
18	29,17,083	3 2	28,84,927	9 4	20,459	15 "	5,261	5 8	10	"	"	"
19	30,48,223	3 5	30,04,184	" 3	29,172	1 6	7,351	1 7	5	"	"	32,155	9 10
20	11,71,396	13 5	12,40,881	9 3	7,698	" 10	1,531	5 "	69,154	11 10	"	14,039	5 2
	25,970	4 9	24,166	7 10	"	" "	1,803	12 11	"	" "	"	1,803	12 11
	44,531	8 12 2	40,798	3 11 2	"	" "	37,334	11 "	"	" "	"	37,334	11 "
	1,28,509	70 2 6	1,30,01,771	15 4	1,61,056	7 8 6	1,45,976	5 11 8	12,651	0 5 9	11	11,460	3 13 1
	15,07,501	0 3 3	5,5,465	3 3	"	" "	"	" "	21,095	7 4	11	6,380	11 4
	1,30,01,720	12 9	1,30,57,237	2 7					12,86,501	1 3	12,30,984	11 5
	39,42,026	11 "	39,55,206	7 6					12,30,984	11 3	Deduct Decrease	
	35,79,694	1 9	35,22,030	11 1					55,516	5 10	Net Increase	

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Collections of Old Balances
Land Revenue

Sayer

	Fusly 1250		Fusly 1251		Increase		Decrease		Fusly 1250		Fusly 1251		Increase		Decrease	
	60		61		62		63		64		65		66		67	
	Chs.	As.	Chs.	As.	Chs.	As.	Chs.	As.	Chs.	As.	Chs.	As.	Chs.	As.	Chs.	As.
	32,798	11	18,056	4 7	11,776	11 8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	1,187	15 3	1,32,788		139	9 5	"	"	21	12 "	20	"	"	"	1	12 "
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	98	7 "	24	10 10	"	"	73	12 2
	20,761	0 1	995	5 8	"	" "	1,078	1 5	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	4,613	4	206	1 5	"	" "	254	11 11	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	1,526	1	822	1 9	669	11 8	"	" "	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	7,992	5	1,106	6 10	307	4 5	"	" "	191	1 7	116	11 1	"	"	14	9 6
	11,311	1 9	7,898	11 6	"	" "	1,052	15 9	"	" "	808	11 "	808	11 "	"	"
	4,151	5 8	732	15 9	"	" "	341	8 5	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	4,221	11 "	1,408	10 10	"	" "	281	3 2	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	14,151	8	3,025	12 6	1,580	7 10	"	" "	295	" "	109	3 9	79	8 15	9	" "
	1,238	2 6	912	15 6	"	" "	325	3 "	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	314	13 4	295	2 6	"	" "	19	10 10	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	1,881	3 4	1,021	7 3	"	" "	86	2 1	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	3,165	12 "	2,344	12 4	"	" "	81	8 15	8	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	6,101	1 2	827	3 5	216	5 3	"	" "	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	141	10 7	8	4 1	"	" "	13	3 6	6	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	7,522	5	1,658	11 8	90	6 9 3	"	" "	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	"	"	"	"	"	"
	1,19,955	6	1,36,511	3	18,596	11 6	11,940	5 9	606	7 7	2094	" 8	1,607	10 9	120	1 8

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	Abkary Fusly 1250			Abkary Fusly 1251			Increase			Decrease			Sundry Small Fusly 1250			Sundry Small Fusly 1251		
	68			69			70			71			72			73		
	Rx.	A.	P.	Rx.	A.	P.	Rx.	A.	P.	Rx.	A.	P.	Rx.	A.	P.	Rx.	A.	P.
1	80	5	2	297	10	2	217	5	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6	8	"
2	5000	"	"	3068	8	"	"	"	"	1991	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
3	2	8	8	410	6	7	407	13	11	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
4	111	7	5	177	10	6	66	3	1	"	"	"	21	4	"	7	12	"
5	61	10	4	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	57	10	4	"	"	"	"	"	"
7	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	133	10	"	57	5	"
8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	27	10	1	71	2	4
9	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
11	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
12	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
13	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
14	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
15	457	14	"	13	13	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	23	7	8	57	5	4
16	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	444	1	"	24	11	4	550	"	"
17	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	17	3	8
18	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
19	"	"	"	2297	13	6	2297	13	6	"	"	"	11	14	11	"	"	"
20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	987	4	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	5713	13	7	6209	13	9	2989	3	6	2493	3	4	1229	14	"	767	4	4

	Farms and Licenses Increase			Farms and Licenses Decrease			Moturpha Fusly 1250			Moturpha Fusly 1251			Increase			Decrease		
	74			75			76			77			78			79		
	Rx.	A.	P.	Rx.	A.	P.	Rx.	A.	P.	Rx.	A.	P.	Rx.	A.	P.	Rx.	A.	P.
1	"	"	"	"	"	"	14	8	9	"	"	"	"	"	"	14	8	9
2	6	8	"	"	"	"	2	10	"	18	3	9	15	9	9	"	"	"
3	"	"	"	"	"	"	337	10	4	147	13	2	"	"	"	189	13	7
4	"	"	"	13	8	"	"	"	"	14	"	8	14	"	8	"	"	"
5	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	80	14	8
6	"	"	"	76	5	"	4332	15	2	353	"	6	"	"	"	9	8	4
7	"	"	"	"	"	"	9	8	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
8	43	8	3	"	"	"	26	7	"	5	12	"	"	"	"	20	11	"
9	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
11	"	"	"	"	"	"	64	14	"	3	13	"	"	"	"	61	1	"
12	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
13	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
14	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
16	33	13	8	"	"	"	159	13	4	22	13	6	"	"	"	136	15	11
17	525	4	8	"	"	"	144	9	4	78	14	9	"	"	"	65	10	7
18	17	3	8	"	"	"	11	1	4	97	13	11	86	12	7	"	"	"
19	"	"	"	11	14	11	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
20	"	"	"	987	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	626	6	3	1088	15	11	1205	1	7	742	5	3	116	7	"	579	3	4

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Tobacco

	Fusly 1250			Fusly 1251			Increase			Decrease			Fusly 1250			Fusly 1251		
	80			81			82			83			84			85		
	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p
1													3,374	6	10	18,360	6	9
2													5,002	10		3,026	11	9
3													4,571	2	3	4,913	8	5
4													209	11	5	216	6	
5													2,705	13	7	1,412	11	2
6													498	5	9	277	6	9
7													178	13	1	827	13	9
8																		
9													1,055	5		1,256	14	11
10													11,311	4	9	8,707	6	6
11													4,151	5	8	732	15	9
12													4,221	14		1,408	10	10
13													1,763	12	4	4,177	1	7
14													1,422	11	2	1,485	13	
15													917	4	8	405	1	11
16													1,895	4	8	1,119	5	2
17													3,175	10	11	2,344	12	4
18													1,595	2	2	3,125		11
19													141	10	7	8	14	1
20													752	2	5	1,658	11	8
													150,750	10	3	55,485	3	3

Grand Total of Collections

Increase			Decrease			Fusly 1250			Fusly 1251			Increase			Decrease		
86			87			88			89			90			91		
Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p
14,985	15	11				11,38,058	6	4	11,56,648	5	4	18,589	15				
			1,975	14	3	1,36,036		10	15,34,293	6	9	1,69,257	5	11			
342	6	2				1,69,579	13	8	20,53,484	2	6	36,290	4	10			
6	7	7				95,499	6	10	9,89,138	9	5	34,141	14	8			
			1,293	2	5	13,21,611	4	2	12,43,555	11	10				77,955	8	4
			220	15		13,95,804	15	1	12,97,702	9	9				98,102	5	4
649		8				19,97,462		10	20,26,538	8	6	39,076	7	8			
						22,28,376	2	8	23,27,337	3	4	98,961		8			
201	9	11				23,14,191	15	8	24,37,077	10	1	1,22,885	10	5			
			104,406	14	3	23,66,977	6	7	21,04,965	11	3				2,62,011	11	4
			3,418	5	11	24,56,685	14	6	22,48,931	8	3				2,07,754	6	3
			2,813	3	2	43,17,660	14	1	39,38,303		9				3,79,357	13	4
						18,11,203	4	2	15,34,369	3	9				76,834		5
2,413	5	3				25,25,885	15		26,18,955	5	2				6,930	9	10
63	1	10															
			512	2	9	30,20,543	12	5	31,77,062	11	10	15,6,508	15	5			
			775	15	6	24,12,197	13	4	25,02,433		10	88,235	3	6			
			830	14	7	22,74,064	2	7	23,91,544	11	9	117,480	9	2			
						29,18,681	5	4	28,88,052	10	3				30,628	11	4
1,526	14	9															
			133	6	6	30,48,364	14		30,04,192	4	4				44,172	9	8
906	9	3				1172,148	15	10	12,42,510	4	11	70,361	5	1			
						25,970	4	9	24,166	7	10				1,803	12	11
						445,318	12	2	407,983	14	2				37,334	14	
21,095	7	4	116,380	14	4	430,172,012	9		430,57,237	2	7	1278,402	12	4	122,886	6	6

122,886 6 6 Deduct Decrease

55,516 5 10 Net Increase

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Fort St. George

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	Old Balance or Balances of more than 15 years Standing			Balance under 15 years Standing			Total			Particulars of Arrears of Fasly 1250 and Land Revenue								
										Jaury			Maalahs			Minors		
	92			93			94			95						96		
	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p				Rs	a	p
1	"	"	"	2,34,069	13	8	2,34,069	13	8	34,208	9	2				"	"	"
2	"	"	"	4,882	10	3	4,882	10	3	1,61,234	9	6				57	44	12
3	60,389	11	1	3,44,724	15	11	4,05,114	11	"	5,09,880	5	1				501	6	7
4	"	"	"	10,163	13	8	10,163	13	8	8,12,159	12	11				85,825	10	10
5	"	"	"	116,175	6	4	116,175	6	4	7,97,576	10	9				"	"	"
6	"	"	"	5,833	8	11	5,833	8	11	308	9	2				16,794	"	2
7	"	"	"	9,108	6	4	9,108	6	4	2,398	1	11				"	"	"
8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	9,948	7	9				"	"	"
9	"	"	"	80,1,400	2	4	80,1,400	2	4	719	47	13	10			"	"	"
10	"	"	"	15,69,40	4	7	15,69,40	4	7	"	"	"				"	"	"
11	"	"	"	44,420	11	6	44,420	11	6	"	"	"				"	"	"
12	5863	9	6	2,27,671	6	9	2,33,535	"	3	12	7	8				"	"	"
13	"	"	"	3177	2	"	3177	2	"	"	"	"				"	"	"
14	7731	"	5	191,472	3	10	199,203	4	3	2,87,297	10	8				"	"	"
15	"	"	"	10,518	9	5	10,518	9	5	"	"	"				"	"	"
16	"	"	"	29,621	11	1	29,621	11	1	"	"	"				"	"	"
17	"	"	"	53,447	15	5	53,447	15	5	"	"	"				"	"	"
18	"	"	"	2,518	5	3	2,518	5	3	"	"	"				"	"	"
19	"	"	"	3826	8	11	3826	8	11	"	"	"				"	"	"
20	191	1	10	16,382	3	7	16,573	5	5	"	"	"				"	"	"
21	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				"	"	"
	74,475	6	10	22,66,158	15	9	23,40,634	6	7	27,46,973	25		6	13,042	4	4		

Balances

Balances of prior date in train of liquidation-

	Balances permanently settled-			Land Revenue not permanently settled									Total Land Revenue		
	Segregated			Total			Rented			Aumany					
	97			98			99			100			101		
	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p	Rs	a	p
1	3813	5	4	38,021	14	6	"	"	"	73,825	10	5	111847	8	11
2	56,696	3	"	2,23,675	8	10	"	"	"	11,860	7	1	2,35,536	"	2
3	138,470	1	5	11,53,028	3	6	"	"	"	70,177	8	"	12,23,205	11	6
4	11,2,826	"	1	20,80,811	7	10	"	"	"	885	"	11	208,696	8	9
5	427,494	5	5	50,72,371	"	2	"	"	"	9,942	15	1	50,82,313	15	3
6	"	"	"	17,102	9	4	"	"	"	7,384	10	4	24,487	3	8
7	"	"	"	2,398	1	11	"	"	"	4,380	4	6	6778	6	5
8	5,840	3	1	15,788	10	10	"	"	"	"	"	"	15788	10	10
9	"	"	"	7,19,47	13	10	"	"	"	1,45,980	"	10	2,17,927	14	8
10	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5473	"	1	5473	"	1
11	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	16,786	9	6	16,786	9	6
12	"	"	"	12	7	8	16,694	4	10	"	"	"	16,706	12	6
13	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	9,406	13	6	9,406	13	6
14	12,116	10	11	2,99,145	7	"	"	"	"	9,067	"	7	308,481	6	2
15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3,511	13	1	3511	13	1
16	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3,035	6	11	3,035	6	11
17	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6,260	9	5	6,260	9	5
18	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2,370	12	3	2,370	12	3
19	"	"	"	"	"	"	61	3	7	527	1	5	588	5	"
20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6,723	12	4	6723	12	4
21	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	56,14,556	13	2	89,74,572	4	"	16,755	8	5	3,87,569	8	6	9,37,899	4	11

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Balances of Current Demands of Early 1817.

	Salt	Sugar	Abkarry	Sundry small Farms and Licenses	Extra Revenue Moturpha	Sea Customs	Tobacco	Stamps	Grand Total of Columns 95 to 109	Land Revenue	Extra Revenue	Total
	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113
	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	Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p
1	" " "	" " "	2,049 1 "	646 9 1	1,912 " 2	" " "			116,455 3 2	3,65,554 9 6	1,123 9 2	3,66,678 2 8
2	" " "	" " "	61 13 4	" " "	238 4 5	" " "			23,582 6 11	17,814 7 7	4,619 6 4	1,82,767 " 11
3	" " "	" " "	3,071 " "	395 6 "	2,960 13 6	" " "			12,29,622 14 11	3,62,196 9 7	7,071 1 4	3,69,267 10 11
4	" " "	" " "	237 12 3	" " "	110 13 7	" " "			20,82,045 2 7	5,67,198 12 9	167 8 7	5,67,366 5 4
5	" " "	" " "	" " "	12 9 "	503 5 6	" " "			50,82,529 13 9	5,61,912 10 1	" " "	5,61,912 10 1
6	" " "	" " "	" " "	294 8 4	145 13 9	" " "			2,49,279 9	40,057 2 4	9,526 2 "	49,583 4 4
7	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	66 14 8	" " "			6,845 5 1	93,724 1 9	21,717 12 11	115,441 14 8
8	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "			15,788 10 10	71,020 13 11	1,954 " "	7,50,974 13 10
9	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	1,102 13 4	" " "			2,19,030 12 "	16,765 1 4 8	3,214 11 4	1,70,866 " 7
10	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	11 8	" " "			54,73 11 9	19,580 1 6	11,305 " "	2,07,105 1 6
11	" " "	" " "	" " "	11 1 "	12 5 6	" " "			1,68,10 " "	14,526 11 10	11,882 11 2	26,409 7 "
12	" " "	" " "	" " "	273 13 10		" " "			16,980 10 4	4,38,975 3 3	12,642 2 10	4,51,617 6 1
13	" " "	" " "	" " "	130 9 1		" " "			9,537 6 7	" " "	8,132 13 7	8,132 13 7
14	" " "	" " "	" " "	103 8 10	564 11 8	" " "			309,149 13 8	32,030 " 9	8,287 8 "	40,317 8 9
15	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	210 9 4	" " "			3,722 6 5	" " "	2,059 7 "	2,059 7 "
16	" " "	" " "	" " "	3 7 9	334 12 1	" " "			3,343 10 9	" " "	" " "	" " "
17	" " "	365 14 5	" " "	" " "	656 1 5	" " "			7,282 9 3	" " "	2,535 8 1	2,535 8 1
18	" " "	" " "	" " "	45 " "	" " "	" " "			21,437 12 3	191,820 9 "	28,541 11 5	2,20,362 1 5
19	" " "	" " "	139 3 5	" " "	121 1 5	" " "	22 " "		848 9 10	6,339 6 10	4,286 2 1	10,625 8 11
20	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "			6,723 12 4	11,017 9 "	7,135 4 2	18,152 13 2
	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "			" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "			" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	" " "	365 14 5	5548 14 "	1,916 8 11	8,931 6 11	" " "	22 " "		93,95,682 1 2	3,30,973 5 3	1,45,302 8 7	31,46,275 13 10

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Statement of Receipts & Expenditure for the Year ending 31st December 1842

Statement of Balance of Collections for the Year ending 31st December 1842

No.	Name	Residence	Amount of Collection	Amount of Balance
1	Solomon Balance	Columbus	110 and 113	115
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
9				
10				
11				
12				
13				
14				
15				
16				
17				
18				
19				
20				

Total Collections for the Year ending 31st December 1842 £ 1284,19,5½ Total Balances £ 134,8,5½ £ 1150,11,0

Examined

Examined with the Collections of the Year ending 31st December 1842

Examined with the Balances of the Year ending 31st December 1842

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C. Abstract shewing the Increase and Decrease in the Collections of Land Revenue, and Revenue from Extra Sources up to 30 June 1842

	Land Revenue				Extra Sources of Revenue			
	Increase		Decrease		Increase		Decrease	
	Rs.	a. p.	Rs.	a. p.	Rs.	a. p.	Rs.	a. p.
Ganjam	"	" "	21156	15 6	39,746	14 6	"	" "
Vizagapatam	199,547	4 "	"	" "	"	" "	30289	14 1
Rajahmundry	213,437	6 8	"	" "	149,466	14 2	"	" "
Masulipatam	209,10	1 10	"	" "	14131	12 14	"	" "
Guntoor	"	" "	75061	5 9	"	" "	7894	2 7
Chingleput	"	" "	173,971	7 7	75869	2 3	"	" "
Salem	37,706	3 5	"	" "	1,370	4 3	"	" "
Madura	92,464	15 4	"	" "	6496	1 14	"	" "
Nellore	30353	2 8	"	" "	92,532	7 9	"	" "
N.e Dv. of Arcot	"	" "	2,48,865	8 7	"	" "	13146	2 9
S.w Dv. of Arcot	"	" "	2,38,454	9 2	30,700	2 11	"	" "
Tanjore	"	" "	3,82,718	15 5	3,361	2 1	"	" "
Trichinopoly	"	" "	77,499	2 5	665	2 "	"	" "
Tinnevelly	"	" "	139,38	4 2	7,007	10 4	"	" "
Bellary	136,949	15 11	"	" "	19,558	15 6	"	" "
Cuddapah	79,845	12 5	"	" "	8389	7 1	"	" "
Coimbatore	122439	14 3	"	" "	"	" "	4959	5 1
Canara	"	" "	18,360	2 "	"	" "	12,768	9 1
Malabar	12816	" 2	"	" "	"	" "	56988	9 10
Madras: Land Customs	2052	9 8	"	" "	68,308	11 5	"	" "
Madras: Toll Collected on Coches Canes &c.	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	1803	12 11
Madras: Sea Customs	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	37334	14 "
Total	947,623	6 4	12,45026	6 7	517,604	12 5	164685	6 4
Deduct Increase	947,623	6 4	164,685	6 4				
Net Decrease	297,403	" 3	352,919	6 1				

Resolved

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Resolved that the following letter be dispatched—

To The Collector of Madras.

Sir.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to recall your attention to the 2nd Para of your letter of the 3d January last No 1, and to request that you will expedite the transmission of the Pros Certificates for the Gardens, Houses, and lands at Madras belonging to His Highness the Nabob and his family, therein referred to.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
8th September 1842—

Signed J D Bourdillon
Secretary—

Received the Undermentioned Miscellaneous Letters and Statements.

74. From the Collr of Coimbatore. Abstract of Demand, Collection, and Balance, from 1st to 11th July last.

75 From the Collector of Coimbatore. Abstract of Demand, Collection, and Balance, from 12th to 31st July last.

76 From the Collector of Nellore. Abstract of Demand, Collection, and Balance, from 1st

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1st to 11th July last.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry (78) — Abstract of Demand, Collection, and Balance, from 1st to 31st July last.

From the Collector of Trichinopoly (79) — Abstract of Demand, Collection, and Balance, from 1st to 31st July last.

From the Collector of Tinnevelly (80) — Abstract of Demand, Collection, and Balance, from 1st to 31st July last.

From the Collector of Tinnevelly (81) — Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt, for the Month of July last.

From the Principal Collr. of Coimbatore (82) — Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt, for the Month of July last.

From the Principal Collr. of Nellore (83) — Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt, for the Month of July last.

From

From the Collector of Trichinopoly (84) — Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt, for the Month of July last.

From the Asst. Collector of Cuddapah (85) — Return of Persons charged with offences under Regulation IX of 1822, for the Month of July last.

From the Asst. Collector of Cuddapah (86) — Return of Persons holding Village offices, suspended or dismissed under Section VII Regulation VI of 1831, for the Month of July last.

From the Collector of Chingleput (87) — Statement of smuggled Goods recommended for Confiscation, for the Month of August last.

Order thereon (87-88) — Ordered that the confiscation and sale of the Smuggled Goods, enumerated in the Statement, be authorized.

From

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From the Principal Collr of Salem ---------- } Return of Persons

89 charged with offences under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of July last

From the Principal Collr of Salem ---------- } Return of Persons in

90 Confinement, in pursuance of Sentences passed under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of July last.

" Print-

"

" N. Maclean

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Corrected by

Compd

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Diary.

Received the following letter.

1 To The President of the Board of Revenue Fort St. George.

From the Pl. Collr of Madura } Sir,

Submitting two covers & Series of Letters indicative of Forgery and malversation of Parties on the part of the Manager of Ramnad the Head Shirestadar of the District and the Government Pleader of the Zillah Court.-

Para 1. I beg to apologize for the irregularity of the address of this communication to the Board on the plea of necessity for present secrecy from all connected with the Board to prevent it's transpiring in this Collectorate before I am put in possession of your views as to my future Proceedings in the matter, premising then, that if the least knowledge of it transpires, it is certain I cannot procure all the information such a subject merits, and that the proofs of what is disclosed in the accompanying correspondence may not be perfect, I leave the matter in your hands, contenting myself with having insured perfect secrecy till it reaches you.-

2.- Mr. Fischer of Salem aided the Manager of Ramnad in obtaining on the year 1840 remission of the Peishcush to the amount of the Malpurpha which he had been prohibited from collecting and in recovering arrears

arrears on that account from the date of the prohibition on promise of a high remuneration. The object obtained, the manager had the bad faith to refuse the reward of his services. He instituted a suit for the recovery of his due. The rule of the Sudr Adalut that no act could be binding except that of the recently nominated guardian per-illed the result of his application to the Court. The guardian appreciating his exertions in that cause, and deeming him the only one capable of procuring her release from the thraldom in which she deems herself held by the manager, entered into negotiation with him, in the course of which she put him in possession of the correspondence, the translates of which are herewith forwarded for your consideration and instructions: and the same causes that weigh with me for deeming at present an absolute secrecy necessary seem to shew the necessity for an early communication of your instructions.

3. Without the instrumentality of Mr. Fischer you will probably easily believe I could not have been put in possession of this correspondence. I imagine the guardian has full

full right to empower him to act on her behalf and I beg strongly to urge your acquiescence and approval of this selection.

4. The main point aimed at is by putting the Estate under the Court of Wards to effect the removal of the Manager and recover from him all unauthorized gains, as also nullify any undue concessions made by him, and recover any alienation of land or property belonging to the Estate. As he seems clearly guilty of forgery I would beg to recommend in addition that he be put on his trial for the former offence.

5. To know the amount and mode in which the supposed unauthorized gains have been disposed of it is necessary to be put in possession of the Managers private papers. If you are of opinion the correspondence submitted is sufficient to authorize my issuing a search warrant, and if secrecy be preserved till the moment of its execution, I have every reason to believe I can without the least noise or opposition seize upon those important Documents. On this point I request your specific instruction.

You

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6 You may perhaps recollect how considerably the revenues, the collection of them, the policy and the means and content of the Ryots and inhabitants have been improving from year to year since I first assumed charge of the Collectorate early in 1834, I believe I have never failed to attribute these good results mainly to the integrity ability and industry of my Sheristadar Shashagherry row. Till I read the correspondence herewith forwarded I had on any of the three heads never entered any mind. The suspicions forced by its perusal are too strong not to make me waver in my opinion of his integrity. His whole conduct and language have ever led me to believe he could not have been guilty of taking the money so undisguisedly asserted against him. To obtain the proof of this it will be necessary to issue a search warrant to seize the books and papers of a certain wealthy Native Banker of this Collectorate, and I have the honor to beg your specific instructions if the endeavour is to be made and if you are of opinion the correspondence before you authorizes

Ryots

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me so long. I cannot believe the Banker will ever willingly submit his papers

My Sheristadar is a Brahmin and, if taxed with the receipt of the Money would possibly admit it, and justify it, that he had not betrayed the interest of any party committed to his care (not Government or Ryot,) that he had neither performed nor procured any official Act in return for such presents, and that he had not privately communicated any thing that was an official secret, nor any thing that would have been displeasing to me, his immediate superior.

I beg your careful consideration of the insinuations and criminations against this man, both how far you deem him criminal and how far you anticipate that criminality capable of proof, and favor me with your specific instructions for my guidance towards him.

I beg your specific instruction if any, and what, steps should be taken against the Government Vakeel Annasawmy recommending

recommending that whatever it be it should be done by communication through me to the Zillah Judge, or rather on production of the present correspondence and your answer to that Gentleman of whose ready acquiescence in any useful measures without reference to form, I have not a doubt.

7. Should you wish for a personal conference with me, I shall be prepared to make over charge of the Collectorate to the Sub for 3 weeks or a Month, on receiving your commands and the necessary leave of absence, but shall expect my reasonable actual travelling expenses to be paid, and my usual pay and tent allowance to be secured from retrenchment.

Madura,
Tripattoor,
27th August, 1842.
Despatched from Trichinopoly

I have &c
Signed J. Blackburne
Princ.l Coll.r.

A

To The Principal Collector of
Madura.

Sir,

In the Course of my correspondence with the Ranee Parvoathavurthanny Nachear on the subject of the claim I have against the Zemindary of Ramnad on an Agreement to pay certain Documents

Documents have come into my professsion, and sought for and very unexpected by me, exposing certain grave offences which I conceive to deserve and require the serious attention of yourself and Government, and to conceal which would render me liable to the charge of connivance at the crimes they involve, Viz.t of coal and deliberate forgery and subornation of forgery and of bribery and corruption on an extensive scale and other frauds. These documents therefore I consider it my duty to her, to myself, and to the Public, to recommend her immediately to apprize you of, and to deliver and submit them to you for your consideration and investigation, and this with her sanction I now beg leave to do.

2. I may not presume to express an opinion on these Documents but this much I trust I may be allowed to state, that their authenticity appears to me undisputable they bear the Post mark of the day and of the Offices of despatch and receipt, and the signature

signature, and Seal of the manager or I would not venture to trouble you with them.

3 I accompany the Documents with a translation into English literal of the more serious parts, and in Abstract of the unimportant ones, which I have taken some pains to make, and for the correctness of which I hold myself responsible and in order to place the subject with all possible plainness before you, I have taken the liberty to make a few pass-ing notes on blank sheets interleaved.

Vide her letter annexed.

4. The Ranee is pleased to express her confidence in me, and to request me to be friend her in her present helpless condition with all those about her corrupted, and to act as her agent in obtaining her justice and redress with which request, as I am myself in some measure interested and concerned in the matter and I feel confident I could thereby render service to you in the enquiry, as well as ourselves. I am willing to comply, if it meets with your approbation, and in giving my consent I trust my object will not be mistaken.

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of herself she says, circumstanced as she is, she is unable to do justice to the question, and to right herself.

5 Enclosed I send you lists of the Documents I now tender you - may I request you will have the goodness to grant me receipts for them, and the letters to myself I would beg may be returned to me, when you have no longer any need of them.

Madura 23.d August 1842.

I Signed I G. F. Fischer,

To G. F. Fischer Esq.re

The Ranee Paroovathavurthany Nachiar presents salams.

You state that on an examination of them the charges involved in the Documents, which I had sent you through my Brother to shew you the treachery and wickedness of the Manager to my Daughter and myself and the best interests of our Zemindary appeared to you of a very grave nature and that consequently you would recommend my immediately submitting them to the Collector and that he was sure to do me justice - very good and in this I agree with

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with you entirely. Had the Manager been guilty simply of one or two irregularities I may be capable myself of bringing them forward before the Collector but the Manager has committed very many frauds and malpractices and been guilty of many false accounts and false Documents of some of which we have proof under his own hand writing, and of others good intelligence; and he has robbed and squandered away the property of the Zemindary in many fraudulent ways; to unravel all these and clearly to represent and establish them to the Collector will be no easy task, nor is there any one I know to whom I can trust it more especially as the Manager has been plundering the Zemindary for the last 12 years, and been appropriating to himself all its surplus revenues and other assets, and is grown very wealthy, and as his friends who have been aiding and abetting him in his iniquities and been sharing in the spoils are in power, and are sure to exert themselves to the utmost to screen him and to defeat the ends of justice and as he has by his unbounded means gained a complete influence over all such, and all people

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people of these parts who could render me assistance. Consequently I am in a sad strait.

From the able and successful manner in which you mastered and represented the subject and executed the Commission with which we entrusted you for the prosecution of the claim for the remission of Moturpha that we had against the Circar - a claim that we had in vain urged for many years and through many agencies: and from the knowledge you have acquired of the people and affairs of this Zemindary and of the Character of its Manager, in the four years intercourse you have had with us, I have an entire confidence in your ability, experience and good faith and earnestly solicit you to undertake and conduct my cause against the wicked Manager, to expose his misdeeds and to obtain me redress. You have a proof of such my entire confidence in, and high opinion of you in the ready and candid manner in which I have transmitted and delivered to you the important Documents I did through my Brother. Relying therefore upon your generosity to assist me, and at a time when I have no one

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one in whom I can trust, I have exe-
=cuted, and send you herein enclosed, a
Mooktiarnamah on proper stamp paper
which I had — written for and ob-
=tained for the purpose, and entreat
you to accept it, and to adopt the
needfull measures for obtaining
me justice. This letter gives cover
to the said Mooktiarna =
=mah.-

With Salams.

Ramnad
21st August
1842

/Signed/ Ranee Parvoothavurthany
Nachiar.

/A true Translation/
/Signed/ J. F. Fischer.

To

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(sgd)

To, B. No. 1.

H. H. the Ranee

Annasawmy Iyen
presents his best respects.
I have received and under-
=stand the letter which your
Highness sent me in charge
of Palany under date the
5th Instant, informing me
that you had heard that
the Manager has written to
me that he had remitted
them the balances due by
the people of Perongkara-
=nary, who were some of the
securities for the allowance
received by Sevagamy
Nachiar, Dependant in the
Sudr Suit No. 18 of 1814: and
that he had restored and
bestowed in perpetuity on
the Brahmins the security
lands which had been
purchased at the — public

+ Sevagamy Nachiar is Daugh-
=ter and only heir of Moodoora-
=malinga Saithooputty of Ramnad
who died in confinement at Madras
about 1798. She was subsequently
supported by presentation of a cer
Village on Shrotrium tenure pre-
=sented by the Zemindar of She-
=vagunga, which she still retains,
and in 1811 another Village be-
=longing to the Company was
bestowed upon her. They are of
nearly equal value about ——
Rupees a year.

In all my communications
to Government I have represented
the Manager as full blood brother
to the late deceased Zemindar Ra-
=massawmy Saithooputty and the
late Guardian Mootoo Verayi
Nachiar. From a subsequent pos-
=tion of these papers it would seem
he is but their half brother from
the same mother but a different
father

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father. I have in doubt of the correctness of this, but fear to raise suspecions in any present attempt to verify that fact.

The Vakeel ought to have obeyed the joint command of the late Guardian and Manager. / Signed / J. B.

public Sale, and which had been donated to the service of the palace; — also that he had, at the solicitation of the Son, remitted and given in present 34,000 out of 35,000 Rupees, balance due by another of the Securities, Security No. 42 in said No. and had ordered me to file and give Razeenamah or release in Court in said two cases; and that the said Manager, who had no hereditary or beneficial interest in the Zemindary, but merely received pay and looked after its affairs, had thus dared illegally to dispose of and squandered away a very — — — — — — — — — — Considerable

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considerable portion of the property of the Minor your Daughter, without your knowledge. that if it was true, that such was the case that I was on no account to give Razeenamah without your orders, and that if I did so that you would hold me responsible for the amount that when your Hs. came to consider the Managers conduct in ordering me to give Razeenamahs for such large amounts without your knowledge you clearly perceived, beyond all doubt, that he would sacrifice and barter away the property of the Estate for private gain [of course proportionate] to himself. at all events that it was impossible to say in how

beyond

many

1st Reg.r for Jan.y 1843
1 Reg.r for Dec.r 1842 mm.

many other instances he may have done the like. and that therefore I was not only immediately to send to you by Palany all the original letters which the Manager had written to me on the aforesaid Cases, but to explain the par:=ticulars of them; and that you would con:=sider them, and send me orders for my fu:=ture guidance.—

2 In obedience to your commands the following are I beg to state the partic:=culars of what had taken place in the abovementioned af:=fairs. The eldest son of the 42nd Security in N.o 18 of 1814 brought me a letter to my address dated

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† A memo of the 3 Seals that appear to be in use is appended. marked D. their authenticity is capable of easy proof or — disproof.—

signed/ J. B.—

@ Vide N.o 13 and at the same time N.o 23 para 6. sending the forged Vackalutnamah 11th December 1841.—

/signed/ G. F. F.

dated 29th October 1838 un:=der the signatures of the late guardian and the Manager and bearing a round Seal in ink, directing me to give Ra:=zeenamah in Court, remit:=ting said security 34,000 Rupees. again in the same case another letter came under date 1st No:=vember of said year with:=out the signature as — usual of the late Guardian, and only signed by the Manager. this letter came by Post and bore a square seal in ink. as the late guardian and yourself were at variance at the time and as the first let:=ter aforesaid had not come by Post and bore both the signatures of the Manager and late guardi:=an and had a round

Seal

Seal in ink and the second letter only the Manager's signature and had come by post and had a square seal in ink. I could not help suspecting all was not right and the amount involved being so very consider-able feared lest I should get into trouble by giving Razeenamah on the other hand I was sure by not giving it to incur the Manager's displeasure. So situat-ed I withheld the Raze-namah and made some excuses to the Manager and temporised.

3 While it being so the late Guardian was set aside and your self appointed as in

in her room by virtue of the Extract from the Minutes of Consulta-tion of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council under date the 1st June 1840 and of Extract of the Proceed-ings of the Sudr Adalut under date 10th Novem-ber of said year more-over it was resolved and decided by Extract of the Proceedings of the S. Provincial Court under date 28th August 1841 in reference to the above and the Proceed-ings of the Sudr Ada-lut of the 23d of the said month and said year that your H. alone could be admitted for the future as the right-ful representative of the Minor in all Suits present

present and future in any of the Courts. After all this the Manager writes me a letter by Post under date 11th December 1841. bearing his signature only and not yours. the sixth para of this letter it is that contains the circumstances stated in your letter to me that he had out of charity given in perpetuity to the Bramins of Peroony Karany who had been securities for Leevagamy Nachiar, the lands that had been bought at the public sale for the use of Palace and that he sent me for my perusal Copies of the release Summuds that he had in earnest of such his pleasure issued to the Amuneers, and that

N°. 23 conveying the forged Vakalutnamah. —

/Signed/ G. F. F. —

that he had remitted them the Amount due by them also that I was to act as he had already written me in respect of the 42. Securities that he sent his Vakalutnamah for the purpose, that I was to fill up according to the particulars conveyed in his letter and with it file Rajeenamah in the Court in the above two Cases. —

The value of the lands stated to have been purchased at auction for the service of the Palace and thus given away in Charity to the Bramins is about 15,000 Rupees the Amount remitted to the said Bramins 45,000 Rupees and to the

+ See subsequently N°. 2 page 19 para 6 The Ranee's demand as per recapitulation of her letter of the 18th January 1842. as per Annajawnjy's letter of the 25th January 1842. of having signed this Document coupled with the forgery shown in N°. 23 page 81 para 6 and the attempt at subornation of forgery shewn in roka N°. 16 page 59 are stern evidences that this is a forgery and subornation of forgery under the definition in Ch. 3 sect XV Reg. XII of 1811 and as further explained in the circular order of the Fouzdaree Adalut dated 23d. March 1832. without N°. —

/Signed/ J. B. —

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the 42nd Security 34000 making a total of near a Lac of Rupees. That the Manager should take it upon himself without the knowledge of the Mother and Guardian so chiefly interested and so deeply concerned to write under date 11th December 1841. and order me to give Razeenamah and thereby alienate and make away so large an Amount of property in Lands and balances belonging to the Minor and that too without the knowledge and sanction of Government created in my mind suspicion No 1 In the 5th para of the said letter the Manager states that the present Guardian sends this day and will receive in her letter to

to my address Draft of a Razeenamah to be filed in the Seal account suit and tells me to write it fair in Stamp paper and file it in Court. That you did not in the same manner send with your letter the Vakalut paper to give Razeenamah in the Perooq Karanay and 42d security instances and that you did not ever mention it in your aforesaid letter but that it came in a letter from the Manager and was blank was suspecion No 2. The contents of the Note enclosed in the Manager's letter by Post to me of the 30th July 1840 was suspicion No 3. besides these 3 Causes of

Letter of the 11th December 1841 is No 23 that of the 30th July 1840. is No 16.-

(Signed) J. B.-

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of suspicion against the Manager. I had another and more serious one. This suspicion the reading of the copy of the Manager's Summuds[I] to the Ameen to release the lands in the Peroongkaranay case which he gave away in perpetual charity produced of the Manager who has no beneficial or inherent interval right or title to the Zemindary beyond what his appointment of a paid servant gives him. In those summuds he decidedly sets up[†] and asserts a claim to the Zemindary as if it had descended to him direct from

[I] Copy of the Summuds came enclosed in this letter and is at page 17.
Signed/G. F. F.
It is signed by the Manager alone.—
Signed/G. F. F.—

[†] For such an offence Mottoveerie Nachiar was removed from a more important Office by Government and the Sudr Court. See Minutes of Consultation of the 1st June 1840. and Suddr. Proceedings 10th November 1840.—
Signed/G. F. F.—

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from his Forefathers in succession. in that he uses the words "the charity which my Forefathers established."— Any tribunal seeing this will pronounce it wicked and treasonable to the Zemindary and its real proprietors. In consequence[++] of these strongly suspecious circumstances knowing the Laws and being Government Vakeel, I knew that to act according to the Manager's letters would be a breach of those Laws and of the orders of the high Court of Sudr Adalut. therefore justly alarmed I set at defiance his wrath and resolved not to give Razeenamah or

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[++] These circumstances were known to the Vakeel in 1838. His guilty concealment (if no more is to be done against him) should be taken advantage of, to remove him from his situation of Government Vakeel and Vakeel, in case of any proceedings being determined on in this matter.—
Signed J. B.

do any thing in the affairs in the Court without your orders under your signature. Fearing the Manager's displeasure and its consequences did I write and argue with him the impropriety of giving Razeenamahs without your knowledge and sanction or did I write to yourself and inform you of the meditated mischief I remained silent on the subject to you, and therein I hope I have done nothing very wrong.—

5 In obedience to your order I now herewith send you H. as per annex Statement the letters and

† They follow from No. 2 to 26. No. 27 is an abstract account given to Mr. Fischer by Kotaswamy Thaver the brother of the present Guardian, and is supposed to have been furnished to the Guardian by the late Ramaswamy Naick.—
(Signed) J. B.

xx This Stamp paper is an enclosure in No. 23.
(Signed) J. B.

3 Shashyherry Row is the Revenue Head Sheristadar, and was appointed by Mr. Wroughton when acting for the late Mr. Cameron. He had some years before been Sub Collector's Sheristadar under Messrs. Bannerman and Gleig, who were in charge of the Rannad Zemindary when under assumption; and had been thence promoted to be Sheristadar of the Zillah Court at Trichinopoly. In this paragraph he has identity with the title of Raiar (See D) is clearly borne out. it is also notorious and a common appellation. (Signed) J. B.

xx and the Stamp paper for Vakalutnamah which the Manager wrote and sent me on the subject of the Securities. should the Manager discover this in the least, he will not only visit it with his vengeances, but I shall incur the vengeance of 3 Shasayherry Row, who is united with him in such strong bonds of friendship. and if I incurred the Raiar's anger, he is sure to rouse that of the Collector against me, and I together with all my large family be devoted to distruction. So you I trust in all things. and obey and send you the letters &c. you desire how you deal with them or me is matter for your consideration. therefore what

what need have I to say more on the subject.

The following is a list of the papers by the hands of Palany-

Letter of the 29th October 1838 is No. 12.

1. A letter sent me by the Manager and late Guardian under date 29th October 1838.

Letter of the 1st November 1838 is No. 13.

1. A letter sent me with only the Manager's signature under date 1st November 1838.

Letter of the 11th December 1841 is No. 23.

1. 1. A letter from the Manager to my address under date 11th December 1841 enclosing therein-

1. A Stamp paper Mahalutchmanah with your signature /forged/ attached.

1. Copy of the release sum-mends which the Manager joined to the Annuitants-

Making 3 papers in one Cover. These I dispatched to you and

and you must be kindly pleased to send me an acknowledgement of their receipt, and orders for my guidance.-

With A/ceervathem

Madura ----- 11th January 1842 } /signed/ Annasawmy Ayen.
/A true Translation/
/Sig.d/ G. F. Fischer.

Order addressed to Moot-taunavien the Annean of the Abeeramum Talook- under date 4th August 1840.

Summd alluded to at page 12

/Signed/ G. F. F.

As the Bramins of the charity Village of Perooghavanay are suffering great privations and distress in consequence of some of the Villages which had been appropriated for their support having got involved in a Security matter and been sold by the Court, and the rest being insufficient fully to feed and cloth-

clothe them, that the Braminy, who are very poor and very sacred, may live free from want; and that the charity, which my progenitors establish-ed may not fail, but prosper and descend from generation to generation, I have resolved out of my bounty, to restore to the said Braminy Kulacolum and the other 18 Villages attached to your Division, which had been bought at the auction by the Court for the service of the Palace, yield-ing 248 Cullums and 7 Measures, together with the produce in Labour up to Fasly 1249 - and to make them a present of the amount of their sale cost, as I have united the Villages belonging to Parcongtiarany in the Talooks of Seeroothaypoa Vemy, Cumming Colay, Moodoocallathoor and Camoothay to your Talook of Aheeramum as before, you must not only collect the amount of pro-duce as above stated, the same as in the other Villages in the possession of the Braminy, but you must levy the revenue of all the Villages belonging to that collection and remit it &c. &c. detailed

No 2.

No. 2.

To

W. H. the Parce

Tumasawmy pre-

-sents many observations.

The letter of 25th January 1842. is No 2.

I have duly received the letter which your H. sent to my address by Palany under date 18th Instant acknowledging the safe receipt of the letter I had addressed you on the 11th Instant, together with the letters &c. which accompanied it, and saying that you are exceedingly astonished, that the present of the land to the Poroomy-Baranay people, and the remissions of the security Balances to them and the 42nd Security, and the transmission of the Stamp paper

Vakeel

Vakalut in my name for the purpose of giving Razeenamah in Court in said cases &c. were all entirely without your †Knowledge or Consent, wondering how many more frauds of a like kind the Manager may have committed, and what could have induced him to be guilty of such grave and serious offences. and desiring me never again to do any thing in any matter connected with the Court at the Manager's request, without orders previously obtained from yourself by letters under your Signature - and saying that you sent me back the

† The Rance's denial explicit - and declaration of the forgery - Signed J. F. F.

Rob.
the slip of paper, which I had received from the Manager in his letter of the 30th. July 1840 - and the contents of which I had said had caused me suspicion, and which I had sent you in my letter under acknowledgment, as you did not understand the Meaning of its Contents, and ordering me to return it with full explanation, and stating that Ramasawmy Naik had informed you that reference and allusion were made, in all the Manager's letters and Robs to me, to the transactions carried on by him through Soobbier with the aid and assistance of the Chief people of this

† Ramasawmy Naik has been employed in the Zemindary since his Childhood. He died of Cholera on the 28th. July 1842 holding the situation of Head Jevabnavis since 1829 on a pay of 70 Rupees a Month. — Signed J. B. —

Soobbier is one of the Rammad Vakeels and generally

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generally in attendance in the Collectors Cutcherry. His pay is 50 Rupees a Month - and he appears to hold a high place in the confidence of all parties / signed J.B.

this place, gained over for the purpose, and solemnly calling upon me to send you these letters by Palany, as also any other of the like nature that I may have, suppressing none.-

2. Your H. Knows from long experience that I, who dread evil ways and walk uprightly according to justice, will not be ungrateful to you or disobey you, to the injury or loss of the favor you are pleased to have upon me, but as the contents of the Pottah or note which the Manager sent me enclosed in this letter of the 30th July 1840 were highly indictable

I See Rokka № 16 - 30th July 1840 - Subornation of forgery - the letter alludes to the Rokka. - / Signed J.B. 11th December / 41. № 23. actual

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actual forgery - See Pgs indictable I feared to 12 and 13. The Manager dilate upon it, and gave perpetrated in this it you in the progs after second instance the your Solemn appeal, very thing he instigates I may no longer withhold annas away to do in the details. the first - / signed J.B.

3. The merits of said Rokah are as follows. The Manager therein writes at length and in plain terms that he sends a Takalut namah on Stamp paper in his letter to Soobbier with his signature attached, as also those of two witnesses, for the purpose of applying for and getting Copy of the Decree passed in the Court in

† The Peroonally boun- the Peroonally boundary dary case is one of dis- Case, and desires me, pute between the Zemin- should your name dars of Bannad and also be necessary to Ettiapooram, has been the Document to productive of much give it validity, to bloodshed. make

bloodshed and has been in various shapes and connexion before the Government, the Sudr Udalut and Board of Revenue since 1834 and the disputed boundary is under attachment.

/Signed/ J. B.

make the Pellias mark above his own signature and thereto to affix your name; and as witnesses to it to make the marks indicated in the Rokah for each, and opposite to them to put the names of your personal attendants Podoshal and Veerayan. For a great man, who was thought worthy to hold the appointment of Manager of a Principality, to write and instigate me to forge signatures to a Document of an important Character which was to appear before a Judicial Tribunal, and that unknown to the parties whose names were used for a great man to do this was a grievous offence to God and to justice

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Vaticel says he did not / would not receive the / plaint Vakalutnamah from / Soobbier /Signed/ J. B.

justice and the laws of the Government - so it would have been for me, a Government Servant, too, to have consented to it - Had I complied with his wishes and yourself or any one else discovered and proclaimed the fraud what would have been my fate - or even the fate of the Manager? therefore I refrained from engaging in the Managers daring and desperate project, or even receiving the Vakalutnamah from Soobbier and remained quite - since that I have ceased to have any confidence or respect for the Manager's word or his letters and am anxious to get free from him - If I have much

much to say in his concerns, what other documents may he not require me to forge. and if I refuse I incur his enmity. I must avoid one and both. and that will be a difficult part for me to play.

4 I notice what your H. says in respect to the nature of the letters* brought to your Knowledge by Ramasawmy Naik, Ramasawmy Naik was right enough, but some of the most important letters that the Manager had written to me he recalled some time before, and others have been destroyed. I have searched for and found some of the letters, the contents of

* If desirable do the Board consider I should be justified on these papers in issuing a search warrant and sealing the Vakeel's papers, as I have no belief such important papers have either been returned or destroyed. /Signed/ J.B.

of which your H. alludes to in the information of Ramasawmy Naik, and now send them to you by Palany, together with some others in support of them and their contents. I will search more and send you what I find from time to time. The letters which Palany brings you, you must order to be returned to me very carefully, after you have read them and satisfied your mind on the point treated of. - and as some of the said letters relate to some of the great+ people here, the friends of the Manager, if their contents transpire, I shall fall under their heavy displeasure. I have a large family and

+ "Some of the great people here, friends of the Manager." Can there be a doubt that these have allusion to public servants whether in the Cutcherry or Court. /Signed/ J. B.

and depend entirely upon
your H. therefore I implore
you to guard me from any
stigma being cast on my
name, and to extend to me
your kindness and consider-
-ation and to protect me.-

/signed/ Annasawmien
25th January 1842.

No. 3.

From Mootoo Chella Taver
the Manager to Annasawmy
27th October 1839.-

/Abstract/ Para 1. Acknowleages
letters of the 7th 16th 19th and
24th Instants. Talks about
Mr. Sullivan's going to
England with the permission
of the Madras Government
to speak on behalf of Sheve-
-eawmy Raehiar's business,
and about propitiating
Mr. Vireach and his brother;
and taking the needful mea-
-sures to meet the storm.-

About

2 About Annasawmy
and Soobbier having been
to call upon the Judge &c.a.-

3. About the Boundary
lands of Yaring Cottay and
Cumbum Cottay.-

4. About the Runtha-
-noor people destroying the
Cunnycole Village em-
-bankment.-

5.- About the murder
of the people at the gate
of Lingamoottoo Raehiar's
house at Combaconum
&c.a.

6. About the allowance
security Receipt executed,
and to be executed.-

7. About the agreement
before proposed by Moot-
-thengar - and the portion-
-ars of the proposed
payment of 1500 Rupees &c.a.-

8. /Literal/ I have enclosed
and

Fort St. George 1st September 1842.

and sent copies of the Urzee and papers, which I have addressed the Huzzoor in answer to the complaint made by Ponnapillay and Sacapillay, late Sumpretty and Royasum in the Ramiseram Thasthanum, whom I have sent orders to the Pundarum and dismissed.

I have sent these in a letter to Soobbiah, and written him all that he is to inform "our friend." You must peruse all these papers, and explain to "our friend," so that he may understand them; and take every pains and get him to issue orders thereon, that the dismissed complainants cannot

cannot be restored to their situations. and inform me of the result.

4th Letter

Abstract Para 1. The Manager acknowledges the receipt of Annasawmy's letter informing him of his safe arrival, and that he had been and seen "our friend" who had very particularly and in very flattering manner enquired after the Manager. that in making "our friend" acquainted with all that had happened at Ramnad that he had said that the wishes of those inside would never have effect. that he had sounded

* This is to shew the reliance the Manager had in Thasagherry Row who will be shewn hereafter could not but have been meant by the term "our friend"
(Signed) J. B.

** By "those inside" seems clearly to be meant Rance Mootoo Verayee Nachyar, the late Guardian.

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o By the "Principal" the
Collector -- Signed J.B.

It is believed the late Minor Veerisa Mun=
=gulcoo vera Nachyar was betrothed to the Mana=
=ger's only son - On the quarrel of Mootoo Verayee Nachyar with her Brother, supposed to have origina=
=ted in the insolence of his wife towards her — in which she was upheld by her Husband Mootoo Verayee Nachyar caused the Thaly to be taken off - the dispute rose high and I accompanied by my Seristadar proceeded to Ramnad - we were admitted on the 24th or 25th July 1838 to an au=
=dience through the female Servants — when the Nachyar consented to allow things to proceed as had been long before determined and the Marriage was shortly after consum=
=mated -

Signed J.B.

sounded "the Principal" on that head, and that he had expressed the same opinion - that he requested to be made acquainted with what had happened since - then the Manager goes on to say that he had seen and spoken to Mootooverai Nachiar, then he mentions the circumstance of taking off the Thaly, and the intriguer going on for tying it on again on behalf of another - that it may be well known to "our Bra=
=minny friend" and all people by enquiring, that he always acted in conformity with the wishes of Mootooverai Nachiar

Nachiar, that he enc=
=ditates no wicked de=
=ceit or mischief against her; that if she attempts to injure him, he fully and faithfully trusts to "our friend" as his — Mediator to guard him from harm: that although Annasawmy should have informed him of these things he and Soobbier were again to inform him, and ascertaining from him the proper course, write immediately and relieve the — Managers anxiety of mind - further to ask "our friend" and to write him fully by return of

Despatch

Tapiyal how the Mana-
=ger was to act, should
it happen that the —
Thaly is required to
+ Soondarabandy Thaw be tied for Soonderabandy
belongs to Yethumpadul- Taver's Son - that in
Married one of Moottoos writing the Urzee to
=payee Rachiar's Younger the Huzzoor regard-
Sister / Seeveeyoeamy - ing these matters,
He died about two years
ago. and left a Son & here alluded to, by name Rachiar write in op-
a daughter - the Son Shews-awmy - now about 11 years old. The Widow and Children live in the Palace under Moottoo- Veeyee Rachyar's pro-tection. / Signed / S. B.

=position to it, that
then an Enaiythnama
=ma should be sent
telling her that it
is an illadvised and
improper proceeding,
to Marry a Royal —
Lady, who had now
attained her 13th
year, to a Child
of 5 years — old.

×× The Manager wishes now to do the very thing he opposed on this occa-sion since it suits his purpose - / Signed / G. F. F.

old - that having —
with mutual —
consent in such —
a year, Month, and
date Reported to —
the Huzzoor the
performance of the —
ceremony of tying the
Thaly or betrothment
to a youth qualified —
for the station, it was
unbecoming and in-
=jurious to their best
interests for a tri-
=fling quarrel or —
difference to wish
to set aside that
first marriage; —
and to make another
and a new one - that
an Enaiythnama
to this effect, and
containing other
threatening

threatening matters should be sent and should be addressed to both - that by such alone would she be deterred from listening to the persuasion of others, and to such alone would she submit - and such an Enquiry the Manama they two should go, each separately, and see "our friend" and persuade him to get issued - and ascertain and inform the Manager of his sentiments thereon. -

5th Letter.

J.C.

5th Letter.

(Lateral) Para 1. Compliments to the Court Vakeel Innasawmy -

I have received your letter of the 12th Instant and understand all the Contents thereof. I have written and sent enclosed in my letter to Soobbier such a note about the 35,000 Rupees as he suggested, that "our friend" might himself privately see with his own eyes - and it will have arrived by this time - whatever arguments it may be necessary to urge to induce him to agree to it, that Soobbier and you must consult about, and communicate with him through Soobbier and D

XX This is what the Sentiments in the last page referred to. This is the 35000 Rupees that I had heard from Streenevasacharry had been paid to the Vakeel all in Gold Mohurs by the Manager and secure his interest to side with the Manager and to carry him through in his quarrel with Mootoo Coomara Nachear - which he did. We have information of a paper relating to this transaction being among the Manager's papers (Signed) G. F. F. 8. I will not venture any surmise respecting this sum of 35000 Rupees. (Signed) P. B.

and by any means get him to admit it ~ and to forward my views without any let or hinderance ~ on all other matters I have written fully in the letter to Soobbier and in the Roka ~ enclosed therein to which I refer you.

2. You must particularly enquire about the Subjects mentioned at the side of said letter and the 1st Roka marked A enclosed in it.

I It is desirable here to bear in mind the acknowledged proof of the Roka System, for though the hand ~ writing can be proved they sometimes bear neither distinguishing Mark nor Signature.
(Signed) S: B:

5th Letter

(literal) Parl. Compliments to these Court Vakeel Annasawmy. I have understood every thing by your letter of the 10th Instant and Soobbier's letter of the same date and the 9th and that

By the "ruler of affairs" is meant Shashagerry Row.
(Signed) S. B.

that the "Ruler of affairs" is the person to whom I am indebted for the manner in which the 4 letters were met and disposed of. I expect that you and Soobbier will take every trouble and enable me very ~ shortly to see the ~ remaining one of the aforesaid 4 letters, as also Copy of the two sets of questions sent to the writer of them. I have written Soobbier about the means of obtaining them with certainty.

2 The Lady in the middle (Parvoathavarthany Nachiar) Nachiar will never listen to the persuasion of the person you allude to, or of the Dowager ~ lady, and deceive us, but

but always and firmly remain in the frame of mind that she is in now.

3 I understand the intelligence which you write me was briefly communicated to "our friend" by the "White face" on the letter received in the Judicial Department - you must speak to "our friend" on the subject and inform me of his sentiments thereon.

4 If any letter is written to higher authority, I have fully explained in my letter to Stobbie what should be made to be written in that letter. finally you must report daily what passes there.

7th Letter.

(literal) Para 1. Compliments to the Vakeel

Annasawmy

x The intelligence was about the Ettiapooram dispute - By the "white face" is meant the European the Collector.

[Signed] J. B.

7 The term "sentiments" here and elsewhere means to ascertain his price.

[Signed] G. L. K.

Annasawmy - I have received your two letters of the 24th and 28th Instants, and understood their particulars - you write that it would be better to conform with the order coming, forbidding either party from writing on the subject of the dissensions, which had at this juncture arisen between them - that such conduct would be most pleasing to "the Principal's" turn of mind. As I have hitherto borne all the unsupportable trouble given me by Polarthaven and other parties relying on the support of those inside, so I will

continue

continue to bear it — until some final de- -cision is come to, and will not be hasty — what that trouble is you will learn by the letter to Sobbier, I am doubtful from not being able to — understand the purport of the letter which has been received - I have been considering about all that is required to be done at Madras and written fully to Sobbier on the subject - you must consult — with "our friend" about it, and should he think it absolutely necessary to be done, you must prepare yourself for the journey and inform me without delay of all that is to be done by you and you two must consult

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consult and prepare — draft such a letter as you think Purooman- -thaun thany Aachiar should write to higher authority —

8th Letter.

(literal) Pass. Compli- -ments to the Court Vakeel Annasawmy - I have received with great joy the letters which you and Sobbier have written on the 30th Ultimo and 2nd Instant. I admit the soundness of the reasons that "our friend" gives that there is no ne- -cessity for sending people to Madras on my behalf - but in order to get the news from Madras, as — both + Streenevasachary and his son Veeraravoachary are absent

+ Streenevasachary and Veeraravoachary, Father and Son — The old man was the Sudr Vakeel in the law Suits which terminated in — favor

favor of this family, and gets from them in consequence a pension of 100 Rupees a Month from the obtainment of the Zemindary - He was a few years ago dismissed for taking part in both sides in some Suit in the Sudder. The Son is the Manager's Mookteer Vakeel at Madras. and is well known in the Board of Revenue and Sudder Adawlut

(Signed) G: F. F.

Sungeeveerow is an agent at Trichinopoly -

(Signed) G: F. F.

absent from it, I have ordered Sungeeveerow, the Vakeel at Trichinopoly to proceed thither and to inquire and write from time to time all that is doing in the Board and Government - as I have written fully to Scobbie on all other matters, I do not enlarge herein -

9th Letter -

(Literal) Para 1. Compliments to the Court Vakeel Annas awmy - I have received your letter of the 5th Instant and understood the contents - The S Seemay Peshcar and T Tavers not only vowed and make great boastings that they have by their representations deprived me of the office of

S Samy Vyan, the friend and adviser of Mootloo Veerayee Nachyar is the Sernai Peshkar and against whom I had before written to the Board as the fomenter of all the disturbance -

(Signed) I. B.

T Sonderabandy Thaver and Polar Thaver and their friends are the Thavers here meant - For Soonderabandy Thaver's history See Note page 24. Polar Thaver is of Moottiyeet Village -

and married another of Mootloo Veerayee Nachyar's younger Sisters - He has one Son and two Daughters, and now Sides with the Manager and Mootloo Veerayee Nachyar -

(Signed) I. B.

N. B. To look in my Police reports to see under what circumstances I gave the Ramanad Ameen's authority to communicate direct with me and to enter it here briefly) Solely to expedite business -

(Signed) I. B.

The proof of many of the facts rest with the Collector from his knowledge of the circumstances that had taken place -

(Signed) G: F. F.

of Head of Police, and that they will also shortly remove me from the appointment of Manager, but are engaged in getting up complaints calculated to produce mischief and confusion - They bedaubed with Saffron Applications the Nephew of one Mootloorainalingum in the Service of the Seemay Peshcar, and got him to make a complaint to the Salt Police Officer that Peria Caroopen the Cutwall Duffadar had 7 or 8 days before beaten him - against whom they will next get up false complaints I know not - That such

such an order has been issued at this time is a sad disgrace to me, and lays me open to insult — Therefore as fully detailed in my letter to Soobbier, you must watch an opportunity, and speak to "our friend" and prevail upon him to get the aforesaid order revoked and the Head Police authority restored to me as usual — To this end what need have I to write more fully —

2 (Abstract) Urging Annasaumy about getting 6 weeks leave and going to Madras forth= =with Yrs 10th Letter. (Literal) Para 1 Compli= =ments to the court Vakeel

Vakeel Annasaumy — I have received your letter of the 12th Instant informing me that you were ready for the purpose of going to Madras, but had put off your Journey for the reason stated in your letter of the 4th Instant, and that you were prepared to act according to the final orders that may be now received. also informing me what Soobbier had said in consulting with him — Because I could learn nothing that was doing at Madras and was troubled in mind, I wrote that either you or Soobbier should go there — In considering the

the final orders you ask for, Soobbien's — advice being against it, your going must depend upon the nature of the answer I got to what I have written. I am rejoiced to hear that Namasevoy — Chitty had been — pleased to speak so favorable of me to the "Principal" and "our friend" and others — It is my good fortune to have acquired his friendship — you — will see by Soobbien's letter what I have — written in [2] respect to him — and this — you must give effect too.—

Abstract.

× Namasevoy Chitty — did speak generally in high terms of the Manager and I have a vague — recollection of his having asked me to do something on his behalf which I gave him reasons for not doing — that satisfied him — Coalpoo Chetty was with him at that — interview —

(Signed) I. B.

× If the circumstance is confirmed the Ishter and Mothaly are clearly shewn.

(Signed) G. F. T.

2. The price of this fair speech was 1000 Rupees

(Signed) G. F. T.

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[3]× On the 21st August 1838 I was at Cummoogoody, having commenced a Circuit on the 15th of that Month which ended on the 22d — September. The Sheristadar was with me.—

/ Signed / I. B.

[3] Did Soobbier come to the Huzzoor Cutcherry upon such a Mission. If so, the Ishter and Mothaly are again proved.

/ Signed / G. F. T.

× It is well known and capable of proof, that the Manager had received a good portion of this Money, and wanted to give the debtor a fraudulent release at the expence of the Estate; and as it now appears at the expense of the Crime of forgery.—

/ Signed / G. F. T.

Vide № 23 and Annasawmy's letter № 1 pages [illegible] and [illegible].

/ Signed / G. F. T.

11th Letter.

(Abstract) Para 1. The Manager acknowledges Annasawmy's letter of the 17th Instant, and says that he will the next day send the letters for the Gentlemen and the Public servants about the Marriage affair — that as Soobbier had to [3]× go to the Huzzoor Circuit Cutcherry, and take measures for prevailing on "our friend" and the "Principal" to come to the bethrothment, Annasawmy was to Conduct all other affairs according to the letter to Soobbier.—

12th Letter.

(Abstract) Para 1. The Manager acknowledges Annasawmy's letter of the 16th Instant and informs him that in Consideration of the Circumstances that he had submitted, he had agreed to remit Goolam Meerthejah Saresp the son of Shoola Saib the 42nd Security, 34000 Rs. as a present, and only to take from him, 1000 Rs. and that from that 1000 whatever he had already paid on the Court's precept and Vennapuma must be deducted, and a Razeenamah filed for the balance payable in

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Veeravawny was a Stranger to this place. a Native of Madras and newly introduced into the Court as Nazir.-

/signed/ I.B.

in the Month of December following - and he is released from the penalties of his obligation.-

13th Letter.

(Abstract) Para 1. The Manager acknowledges Innasawmy's letter of the 10th and 16th Instant, informing him about the new Nazer Veeravawny's disposition - the gratifi-cation that "our friend" had expressed where he heard of the manner in which the Marriage Coelsavumo and the Navarathie Coelsavumo had been Conducted about the yerany Cottay and Cumbum Cottayer dispute and some matters relating to it. desires Innasawmy to send the Bungalow maramut accounts - that he had written to Goolam Mothejah Sarcep the 42nd Security &c. also that he had written to Soobbier about the wearing Cloths for "our friend" and about the feast to the Public Servants, both which Innasawmy must perform accordingly.-

Abstract

14th Letter.

(Abstract) Para 1. Acknowledges Innasawmy's 2 letters of the 7th Instant, writes him regarding the particulars of the Diary order passed by the Judge on the 11th November in the Payroonaly affair - and other matters connected with it.-

2- The Manager acknowledges Innasawmy's information that the Judge had written the Collector in answer, and that he the Collector was preparing a Communication to the Board thereon; also acknowledges Memorandum of the subjects Innasawmy had talked about to "our friend" - he then goes on to inform Innasawmy that

+ On the subject of the Ellapooram dispute. The Judge had quashed the Collector's decision in that case and the Collector appealed and remonstrated.

/Signed/ G.F.T.

True!

(Signed) I. B.

[a] This man's father was a great friend of Annasawmy Sellopatty and mainly contributed to his gaining the Zemindary. The son is one of the Madras Agents and enjoys a pension of 70 Rupees a Month.—
(Signed) G. T. T.

[b] What will the President of the Board of Revenue think of the estimation in which he is held by the Princely Manager of Ramnad.—
(Signed) G. T. T.

that he had by that day's tapaal written in strong terms to Streenevasiachary and Singarapa Moodelly — that they were to take — every pains and use any and every means — and Expend whatever Money was required for the purpose and gain over Mr. Dent of the Board and get him to write strongly to Government in his favor that as soon as they reported that they had Managed and arranged that affair, that he would inform Annasaw= =my. Tells Anna= =sawmy that copy of the Collector's letter to the Board is of no consequence, but to procure and send him Copies of the Court's letter to the Collector and the Collector's to the Court. also Copies of the Court's order un= =der dates 11th and 25th Ultimo and 4th Instant, with translations thereof and Copies of the Court Documents sent Sobbier.

15th.

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15th. Letter.

(Abstract) Paras. The Manager acknowledges Annasawmy's letter of the 2d Instant, — sending him abstract of the Sudr Vakalutnamah, and informing him that

1. Ambalavanah Pillay is one of the Madura Agents on a pay of 8 Pago= =das a Month. He belongs to Madura.
(Signed) G. T. T.

2. The late Andeapah Chetty was Sheristadar of the Zillah Court.
(Signed) J. B.

3. On the 2d January 1840 I was at Verosda putty having commenc= =ed a circuit on the 24th Decem= =ber 1839 which I completed on the 6th January 1840. The

[1] Ambalavanah Pillay had been to pay the Judge and others a visit for the January feast with all proper gifts of fruits and flowers: that

[2] Andeapah Chetty had started on his journey on the 1st and that he had sent the 1000 Rupees hoondee according to Soobbiers' letter.

2. He desires Anna= =sawmy as soon as "our friend" returns to Ma= =dura to go[3] to him and ask him for the docu= =ments mentioned in his letter of the 1st Instant, that should "our friend" refuse them as.

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The Sheristadar was with me — / Signed / J. B.

as being Official Documents he was to take every pains and shew him of what importance the profession of the Document that had come in his favour were to the Manager at the present moment and by any means persuade him to get orders to grant them, and get them on stampt paper and send them to him; that should Annasawmy not think it opportune to ask for copy of the other letter, that in that case he must offer 4 Ramiah whatever sum was needful and through his means get it whether it was obtained and send it the to Manager.

3. About the Personally affair.

4. This is a very clever Goomastah in the Duftar Department in whose ability the Sheristadar has great confidence not so in his integrity, at least not if left uncontrouled. I know the man & have adopted readily the first part of the opinion of the second I have no means to judge and take it as it is given me. — (Signed / J. B.

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16th Letter.

/ Abstract / Para 1. The Manager acknowledges the receipt of Annasawmy's letter of the 27th Instant and the paper for the Vakalutnamah in the Paddy Tender suit — then he proceeds to say you write that orders are passed to give three Copies of the Documents that we required from the Kutzhoor, that one Set was ready on the 25th and that the other two Sets would be ready on the 27th but Annalavanapillay on his letter of the 27th writes, that when a "our friend" took one Copy of the English letter to the "Principal" for his signature, that he said that he could not give Copies of Official Documents, and that "our friend" offered to get signed and give Copies of the Tamul Documents

† I think I probably refused to copy of an order from my Superiors, but willingly assented to Copy of my own orders.

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I think I may also have given Copies of these orders, at first refused but do not recollect: and I fear now to excite suspicion by my enquiry into the matter.

[Signed] I. B.

Documents. then the manager proceeds to say that if the Enoythamaks only were sent up without the English Documents — the idea will not strike the Court that they should not regard the Government's or Board's decisions and that thereby delay will ensue, and that therefore Annasawmy and Soobbier must do every thing in their power to induce "our friend" to persuade the "Principal" to grant the Documents and get and send them.

2 About the Cumrygale question.

3 About the Yeravy Cottay and Cumbum Cottay dispute and to enquire and particularly answer the questions contained in the Roca that comes enclosed.

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First of the Memo. alluded to- (literal) I learn that when Soobbier wished you to give an address to the court asking for copy of the Decree passed ex parte by Mr. Elliot in the Peroonally boundary case and to get an endorsement thereon, that you objected to do on the plea that it would be improper to give an address for a copy knowing that the Decree was not then in the Court. It did not signify to you whether the Decree was in Court or not, nor was it your business to inform Mr. Elliot about sending for and getting it. you are not Sheristadar nor are you record keeper. while it being

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so there was no necessity for refusing to give the address. To the address which Arnachellum Pillay made in the Ramaisserum case, Endorsement was given that the Decree was not in Court and he was in no way subjected to trouble for making the address. — With the knowledge of this that you should have demurred astonishes me. Therefore you must draw out a Vakalutnamah in your own name or in ×

+ Coopa Shastry is a Madura Court Vakeel. —
/Signed/ J. B.

See Annasawmy's letter No. 2 page 21 and 23.
/Signed/ J. B.

× Coopa Shastry's name on the Stamp paper which I have signed and enclosed and sent in Soobbier's letter and give it into Court with an Urzee and get the Endorsement the Court may make thereon and send it to the Persence and as Soobbier has omitted to state in

in his letter whether one or both persons signatures should be attached to the said Vakalutnamah, or only one person's would be sufficient. I alone have signed it and got + Thandaveeswera Iyen and another to witness it, and send it; but should it be absolutely necessary that the said Vakalutnamah should contain Paroosatha: vurthany Nachiar's signature also, then you must cause the individual who writes the Vakalutnamah to make the Pillear 2 mark above my signature and say opposite to it this mark is Ranee Paroosathavurthany Nachiar's and as the personal serving women usually sign as witnesses, you must make this mark 6, and sign for Poodoosal, and this mark 12 for Veerayee. —

+ Thandaveeswera Iyen is a Zemindary Karnam on a pay of 25 Fanams a Month. —
/Signed/ J. F. F.

2. Here is an attempt to suborn a forgery, but I fear this is not cognizable Criminal offence from the non completion of the party's wishes: but may not these in general character give Corroborative evidence of the disposition of the man who seems actually guilty of forgery as shewn in page 81 No. 23 para 6. —
/Signed/ J. B.

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2d Memo:

(Abstract) About the form and contents of the Vakalut-namah for the Sudr Court in which Three nevas sacharry differs in opinion with Mr Innasawmy and Soobbien Jeau.

17th Letter.

(Literal) para 1. Compliments to the Court Vakeel Innasawmy. I have received your letter of the 25th Instant, informing me that by enquiring in the proper quarter you have ascertained for certain that what you had heard is ~ quite true that the Collector had written, that it would be for the interest of the ~ Minor to put the Zemindary under the Court of Wards and recommending it to be ~ done; but that you know not whether this was done on his letter in answer to the

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the letter from the Board on the urzee from the late Guardian for Copies of Documents, or in his answer to Government on the Petition since presented by said guardian. the very day I got your said letter informing me as above and of other matters and urging me to make an interest in higher quarters and to adopt all needful measures, therefore without the least loss of time, that very day I sent off orders to the Madras Agents. With you I am of opinion that the Board will not consent and agree to the "Collector's" scheme and recommendation.

18th Letter.

(Abstract) Para 1. Acknowledges the letters of the 9th & 10th Instant

Instant about the Petitions presented to the Sudr Court in the Yettapoor case and the conduct of the late Guardian therein, and the Proceedings that followed &c. &c. (Literal) You need not give yourself the least uneasiness about the Collector having written to take the Estate under the Court of Wards, such a misfortune will never happen to me, as you will shortly see.

I learn from your letter that in the Moturpha case the Board had sent orders to pay the whole of it from the 12th Instly and that "our friend" had raised objections thereto, and that the Head Accountant Goomastah Ragoonatharow and Head Goomastah Amuntha row supporting the other had

† These orders were obtained on a memorial drawn up by me under an agreement (unwritten) with the Manager. The claim had previously been urged for 40 years without any success. See Board's report of the 6th Augt 1840 No. the application succeeding the Manager broke his engagement to me in the as it now turns out he was encouraged and supported by his Shenstadar. See No. 18 Rokka Page 86. and that with the intent of defrauding me and benefitting himself as the whole tenor of these letters shew, as per page 6 of No. 19 Rokka Page 71.

(Signed) G. T. T.

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†† The mode of exacting money each of these Goomastahs is said to have received 500 Rupees on this occasion. the proof is among Annasawmy's and Soobbier's papers.

(Signed) G. T. T.

†† "Our friend" who had "objected" just above, immediately after "suggests" an application for the money!!!

(Signed) G. T. T.

had explained them all away and had satisfied "our friend" and that he had thereon suggested to Ambalavana Pillay to write an Urzee applying with reference to the orders of higher authority for the payment of the Moturpha amount. I cannot understand on what grounds "our friend" had suggested my writing such an Urzee, when no Enquiry namah communicating receipt of the orders from higher authority has been sent me. this you must ascertain. but since you have written that you thought it proper to send such an Urzee, and that there was no room for any doubts for my doing so,

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I have written and enclosed in Ambalavana Pillay's letter an Urzee asking for an order to the Treasury for the aforesaid money being paid to me. You must not only peruse that Urzee but ascertain from "our friend" what the meaning of his desiring me to write the Urzee was, and should he be of opinion that there was no harm in doing so, then you must give the Urzee to "our friend" or forward it to the place where the "Gentleman" is, and report the order that may be passed on it.

Memo. Enclosed.

(Literal) While I enjoy the entire favor of "our friend" he will never allow the Zemindary to go under the Court of Wards. this you need not doubt at all I cannot understand the meaning of "our friend" disputing about

about giving the whole of the Moturpha money into my hands but as you say it was done in the Cutcherry, I suppose it was the proper course in Public. By the Roka from Ambalavana pillay I learn that "our friend" asks for 35000* Rupees of this money for himself, he must be aware that this is an excessive sum. I am willing at this juncture to compromise it, and to give 20,000 Rupees. I have written to "our friend" by Loobier to this effect, stating the above particulars, and that before this, I made Loobier write in general terms that, I would satisfy his mind without mentioning any sum, and I have written Ambalavana Pillay to use his influence in getting him to consent to it, and I will soon send Loobier

† The Roka system again clearly acknowledged.
(Signed) J. B.
This accusation against the sheristadar is clearly and undisguised.
(Signed) J. B.

* 35000 Rupees was originally demanded. 20000 was agreed to, and this on condition of the sheristadar obtaining the payment to the manager of the whole of the money. See Roka No. 19 Page 69. The Collector was firm and would only give a portion and that a very small one. See No. 19 Page 68. The sheristadar in consequence volunteers to forego one half of the sum agreed to be given him. The other half is demanded and actually paid as desired by him. See No. 20 Roka Page 74.
(Signed) G. F. F.

* similar terms used in letter No. 54 other letters.
(Signed) G. F. F.

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xx Contrast this and No 25 Page 85 with the manager's answer to my Plaint in the Provincial Court
Signed J. F. F.

Soobbier to come there. We are troubled by Mr Fischer in this matter. We xx must not act falsely to that individual without giving him some thing. "our friend" will say what has he done for us. & although he should have done nothing, We must perform some=thing to him, or there will be a vain row. I have used the plea and arguments sug=gested by "our friend" to Ambalavana pillay for asking for the whole of the Moturpha money and written and sent an Urzee enclosed in my letter to him. In shewing it to "our friend" should he keep it Good. otherwise you must tell Ambala=vana pillay to forward it to the "Gentleman". I have written to him also to that effect. and that "our friend" may not entertain any suspicions, you must assure him that Soobbier will immediately return.

19th Letter.

Para 1. The Manager acknowledges Annasamy=my's letter of the 16th Instant and tells him that he may be acquainted with all the particulars of the answer from the Board to the Collector's letter of the 18th of Septr. last. that the

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the Manager understands Annasawmy "our friend" had said to him and Amba=lavana pillay that what's the use of making public that letter, and that they may have Copies of the Documents, if they produced stamp papers for them that in the same way as this business has succeeded so there no doubt will orders be obtained from the Provin=cial Court, and orders Annasawmy to give stamp paper and get and send him 3 Copies of certain Documents viz.

2. That he sends 4 Copies of two petitions presented to the Sudr Court under date the 12th Instant on behalf of himself, and other matters relating thereto.

3. About the non issue of orders on the petition

petition presented to the Provincial Court by the late Guardian. and to the Vennapum by himself — about the Paddy Tender and other matters connected therewith.

4.- About getting public Copies of the two petitions presented to the Sudr Court by the late Guardian Vz.

5/literal/ you state that "our friend" has told you that the Collector has said that it is his intention to put the Moturpha money in Company's paper and that he required of you to ascertain and inform him of my sentiments thereon. now the Zemindary has many debts contracted in the time of Mungalaswera Rachiar and Annasawmy Sellooputty, if we pay them off with this money it will relieve the Estate of that burthen: besides it is from this

× The Manager has acted with something less than his usual cunning in mentioning such a matter in the body of a letter bearing the Post mark and his signature and Seal.

/Signed/ G. F. F.

this very fund that the 20,000 Rupees must come which I have engaged to give "our friend" It is for these reasons that I wish to get the money in hand. so you must ask "our friend" to get it done by any means and to prevail on the Collector to use the Enquiry-ethenama for it is as soon as he returns to Madras.

Rokah enclosed.

/literal/ I will hasten Soobbier's return to explain every thing fully to "our friend" "Your friend" spoke to "the Principal about the Moturpha money. he would not fail to listen to him. Have I in any one instance failed in any promise that I have made. I have made Soobbier write "our friend" that he will soon return

† This sentence, and the phrase "as usual" — which occurs more than once would denote that dealings of this kind are Common.—

/signed/ G. F. F.

return that "our friend" must persuade "the prin=cipal" to give the whole of the Motiurpha money into my hands and that as for his share of this money, if he paid himself the 20,000 Rupees at that place on the receipt of the whole, as proposed by him in his letter to Loobbier, that the matter is likely to cause sus=picion and give trouble that therefore he had better allow his portion to be paid here as usual to Periannd Chetty and his letter for it obtained and sent to him This letter I have sent enclosed in my letter to Anin=balavanda pillay, and he must take it himself to "our freind" and he must assure him that

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Periannd Chetty was a Merchant and Banker at Ramanaud - he died 10 or 11 months ago - leaving two sons Appavoo Chitty aged about 33 and Cumary Chetty aged 28 - who Carry on the same dealings as their father did with the Manager. -

/Signed/ G. F. F.

that Loobbier will return as soon as the Theebbaully feast is over, and that what he has written will be faithfully performed, and you must also do what is necessary in general and compli=mentary phrases and wrote me, Mr Fischer will come to the Principal, and solicit him - you must make "our friend" persuade the principal" not to give him place - for our friend" must consider that if I have to pay Mr Fischer also according to his mind it will be a ruinous expen=diture of money and you must write his sentiments on this subject "

subject -

20th letter -

/Abstract/ Päräl The Maingar writes to Annasawmy desires that Ambalavana pillay will see it also, acknowledges the receipt of the letters which they have written him under date the 21st 22d and 24th Instants, as also of the two Copies got at the Collectors' Cutcherry of the letter of the Board questioning the Minute of Government writes about the Sudr affairs &c. -

2. That this is the proper season for attending to the affairs mentioned on the Rotah he had sent before that nothing is to be gained from making delay and that therefore this

+ Renewed proof of the Roka System, and reference to a particular roka -

/Signed/ J. B.

++ Ramasawmiengar Moothooverai Nachiar's Court-Vakeel /P./G. 77.

Veneata soobbier is an old servant of the Ramnad Zemindary he is Cousin to Sama Ayen - and now in the private pay and interests of Mootoo verai Nachiar. -

/Signed/ G. F. F.

this must be explained and measures must be taken for settling every thing in 2 or 3 days. -

3. That the Vakeel Ramasawmy Jiengar was going about saying that Veneata Soobbien had written them that every thing in the Sudr Court was settled in favor of the late Guardian - about the Peroonally affair and about matters - connected with it - and about what was going on in the Sudr Court and other places the purport of the Proceedings of the Sudr of the 19th October 1840 &c. -

4. About the Sudr Court Proceedings of the 19th of said month /October/ passed before they received and seen the Copy of the Petition that -

that they had called — from the Provincial Court &c.

5. About the first and second Judges of the Provincial Court disagreeing in opinions in regard to the filing of the Petition &c. —

6 (literal) As "our friend" says that it is not proper for me to write Urzee for the Moturpha money before I receive an Enaythnama about it and that he will get and send said Enaythnama as soon as the Gentleman — I returns so you must take care and get it done accordingly, and inform me. —

Rotah enclosed

(literal) I learn by the rota enclosed in Ambalavana Pillay's letter of the 16th Instant, that "our friend" says that

I on the 27th October 1840 I was at Maylore having — commenced a Circuit on the 10th which ended on the 31st, I cannot call to memory if the Sheristadar accompanied me or not — It would be known by reference to the Batta list for that Month in the Board's Office. —

(Signed) J. B.

that upon further consideration of the urzee that I had drafted and sent for the whole of the Moturpha money under his advice he does not think that "the principal" will comply with it, that therefore he advises me to write another stating the creditors and other claims and apply for 70,000 Rupees in ready cash and — request the remainder to be put in Company's paper and that as the amount to be received is so reduced that he remits one half the amount agreed to be given him by Soobbier and requests the other half 10,000 Rupees to be paid into Periamma Chetty's hands and his letter obtained for it and sent him and

† See rota page
‡ The Banker at Ramanaud. See page 7. —

(Signed) J. B.

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†† Roka. This assertion of having paid 10000 Rupees to the Sheristadar is undisguised and Clear.

/Signed/ J. B.

him and to send back Soobbier quickly. Accordingly I have paid the 10000 Rupees into the hands of Perianna Chetty and have sent his letter for it together with a letter from Soobbier for "our friend" in my letter to Ambalavanna Pilly— these Ambalavanna pilly must take and Deliver himself to our friend, you may mention the matter to him in general terms as usual, without stating the Amount or objects of it and must press for the issue of the order for the payment of the 70,000 according to my urzee.—

I have admitted "our friends" Counsel that it is advisable to put all but 70,000 Rupees

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Rupees in Company's paper. In the Roka which Ambalavanna pillay sent in his letter of the 24th he writes that "our friend" had said that he would send Comjathanna to the Presence alluding to the orders from higher authority in regard to the Motumpha money, and desiring me on receipt of it to send an urzee as above mentioned— accordingly you must take care and get the Enaiythnama issued, and on its receipt I will write and send such an urzee as "our friend" suggests.

21st letter

/literal/ Compliments to

to the Court Vakeel Ar-
-nasawmy - I have received
the letter you wrote me
under date the 5th Instant
informing me that our
friend" had said that
"the Gentleman" had asked[x]
why the urzee had
not come about the
Moturpha money -
I want to see the pur-
-port of the letters -
I am expecting from
Madras in four days
more and will then
write the urzee - besides
the four Memorandums
I have sent you before
I have now sent another
enclosed in the letter
to Ambalavanna
pillay this you must
cause to be
delivered

[x] I was obliged to urge the Manager I think demi officially through the Sheristadar to come to an early decision about the Moturpha arrears, shewing him how he was wasting the interest that ought to accumulate for the Minor from his procrastination, as I did not then fear any fraud and duplicity -

/Signed/ J. D.

delivered and get and
send back a Memorandum
mentioned in a former
letter and as soon as
I receive it I will send
Sanction for making
the present I have
promised - As you
have informed you
must send the Copy
of the Decree on the
Peroonally case
which you have got
on plain paper together
with a translation
thereof made there and
as you will learn
every thing else from
the letter to Ambala-
-vana Pillay of this date,
I do not lengthen out
this -

22d Letter.

Letter itself relates
to different subjects
of no Consequence to us.

Rokab

Rokah Inclosed therein
/Literal/ I have sent
the Urzee as Suggested
by "our friend" asking
for an order for 70,000
and odd. Rupees of the
Motuspha Money to be
given to me to pay debts
contracted by the Estate
in the time of former
Zemindars and to make
ornaments for the young
Nachiar and requesting
the remaining 180,000. Rupees
to be put in Company's
paper for this at any
rate orders will have
been passed - The mo=
=ment that you write
me this has been done,
I will out of the said
funds pay into the hands
of Periauna Chetty the
2,000. Rupees which I have
promised "our friend".
for his Sons' marriage
and

X. Roka here is promise of a new bribe. The Sheristadar — carried one of his Sons to marry the Daughter of one of the Tasil=dars of Combatore to that place in April 1811 and was absent about 3 Weeks'.

/Signed/ J:. B.

0r Letter N.o 22. 3d Dec.r /40

/Signed/ J:. B.

The marriage took place in

April /40.

/Signed/ J:. B.

The carriage and delivery
if this money can be proved.

/Signed/ G:. F. H:

X2 The "Judicial White face" is Mr. Elliot

/Signed/ J:. B.

and get an acknowledge
=ment in his hand writing
and send it to "our friend"
and you must make
Lobbier inform "our friend"
according to what I have
written to him.

23d. Letter.

/Abstract/ Para 1 About
the disposition of the
3rd "Judicial white face"
and the opportune and
fitting replies made to
his enquiries - about
the Personally affair &c.a =.

2 - About the Samanoor
Law Suit.

3 and 4 - About the same

5 About the Mooli=
=theray account Suit=
/literal/ Para 6. In
respect to the Peroong=
=Karanay you are
aware as the Bramins
of it have large
families, and they
will be deprived —

J.

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of all means of livelihood and be ruined if we strictly inforced the precept, and as they are poor, that I have restored and made a present to them of the lands which fell at the sale, and released them from their obligation and let off those who had become their security for the balance due by them, I now send you Copies of the release summud &c which I issued to the Aumeens and others in this matter - and you must give in and file the Razeenamah according to what I have written you before on the information

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The signatures to this Vakalutnamah are all forged. Section No 2 page 2 also No 1 page 10

Signed J. H. F.

of Dholab Saibs Son in respect to it and as I send you the present Guardians Vakalutnamah for the purpose, you must fill it up and with the Vakalutnamah give in the Razeenamah into the Court and send me Copies of them -

7- About Personally Suit

8- About sending A. Copies of the papers in Mr. Fishers Suit, and also of the papers in the Tender Suit &c.

9- About the leave to Sonderamien -

24th Letter,

Abstract Para 1 acknowledges the receipts of Annasawmys letter &c of the 28th February and the day before - and about the law Suit for the Seecala lands -

About

2 About Shoolah Saibs
sons business.
3 About Samaviens
Movements &c.
4 / literal / ax Skarin
by Ambalavana Pillay's
letter that "the Principal"
objects to sign the order
which our friend had
prepared on my
behalf. I have sent
orders to Soobbier and
Ambalavana Pillay
to do every thing in
their power to induce
him to get it signed
and send me.
5 / Abstract / About
the Cusbah Annanah.
6 - - - - - About his
sons pay for august and
September.
25th Letter
/ literal / Compliments
to the Court Vukeel &c
Annasawmy. I have
received your letter

&c

‡2 About giving the Manager certain high Titles of which he was ambitious. He is neither by birth or action entitled to any. He was always the simple Mootto chella Saver till about 2 or 3 years ago when he assumed under authority, he says, the title of Vejea Rajanadha, and has and added thereunto again within the last twelve months that of Rajah. This conduct coupled with other facts exposed by these papers, are evidences of meditated usurpation as charged against him by the Ranee.

/ Signed / G. T. S.

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‡ I have kept no private letters of Mr. Fischers I have some recollection of Mr. Fischer having sent me a public letter on the subject of his Claim against the Manager, but doubtful of its being the proper Course, he authorized me, if it was wrong, to return it to him which was done - and I do not doubt the whole was communicated by me to the Sheristadar.

/ Signed / J. B.

of the 12th Instant reporting that "our friend," when you went to his house told you that Mr. Fischer, since his private ‡ letter to "the principal," had written him a public one, also informing me of the things "our friend" had said when he told you of the Contents of it, and you had Combated them to his Satisfaction - The Arguments that you used are perfectly right - If the said Mr. Fischer asks me with due deference and does not quarrel with me I always intended to give him some remuneration proportionate to the trouble he has taken, & not to Act falsely to him altogether - but we must see how he is going to act.

Abstract

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2./Abstract/ About the enquiry ordered about the Boundary quarrel between his people and the Sathoor Zemindar's people &c.

3 About buying and sending some Articles required for Medicine

4 About the Proceedings passed on the 19th Ultimo in the Sudr Court.

26th Letter

1./Abstract/ Para 1. About the Seal Account Sudr

2 About the Peroonally business.

3 About the late Guardians' business and about the opposition she makes to the payment the Motursha Money.

The Memorandum enclosed./Literal/ I am exceedingly sorry to hear of the death of our friends "Son in law Shree nevasarow. he ought to have been Spared this heavy affliction. but what can we do in Matters which Esooneran will and does. He must get over this misfortune by his own good sense.

/a true translation/
/Signed/ G. F. Fischer.
/Signed/ J. Blackburne
Pr. Coll.

x/ Seenavasa Row the very talented and industrious Son in law of the Sheristadar was Thennattanum Tapseldar and died at an early age of Carbuncle during the Sheristadars absence for his sons marriage at Coimbatore. An event which Compelled him to hasten his return by a few days. The man died on the 13th April 1841.

/Signed/ J. B.

If this roka be admitted Can doubt remain in any mans mind that by "our friend" is clearly meant the Sheristadar.

/Signed/ J. B.

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Memorandum.-

The Jummabundy amount of the Ramnad Zemindary from Fusly 1240 to Fusly 1251.-

For Fusly 1240	5,54,835	15	11
41	2,98,690	1	9
42	4,46,767	4	3
43	5,66,005	15	2
44	4,90,829	15	7
45	5,45,073	7	1
46	3,52,016	13	1
47	6,54,739	10	7
48	5,05,950	12	7
Total for 9 Fusslies	44,76,109	15	4
Average of each Fusly	4,97,345	9	0

Disbursement.-

Pashcush	3,31,565	8	0
Public and private Establishment of all kinds	75701 — 7 — 10	4,07,266	15 — 10

which deducted leaves surplus each year.- 90,078-9-2

The accounts for Fusslies 49 — 50 — and 51- are not obtained. Taking the average annual surplus as above for these years there should be a grand surplus of 11,71,024-6-6

For

for the 12 years that the Estate had been under the charge of the present Manager—

In these 12 years the Manager did not put 10,000 Rupees a year in Company paper for the benefit of the Minor— no, not even 1,000 for the whole of the time— How came upwards of 3 lacs then to accumulate and be put in Company's paper while the Estate was under sequestration in Mr. Peters' time? Why should there have been none such in the Managers' time with better seasons and under more favorable circumstances too? this deserves consideration:—

Besides the above income there is annually 9,500 Rupees from the private lands— which for 12 years amounts to ——— 114,000—"—"

From Moturpha and other petty sources for the same time ——— 52,500—"—"

From the Balance of the Interest of Companys paper after deducting what has been expended on Maramut 5,000—"—"

Making altogether a grand Total of Rupees 1388121—0—0

From

From which deducting the balance said to be outstanding in the Country ——— 25,000—"—"

Still is there to be accounted for — 1138121—6—0

Of this amount had each years profit or surplus been put into Company's paper, the Minors fortune would have been greatly increased— that the Manager has not so appropriated a single cash requires explanation—

In the Paddy contract given to Cally Moottoopillay and the Markar and in other trading transactions it is well known, the Manager has a share with them, the Balance too exhibited against these people is merely nominal— The money the Manager has in reality received and appropriated to himself and his wicked courses—

When the Zemindary was under sequestration in Mr. Peters time, a surplus of was invested in 133262— Rs. Company's paper—

In Mr. Blackburnes time, out of the arrears of Moturpha received 200000—"—"

Making a total in Company's paper of 513262—"—"

As

As not a Cash of the above mentioned surplus has been put in Company's paper by the Manager he ought to be called upon to account for it and to shew what kind of accounts he keeps of such surplus.-

20,000 Rs was spent on the late Minor Mangaleesvara Nachiar's Marriage - but the Nuzzars received in that and other occasions must amount to upwards of 50,000 Rupees.-

/A true Translation/

/Signed/ Gn. J. Fisher.-

Received from the Rance through her Brother - said to have been furnished by Ramasawmy Naik apparently about January 1842. See Annasawmy's letter of the 25th January &c 1842 No. 2.

/Signed/ G. J. F.

/Signed/ J. Blackburne

Principal Collector.-

Appendix D.

The feigned names by which Mr. Blackburne is designated in the correspondence between the Manager and his Agents.-

1	[illegible]	The Principal
2	[illegible]	The white face
3	[illegible]	The Gentleman
4	[illegible]	The Collector

Ditto names adopted for Shastgherry Cutcherry

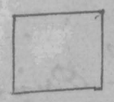
1	[illegible]	Our friend
2	[illegible]	Our Bramin friend
3	[illegible]	The Raiar
4	[illegible]	Our patron

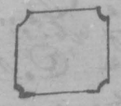
In all orders to his people and letters to his Native Agents and friends the Manager signs himself &c [illegible] Shree Ramanada Sawmy Saeayum: and he is in the habit of inclosing notes or Memorandums in such letters, both on private and public subjects - some of those he signs with [illegible] and some merely the one letter with: and some not at all.-

In addressing the Judge and Collector and other European authorities he signs himself [illegible] Vijia Ragoonatha Mootoo Chella Taver.-

The seals used are 3 in number one round - with the following inscription in Persian - "The Manager of the Ramnad Zemindary, Mootoo Chella Taver" - another square and a third octagon - the inscription of the last two also in Persian Settoopatty Rajah Huzzoor Cutcherry.-







/Signed/ G. J. Fisher

/Signed/ J. Blackburne

Principal Collector

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1 11 th.

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9 10 th. Ditto

10 10 th. Ditto

11 21 st. Ditto

12 29 th. Ditto

13 1 st. Ditto

14 11 th. Ditto

15 8 th. Ditto

16 30 th. Ditto

17 28 th. Ditto

18 13 th. Ditto

19 2d. rate cover

20 2 ter itself

21 11 th.

22 3d. rate cover

23 11 th. er itself

24 2d. rate cover

25 19 th. er itself

26 20

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No. C.

To,

G. S. Fischer Esqre.

1. The Ranee Purvoothanurthany Nachiar Guardian of the Ramnad Zemindary presents her Salams. I am doing well, and I hope you will write me of your health and welfare —

2. I duly received the letter which you wrote me on the 25th July Ultimo and understood every thing. I have been informed by my Brother Kottasawmy Sauer of every thing that you had said to him in answer to what he had communicated to you by my orders —

3. My health is somewhat better. In order that you may be satisfied that the reasons that Kottasawmy Sauer assigned for the delay in my writing you, are the true ones, I have directed him to take to you a Copy of the Urzee which I addressed the Collector, under date 19th July Ultimo, together with an English translation thereof, complaining to him of the gross and daring violation of the

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packet of letters, which my Brother had sent to my address by the Circar Sappal, and of the robbery and abstraction of a portion thereof, and intreating him to enquire into the crime committed, and to grant me redress— also a letter which Mapillay sawmy Tasser has written my Brother by my order under date 24th Ultimo informing him of my illness, and of the — Managers denial to allow me to have any Physician or people in whom I have confidence to attend me, and of his stisting me in the matter of expences, and of himself and his servants, acting in conformity with his will, subjecting me and my Daughter, the heir to this Estate to all manner of indignities and inconveniences with the design thereby to put an end to us and rid himself of us. when you see these you — will understand the causes of the delay of my answering you --

4. Your advice, by letter and by Message is to be reconciled to our Manager, and to have full confidence in him and to go on in a friendly way, and whatever may happen to look to the Collector and to

to apply to him, who is appointed to protect me, and who has the power to do so, and who will assuredly exercise such power rigidly, and who stands in the place of a father to me - That is all very true- and so to him, I solemnly declare, I always have trusted and always will trust, come what may - nor do I desire or look for any other protection - whatever grace and charity he shall extend to me so much will it redound to his fame and his justice-

5. In respect to the Rauzeenamah in the Law suit you have instituted against us, and in respect to our Manager, I am — willing to follow your advice, but I have sent my Brother to deliver to you certain letters, which were in my possession - these if you will examine — with proper pains, you will understand the said Managers' true character and thereon whatever course you should point out in respect to the Manager, that I am prepared to follow --

6. I am ready to give Rauzeenamah, and compromise the Suit No. 11 of 1841, which you have instituted in the S. Provincial Court on the terms settled with you by my Brother under my

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my orders, but when you have read the letters I have alluded to above, you will perceive how much of the said money, and how shamefully with the assistance of his friends, the Manager has made away with. Besides the villainy of this, it was not his own fraudulent intentions alone that induced him to fail to make terms with you, and forced you to the Court for redress, but also the evil persuasion of some wicked and interested people, who desired and intended to finger the money themselves - by this means he has caused the Zemindary to incur an unnecessary expense, and by many other ways subjected it to loss - in every thing this Zemindary suffers loss - and treachery at his hands - therefore in the matter of the Rauzeenamah, I trust you will reduce some thing more in the terms, or your pleasure - and I am ready to give the Rauzeenamah according to the terms settled by my Brother, and I trust you will be friend and lend every assistance in your power to this Estate -

7. When you read the above mentioned letters

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letters, and the Copy of the Urzee to the Collector alluded in the 2d Para hereof on the subject of the crime against the Tappal, you will clearly perceive that the Manager and his particular friends, who favor him and aid and abet him, have united and not only plundered and made away with my property; but have, in furtherance of it, in some affairs made use of my signature without my knowledge and witnessed it with forged marks and signatures, and instigated others to do it also - When you read the said Documents, this and such like highly criminal frauds and treacheries will divulge themselves - how many more robberies he has committed and how many more Documents he has forged with false signatures and false witnesses it is impossible to say - as the Managers particular friends render him every assistance to his plundering, and receive a share of the spoils, they take care to

suppress

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suppress the real state of my case, my positive grievances, and to prevent them from reaching the Collector, and being properly represented to him; Did he but know the truth though of the aforesaid circumstances in the least, he would most assuredly from the high character he bears for humanity and uncompromising integrity — have compassion on me, treat this Estate with kindness and consideration, recover the plundered property, rid himself of evil doers, and do justice. When such good time will befal me, I know not. Did I much longer refrain from exposing the misdeeds of the Manager and taking measures for his removal, he and his friends would strip the Estate of all that has hitherto escaped their rapacity, and embezzle all, and engage, if possible, in greater frauds, and disgrace this Zemindary. the letters I have alluded to will convince you of this.

8 I am still suffering from the spasmodic affections with which I have been afflicted. Though I am the proprietor of the Zemindary, and have the sole right of disposing of its revenues, to give

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give or deny to whom I please, yet with such rights and interests, I am constrained by fortuitous and unfortunate circumstances to suffer more grievous insults and cruelties than the lowest or meanest person in the world, and that from a paid servant appointed to manage my affairs - paid too from my property. Denied all essence, denied even a physician, and other needful attendance in severe sickness, language cannot describe the inhuman cruelties that I endure from the measures that he thinks and finds it necessary to take to keep the Authorities in ignorance of his acts, and to screen himself in case of any fatal results. I can no longer endure them. Lest you should disbelieve the many other wicked acts of the Manager, write what I will, I send you for your private perusal some letters out of many which will prove them before any tribunal to its satisfaction without the intervention of any witnesses. these will force you to admit the highly criminal character of the acts of the Manager, and the treasonable conduct of those

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those who have been aiding and abetting him. if any portion of contents of said letters transpire before the Manager's power to do mischief is taken from him, he and his friends in iniquity will combine, and beforehand devote myself and all connected with me to ruin and sad troubles but I am Ito council you in such matters as this.—

9. Therefore you must get the aforesaid letters from my Brother and deeply and seriously consider them and the circumstances I have stated above, and give me your advice, and I am willing to follow that advice whatever it may be. With Salams—

Ramnad 5th August 1842. } (Signed) Rance Parvavuthoorthanay Nachear.

Roka or Memorandum.

1. An examination of the letters which I now send you through my Brother will be sufficient to convince you of the Manager's wicked proceedings and of the guilty conduct of the friends that are assisting him therein. If you keep to yourself and don't let out the

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the contents of the letters I now send you, there are in certain places other letters and accounts more to the purpose than them to obtain these it may be necessary to search under Circumstances authority, but as this is a future matter you should keep it to yourself also.—

2. The person appointed to the Office of Manager is only entitled to his pay, but this Manager, without the slightest right to it, arrogates to himself the rank of the Rajah of this Zemindary, and thereby the privelege of firing an arraw on Vejeathasamy at the Navarathri feast, and therein to spend 12000 Rupees of the Minor's property yearly — under what and whose sanction he thus squanders away our property remains to be shewn.—

3. When I consider the exctraordinary and strict measures the Manager has taken to prevent even proper people to give medicine from having access to me in sickness, is any thing further necessary to shew me that he seeks to take my life, and to avoid the chance of witnesses to his foul Crime — Nor can any one say how soon that crime may not happen when I have been murdered, what will it avail to inquire into witnesses and evidence — Should I desire to escape with life from foul

* a privilage appertaining to royalty alone. (Signed) G.T.T.—

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foul murder, and to fly with my Daughter, sole surviving heir to all the rights and titles of my husband, the inheritor of this Estate, relinquishing to the Manager the rank and wealth [the power he already enjoys] that he so much covets, I dread to think what other dangers I may not run into. Nothing is done in communication with me, though the acknowledged guardian and proprietor of this Estate. A Manager appointed to conduct the details of affairs, an alien and hireling, enjoys all, as if his own, its Rank, its revenues and its patronage, dismissing and appointing whom he will to places of trust and profit — with such resources at his command and by an unscrupulous application of them, all his misdeeds are hidden and passed over.

4. While the Manager has been enjoying so much, he has been inhuman enough to subject the rightful owners of it all to the most humiliating privations and indignities, approaching to systematic murder. I am in the greatest distress even for food and raiment, not to mention that no one will listen to a word I say, nor is a Physician or friend allowed to visit me to prescribe for or support me in sickness. I would write to

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to his goodness the Collector to save me from such cruel and murderous indignities and restraint, to guard my life, and to permit me to have a physician and such other servants whom I can depend upon, as I need in my sickness, and to send an order to the Salt Ammoldar to see his intentions obeyed; but I am sadly afraid the Manager's friends and partizans will not allow such an appeal fairly to reach the Collector and to meet with effect. Were it otherwise, and could the Collector but learn the truth, that moment would justice prevail, and my sufferings cease — at all events, I can no longer refrain from addressing the Collector if it were even only to free me from personal restraints and privations — are we, the rightful owners of this fine Estate to be suffered to be starved, or to die for want of a physician and the needful attendance?

5. When the Manager formerly quarrelled with my mother-in-law Mottooverai Nachiar and treated her in the same harsh manner, the Collector on learning it, immediately issued a takeed to the Salt Ammoldar to interfere and prevent such practices, and arrested the Manager's injustices, and gave freedom to the said Nachiar. If such an order even could be obtained, although I apprehend more than the Nachiar ever did, even foul murder, it would be the greatest charity — and for such an order I must apply.

6. I have heard, and have good reason to believe it that the Manager meditates forcibly to take from me my Daughter and to marry her to

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to some incompetent young child in the hopes thereby to continue to retain his present Office are we alone in all Ramnad beyond the pale and protection of law and justice. If the Manager dares, and what does he not dare, to perpetrate so cruel and so foul an outrage I will not survive the disgrace and dishonor.—

/signed/ Rance Parvouthavur thamy Nachiar.

/a true translation/

/signed/ G. T. Fischer.

Note.— By the mode of writing I surmise that the Manager adopts, see page [illegible] and the honors that he renders himself it is evident he would imply a right to the Estate. Whereas Mootoo Chella Tauer belonged to a distinct and distant family, having no claim whatever to succession to the Estate. Ramasawmy Chettoo putty got the Estate by introduction into the Reigning family by adoption. This Mootoo Chella Tauer, was only Ramasawmy Chettoo putty's half Brother. Their Mother first married one Oopporoory Tauer, and by him had the first. then afterwards one Monaudy Tauer, and by him had Mootoovarai Nachiar and the second. This is the fact, and I am prepared to prove it, although Mootoo Chella Tauer has by false evidence palmed upon the Court in and upon Government on all occasions that he was the son of the same Father as Ramasawmy Chettoo Putty. The circumstance in the Court would indicate an early design on the Estate.—

/Signed/ G. T. Fischer.
/ " / J. Blackburne
Fort St. George Collector.

To John Blackburne Esqr.

Collector & Magistrate

of Madura.—

The respectful address of

Puvathavur thamy Nachiar

Sheweth,

That your Honor is aware that since the wicked malpractices of the Manager, who is paid from the revenues of the Zemindary belonging to the child whom your Petitioner has given birth to and brought up, and in whose favor she has waived her own rights, and to whom she is appointed guardian by Government and the Courts of Law. Malpractices with the view and intent, aided and abetted by evil disposed people, of veiling his deep laid designs of usurping their property & their rights. since these malpractices came to her knowledge, your Petitioner has from time to time brought certain instances of them to your notice by Urzee with the view & in the confidence of arresting & obtaining redress of the same, that although her representations have hitherto failed, & she attributes it to her misfortune, toned with that attention from your benevolent dispositions that

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that in her humble opinion they merited, yet has she always had a confident hope that your wonted yourself some time or other discover the real character of the Manager and do her justice, and redress her many grievances and until such time comes she has appointed her Brother Katasamy Pavar to remain at Madura near you. further she declares that out of apprehension that your Petitioner would appeal to your Authority and expose his misdeeds, so destructive to your Petitioner's and her Daughters property, personal convenience & peace of mind, the Manager has, in order to prevent her from communicating with her friends & to keep her in ignorance of all that is passing, placed her under the most degrading, irksome, and cruel restraint.

That while it being so your Petitioner's Brother, who is at Madura as above mentioned, put a packet for her in the Madura Post Office on the 13th Instant. That the said packet contained a number of letters and weighed 2 3/4 Rupees, and it was charged 3 Annas postage as per receipt granted, and was addressed for your Petitioner to the care of the Ramnad Post Office Writer

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Writer. This packet her Brother informs your Petitioner the Ramnad Post Office Writer, finding it to have been violated & one end of it opened, and one Rupee's weight of its contents abstracted, did not think proper to deliver to her, but returned it to the Madura Post Office Writer with a letter of remonstrance from himself.

That your Petitioner has not a doubt but that the Manager has corrupted the Post Office Writers and is the Author of this grasp and daring violation of the sanctity of the Government mail, to ascertain the nature and extent of the information being communicated to your Petitioner in regard to the Robberies against the State committed by the Manager and his friends in iniquity, in orders to devise measures betimes to counteract the same that the Manager is capable of such an act; and the Post Office Writers of sending themselves thereto, your Petitioner humbly begs to submit a case in point.

That the case in point, to which your Petitioner alludes, and which your Honor will remember when called to your mind, is the letter which the Vakeel Ramasawmy Iyengar wrote to your Petitioner's Mathermtan

Maattavarai

Mastoovenaik Nachiar by the Appeal from Madura which Letter was proved to your honor's satisfaction to have been cut above one end, the same way as your Petitioner's Letter has been done; and for which your honor dismissed the then Pannaiar Tappal Writer Narrienyar: that out of consideration of the Tappal Writer having lost his situation for the service rendered to him, the Manager has from that time bestowed on the revenues of your Petitioner's Estate and without her consent, a pension of 6 Pagodas a Month upon the said Narrienyar; that this Proceeding of the Manager's had emboldened the Tappal Writers and others to aid and abet him in his Malpractices, not only out of hope of present gain, but with the assurance of future protection and support in case and incase of the same as Narrienyar, in case of detection and dismissal by Government- it has emboldened them to violate and rob the Letters entrusted to the Circar Post Office for your Petitioner, That under all the circumstances of the case, it must be evident to your honor, that on the

the Manager alone could benefit by the act— so he alone must have instigated it.—

That with the example of so slight a punishment only being inflicted on so grave an offence as in Narrienyar's Case, before them, your Petitioner dreads to think what other frauds and outrages may not be attempted against her by the Manager and and his creatures.—

That therefore your Petitioner entreats your honor to enquire into the Robbery committed by the Post Office in the instance of the Letter addressed to her by her Brother on the 13th Instant; and not only to punish the as public officer guilty of the Crime, but also those who had instigated and been the cause of it, and to obtain and restore to her her said Letter and its contents, and with the generosity so belonging to your Nation and to your own nature, to guard from the like outrages a persecuted and unprotected female.

For which act of grace and justice, your Petitioner shall as in duty Bound.—

Ever pray.

[Signed] Ranee. Proovathroothany Nachiar.—
[A True translation] [Signed] G. F. Fischer.

To

To

G. F. Fischer Esqre.

The Ranee Parvovathavathas
my Nachiar guardian of the Ramnad
Zemindary presents her Salams.

The letter which you were
kindly pleased to write and send me under
date the 17th Instant I have duly received
and understood every thing - my health is
somewhat better.

To that urgee that I addressed
the Collector on the 12th Instant regarding the
cruel restraints to which I was subjected, as
I have already informed you I have at the
moment I was labouring under the most fearful
apprehensions from my unprotected and
persecuted condition received such a gracious
answer under date the 15th Instant as relieved

me

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me from all my worst fears and binds me to
him in gratitude and devotion for ever -
and him we shall regard in future as
our God and our protector. Copies of the
Urzee that I wrote and of the answer
received I send you for your perusal
through my Brother Rotasawmy Taver.

The impediments to it
are removed I trust I shall now soon recover
my health. You write me if I have any
more papers and accounts of importance
to send them to you without delay - I
certainly mentioned in the rokah that
I sent you in my letter of the 5th Instant
that there existed such Documents; but
at the same time I told you they were only
forthcoming with the Circar assistance; for
all power is in the hands of the Manager
and the whole country and its resources

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8th Sent the following letters in consequence.-

To the Principal Collector of Madura.-

Sir,

To the Pl. Coll.r of Madura communicating instructions for his guidance in reply to his letter of the 24th Ultimo on the subject of certain frauds & corruptions in which his Head Sheristadar the Manager of the Ramnad Zemindary and the Government Vakeel of the Villah Court are implicated.-

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3 Para. 1.- I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 24th Ultimo addressed to the President of this Board.-

2 In this communication a series of frauds and corruptions of Forgery and subornation of Forgery are detailed upon information furnished to you by Mr. Fischer implicating your Head Sheristadar Shashagherry Row the Manager of the Ramnad Zemindary, Muttoo Sheila Tavey and Ramasawmy Iyen the Government Vakeel of the Villah Court; and you request the instructions of the Board for a issuing a Search Warrant to search the House of the Manager and seize his private Papers with a view to obtain further and conclusive evidence of his guilt.- You also suggest the propriety of issuing a search Warrant to search the House of Pareana Chetty a native Banker

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Banker residing in Ramnad who is stated to have had money transactions with the Head Sheristadar - with a view of bringing home the guilt of the Sheristadar, and you request instructions as to the course of Proceeding you shall adopt towards your Head Sheristadar and the Court Vakeel.-

3 In reply the Board instruct me to state that they are not prepared upon information and translation of documents furnished on the responsibility of Mr. Fischer to authorize the issue of the search warrants nor to sanction the measure unless upon the perusal of the Original Documents themselves you would feel yourself authorized under the Regulations to do so.-

4 The Board however have had no difficulty in coming to a conclusion upon one point, Viz.t that it is necessary on receipt of this communication, to suspend your Head Sheristadar from his situation pending further investigation; they are of opinion also that you should simultaneously with this

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this measure put the Zillah Judge in possession of all the acts charged against the Government Vakeel with a view to his investigating that part of the case, and lastly they direct that on receipt of this, you proceed yourself forthwith to Ramnad and take the Zemindary under the Court of Wards; adopting such measures against the Manager on behalf of the Minor as upon consideration of all the circumstances you may deem proper. -

5. In conclusion the Board instruct me to state that while they desire to express their acknowledgments to Mr. Fischer for the readiness with which he has come forward to give information on this occasion, they consider it most inexpedient that he should be permitted to interfere in any way whatever with the affairs or management of the Estate and desire that this be most strictly prohibited. -

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6. The Board instruct me to say that they do not think that any public benefit would arise from personal communication with you at the present juncture. -

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
8th September 1842

/Signed/ J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary.

10th To The Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

To the Actg Chf Secy to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit, for the purpose of being laid before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, the papers noted in the Margin, having reference to some malversations on the Ramnad Zemindary, now the property of a Minor, and hitherto in the hands of a Manager, but not under the charge of the Court of Wards. Under the circumstances stated in Mr. Blackburne's letter, the Board have deemed it

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From the Pl Coll. of Madura to President of the Board of Revenue, August 27th 1842
with one Enclosure
To the Pl Coll. of Madura 8th September 1842.

necessary

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necessary to act without delay in their latter capacity, and to direct that the Estate should be taken under the Court of Wards, without previously obtaining the authority of Government.- They instruct me to solicit the approval and sanction of Govern=ment for this proceeding; and direct me to add that further report shall be made on the subject, as soon as they have the requisite information before them.-

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George
10th September 1842

/Signed/ J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary

Fort St. George 12th September 1842.

At a Meeting Present

Monday 12th September 1842 } John Dent Esqr. Senior Member.
G. D. Drury Esqr. Second Member.
Alexander Maclean Esqr. Acting Third Member.
and
A. Mellor Esqr. Acting Temporary Member.

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.-

Read the following Reso=-lutions.-

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 6th September 1842.-

(From Board 29th August)

From the Acting Secretary to Government.- The Right Honorable the Governor in Council grants authority for the defence, in the first instance, at the public expense of the Suit No 171 of 1840, insti=-tuted against the Principal Collector of Canara, in the Zillah Court at that station by one Anunta Shetty for the recovery of certain land, but will determine on a Copy of the decree

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decree being laid before him whether the Costs if any, be adjudged against the Principal Collector, shall be borne by that Officer, or by the Government.-

(Signed) Walter Elliot

Acting Secy. to Government.

Order thereon.- Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Resolution of Government be communicated for the information and guidance of the Principal Collector of Canara, with reference to his letter of the 11th. Ultimo No. 65.-

(4-5)

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 6th. September 1842.-

(From Board 22d. August)

From the Acting Secretary to Government.- The Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the payment of the arrears due on the Salt Compensation Certificate referred to in the foregoing letter, amounting to Rupees (120-4-4) One hundred and twenty, and annas four.-

(6)

(Signed) Walter Elliot

Ag. Secretary to Government

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.-

(6-7)

To The Collector of Madras.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acquaint you that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased to sanction the payment of the arrears due on the Salt Compensation Certificate referred to in your letter of the 10th. Ultimo No. 26, amounting to Rupees 120-4-4.-

To the Collr. of Madras.

From Govt. 6th. Inst. rd. 12th. Sept. 1842 No. 1070.

in cons. 22d. augt.

Revenue Board Office Fort St. George, 12th. Sept. 1842.

(Signed) J. D. Bourdillon

Secretary.

Read

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Read the following Resolution.-

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 6th. September 1842.-

(From Board 22d. August)

From the Acting Secretary to Government.- The Right Honorable the Governor in Council cancels the Lease submitted with the foregoing Proceedings, and authorizes the issue of a fresh Lease for Mrs. Higgins' property on the Neilgherries.-

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(Signed) Walter Elliot

Ag. Secretary to Govt.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.-

(8-9)

To The Collector of Madras.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to intimate to you that the Right Honorable the Governor in Council has been pleased, under date 6th. Instant, to cancel the lease submitted with your letter of the 12th. August last, No. 63, and to authorize the issue of a fresh lease for Mrs. Higgins' property on the Neilgherries.-

To the Collr. of Madras.

in Cons. 12th. Septr. 1842

in Cons. 22d. August.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 12th. September 1842.

(Signed) J. D. Bourdillon

Secretary.

Read

Read the following Resolutions.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 6th September 1842.

(From Board 29th August)

From the Acting Secretary to Government. Resolved that the Superintendent of the Fort St. George Gazette Press be directed to print the required number of Forms submitted with the foregoing letter.

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Actg. Secy. to Government

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Order thereon.

Ordered to be recorded.

(10-11)

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 9th September 1842.

(From Board 29th August)

From the Acting Secretary to Government. The Right Honorable the Governor in Council grants authority for the defence in the first instance at the public expense of the Suit No. 386 of 1840, instituted in the Zillah Court of Canara against the Principal Collector and others, by one Chendiah, for the recovery of a Tenure, but will determine, on a Copy of the Decree being laid before him, whether the

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the Costs, if any be adjudged against the Principal Collector, shall be borne by that Officer or by the Government.

(Signed) Walter Elliot
Acting Secy. to Govt.

Order thereon.

Resolved that a copy of the foregoing order of Government be communicated for the information and guidance of the Principal Collector of Canara, with reference to his letter of the 11th. Instant.

(12-13)

Read the following letter.

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

Sir,

From the Collr. of Rajahmundry

I have the honor to submit a Statement of Estates attached for arrears of Revenue according to the form, which accompanied the Deputy Secretary's letter under date the 28th. March 1836, and request you will be pleased to obtain the Sanction of the Board of Revenue for the Establishments proposed. These Estates were referred to in the 4th. Para. of my letter of 20th. July as not having been attached, but as no arrangement has been made since by the parties concerned, I have now on the approach of the Current Fasts considered it necessary to attach these Estates.

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Gillah Rajahmundry
Collector's office
Cocanada 31st. August 1842.

(Signed) G. A. Smith
Collector.

Statement

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Fort St. George

No. 1

Statement of Estates attached for fusly 1252

12th September 1842.

in the Zillah of Rajahmundry.

Number.	Names of the Zemindaries or Estates.	Names of the Zemindars or Proprietors.	Number of Villages included in the Zemindary or Estate.	Permanent Summah of the entire Zemindary or Estate.	Amount of Kists due for Current fusly.	Amount Collected.	Balance	Number of Villages proposed to be attached	Actual or Estimated annual Value of the portion proposed to be attached	Establishment proposed to be Employed in the attachment.	Proportion of the Establishment to the Estimated annual Value of the portion of the Estate attached.	Date of the attachment.	Remarks.
				Cht. a p	Cht. a p	Cht. a p	Cht. a p		Cht. a p		Cht. a p c		
1	Pauvonmuntrah Estate	Govindaraujoo Lah Venkatauray do Proprietors	12	21,968 12 9						1 Ameen 15			
	Arrears						27,972 4 9		12,32,953	3 2 4 Peons at 4 Rupees each 16			
										31			
										Saunderwared 1 32	1 6 64 31	31st Augt 1842	Placed under the Ameen of Pinagondah Talook.
2	Gopaulapooram Do. Do.	Cavooloory Pauh dasseranze and Cundemullah Ristead Do. Joint Do.	11	19,368 8					11,29,052	12 1 Ameen 15 4 Peons at 4 Rupees each 16			
	Arrears						6083 14 7			31			
										Saunderwared 1 32	1 9 15	Do.	Do. under the Ameen of Gopaulapoor Talook.
3	Munchily Do. Do. Do.		1	3,672 12 11					1,29,509	3 5 1 Samuldan 10 2 Peons at 4 Rupees each 8			
	Arrears						1870 4 11			18			
										Saunderwared 2 188	5 4 48	Do.	Do. under the Ameen of Pinagondah Talook.
	Total		24	45,010 1 8			35,927 2 3		24,67,515 2 7	Total 328			

Zillah Rajahmundry, Collector's office, Cocanada

31st August 1842. E. C. Jay Signed G. A. Smith Collector

The

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Fort St. George 12th September 1842

Proceedings thereon -

(14-15)

The Board of Revenue are pleased to sanc=tion the disbursement for the entertainment of the several Establishments, de=puted to manage the Estates attached for ar=rears of Revenue, as ex=hibited in the Statement which accompanies the foregoing letter, the Charge amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 82 - 8 per Mensem.-

Read the following Statements:-

Statement

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Fort St. George 12th September 1842.-

Statement shewing the Quantity of Salt in store and ready for Exportation from Calcutta as the undermentioned Dates 1842.

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Quantity already exported	Quantity remaining in store and intended to be exported from the 5th September 1842.	Quantity actually in store and ready for exportation	Remarks
3	5	6	
	1	2	
233,284 maunds	166,716 maunds	400000 maunds	Sales and per Consul of Ships, ment, but some delay for hire caused by the Calcutta Lighter Contractors the Pinnace of the Gentlemen have been in the Course of the last two days.

Statements

Gunga ---

Gillder Lieutenant Commander
Collector's Office
Cuttack 5th September 1842

Collector

10234 Fort St. George 12th September 1842.

Statement shewing the Quantity of White Cadjan actually issued and ready for Exportation on account of the balance due to Government for Fasly 1252 as the undermentioned Ports in the Gillah of Nellore on the 31st August 1842.

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No.	Names of Ports.	North Latitude	Quantity of White Cadjan issued to the exporters to balance Fasly 1252 in the year 1841/42.	Quantity remaining already exported.	Quantity at Present ready stored Salt Manufactured and ready for exportation	Remarks
1	Cottapatnam	14	44,000	5	6	7
2	Gogoladinny	14	4,000	19 Pro	13 Do	13 Do
3	Tarangy	14	20,000	8,123	8,277	"
	Total		150,000	15,104	24,896	"
				10,813	9,187	"
				10,640	42,360	"

Nellore, Sub Collr's Cutcherry, the 5th September, 1842.

(Sd.) J. W. Monkhouse
Sub Collector.

Ordered.

10235 Fort St. George 12th September 1842.

Order on the two foregoing Statements. Ordered to be recorded.

(16-18)

Read the following letter from the Sub Collector in charge of Cuddapah

In Con. 22. Nov. 1841. dated 13th November 1841, reporting on the settlement of that District for Fusly 1250.

Proceedings thereon, 1. The duty of reporting on the settlement of the Land Revenue in this Fusly. devolved upon Mr. Joseph Cotton the sub collector in charge who specifies the Talooks. which were respectively settled by Mr. Lavie, Mr. Mayne, Mr. Hallett, and the sub Collector Mr. Skelton. The accounts of the Poonganoor Estate were as usual left for adjustment to the Poligar.

Relative to the settlement of the Land Revenue in the District of Cuddapah for Fusly 1250.

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2. The season is stated to have been less favorable upon the whole than in the preceding Fusly The insufficiency of the first rains prevented the Ryots from fully cultivating their dry lands nor could they commence their early or "Kartiga" Crops in the Nunjah lands. In the Cumbum Talook the supply of water filled all the Tanks. and the wet cultivation was actively carried on in this and other Talooks, but

Paras 3–4

but in the Gooramcondah, Muddenpully and Poolevendlah divisions, the tanks were deficient, and in consequence there was a considerable falling off in the Nunjah Crops. The dry lands although they may not have yielded a full profit, appear generally to have given a fair produce and where the tanks were adequately supplied the outturn of the Nunjah harvest, with the exception of blight in a few places, was successful. The

Paras 5—6 country throughout the year may be considered healthy. Stormy weather in May was the Cause of serious loss to the

Para 7. Ryots in their Sheep and Cattle. The prices of all sorts of Grain fell below

"Dry Grain" about 20 per Cent. "wet Grain" about 13 per Cent. those of Fusly 1249, and were considerably lower than the average of the last 5 years.

Para 8. 3. The undertaking of the Ryots to hold lands at the opening of the season extended to 130,613—18—1 Acres, exceeding the extent of land taken up in fusly 1249 by 33,032—17—11 Acres. In the extent of dry lands

Para 9. actually cultivated there was an increase of

of 33,167—35—1/4 Acres paying Rupees 21,886—7—5, but in consequence of the failure in the Nunjah irrigation, and of the decrease under the heads of "Seerwa Jasti" and "Fassel Jasti" the amount of the settlement fell short

	Acres.	Settlement.
1249	108,220—24—8.	24,52,901—12—3
1250	110,2090—2 3/4	23,22,010—1—10
Increase	15,869—17—10 3/4	
Decrease		130,891—10—5

of the value of the lands actually cultivated in the preceding year in the sum of Rupees 130,891—10—5 as shewn in the Margin.—

Para 10. 4. The net amount of remissions under all heads, granted after due investigation, exceeded the net Amount allowed in last year by Rupees 97,860—12—10 owing entirely to the remission on a quantity of wet land which was taken up and could not be cultivated for want of seasonable rain. In the usual items of remission there was a great decrease, and the Board observe that neither Crops nor Lands were destroyed and injured as in last year by inundation, and the remission

remission on this account was less by Rupees 4482–9–10. Deducting these remissions from the total assessment of the land which the Ryots had undertaken to cultivate at the commencement of the season, the actual settlement with the addetion of Rupees 1700 to the fixed Peshcush of Ponganoor amounted to Rupees 2,07,494–6 being the result of a Gross increase of Rupees 115086–1–6 and a Gross decrease of Rupees 21,811–13–6 and exhibiting a Net decrease below the preceeding year of Rupees 102725–12–0.

Para 11.

Para 13.

5. The Baganapully Jagheer experienced a loss of the Revenue derived from the wet lands arising chiefly from the rains being insufficient to fill all the Tanks. The result of the settlement after deducting all regulated remissions was a Net decrease of Rupees 6487–3–9.

1249	121403–6–9	
1250	114916–3–0	
Decrease	6487–3–9	

6. Inclusive of the Baganapully Jaghieer the Net settlement of the District of Cuddapah amounts to Rupees

	Settlement.	
Fasly 1249	2231623–8–9	Rupees 2122410–9–0
" 1250	2122410–9–0	and falls below that
	109212–15–9	of Fasly 1249 in the

sum of Rupees 109212–15–9.

Para 16

Balance up to the end of June 1842. in Cuddapah (exclusive of Baganapully)

7. Of the total Demand on account of Land Revenue amounting to Rupees 2122410–9–0. the sum of Rupees 2047473–3–3 was

Rupees 3005–6–11

collected within the Fasly, leaving a balance of Rupees 61086–8–0 due in various proportions in the different Talooks of the District, and of Rupees 13850–13–9 in the Baganapully Jaghieer. The arrears in the District itself were at the end of October 1841 reduced to Rupees 5758–10–9, and by subsequent collections to the end of June 1842 they amounted only to Rupees 3005–6–11.

8. The arrears of current Revenue still outstanding in the Baganapully Jaghieer at the end of October 1841, amounted to Rupees 12,564–7–2. By the accounts of subsequent Collections to the end of July 1842. these arrears have

have been reduced to the sum of Rupees 8491—14—6. The attention of the Acting Principal Collector will be directed to an enquiry into the condition of the Ryots by whom the rents in this Jagheer have not been duly paid, and he should satisfy himself that the defaulters have the actual management of the lands upon which the arrears are due—and that they are not tenanted in the names of others with a view to avoid responsibility.—

Para 17.

9. Of the Balances outstanding of former years in the District of Cuddapah a sum of Rupees 856—4—5 still remains uncollected on account of Fusly 1242. The Board have already conveyed distinct orders for the recovery of the balance, and they desire that the Acting Principal Collector will report in a separate communication, what may have been done in furtherance of those instructions. at the same time the Board will be glad to learn from Mr. Arbuthnot the information

Board's Proceedings on the settlement of Fusly 1249 dated 16th December 1841. Para 6.

information regarding the balances of Fusslies 1248 and 1249. which after more minute investigation Mr. Cotton proposed to furnish.—

	Balance
Fusly 1248	9,635—4—8
" 1249	3312—5—1

Para 18.

10. The arrears of former years due in the Bagganapully Jaghier from fusly 1246 to fusly 1249 inclusive amount to Rupees 26335—7—8. Of this sum Rupees 323—3—1 have been collected and placed in deposit. In their Proceedings on the settlement of Fusly 1249 the Board required further information regarding the means of Ram Row to discharge the full amount he had been proved to have misappropriated, which the Collector will be pleased to supply. in the mean time the sum already realized should be carried to the account of the Jagheer. The Board will await the result of the enquiry into the balances of Fusslies 1248 and 1249 in the Bagganapully Jaghire, which they observe are nearly double the Amount of the arrears, for the same period in all the Talooks of

From the Asst. Coll.r of Cuddapah dated 10th in Com.s 28th October 1840. Para 22.

Board's Proceedings dated Dec.r 16th 1841. Para 7.

of the District.-

11. In para 8 of his letter the Sub Collector in charge observes that "there was an increase of the distribution "in every species of land with the exc- "-eption of Teerwa Jastie, and Fusul Jastie. the decrease in the former "arises partly from the failure of rain "and partly from the additional tax "levied last year on lands of newes "wells, situated under the Tanks, not "being imposed this year as per order "of the Board Vea." The exact propor- -tion of this decrease is no where explained, nor is the order of the Board on this subject specified. In their Proceedings on the settlement of Fusly 1247 the Board distinctly stated that wells dug under the Bunds of Tanks, under the circumstances described by Mr. Blane, were clearly not entitled to the remission of additional assessment, and that full Teerwa should be collected under all such wells- and again in August 1840 the Board repeated their

Dated 7th October 1839 Para 29.

From the Coll.r of Cuddapah under date 31st December 1838. In Cons.n 14th January 1839. Para 35.

Board's Proceedings dated 21st Aug.t 1840. Para 1st

From the Coll.r of Cuddapah 31st December 1838 Para 35.

their instructions that Wells dug under the bunds of Tanks, or for the purpose of watering land, which, although classed as dry, can be reached by the water of Tanks or Nullahs, should be taxed at the Garden rates- The Collector had represented the practice of the Ryots of turning part of the water of the Tank or Nullah into these wells although they did not use them- which was decided to be a just ground for the imposition of the additional tax but independent of such practice it is obvious that the construction of a Well under a Tank or Nullah will naturally have the effect of draining it and of withdrawing from either source of irrigation a portion of the water required for wet Cultivation; the benefits therefore which the Ryots may derive from such Wells cannot be permitted to operate to the injury of the wet lands and ultimately to the loss of the Revenue, and the Board deem it necessary to repeat their injunctions to the Collector that all new Wells situated

situated on lands classed as dry under Tanks or Nullahs which can in any way be affected by their waters shall be assessed with the usual additional tax.

12. The Board are sensible that in consequence of a deviation from the terms of the Cowle established by Colonel Munro, some sacrifice has been made in the revenue derived from Garden lands, but that it is only necessary to enforce the terms of that Cowle to put a stop to any further sacrifice, and still preserve to the Ryot all the benefit which he has a right to claim from the outlay of his own capital in digging a new Well. They therefore resolve to direct that all new Well lands be charged with the full garden assessment in the event of old Well cultivation being abandoned, contrary to the terms on which Cowle can be issued for dry lands converted into gardens, and which are perfectly well understood throughout the District of Cuddapah namely, that if a new

Well

Well is dug in dry land, and the land is converted into a garden no more than the dry tax shall ever be demanded for that land. but this Cowle could only be continued to such Ryots as cultivated land in excess of the preceding years assessment and not to those who cultivated below that amount.

13. In connection with this subject the Board request the attention of the Principal Collector to the causes which have led to the desertion of the old Baghayet in the Village of Cummigherry in the Doopaud Talook in the Sub Collectors division. They observe that the number of new Wells since Fasly 1247 have increased throughout the District to 1436. as shewn in the Margin.

Sub Coll.r Report Para 30.

No. of New wells apto.	
Fasly 1247	12285
1248	12575
1249	13577
1250	13721
Increase since Fasly 1247	1436.

Referring to the statement 14. in detail of the settlement of the Village of Corrala Coontah, which accompanied the General Statement in the Hindoovee language, it is observed that the engagements of a Ryot carry

Ryot,

Ryot named Tenmagadoo included a field of Poonjah land, No. 15 of three (3) Acres. thirty one (31) Goontahs, and also one (1) Acre, Eight (8) Goontahs, ten and a half (10½) annas of land, under a new Well, making in all —

acres	Goontahs	annas
4	39	10½

the Poonjah land, which it seems the Ryots usually cultivated, was abandoned; but the new Well land was cultivated, together with Enam land to the amount of

Rs.	A.	P.
2	7	3

the demand on the Poonjah field was remitted on the plea that it was left waste. This the Board consider inadmissible, and the circumstance of the new Well land only being charged in the settlement requires specific explanation, which the Acting Principal Collector will be pleased to supply.

15. In para 10, it is observed that there is a remission after "the Summahbandy" on waste lands "entered in the accounts, under hope "of their being cultivated afterwards "but were not." The amount of this after remission

remission is stated to be Rupees 4,386—10—1. On reference to the statements of the settlement it is found to have been made entirely on account of Vysak Bunjer, or last wet Crop waste, and in the opinion of the Board it is much larger than under any circumstances should have been allowed. The objection to the practice of making remissions after the accounts of the settlement are closed has been frequently pointed out by the Board, and they rely on the exertions of the present Acting Principal Collector for its being entirely discontinued. Such a mode of adjusting the demand against the Ryots being at variance with the principles of an annual Ryotwar settlement.

Board's Proceedings on the Settlement of Fasly 1247. paras 34-35.

16. The Board have already recorded their opinion against the introduction of a general tax on Pasturage (Poollery) in the Sub Collector's division. If however the Ryots connive at the fraudulent entry of a number of Sheep in their own names which

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do not belong to themselves but to shepherds, it will be the duty of the Acting Principal Collector to correct this evil, as represented by the sub Collector - and he will be pleased to state what is the Custom of the country when Ryots paying a small amount of rent for land use the circar waste for grazing large flocks and herds of Cattle.

Sub Coll.r's Report Para 29.

17. The remission after the Summahbandy on one Crop wet land cultivated with a second Crop, amounting only to Rupees 2.997-9-2, refers to a correspondence now pending on the subject with Mr. Arbuthnot.

Para 10.

18. With respect to the irrigation of Enam lands, the local usages of the Villages in which they are situated should always be followed but on this subject as on that of the Desoye Enams noticed by the sub Collector and of any suggestions involving an alteration in the principles of the settlement hitherto followed the Board

Board desire that a reference may, on all occasions, be made by the subordinate Collector to his immediate superior in the first instance, who will submit his opinion, if necessary, on each point after due investigation.

19. The Board have observed with much satisfaction the care with which Mr. Cotton brought the annual settlement to a close, as well as the zeal, and knowledge of his duty displayed by Mr. Skelton in his report, which it is to be regretted is not written with strict attention to the usual form of Official Correspondence, and which contrary to their instructions abounds with native terms intelligible only to those who are familiar with the subject.

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Extract from the Board's Proceedings be submitted to Government, and a transcript of the same be forwarded to the Acting Principal Collector of Cuddapah, for his information and guidance.

Read

10250 Fort St. George 12th September 1842.

Read the following letter.

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

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From the Coll.r in the N.th D.n of Arcot.

Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 11th August 1842 received on the 24th Ultimo, I have the honor to suggest that the Index of the Revised copy of the Laws relating to India may be printed and circulated as the necessary alterations cannot be made in the Index of the 2d. Edition of the same work without much delay. The new Index contains many alterations, and unless printed will be of little use for reference. Several alterations exist in the body of the work, but these have been inserted as directed; as the Index contains so many alterations, it would be much cheaper to print it for Circulation.

+ herewith returned.

North Arcot, Collr.s Circuit Cutcherry, Palmaner, 6th September 1842.

/Signed/ J. Goldingham
Collector.

Ordered

10251 Fort St. George 12th September 1842.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.

To The Collector in the
Northern Division of
Arcot.

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Sir,

To the Coll.r in the N.th D.n of Arcot.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to state in reply to your letter of the In Cons.s 12th Sept.r 1842. 1st Instant, that the Board do not think it necessary to reprint the whole index to the third edition of the "Laws relating to India", consisting of 112 quarto pages of letter press, although making the corrections in the former edition may be somewhat disfiguring the book and involve some trouble, especially as the other collectors

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Collectors to whom the book has been circulated have made the requisite alterations without remonstrance.-

2 As it does not appear from your letter that you have corrected your office copy the Volume is now again forwarded to you, and you are requested to make the necessary revision and return this book at your early convenience.-

ORIGINAL DESTROYED

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
12th September 1842.

Signed/ J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary.

Read the following letter.

To.

Fort St. George 12th September 1842

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

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From Principal Collr. of Salem ... Stating that no Sunnud has been found regarding the Ummah pollium Jaghire, and that the Evidence of one existing is a Takeed from Mr. Cockburn ordering the restoration of the Loom tax of which a Copy and translate are forwarded shewing also by whom the Moturpha and loom taxes were collected from Fusly 1198 up to this time.-

Sir,

Referring to Extract from the Proceedings of the Board dated 27th June I have the honor to state for their information, that the book containing Copies of Sunnuds &c.a of alienated lands have been searched, and no Copy of the original grant for the Ummapollum Jaghire found therein- The only evidence of a Sunnud existing is, the takeed from Mr. Cockburn ordering the restoration of the loom tax, of which I again send Copy and translate, the translate formerly sent being incorrect.-

2. In Conformity to the instructions Contained in Para 2, Extract from Minutes of Consultation dated 14th June, I beg to state, that from Fusly 1198 to 1205 the Moturpha and loom taxes were collected by the Sagheerdar from Fusly 1206 to 1229 in consequence of the Government requiring investment of Cloth for their own use, the loom tax was taken off the weavers, and was not collected in the Jaghier of ummapollium.

ummapollium. In fusly 1230. this tax was again imposed, and from Fusly 1230 to Fusly 1235 was collected by the then Collector Mr. Cockburn and its amount Rupees 326-.-.-8 carried to the credit of Government. In fusly 1236 the Officer abovementioned issued his takeed, the Copy of which accompanies restoring the loom tax to the Jagheerdar, since which time it, as well as the Motturpha, has been Collected by him.

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The Only suspicious circumstance connected with this case is the Jagheerdar consenting to forego the collection of the loom tax, when it was generally remitted throughout the district without receiving an equivalent. If the Government have any doubt as to his claim it would be better to require him to produce his Sunnud, of which he must be in possession. The original holder having been the present incumbents grandfather, and given either by Hyder or Tippoo, to whom he was priest.-

Salem Zillah,
Office of the Collector & Cutcherry
26th: August, 1842.

/Signed/ J. D. Gleig
Pr: Collector.-

A.

Translation of a Takeed issued to the Talwelkar of Salem by the late Collector M. D. Cockburn Esqr: on the 13th August

August of Fusly 1236

Loom tax has been hitherto collected from the Jagheerdar of Ummapollium by the Circar altho by the Sunnud held by the said Jagheerdar it is remitted to him. On the receipt therefore of this Takeed the said loom tax is to be made over to him and you are not to make Collections on that account. The Villages from which such Collections are not to be made are.-

Ummapollium.
Bomanaikenputty
Ramahnaikenputty
Reddy putty

/True Translation/
/Signed/ J. D. Gleig
Principal Coll[r].

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

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To The Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

To the Acting Chief Sec[y] to Government.-

Sir,

Submitting a letter from the Principal Collector of Salem reporting that since July 1236 the

Para 1. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward for submission.

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the loom tax in Ammapol-
-lium Jaghire has been col-
-lected by the Jaghiredar,
explaining why the arrears
are only de-
-manded for a limited
period and stating that
no records as to the grant
of the Jaghire is to be found
in his Office,
and recom-
-mending that the Principal
Collector may be authorized
to attach the loom tax of
the Jaghire, pending the
production of the original
sunnud.-

Submission to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

August 26th. 1842. in Cons. 12th. September - " with two enclosures

a letter from the Principal Collector of Salem having reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation noted in the Margin. Mr. Gleig furnishes the information called for in the 2d. Para of that Extract, reporting that since Fusly 1236 the loom tax in Ammapollium Jagheer has been collected by the Jaghiredar, explaining why the arrears are only demanded for a limited period, and stating that no record as to the grant of the Jagheer is to be found in his Office with

14th. June 1842 No. 43 in Cons. 2d. Para

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2. With regard to the original Sunnud called for by Government in the 1st. Para it does not appear that any further advancement has been made towards obtaining it, and as that document, if it is necessary to a decision of the question as to the arrears sought, affects equally the Jagheerdar's title to his past and future Collec-
-tions, the Board recommend that the Principal Collector may be au-
-thorized to attach the loom tax of the Jagheer pending the produc-
-tion of the original grant.-

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 12th. September, 1842.

(Signed) J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary.-

Read

10258 Fort St. George 12th September 1842

Read the following letter.

From the Pt. Coll. of Salem. } To The Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to report for the Board's information that the accompanying account of Agraharam shares, having been required in the Sub Division for reference, was forwarded to the Sub Collector in Fusly 1244 - it was not again returned until Fusly 1249, when it was found in the mutilated state in which it at present exists. So many changes have taken place during the period it was in the Sub Division, it will now be impossible to detect the party who made the alterations - I now write to request the Board's permission to renew the document, Entering thereon the reasons of its being re-written.

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Salem Tillah, 31st August, 1842. } I have &c. (Signed) J. D. Gleig Principal Collector

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.

To The Principal Collector of Salem.

To the Pt. Coll. of Salem. } Sir, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to return the enclosure received with your letter of the 31st August, and to inform you that you are authorized to renew the document, for deposit in your records. I am instructed also to intimate that the Board think it was competent to you to do this without a reference, merely making a note of the circumstances.

+ account of the agraharum shares in Pullapollem Village.

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Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George, 12th September 1842. } I have &c. (Signed) J. D. Bourdillon Secretary.

Read the following letter.

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

Sir,

From the Pt. Collr. of Salem. } I have the honor to submit the undermentioned Statements in English and Bindovie, explanatory of the settlement of the Extra sources of Revenue of this District for fusly 1251, and trust they will prove satisfactory -

Reporting on the settlement of the Extra Sources of Revenue in the District of Salem for fusly 1251 -

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No 1. Statement of the Sayer Revenue -
2 Dº of Abkarry -
3. Dº of Sundry small farms & Licences -
4 Dº of Moturpha of the Jaury and Amany Villages -
5. Abstract Statement, in Triplicate, of the Gross Collections and Charges of fusly 1251, compared with the previous years -
6. Statement of Demand, Collection, and Balance, of each source in fusles 1250 and 51 compared -
7 Dº of previous years -
8. Comparative Statement shewing the Sayer Collection on all Articles Imported, Exported, and on transit in the Salem District between fusles 1250 and 1251 -

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Items.	Grose Collections Fusly 1250	Sibbendy	Net Collections	Grose Collections Fusly	Sibbendy
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	C^Rs	a/s	C^Rs	a/s	C^Rs	a/s	C^Rs	a/s	C^Rs	a/s
Sayer	139747	18	18715	9	9.121031	7	11.	134891	13	9.	19185	13
Betel and Tobacco	22200	"	"	"	22200	"	"	25500	"	"	"	"
Total	161947	18	18715	9	9	143231	7	11.	160391	13	9	19185	13

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1251. Net Collections	Comparison between Column 2 and 5. Increase	Decrease.	
	7	8	9.
	C^Rs	a/s	C^Rs	a/s	C^Rs	a/s	
	115706	"	8	"	"	"	4855	3	11.	
	25500	"	"	3300	"	"	"	"	"	
	141206	"	8	3300	"	"	4855	3	11.	
Net Decrease							1555	3	11.	

Sayer-2- The Gross Collections of Sayer, Betel and Tobacco for the present Fusly, as shewn in the marginal Statement, amounted to Rupees 160391-13-9, the charges on which being 19185-13-1, left a net Revenue of Rupees 141206-8-8 which, compared with the former fusly, shews a net decrease on both items of Rupees 1555-3-11-

3- The Board are aware that the Betel and Tobacco are under rent, and the increase in favor of the present fusly on this item, amounts to 3300- Rupees, the offers for fusly 1250 being 22200- and in fusly 1251, 25500 Rupees; the loss therefore which has taken place in the Sayer Revenue is on the other items of Collection, and amounts, as shewn in the Statement No 1, to Rupees 4855-3-11-

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4.

In reference to the State=
=ment above mentioned will shew the
Board, that a decrease in the Air
Sayer has taken place, in the Ta=

Talooks	Decrease			Percentage on former Fasly.		
	Rs	as	ps	Rs	as	ps
Namcul	1,087	6	8	8	13	4
Paramatty	147	5	11.	3	6	6.
Salem	866	6	8	3	11	5.
Shenkerry droog	1401	4	4	14	1	11.
Trichengode	2,400	10	11.	30	-	9.
Darumpoory	748	12	4	11	3	10
Kistnagherry	527	6	3.	6	9	9.
Denkencottah	417	12	7.	13	6	8
Ossoor	64-13-6-			1	14	6.
	7,743	15	2			

=bles entered in the Margin, amount=
=ing to Rupees 7743-15-2,

Increase -

Attoor - 106-5-3.

Raizpoor - 2-2-7.

Tangracottah - 246-10-11.

Trepatore - 505-7-=

Frontier - 2,034-1-6.
chowkies

Rs. 2,888-11-3.

whilst an increase in the other Ta=
=bles is also exhi=
=bited, amount=
=ing to

Rupees 2,888-11-3, leaving the decrease as above shewn, Rs. 4,855-3-11-

5.

The item on which the decrease was almost entirely occasioned, was cloth, as will be observed on reference to the accom=
=panying Statement No. 8. In fasly 1250 the Collections on this head amounted to Rupees 64,002-9-4. while in fasly 1251. Rupees 53,863-14-5 were alone realized, leaving a deficiency

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deficiency of Rupees 8,138-10-11, and a re=
=ference to the Margin will shew, =
that the loss of Collection was chiefly occasioned in those Talooks where a deficiency of Collection as before shewn, is exhibited. the loss of collection on this head in them amounted to

Namcul	1,036-11-4-
Paramatty	239-13-=
Salem	1,052-6-7
Shenkerry droog	2,248-15-1
Trichengode	2,478-6-4
Raizepoor	514-15-7.
Denkencottah	378-=-4
Ossoor	117-9-3.
	8,061-13-2-

Rupees 8,061-13-2. leaving a small item of Rupees 76-13-9. to be distributed a=
=mong the other Talooks -

6.

The Talooks of Namcul, Salem, and Raizepoor, had formerly a considerable trade in the Coarser sorts of Cloths with Pondicherry -

The Talooks of Shenkerry, Trichen=
=gode, and Paramathy carried on a similar one with Calicut and the western Coast, where a considera=
=ble quantity was yearly dyed and sent off to Bombay; the trade, as far as this District is concerned, is very much decreased for although on looking at the Statement of Exports and Imports, as shewn in Statement No. 9, the loss on Exports of Cloth amounts to only Rupees 2047-3-9, while the loss on Imports of the same Items amounts to Rupees 6091-7-2 thereby making

making the loss of Revenue apparently to depend on the decreased consumption within the District. Such is not the case, for many cloths brought by smaller dealers, in the first instance, for the payment of teerwah, are entered as articles of home consumption, and afterwards removed in larger quantities by the more opulent dealers on Mauf-fee Rowanahs, which renders the statement as formed no just criterion of the state of imports and Exports to and from the District.

7. The decrease on other items is of small amount, the most important is in the items entered in the Margin. The total decrease on all items being Rupees 10,528-6-2. or including Extra Collections Rupees 10587-2-5.

8 The chief items of Increase are exhibited in the Marginal Statement. the sum total on all items being Rs. 5,536-7-3.

or

Chief Items of Decrease	
Oil	142-2-2.
Gingely oil seed	524-11-7.
Jaggery	115-2-9.
Iron	422-3-7.
Cumblies	237-1--
Sandalwood	540-2-11.
Hides	235-14-1

Chief Items of Increase	
Opium	118-11-11
Ghee	313-11-11
Betel Nuts	2034-9-6.
Oil Seed	1,549-13-5.
Indigo	282-5-9.
Grain	232-9-9.
Silk	803-9-5.

or inclusive of extra Collections, Rupees 5,731-14-6. making the net decrease excluding extra revenue, Rupees 4891-9-11. and inclusive Rupees 4855-3-11. from which deduct the gain on the Betel and Tobacco contract Rupees 3300. the net loss on the Sayer of fusly 1251, compared with that of the former years amounts Rupees 1555-3-11-

9. With respect to the Increase and Decrease of the Betel and Tobacco collections, as all the Tabooks in the District were held by one Renter, the accounts are, as given in by him, and require no remark

10. The subjoined Statement shews the charges of collections on account of Sayer for fusly 1251. as compared with those of the former year-

Items-

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11. The increase of Rupees 439-4-10 as shewn in the Buzzoor and Talook Establishments is occasioned by fewer vacancies left unfilled in the present year: It will be observed that the amount charges on account of both is still less than the amount sanctioned for the Establishment-

12. In the item of Sader = ware a small increase of Rupees 25-4-6. has taken place in the Buzzoor Cutcherry as however there remains 10 Rupees value of Paper to be used in the ensuing fusly the over expenditure for last year may amount to about 15 Rupees-

Abkary- 13. The Beriz of this years Abkary rent as per accompanying Statement No 2. amounts to 86116 Rupees being an increase above the rent of the former fusly of 8711- Rupees-

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Memo-

Sibbendy	Buzzoor	8126	"	2433 7 10	3079 a/c	345-3-3 Increase
	Talook	15780	"	15380 5 1	16484 1 8	93 12 7 "
	Total	23906	"	19113 12 11	19553 1 9	439 4 10 "
Sadeyaveel	Buzzoor		"	43 12 10	89 1 4	25 4 6 "
	Talook		"	540 " "	540 " "	" " "
	Total	540	"	583 12 10	629 1 4	25 4 6 "
Sundry Charges			"	18 " "	23 10 -	5 10 " "
Grand Total		19,415	"	19,715 9 9	19,185 7 1	470 3 4 "

Sundry small farms & Licences-

14. The demand on account of small farms and licences during the year amounted to Rupees 9,609-4-5, being an increase of Rupees 287-11-7. over that of the preceding fusly, the particulars of which are shewn in the marginal abstract, from a which it will appear that, with the exception of an increase amounting to Rupees 1703-14-4, occasioned in the Bamboo rents of Nanicul, and the Sandalwood and Vapalla leaves, at Denkencottah, there has been an

Particulars-	Fusly 1250	Fusly 1251-	Increase	Decrease
1. Bamboos	138 4 4	109 4 4		29 4 4
2 Tamarind	2593 4 4	4140 8 4	1547 8 4	
3 Ferries	709 12 9	728 10 9	18 14 4	
4 Gidegowel &c	2069 15 5	2389 4 4	319 4 11	
5 Fisheries	2059 10 8	2165 13 4	106 2 8	
6 Sandalwood	1665 4 4			1665 4 4
7 Vapalla leaves	31. 14 4	22 4 4		9 14 4
8 Sealing wax	54 4 4	54 4 4		
Total	9321 4 4	10.969 4 4	1991 9 7	1703 14 4

an increase on all other items of rent amounting to Rupees 1991-9-7-

15 The loss on the Bamboo rent in Nanicul arose from decreased competition- that of the Sandalwood in Denkencottah, was in consequence of my refusal to receive offers, owing to the reports received from the Talook that the larger Trees during the previous 2 years' rent had been all cut, and that the Trees now standing were unfit for the purpose, and the loss on the Vapalla leaves arose from decrease in the offers received.

Moturpha- 16. The subjoined statement exhibits the amount of the Moturpha tax of the present fusly compared with that of fusly 1250-

Particulars

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Particulars.	Fusly 1250.	Fusly 1251.	Increase	Decrease	Net Increase.
Coloagar.					
Loom Tax.					
Circar Mokuspha Bairoy.					
Ain Moturpha	33760 13 7.	34675 4 6.	914 6 11.		914 6 11
Loom Tax	40380 2 10.	40670 7 10.	290 5 ".		290 5 "
	74141 " 5.	75345 12 4	1204 11 11.	" " "	1204 11 11.
Sibbendy	1256 7 6.	1286 7 10	30 " 4	" " "	30 " 4
Agraharumdars Share	164 11 4	175 " 5.	10 5 1.	" " "	10 5 1.
Total	1421 2 10	1461 8 3.	40 5 5.	" " "	40 5 5.
Loom Tax.					
Sibbendy	687 15 11.	700 3 10	12 3 11.	" " "	12 3 11.
Agraharumdars Share	47 11 5.	49 2 9	1 7 4	" " "	1 7 4
Total	735 11 4	749 6 7.	11 11 3.	" " "	13 11 3.
Sibbendy	1944 7 5.	1986 11 8	42 4 3.	" " "	42 4 3.
Agrahsarumdars Share	212 6 9.	224 3 2.	11 12 5.	" " "	11 12 5.
Total	2156 14 2	2210 14 10	54 " 8	" " "	54 " 8
Ain Moturpha	22339 10 9.	33213 12 3.	874 1 6.	" " "	874 1 6.
Loom Tax	39644 7 6.	39921 1 3.	276 9 9.	" " "	276 9 9.
Total	71984 2 3.	73134 13 6.	1150 11 3.	" " "	1154 11 3
Balances.					
Sicca.					
Ain Moturpha	8700 2 10.	8952 10 7.	252 7 9.	" " "	252 7 9
Loom Tax	12789 11 4	13324 1 5.	534 6 1.	" " "	534 6 1.
Total	21489 14 2	22276 12 "	786 13 10	" " "	786 13 10
Arrears.					
Ain Moturpha	23639 7 11.	24261. 1 8	621 9 9.	" " "	621 9 9.
Loom Tax	26854 12 2	26596 15 10	" " "	257 12 4	" " "
Total	50494 4 1.	50858 1 6	621. 9 9	257 12 4	363 13 5

17. From this it appears that the total demand of Moturpha during the present fusly amount to Rupees 75,345-12-4, being Rupees 34,675-4-6. on account of the Ain and Rupees 40,670-7-10 on account of the tax on looms, and shows an increase compared with fusly 125-0 of Rupees 914-6-11, on the former item, and on the latter Rupees 290-5-0

18. From the above is to be deducted the charges on Sibbendy and Agraharams shares, which in the Ain shews an increase of Rupees 40-5-9. and on the Loom tax

tax of Rupees 54-0-8 making a total of Rupees 94-6-5. deducted from the total gross increase as abovementioned of Rupees 1204-11-11 leaves a net increase in favor of the present fusly of Rupees 1150-11-3. on the Ain Moturpha Rupees 874-1-6 and Rupees 276-9-9. on the tax on looms —

19- The particulars comprising the Items of Increase and Decrease, will more particularly shew in the subjoined Statement —

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Particulars.	Aumany		Jaury		Total.	
	CVO	ub	CVO	ub	CVO	ub
Increase. By change of Ryots	1,969	11 7	698	10 1	2,668	5 8
By new Settlers	45	14 8	30	2 7	76	1 3
By Ryots from Mysore	6	15 "	4	8 "	11	7 "
Total	2,022	9 3	733	4 8	2,755	13 11
Increased Assessment	70	11 8	44	2 2	114	13 10
Total	2,093	4 11	777	6 10	2,870	11 9
Decrease. By Ryots who have died	144	13 10	59	1 6	203	15 4
By Ryots who left for Mysore &c	138	3 8	68	13 4	207	1 "
By Poverty and change of Village	965	12 7	307	6 11	1,273	3 6
By loss of Cattle &c	27	14 5	47	8 "	75	6 5
By Ryots paying land Revenue	154	9 5	26	1 6	180	10 11
Decreased Assessment	3	12 "	12	3 8	15	15 8
Total	1,435	1 11	521	2 11	1,956	4 10
Net Increase	658	3 "	256	3 11	914	6 11

Loom Tax Increased. By new Looms erected	3,367	1 1	1857	14 2	5,224	15 3
By new Settlers	126	15 4	35	12 "	162	11 4
By Ryots from Mysore	33	6 "	"	" "	33	6 "
Total	3,527	6 5	1,893	10 2	5,421	" 7
On Looms worked for the year which were only worked for a portion of the former	5	6 "	1	8 "	6	14 "
Total	3,532	12 5	1,895	2 2	5,427	14 7
Loom Tax decreased. By deceased Ryots and relinquished looms	206	13 3	73	4 "	279	1 3
By Ryots who left the District	357	13 3	110	4 1	462	1 4
By Poverty and change of residence	3,231	" 9	1,165	6 3	4,396	7 "
Total	3,788	11 3	1,348	14 4	5,737	9 7
	Decrease		Increase		Increase	
Net	255	14 10	546	3 10	290	5 "

20. The full remission granted to the Jaury Mootahs now in being amounts to Rupees 10,452. 4. 6 The Revenue derived by Government from the Motursha collections within these Mootahs for the present Fusly amounts to Rupees 8952. 10. 7 showing a loss on the part of Government of Rupees 1499. 9. 11. In Fusly 1247 when I resumed charge of the District, the loss on this head amounted to Rupees 2044. 5. 8 which has been gradually lessening since that period.-

Stamps

The Collection under the head of Stamp Revenue as per subjoined Abstract, shews a Balance of Rupees 16,377- 9- " being a decrease compared with the former year of Rupees 345. 11- " Viz Rupees 8. 12- " on Judicial papers and Rupees 336. 15 on the Sayer Rowanahs

Stamps

	Fusly 1250	Fusly 1251	Increase	Decrease
Stamps Papers.....	7,799 8 "	7,790 12 "	" "	8 12 "
Sayer Rowanahs.....	8923 12 "	8,586 13 "	" "	336 15 "
Total....	16723 4 "	16,377 9 "	" "	345 11 "

Demand Collection and Balance.-

22. The subjoined Abstract exhibits the total demand Collection and Balance on all items of Extra Revenue within the District for the present year. The demand amounts to 34,562 9- 4- 8 of which the collection within the Fusly amounted to Rupees 343350. 8. 1 leaving a balance at that period of Rupees 2278- 12. 7 since then the amount of Rupees 1492- 10. 2 has been realized, reducing the Balance above mentioned at the end of August to Rupees 786- 2. 5 of this balance, Rupees 586- 15. 8 is due by the Renter of Tamarind Topes in the Nameli Talook which will be speedily realized the other portion of the balance amounting to Rupees 199- 2 9 remains on the Motursha demand of which about 100 Rupees is capable of Collection it is doubtful whether the remainder will be realized-

23 The total demand of Fusly 1250 being Rupees 337,350- 12. 9 that of the present year Rupees 34562 9- 4- 8 exhibiting a net increase of Rupees 8,278- 7. 11 and the balance on the collections being as above stated, the Principal Collector trusts will prove satisfactory to the Government.-

Sayer

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	Basis of Fusly 1250	Aiw Basis	within the Fusly	Fusly 1251 Collection after the Fusly	Total	Balance	Increase	Decrease
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	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 Sayer	161947 1 8	160391 13 9	159830 13 3	511 "	160391 13 9	" " "	" " "	1555 3 11
2 Alkary	17375 " "	86116 " "	86116 " "	" " "	86116 " "	" " "	8741 " "	" " "
3 Sundry small farms & Licenses	9321 4 10	9609 " 5	8157 3 5	864 13 4	9022 " 9	586 15 8	287 11 7	" " "
4 Melurpha	71984 2 3	73134 13 6	72818 14 5	118 12 4	72935 10 9	199 2 9	1150 11 3	" " "
5 Stamps	16723 4 "	16377 9 "	16377 9 "	" " "	16377 9 -	" " "	" " "	345 11 -
Total	337350 12 9	345629 4 8	343360 8 1	1492 10 2	344843 2 3	786 2 5	10179 6 10	1900 14 11

Net Increase 8278 7 11

Comparison between Column 2 and 3

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Extra Collections

24 Besides the Collections abovementioned, the subjoined statement exhibits the Extra Collections made during the present Fusly.-

Items	Fusly 1250			Fusly 1251-			Comparison Increase			Comparison Decrease		
Sayer	144	1	2	370	9	10	226	8	8	"	"	"
Abkarey	11	1	7	24	14	"	13	12	5	"	"	"
Sundry Small farms and Sicences	15	10	7	53	4	10	37	10	3	"	"	"
Moturpha	151	12	10	4167	6	11	4015	10	1	"	"	"
	678	3	"	1004	"	11	325	13	11	"	"	"
Total	1000	13	2	5620	4	6	4619	7	4	"	"	"

25 The sum entered under the head of Sayer is the amount received on the sale of confiscated articles. the sum under Abkary and small farms is

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the amount of Interest received on the arrears of Kist. The sum of Rupees 4167-6-11 entered as Moturpha Extra Collections, is the sum which remained in Deposit of the Tax on Carts from the year 1826 to 1838, and now brought to the Ain account.-

Old Balances. 26. The increase on Stamp Revenue is an increase on the Penalties imposed by the Court.-

27 The old Balances due on the Extra Revenue in the Salem District is shewn in the Statement subjoined.-

Sayer

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28 The amount of Rupees 5453-
11-a due at the beginning of the Fusly by the
Renter of the Frontier Chowkies for Fusly
1242, has since been remitted by the Government,
and on that account no Balance exists-

29 In the Moturpha balances
of Fusslies 1249 and 50, the amount of
which at the beginning of the present
year was Rupees 168-15-a has been reduced
during the Fusly by Collection Rupees
75-a-1 and remission by Government
of Rupees 27-a-3 making a Total of
Rupees 102-a-4, leaving a balance still
due Rupees 66-14-8- Of the latter Amount,
Rupees 5-8-9 are due by Ryots who have
died, Rupees 12-3-10. by parties who have
left the District, and Rupees 46, by Ryots
in reduced circumstances, from whom
there is no prospect of Collection- Of this
outstanding amount therefore, the only
Sum capable of realization is Rupees 2-8-a,
which will be brought to account- for the
Remainder, Rupees 64-6-8. the Principal
Collector respectfully solicits the permission
of Government to write it off from account--

Salem Zillah, Cutcherry,
5th September, 1842.

(Signed) J. D. Gleig
Pro. Collr.
Pro. Collector

Statement

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Fusly	Nature of the Collections	Collections on account of the Fusly	Remissions as per Minutes of Govt. dated 20th Inst. 1841	Total	Balance
12 57.	Sayer	3	4	7	
2	Moturpha &c.		5		
	Total	Cfs 12-1-0	Cfs 12-2-0	Cfs 24-3-0	
1242	Sundry Arrears	54 53 11 "		54 53 11 "	
	Total	54 53 11 "		54 53 11 "	
1249	Loans	32. 12 3	5 12 "	37 " 3	32 12 3 "
	Total	32. 12 3	5 12 "	37 " 3	32 12 3 "
1250	Moturpha	136 2 0	69 4 1	" " "	69 4 1 66 14 8
	Total	136 2 0	69 4 1	" " "	69 4 1 66 14 8
	Balances	168 15 "	75 " 1	27 " 3	102 " 4 66 14 8
1245	Loans	3 9 1	" " "	37 9 1	37 9 1 " " "
	Total	3 9 1	" " "	37 9 1	37 9 1 " " "
1250	Moturpha	301 " "	" " "	301 " "	" " "
	Total	301 " "	" " "	301 " "	" " "
	Balances	338 9 1	301 " "	37 9 1	338 9 1 " " "
	Grand Total	596 8 1	376 " 1	55 18 4 4	594 4 5 66 14 8

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No 1251

Bariz

Ain Sayer

		10											
1	Ahlo	6,765	1	u									
2	Nanc	12,307	9	7									
3	Sazan	4,348	3	6									
4	Salem	3,314	9	4									
5	Shem	924	12	1									
6	Baiz	1115	11	4									
7	Nona	u	u	u									
8	Tric	8,262	13	9									
9	Dari	661	10	2									
10	Seng	775	2	3									
11	Kis	976	6	1									
12	Trisp	3008	4	2									
		5,490	3	9									
13	Den	1114	15	7									
14	Ofso	3,400	9	1									
15	The Fro	741	5	3									
		256	13	11									
		747	1	8									

of Fausly 1250.

Bariz of Fausly 1251.

Betel and Tobacco	Totals			Ain Sayer	Betel & Tobacco		Totals		
11	12			13	14		15		
2,330 u u	9,095	1	6	6,871 6 9	2,330	u u	9,201	6	9
1,760 u u	14,067	9	7	110,220 2 11	2,135	u u	13,355	2	11
1240 u u	5588	3	6	4,200 13 7	1,505	u u	5,705	13	7
24,61 4 u	25,805	13	4	22,478 2 8	3,500	u u	25,978	2	8
810 u u	10,734	12	1	8,523 7 9	840	u u	9,363	7	9
1,400 u u	17,515	11	4	16,117 13 11	1,610	u u	17,727	13	11
1,462 8 u	1462	8	u	u u u	1,462	8 u	1,462	8	u
600 u u	8,862	13	9	5,780 2 10	600	u u	6,380	2	10
1,336 4 u	7,997	14	2	5912 13 10	1,977	8 u	7,890	5	10
3,450 u u	10,225	2	3	7,015 13 2	3,600	u u	10,615	13	2
1,800 u u	8,976	6	1	7,448 15 10	840	u u	8,288	15	10
1,700 u u	14,708	4	2	13,513 11 2	1,850	u u	15,363	11	2
19,550 u u	135,040	3	9	109,883 8 5	22,250	u u	131,333	8	5
1500 u u	4,614	15	7	2,697 3 u	1,962	u u	4,659	3	u
1,150 u u	4,550	9	1	3,335 11 7	1,288	u u	4,623	11	7
u u u	17,741	5	3	19,775 6 9	u	u u	19,775	6	9
2,650 u u	26,906	13	11	25,808 5 4	3250	u u	29,058	5	4
22,200 u u	161,947	1	8	134,891 13 9	25,500	u u	160,391	13	9

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Particulars of Increase.

Air Layer	Betel and Tobacco	Total
16	17	18
106 5 3	" " "	106 5 3
" " "	375 " "	375 " "
" " "	265 " "	265 " "
" " "	1038 12 "	1038 12 "
" " "	30 " "	30 " "
2 2 7	210 " "	212 2 7
" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	641 4 "	641 4 "
240 10 11	150 " "	390 10 11
" " "	" " "	" " "
505 7 "	150 " "	655 7 "
854 9 9	2860 " "	3714 9 9
" " "	462 " "	462 " "
" " "	138 " "	138 " "
2034 1 6	" " "	2034 1 6
2034 1 6	600 " "	2634 1 6
2888 11 3	3460 " "	6348 11 3
Net Increase	3300 " "	Net Decrease 4855 3 11

Particulars of Decrease

Air Layer	Betel and Tobacco
19	20
" " "	" " "
1887 6 8	" " "
147 5 11	" " "
866 6 8	" " "
1401 4 4	" " "
" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "
2482 10 11	" " "
748 12 4	" " "
" " "	" " "
527 6 3	160 " "
" " "	" " "
7261 5 1	160 " "
417 12 7	" " "
64 13 6	" " "
" " "	" " "
482 10 1	" " "
7743 15 2	160 " "

Comparison-

Total	Increase	Decrease
21	22	23
" " "	106 5 3	" " "
1887 6 8	" " "	712 6 8
147 5 11	117 10 1	" " "
866 6 8	172 5 4	" " "
1401 4 4	" " "	1371 4 4
" " "	212 2 7	" " "
" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "	" " "
2482 10 11	" " "	2482 10 11
748 12 4	" " "	107 8 4
" " "	390 10 11	" " "
687 6 3	" " "	687 6 3
" " "	655 7 "	" " "
7421 5 1	1654 9 2	5361 4 6
417 12 7	44 3 5	" " "
64 13 6	73 2 6	" " "
" " "	2034 1 6	" " "
482 10 1	2151 7 5	" " "
7903 15 2	3806 " 7	5361 4 6
Net Decrease	1555 3 11	

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No. 3. Statement Shewing the Bariz of the Allbarry Revenue under rent in the Zillah of Salem in Fusly 1251, Compared with the preceding Year.—

Talooks.	Bariz of Fusly 1249	Bariz of Fusly 1250	Bariz of Fusly 1251	Comparison between Columns 3 and 4.— Increase	Decrease
1	2	3	4	5	6
1 Shetoor	2,180 " "	2,180 " "	2,200 " "	20 " "	" " "
2 Namcul	4,500 " "	4,600 " "	4,620 " "	20 " "	" " "
3 Paramuttty	1,850 " "	1,900 " "	2,090 " "	190 " "	" " "
4 Salem	12,000 " "	13,000 " "	13,910 " "	910 " "	" " "
5 Sen Kerry droog	2,125 " "	2,200 " "	2,450 " "	250 " "	" " "
6 Bariz poor	4,000 " "	4,325 " "	4,630 " "	305 " "	" " "
7 Oosmalore	2,500 " "	2,900 " "	3,100 " "	200 " "	" " "
8 Trichengode	1,670 " "	1,720 " "	1,896 " "	176 " "	" " "
9 Darampoory	5170 " "	6100 " "	6510 " "	410 " "	" " "
10 Sengercotta	3,700 " "	4,450 " "	4,460 " "	10 " "	" " "
11 Kistnagherry	4,400 " "	5,350 " "	5,600 " "	250 " "	" " "
12 Sirpatoor	5,600 " "	7,250 " "	9,500 " "	2,250 " "	" " "
Total	49,695 " "	55,975 " "	60,966 " "	4,991 " "	" " "
13 Denkencotta	11,600 " "	11,000 " "	13,000 " "	2,000 " "	" " "
14 Ossoor	10,000 " "	10,000 " "	11,650 " "	1,650 " "	" " "
Total	21,600 " "	21,000 " "	24,650 " "	3,650 " "	" " "
Total	71,295 " "	76,975 " "	85,616 " "	8,641 " "	" " "
15 Mullapandy	300 " "	400 " "	500 " "	100 " "	" " "
Total	71,595 " "	77,375 " "	86,116 " "	8,741 " "	" " "

5th September 1842.

C. C. Sc.
(Signed) J. D. Gleig
Pro. Collector

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No 3 Ps of r Salers for Tues'y 1951 Compared with the preceding year.

		Comparison				Between Columns 3 and 6.						Net	
		Number	Increase. Increase from proposal.			Total	Decrease. Fin Decrease	Decrease from proposal.		Total		Increase	Decrease
						8	10	11		12		13	14
1	Abbe	"	"	6	"	6	"	"	"	"	"	6	"
2	Nami	"	1717	14	"	"	6	"	"	"	"	"	"
3	Bran	"	12	12	"	1717	14	"	"	36	"	1681	14
4	Salem	"	2	12	"	12	12	"	"	38	"	94	"
5	Senk	"	119	8	"	5	4	"	"	2	"	34	"
6	Raiz	"	52	"	"	119	8	"	"	24	"	958	"
7	Woma	"	8	8	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	52	"
8	Sirch	"	1	2	"	52	"	"	"	27	"	"	138
9	Dara	"	47	"	"	138	"	258	"	18	"	12	"
10	Jenge	"	10	8	11	1	2	"	"	"	"	99	12
11	Kirn	"	3	"	"	99	12	"	"	"	"	328	11
12	Sirpo	"	61	9	"	62	11	29	8	29	8	"	187
		"	1996	14	11	3	"	"	"	190	"	38	12
13	Den	9	335	10	"	71	12	224	"	10	12	2014	6
14	Ostoo	"	2	12	"	2158	14	774	"	267	12	345	"
		8	338	6	"	570	4	1978	"	41	"	2019	"
		8	2335	4	11	55	12	133	4	"	"	133	4
						626	"	2111	4	41	"	2152	4
						2784	15	2188	9	308	12	2497	4

2014 6 11 1726 11 4

Net Increase — 287 11 7

E. E. P.

(Signed) J. D. Lyle
Dpt Collr

5th September 1843.

10283 42.

No. 3 Statement of Salaries for Year ending 1251, Compared with the preceding year.

Number	Names	Salaries for Year ending 1251	Comparison between Columns 3 and 6. Increase. Increase from proposal.	Decrease. Fair Decrease	Decrease from proposal.	Total	Net Increase	Net Decrease
		3	6	10	11	12	13	14
1	Abbe	6						6
2	Nami	1717 14			36	36	1681 14	
3	Baran	12 12			3 8	3 8	9 4	
4	Salem	5 4			2	2	3 4	
5	Seneca	119 8			24	24	95 8	
6	Raize	52					52	
7	Woma	13 8	25 8	1 8	27			13 8
8	Finch	1 2					1 2	
9	Dana	99 12					99 12	
10	Jenge	62 11	29 8		29 8		32 8 11	
11	Kirt	3			190	190		187
12	Simpso	71 12	22 4	10 12	33	38 12		
		2158 11	77 4	267 12	345	2014 6 11		200 8
13	Den	570 8	1978	41	2019			1448 11 4
14	Olsoo	55 12	133 4		133 4			77 8
		626 8	2111 4	41	2152 4			1526 3 4
		2784 15 7	2188 9	308 12	2497 4	2014 6 11		1726 11 4

Net Increase — 287 4 7

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Particulars of the Items composing the Revenue in Columns 3 and 6.	July 1250	July 1251	Comparison: Increase	Decrease
1	2	3	4	5
1 Bamboo Rent	138 " "	109 " "		29 " "
2 Tamarind Do	2593 " "	4140 8 "	1547 8 "	
3 Ferry Do	709 12 9	728 10 9	18 14 "	
4 Giddegavel Honey, Wax Do	2069 15 5	2389 " 4	319 " 11	
5 Rent of Fishes	2059 10 8	2165 13 4	106 2 8	
6 Rent of Sandalwood	1665 " "			1665 " "
7 Nepaulu leaves	31 14 "	22 " "		9 14 "
8 Rent of Sealing Wax	54 " "	54 " "		
Total	9321 4 10	9609 " 5	1991 9 7	1703 14 "
		Net Increase	287 11 7	

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E. E. Jr.

Signed J. D. Sleig

Principal Collr

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No 4, 9

...ection, in...

...ter deduct-

...

	Number and ...		Total	
			10	
			Cht as	
1	Shet...	9	3552	6 7
2	Nain...	8	7081	6 9
3	Parä...	10	2395	2 9
4	Salem	4	10,195	6 1
5	Shent...	1	4,619	1 5
6	Baize	2	7951	2 6
7	Wona...	"	4300	11 8
8	Trich...	2	4396	7 8
9	Darus...	1	7588	15 10
10	Tenge...	7	3693	3 5
11	Shi...	"	4162	3 6
12	Trisi...	4	4,603	12 "
		"	65,040	" 2
13	Dem...	8	3900	15 9
14	Oyssoo...	9	2379	15 11
		5	6280	15 8
		5	7,320	15 10
15	Mu...	9	279	4 5
		2	7,600	4 3

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the Jaury Mootahs and Many Villages in the Zilla of Salem

Baiz of Fusly 1250 after deducting Abbendy Charges

Baiz of Fusly 1251
Jummabundy

	Ain Moturpha	Loom Tax	Total	Ain Moturpha	Loom Tax	Total
	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Chs a p	Chs a p	Chs a p	Chs a p	Chs a p	Chs a p
	2,108 12 3	1422 11 1	3,531 8 4	2,347 2 9	1,436 13 9	3784 . " 6
	3279 3 .	3830 2 8	7,209 5 8	3,517 4 "	3778 10 "	7,295 14 "
	1,220 11 4	1890 12 8	3,111 8 "	1,274 5 5	2,101 4 "	3,375 9 5
	3,723 4 7	6,886 12 4	10,610 " 11	3,995 13 3	7,315 10 "	11,311 7 3
	1,091 15 2	3,470 5 11	4,562 5 1	1,171 15 2	3,050 12 "	4,222 11 2
	2,117 12 2	5,391 15 9	7,509 11 11	2,298 " 11	5,516 8 2	7,814 9 1
	1162 4 3	3501 " "	4,663 4 3	1,253 4 "	3,623 4 "	4,870 8 "
	1,370 10 6	2,687 2 8	4,057 13 2	1,406 13 11	2,656 15 7	4,063 13 6
	3,938 4 9	3,722 9 5	7,655 14 2	4,205 11 "	3,878 " "	8,083 11 "
	2,097 3 11	1,575 7 6	3,672 11 5	2,260 6 6	1,593 9 "	3853 15 6
	2,921 3 9	1,265 10 4	4,186 14 1	3,161 7 5	1,298 4 "	4,459 11 5
	2,867 9 1	1,871 8 2	4,739 1 3	3,063 13 8	1,977 5 "	5041 2 8
	27,903 15 9	37,316 2 6	65,310 2 3	29,956 2 "	38,226 15 6	68,183 1 6
	2,822 10 8	1,196 1 "	4,018 11 8	3,086 11 6	1,319 9 "	4,406 4 6
	1,377 14 1	1,003 11 4	2,381 9 5	1,468 7 2	994 11 4	2,463 2 6
	4,201 8 9	2,199 12 4	6,400 5 1	4,555 2 8	2,314 4 4	6,869 7 "
	32,194 8 6	39,515 14 10	71,710 7 4	34,511 4 8	40,541 3 10	75,052 8 6
	1452 3	1288 8	273 10 11	163 15 10	129 4 "	293 3 10
	82,339 10 9	39,624 7 5	71,984 2 3	34,675 4 6	40,670 7 10	75,345 12 4

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for Fasly 1251 Compared with the preceding years.

(Continued) Barij of Fasly 1251

Deduct Sibbendy charges and Agrahardars Share — Net Barij.

Moturpha — Loom Tax

Sibbendy charges 17	Agrahardars Share 18	Total 19	Sibbendy Charges 20	Agrahardars Share 21	Total 22	Total Charges 23	Nett Moturpha 24	Loom Tax 25	Total 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
86 10 5	44 11 9	131 6 2				131 6 2	2215 12 7	1436 13 9	3652 10 4
131 5 2	" " "	131 5 2	60 4 1	" " "	60 4 1	191 9 3	3385 14 10	3718 5 11	7104 4 9
45 11 "	" " "	45 11 "	39 3 3	" " "	39 3 3	84 14 3	1228 10 5	2062 " 9	3290 11 2
159 1 11	21 3 11	180 5 10	244 8 5	" " "	244 8 5	424 14 3	3815 7 5	7071 1 7	10886 9 "
48 1 2	" " "	48 1 2	3 14 7	" " "	3 14 7	51 15 9	1123 14 "	3046 13 5	4170 11 5
75 3 3	" " "	75 3 3	42 " 3	" " "	42 " 3	117 3 6	2222 13 8	5474 7 11	7697 5 7
54 13 6	" " "	54 13 6	" " "	" " "	" " "	54 13 6	1198 6 6	3623 4 "	4821 10 6
56 " 1	" " "	56 " 1	23 7 7	" " "	23 7 7	79 7 8	1350 13 10	2633 8 "	3984 5 10
149 8 4	33 4 9	182 13 1	87 3 1	" " "	87 3 1	270 " 2	4022 13 11	3790 12 11	7813 10 10
78 11 10	" 5 8	79 1 6	35 13 9	" " "	35 13 9	114 15 3	2181 5 "	1557 11 3	3739 " 3
113 2 3	30 7 1	143 9 4	29 2 1	" " "	29 2 1	172 11 5	3017 14 1	1269 1 11	4287 " "
101 6 9	1 3 3	102 10 "	44 5 8	" " "	44 5 8	146 15 8	2961 3 8	1932 15 4	4894 3 "
1099 11 8	131 4 5	1231 " 1	609 14 9	" " "	609 14 9	1840 14 10	28725 1 11	3707 " 9	60342 8
121 15 9	35 15 5	157 15 2	48 1 2	42 10 5	90 11 7	248 10 11	2928 12 4	1228 13 3	4157 9 7
58 3 10	" 12 7	60 " 5	39 5 6	6 8 2	45 13 8	111 14 1	1402 6 9	948 13 8	2351 4 5
180 3 7	43 12 "	223 15 7	87 6 8	49 2 9	136 9 5	360 " 4	4331 3 1	2177 10 11	6508 14 "
1279 15 3	175 " 5	144 15 8	609 5 5	49 2 9	746 8 2	2201 7 10	33056 5 "	39794 11 8	72850 " 8
6 8 7	" " "	6 8 7	2 14 5	" " "	2 14 5	9 7 "	1577 3	1265 7	2831 2 10
1286 7 10	175 " 5	1461 8 3	700 3 10	49 2 9	749 6 7	2210 14 10	33213 12 3	39921 1 3	73134 8 6

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Increase and Decrease in detail in comparision between Columns 13 and 26.

Particulars of the Increase in Column 27

Increase	Decrease	Nir Moturpha	Loom Tax	Total
27	28	29	30	31
Pr. a p	Pr. a p	Pr. a p	Pr. a p	Pr. a p
396 12 3	275 10 3	233 5 3	163 7 -	396 12 3
581 14 1	686 15 -	224 11 11	357 2 2	581 14 1
566 5 11	387 2 9	99 7 -	466 14 11	566 5 11
1320 9 8	844 1 7	285 5 6	1035 4 2	1320 9 8
503 7 5	895 1 1	104 - 9	399 6 8	503 7 5
1101 5 5	913 11 9	297 9 5	803 12 -	1101 5 5
572 8 1	414 1 10	93 4 1	479 4 -	572 8 1
482 10 8	556 2 -	123 5 8	359 4 -	482 10 8
666 2 3	503 5 7	289 9 6	371 8 9	666 2 3
402 15 6	396 10 8	287 4 3	175 11 3	402 15 6
379 4 10	279 2 11	230 14 7	148 6 3	379 4 10
497 10 5	342 8 8	272 11 3	224 15 2	497 10 5
7526 10 6	6494 10 1	2541 9 2	4985 1 4	7526 10 6
346 10 6	207 12 7	181 12 10	164 13 8	346 10 6
279 5 -	309 10 -	54 2 8	225 2 4	279 5 -
625 15 6	517 6 7	235 15 6	390 - -	625 15 6
8152 10 -	7012 - 8	2777 8 8	5375 1 4	8152 10 -
39 8 -	29 6 1	22 13 9	16 10 3	39 8 -
8192 2 -	7041 6 9	2800 6 5	5391 11 9	8192 2 -

Particulars of the Decrease in Column 28.

Moturpha

Decrease from death desertion and poverty of Ryots	From the Ryots who have ceased having become Cultivators	From the Decrease in cattle	Total	From the death, desertion and poverty of Ryots who paid Loom Tax
32	33	34	35	36
Pr. a p	Pr. a p	Pr. a p	Pr. a p	Pr. a p
125 1 10	- - -	1 4 1	126 5 11	149 4 4 2
194 6 11	21 8 10	2 - 4	218 - 1	468 14 11 6
70 11 11	12 8 -	8 4 -	91 7 11	295 10 10 3
138 8 8	- 10 -	54 4 4	193 2 8	630 14 11 8
60 15 5	4 2 6	1 - 4	72 14	822 15 2 8
179 9 10	7 8 1	5 6 -	192 7 11	721 3 10 9
55 1 10	2 - -	- - -	57 1 10	357 - - 4
126 14 2	12 12 2	3 8 -	143 2 4	412 15 8 5
157 6 4	42 10 -	- - -	200 - 4	303 5 3 5
144 5 3	58 14 -	- - -	203 3 3	193 7 5 3
127 15 11	6 4 -	- - -	134 4 3	144 14 8 2
109 11 8	9 5 -	- - -	119 - 8	163 8 - 3
1556 13 9	178 2 11	75 6 5	1810 7 1	4684 3 - 0
73 3 2	2 8 -	- - -	75 11 2	132 1 5 2
28 10 -	- - -	- - -	28 10 -	281 - - 3
101 13 2	2 8 -	- - -	104 5 2	413 1 5 6
1658 10 11	180 10 11	75 6 5	1914 12 3	5097 4 5 7
10 8 9	- - -	- - -	10 8 9	18 13 4
1669 3 8	180 10 11	75 6 5	1925 5 -	5116 1 7

Collectors

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Comparision between Columns 13 and 26.

Total Decrease	Increase	Decrease
	37	38
	Rs a d	Rs a d
75 10 3	121 2 "	" " "
80 15 "	" " "	105 " 11
87 2 9	179 3 2	" " "
44 1 7	470 8 1	" " "
95 1 1	" " "	391 9 8
13 11 9	187 9 8	" " "
14 1 10	158 0 3	" " "
50 2 "	" " "	73 7 4
03 5 7	157 12 8	" " "
90 10 8	66 4 10	" " "
79 2 11	100 1 11	" " "
42 8 8	155 1 9	" " "
294 10 1	1602 2 4	570 1 11
07 12 7	138 3 11	" " "
09 10 "	" " "	30 5 "
47 6 7	1383 11	30 5 "
12 " 8	1741 " 3	600 6 11
29 6 1	10 1 11	" " "
04 6 9	1751 2 2	600 6 11
eave -	1150 11 3	

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Zillah of Salem for Fasly 1251.

Fasly 1250 after deducting charges.			Barij of Fasly 1251 Summabundy.		
Loom Case	Total		Aen Motunpha	Loom Case	Total
8	9		10	11	12
1643 11 9	3402 5 8		1827 1 7	1670 7 6	3497 9 1
809 14 8	1218 " "		447 13 5	1048 12 "	1490 9 5
6259 10 4	8600 8 6		2459 12 11	6868 8 "	9328 4 11
107 9 11	263 9 11		178 4 11	100 12 "	279 " 11
1394 7 7	1791 2 3		426 " 3	1457 " "	1883 " 3
643 7 3	1110 14 3		472 7 7	621 4 2	1093 11 9
836 15 6	1724 5 11		907 13 "	859 " "	1826 13 "
313 4 10	910 8 10		681 46	338 " "	999 4 6
311 12 9	942 8 11		696 9 2	320 " "	1016 9 2
468 12 9	1525 13 11		1139 9 "	499 " "	1638 9 "
12789 11 4	21489 14 2		9270 X 24	13782 11 8	23059 8 "

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(Continued) Pariz of Fasly 1251

Deduct Sibbendy and Agrahar shares Moturpha			Sibbendy and Agrahar shares Loom Tax		Net Pariz		
Sibbendy Charges	Agrahar Shares	Total	Sibbendy Charges	Total Charges	Asi Moturpha	Loom Tax	Total
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
62 2 6	" " "	66 2 6	60 4 1	126 6 7	1760 15 1	1610 3 5	3371 2 6
17 3 "	" " "	17 3 "	39 3 3	56 6 3	430 10 5	1009 8 9	1440 3 2
94 5 2	" " "	94 5 2	244 8 5	338 13 7	2365 7 9	6823 15 7	8989 7 4
7 " 7	" " "	7 " 7	3 14 7	10 15 2	171 4 4	90 13 5	268 1 9
12 10 8	" " "	12 10 8	42 " 3	54 10 11	413 5 7	1414 15 9	1828 5 4
18 12 9	" " "	18 12 9	23 7 7	42 4 4	453 10 10	597 12 7	1051 7 5
21 11 3	8 10 7	30 5 10	19 4 11	49 10 9	937 7 2	839 11 1	1777 2 3
14 13 8	" 5 8	15 3 4	7 9 10	22 13 2	646 1 2	330 6 2	976 7 4
15 9 8	20 " 5	35 10 1	7 3 1	42 13 2	660 15 1	312 12 11	973 12 4
25 8 7	1 3 3	26 11 10	11 2 3	37 14 1	1112 13 2	487 13 9	1600 10 11
293 13 10	30 3 11	324 1 9	458 10 3	782 12 4	8952 10 7	13324 1 5	22276 12 4

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/Signed/ J. D. Gleig Dy Coll.r

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Statement

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12th September 1842.

the Amany Villages in the

Fillahi of Salem for Fusly 1251

f. Fusly 1249. after ting Sibbendy Charges

Fusly 1250 after deducting Charges.

Barij of Sibbendy

Barij of Fusly 1251 Jammabundy

a	Loom Tax	Total	ain Moturpha	Loom Tax	Total	ain Moturpha	Loom Tax	Total
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
10	1552 10 9	3552 6 7	2108 13 3	1422 11 1	3531 8 4	2347 2 9	1436 13 9	3784 - 6
4	2183 3 1	3827 10 5	1620 9 1	2186 6 11	3807 - -	1090 2 5	2108 2 6	3798 4 11
3	955 10 -	1689 12 3	812 10 -	1080 12 -	1893 8 -	826 8 -	1052 8 -	1879 - -
9	438 14 -	1773 - 9	1382 6 5	427 2 -	1809 8 5	1530 - 4	447 2 -	1983 2 4
8	3427 4 -	4364 5 8	935 15 2	3362 12 -	4298 11 2	993 10 3	2950 - -	3943 10 3
1	4464 1 6	6206 15 7	1721 10	3997 8 2	5718 9 8	1872 - 8	4059 8 2	5931 8 10
8	2174 12 -	4304 11 8	1162 4 3	3501 - -	4663 4 3	1253 4 -	3623 4 -	4876 8 -
-	2373 8 9	3208 - 9	903 3 6	2043 11 5	2946 14 11	934 6 4	2035 11 5	2970 1 9
27	2863 10 3	5873 12 10	3045 14 4	2885 9 11	5931 8 3	3237 14 -	3019 - -	6256 4 -
87	1292 2 2	2702 10 9	1499 15 11	1262 2 8	2702 2 7	1599 2 -	1255 9 5	2854 11 -
7	903 7 5	3233 14 5	2290 7 7	953 13 7	3244 5 2	2404 14 3	978 4 -	3443 2 3
18	1420 4 3	3132 8 11	1810 7 11	1402 11 5	3213 3 4	1924 8	1478 5 -	3402 9 8
65	25109 8 2	43825 14 7	19293 12 11	24526 7 2	43820 4 1	20079 5 8	24443 10 4	5123 9 6
71	1745 7 8	3900 15 9	2822 10 8	1190 1 5	4018 11 8	3086 11 6	1319 9 -	4406 4 6
32	1004 2 9	2379 15 11	1377 14 1	1003 11 4	2381 9 5	1408 7 2	994 11 4	2463 2 6
3	2149 10 5	6280 15 8	4200 8 9	2199 12 4	6400 5 1	4555 2 8	2314 4 4	0869 7 -
8	27259 2 7	50106 14 3	23494 5 8	26726 3 6	50220 9 2	25234 8 4	26758 2	51993 - 6
8	122 10 9	279 4 5	145 2 3	128 8 8	278 10 11	163 15 10	129 4 -	293 3 10
4	27381 13 4	50386 2 8	23639 7 11	26854 12 2	50494 4 1	25398 8 2	26887 12 -	52286 4 4

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(Continued) Bariz of Fasly 1251.
Deduct Sibbendy and Agrar Loom Fee

Sibbendy Charges	Agrar Shares	Total	Sibbendy Charges	Agrar Shares
13	14	15	16	17
86 10 6	44 11 9	131 6 2		
63 2 8	" " "	63 2 8		
28 8 "	" " "	28 8 "		
64 12 9	21 3 11	86 " 8		
41 " 7	" " "	41 " 7		
62 8 7	" " "	62 8 7		
54 13 6	" " "	54 13 6		
37 3 4	" " "	37 3 4		
127 13 1	24 10 2	152 7 3		
63 14 2	" " "	63 14 2	67 14 2	" " "
97 8 7	10 6 8	107 15 3	28 3 11	" " "
75 14 2	" " "	75 14 2	21 15 "	" " "
			33 3 5	" " "
805 13 10	101 " 6	906 14 4	151 4 6	" " "
121 15 9	35 15 5	157 15 2	48 1 2	42 10 7
58 3 10	7 12 7	66 " 5	39 5 6	" 6 8 2
180 3 7	43 12 "	223 15 7	87 6 8	49 2 9
986 15 "	144 12 6	1130 13 11	238 11 2	49 2 9
6 8 7	" " "	6 8 7	2 14 5	" " "
992 10 "	144 12 6	1137 6 6	241 9 7	49 2 9

Shares

Total	Total Charges	Net Bariz Ain Moturpha	Net Bariz Loom Fee	Net Bariz Total
18	19	20	21	22
" " "	131 6 2	2,215 12 7	1,436 13 9	3,652 10 4
" " "	63 2 8	1,624 15 9	2,108 2 6	3,733 2 3
" " "	28 8 "	798 " "	1,052 8 "	1,850 8 "
" " "	86 " 8	1,449 15 8	447 2 "	1,897 1 8
" " "	41 " 7	952 9 8	2,950 " "	3,902 9 8
" " "	62 8 7	1,809 8 1	4,059 8 2	5,869 " 3
" " "	54 13 6	1,198 5 6	3,623 4 "	4,821 10 6
" " "	37 3 4	897 3 "	2,035 11 5	2,932 14 5
67 14 2	220 5 5	3,085 6 9	2,951 1 10	6,036 8 7
28 3 11	92 2 1	1,535 3 10	1,227 5 1	2,762 8 11
21 15 "	129 14 3	2,350 15 "	956 5 "	3,313 4 "
33 3 5	109 1 7	1,848 6 6	1,445 1 7	3,293 8 1
151 4 6	1058 2 10	19,772 7 4	24,292 15 4	44,065 6 8
90 11 9	248 10 11	2,928 12 4	1,228 13 3	4,157 9 7
45 13 8	111 14 1	1,402 6 9	948 13 8	2,351 4 5
136 9 5	360 9 "	4,331 3 1	2,177 10 11	6,508 14 "
287 13 11	1418 11 10	24,103 10 5	26,470 10 3	50,574 8 8
2 14 5	9 7 "	157 7 3	126 5 7	283 12 10
290 12 4	1428 2 10	24,261 " 8	26,590 15 10	50858 10 6

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(Signed) J. D. Gleig
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Statement

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12th September 1842

the District of Salem, for fusly 1251-

1751.

Extra Collections	Total	Balance of fusly 1251 on the 11th July 1842-	Comparison between Columns 2 and 11. Increase	Decrease	Comparison between Columns 5 and 14 Increase	Decrease
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
370 9 10	16025 7 1	511 - 6	- - -	1535 3 11	- - -	1839 11 9
- - 24 14 -	8614 0 11	- - -	874 1 -	- - -	8754 12 5	- - -
53 4 10	3210 8 3	1451 13 -	287 11 7	- - -	- - -	8257 2
4167 6 11	16936 8 4	3055 15 4	3150 15 3	1450 - -	4986 9	- - -
1004 - 11	17381 9 11	- - -	- - -	345 11 -	- - -	1913 1
5620 4 6	34897 0 12 7	2278 12 7	10179 6 10	1900 14 11	13741 5 5	26835 - -

Net Increase — 8278 7 11. Net Increase 11056 5 5

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Particulars of Extra Collections in Column 13 -

Interest from certain Renters - 20	Amount of additional Collections Layer - 21	Amount not included in the Summary - 22	Received from the Court on account of Penalties on unstamped Deeds - 23	Refunds of Charges - 24	Refunds of Commission 25	Total 26
16 2 8	307 7 5.	" " "	" " "	46 15 9.	" " "	370 9 10
24 14 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	24 14 "
53 4 10	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	53 4 10
" " "	" " "	4167 6 11.	" " "	" " "	" " "	4167 6 11.
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "	" " "	1004 " "	" " "	" " "	1004 " "
94 5 6	307 7 5.	4167 6 11.	1004 " "	46 15 9	" " "	5620 4 6.

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E. E. F. Thynne A. J. D. Lyle Jpe Coll.

Fort St. George

Collection and Balance of

12 September 1842-

arrears of Extra Revenue, due on account of former

of Balance-

Zillah	Balance	Balance up to fusly 1250	Particulars Fusly 1245 Deduct Collection up to fusly 1251, as per the said Sanction-	Balance	Balance up to fusly 1250-	Fusly 1249- Deduct Collection up to fusly 1251-	Remission granted on the said date of Govt. Sanction-	Total	Balance
	4	5	6.	7	8	9	10	11	12
	37 9 1.		37 9 1.						
					32 12 3.	5 12 "	27 " 3.	32 12 3	" "
	37 9 1.		37 9 1.		32 12 3	5 12 "	27 " 3	32 12 3	" "

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12th September 1842.

Fusalies to fusaly 1251 in the Zillah of Salem.

/ Continued / Particulars of Balance.

Balance of Fusaly 1250.	Deduct Collection up to fusaly 1250.	Balance	Balance up to fusaly 1250.	Collection up to fusaly 1251.	Total of 4 Deduct Remission granted on said date of the Govt Sanction.	Fusalies. Total.	Balance.
13	14	15	16	17.	18	19.	20.
" "	" "	" "	5453 11 "	" "	5453 11 "	5453 11 "	
" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	
301. " "	301. " "	" "	338 9 1.	301. " "	37 9 1.	338 9 1.	
136 2 9.	69 4 1.	66 14 8	168 15 "	75 " 1.	27 " 3.	102 " 4	66 14 8
" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	
437 2 9.	370 4 1.	66 14 8	5961 3 9.	376 " 1.	5518 4 4	5894 4 5.	66 14 8.

5th September 1842.

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12th September 1842 –

in the Salem District, between pushies 1250 and 1251 –

		9	Total Bariz of Fasly 1250	Total Bariz of Fasly 1251 –	Comparisons Increase	Comparisons Decrease	Remarks –
			10.	11.	12	13	14.
1	Cloth	6091 7 2	64002 9 4	55863 14 5.	– – –	8138 10 11.	
4	Ganjah	40 8 5.	42 4 4	140 3 5.	97 15 1.	– – –	
5	Bang.	– 12 –	– – 18 –	7 9 –	6 12 –	– – –	
6	Goodauk	– – –	– – –	– – –	– – –	– – –	
7	Opium	4 – 8	133 – 8.	257 4 7.	118 3 11	142 2 2	
8	Oil Ven	235 9 1.	5973 12 10.	5931 10 8	– – –	– – –	
9	Ghee	– – –	11548 11 8.	11861 14 10	313 3 2	– – –	
10	Nuts	114 – –	8089 10 7.	10124 4 1.	2034 9 6	– – –	
11	Tamarind	41 3 5.	3264 8 11.	3234 2 7	29 9 8	– – –	
12	Oil Seed	– – –	8452 11 3.	10002 8 8.	1549 13 5.	524 11 7.	
13	Gingely a.	153 4 4	9705 12 6	9631 – 11.	– – –	15 9 2	
14	Sugar	– – –	909 11 8.	894 2 6.	– – –	115 2 9.	
15	Jaggery	1423 9 –	5999 8 10	5884 6 1.	– – –	88 1 10	
17	Dry Cocoa	459 14 7	1623 6 5.	1535 4 7.	13 12 9	– – –	
18	Iron Ven	51 1 5.	97 14 11.	171. 11 8.	– – –	422 3 7.	
19	Chayroot	– – –	5146 7 9.	4624 4 2	– – –	– – –	
20	Indigo	– – –	– – –	– – –	282 5 9.	– – –	
21	Salt Petre	– – –	3706 2 –	3988 7 9.	– – –	2 3 2	
22	Grain Ven	– – –	901 6 5	899 3 3.	232 9 9.	32 11 3.	
23	Gunny	– – –	465. 11 7.	698 5 4	– – –	237 1 –	
24	Cumbly	45 11 4	1022 14 8	990 3 5.	– – –	– – –	
25.	Beams or	60 11 1.	1981 11 –	1744 10 –	75 4 6.	– – –	
26	Thread	155 5 4	809 13 5.	885 1 11.	28 6 9.	– – –	
27	Cotton	– – –	19 3 8.	46 15 5.	2 9 7	– – –	
28	Silk Ven	– – –	1 2 4.	3 13 11.	803 9 5	– – –	
29	Pepper	55 6 3.	2997 4 5.	3900 13 10	20 11 3.	– – –	
30	Cardam	6 13 1.	13 11 8.	34 6 11	– – –	2 7 –	
31	Cummin	– – –	2 7 –	– – –	26 14 9	– – –	
32	Sandalw	1 10 6.	19 11 6.	46 10 3.	– – –	540 2 11.	
33	Red wood	8 3 –	942 9 2.	402 6 3.	– – –	– – –	
34	Dying fl.	– – –	– – –	– – –	– – –	30 15 9.	
35	Rich Ty	1 13 7.	33 13 9.	2 14 –	– – –	235 14 1.	
36	Goa Soli	– – –	2027 11 11.	1791 13 10	– – –	– – –	Net Decrease Rupees 4891-9-11-
		9021 – 3.	139175 14 2	134284 4 3.	5636 7 3.	10528 1 2	
	Town duty	– – –	183 12 9.	249 10 5.	65 12 8	– – –	
	Surplus C	– – –	273 3 4	302 13 11.	29 10 7	58 5 10	
	Do Com.	58 5 10	111 9 11.	53 4 1	– – –	11 5.	
	Do Collec	– 11 5.	2 8 6.	1 13 1.	– – –	– – –	Net Decrease Rupees 4855-3-11-
2	Tobacco	9080 1 6	139747 1 8	134891 13 9.	5731 14 6	10587 2 5.	
3	Betel S	– – –	2200 – –	2500 – –	3300 – –	– – –	
		9080 1 6	161947 1 8	160391 13 9.	9031 14 6.	10587 2 5.	
		7445 10 5.		Net Decrease		1555 3 11	

8th September 1842 – E. E. P.r (Signed) J. D. Gleig P.r Coll.r ordered

Order thereon

Ordered to be sent again in circulation.

(26-27)

Read the following letter.

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

Sir,

From the Collr. of Tinnevelly

With reference to your letter of the 17th June 1841

(28)

I have the honor to inform you that agreeably to the instructions therein contained, the Port Novo Ploughs that remained unsold in this District were disposed of, selling them as old iron for such advantageous prices as was offered, and that the amount realized by the sale, was Rupees 28-7-=: the total proceeds of the sale of the whole 40 Ploughs forwarded to this District being Rupees

Rupees 147-7-=, and their total cost, including charges, Rupees 443-4-8. as shewn in the account herewith submitted.

Tinnevelly
Tencausey
27th August 1842

I Signed I W. C. Montgomery
Collector.

Account.

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Fort St. George

No 1.

Dr. Account of Iron Ploughs re-

		cvs	vs
To amount Value of 3 Iron Ploughs fitted with woods at 18 Rupees each, as per account furnished by the Principal Collector of South Arcot		54	—
To Do. of 37 Do. unfitted at 10 Rupees each Do.		370	—
		424	—
To Do. Shipping Charges incurred at Porto novo		1	—
		1	—
To Do. of Freight paid at Do.		5	2
		6	2
To Cash paid for Freight in full from Portonovo to Sataconien		8	5
To Do. for Dony Hire for landing the 40 Ploughs		—	5
To Do. for Coolies Do.		—	2
To Do. for Do. for shipping Do. for Trichendoor		—	2
To Do. for freight to Do.		2	4
		2	4
Total Charges, as per account submitted to the Board on the 21st. October 1840		441	12
		443	4

1842
May To Cash paid Hire of a Cart for conveying Ploughs from Trichendoor to Tinnevelly in the Month of May 1842 of fusly 1251 — 1 8

Tinnevelly 27th. August 1842. E. E. Jr.

12th. September 1842.

- ceived said sold in the District of Tinnevelly. &c.

		cvs	vs
By amount Value of 6 Ploughs sold at the Naujencherry Salook at 7 Rupees each,		42	—
By Do. for 1 Do. to Mr. Bird		7	—
By Do. for 5 Do. at the Tullyoor Salook at 7 Rs. each		35	—
By Do. for 4 Do. at the Brummadasum Do.		28	—
By Do. for 1 Do. to Soolocheraum Moodelear		7	—
Total Receipts as per account submitted to the Board on the 21st October 1840		119	—
Subsequent receipts in Fusly 1251			
1841 August By amount Value of 4 Ploughs sold at Brummadasum Salook		10	—
By Do. of 1 Do. Sold at Tullyoor		4	13
September By amount Value of 1 Iron Plough sold by the Cutwal of Tinnevelly		5	4
1842 July 11th By Do. of 17 Do. Sold by Do. of Do.		8	6
		28	7
Total		147	7
Balance		295	13 8
		443	4 8

(Signed) H. C. Montgomery
Collr.

Ordered;

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Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded.

Read the following letter

To

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

From the Pr. Collr of Coimbatore

Sir

I regret the necessity of being obliged to state for the information of the Board the removal of Bheema Row from the situation of Acting Tahsildar of Erroder. This man held the appointment of Gomastah in my Cutcherry and was nominated to officiate as Tahsildar of Erroder on the 11th January 1842. In the present instance he has been convicted on the clearest evidence of gross abuse of authority in the Police Department under Regulation III. 1819. and fined to the amount of 35 Rupees Copy of the Head Assistant's letter dated 25th Ultimo and the Original Proceedings connected with the case are forwarded herewith in explanation of the particulars of the charge against him and his Defence.

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2. It would seem necessary to add that this individual was previously

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previously dismissed from the situation of Tahsildar of Pulachey for misconduct in the Police Department as will appear from the correspondence noted in the Margin. The Board having left his reemployment to the discretion of the Local authorities, I was induced to give him another trial in consideration of his merits as a Revenue Officer, but this second offence proves that no reliance can be placed in him and that he is unfit to hold so responsible a situation as that of Head of Police. and his entertainment in a more subordinate appointment will entirely depend on the view the Board may take regarding his present delinquency.

Coimbatoor Pr. Collr's Office 6th September 1842.

/Signed/ I. C. Wroughton
Pr. Collr.

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To

The Principal Collector of
Coimbatoor.

Sir

With reference to the charge of Gross abuse of authority. which was brought against the Police officer

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Officer of Erode Talook by certain Rows I have the honor to inform you that I have Examined the case and have come to the conclusion that the charge is fully proved. nor are the statements of the witnesses at all weakened by the Defence of the Police Officer, I have therefore imposed a fine of 35 Rupees upon him under Regulation III of 1819 Section III and it now only remains to me to recommend him to be removed from his situation as he has proved himself quite unfit to hold so important a Post.

Coimbatoor 25th August 1842. } (Signed) C. Arbuthnot
Asst. Coll.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.

To The Principal Collector of Coimbatoor

To the Pr. Collr. of Coimbatoor, } Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Reve-nue to return the Tamil Record which accompanied your letter of the 6th Instant, and to request that such of the do-cuments as you may consider of most importance in the case may be translated in your office, agreeably to the Boards standing order dated 13th July 1826; and the whole then returned with those translates for the inspection of the Board at as early a date as may be practicable.

in Coll. 12th Sept. 1842

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The Board request also that you will furnish a brief statement of the acts of gross abuse of au-thority committed by Beem Row, and of the grounds of your opinion that he is unfit to hold the office of Head of Police.

Revenue Board Office Fort St. George 12th September 1842 } (Signed) J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary.

Read the following letter

To

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

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From the Pr. Collr. of Canara. } Sir,

I have the honor to for-ward for the information of the Board, an Extract from the Retrenchments of the Accounts of this Collectorate for Fusly 1250, by which it will seem, that the Civil auditor has not admitted the charge of the pay of one of the two dresers who have been paid for the same period, that is for the Months of May, June and July 1841.

Requesting that Special Sanction of Govt. be obtained for the payment of Rupees 192-8-0 to 1st Dresser I. I. D'Rozario from 15th Feby to 31st July 1841.

No 1

The 1st dresser, therein alluded to, is I. I. D'Rozario, attached to the Sub Collector's Establishment in the Balaghaut division who was ordered to be discharged from the service as incapacitat-ed for further duty, from 15th February 1841 and second dresser Veerasawmy, was appointed in his stead, under date the 23d April 1841. But as that Officer did not join the Establishment of the Balghaut Sub Collector, until the close of July, the services of D'Rozario could

* Vide Official Gazette dated 2d May 1841 Page 104.

* Vide Pr. dated 27th April 1841 Page 352

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2. Resolution

could not be dispensed with, before the arrival of his succesor, as the want of a Medical Officer in that unhealthy part of the District, would have been attended with risk to the Establishment of the Sub-Collector, which was at the time on Circuit, employed in the annual Settlement.

3.

Under these circumstances I request the Board will be pleased to obtain the special sanction of Government for the payment made to the 1st dresser above alluded to, Ch. from the 15th February to the 31st July 1841. amounting to Rupees [192-8-] one hundred and Ninety two, and Annas Eight.

Dr. Coll.r Cutcherry, Mangalore, 29th August, 1842.

[Signed] H. M. Blair
Dr. Coll.r

Extract

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No. 1. Extract from the Retrenchments from the Accounts of the Principal Collector of Canara from the 12th July 1840 to the 11th July 1841 inclusive, account of expenses for Fasly 1250.

Remarks of the Civil Auditor.

Charges objected to.

No.

Rs. A. P.

Medical Perquisite Charges.

114 Pay of the 2nd Dresser Veerasawmy attached to the establishment of the Sub Collector of Canara for the Months of May and June 1841 at Rupees 34½ per Mensem ---------- 49 " "

Resolved

True Extract

[Signed] H. M. Blair
Dr. Coll.r

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Resolution thereon.

(32-33)

Resolved that the forego-ing letter be submitted to Government with the following remarks.

As it appears that the second dresser Veerasawmy who was appointed on the 23d April 1841 to succeed first dresser C. I. D. Rozario on the Establish-ment of the Sub Collector in Canara did not join his station until the close of July, and that in consequence the first dresser's services could not be dispensed with up to that date, the Board beg to support the recommendation of the Principal Collector, that special sanction be granted for the payment made to him

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time from the 15th February to the 31st July 1841 amounting to Rupees 192-8-0.

Read the following letters.

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

From the Collr and Register of Grants

(34)

Sir

Understanding that under the orders of the Board of Revenue, a Survey plan of the Cantonment of Ootacamund on the Neilgherries has been pre-pared, I have the honor to request, that, if such be the case, a Copy thereof may be furnished for the use of this Department, as it may obviate the necessity of references to the Collectors of Malabar which are sometimes made regarding

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regarding the locality or contiguity of lands for which leases are applied for through this office.

Madras 3d September 1842. } /Signed/ A. Robertson Coll.r & Reg.r of Govt. Grants.

Order thereon.

Ordered that copy of this letter be transmitted to the Collector of Malabar, and as it is known to the Board that a Survey map of Ootacamund Cantonment has been completed and is now in his office, that he be requested to send up the same to this office, in order that a copy may be prepared for the use of the Register of Government Grants, after which the original will be returned to Mr. Conolly.

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Proceedings

J.G.B.

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

From the Coll.r and Reg.r of Govt. Grants }

Sir

I have the honor to transmit herewith, for submission to the Board of Revenue, the papers noted in the Margin relative to the lease applied for by Captain Gosling of the 7th Regiment N.I. for certain land at Ootacamund on the Neilgherries in the Collectorate of Malabar.

(36)

1 Explanatory Statement from the Coll.r and Reg.r of Govt. Grants
1 Application.
1 Plan.
1 Letter from the Coll.r of Malabar 26th August 1842.

Madras 3rd September 1842 } /Signed/ A. Robertson Collector and Reg.r of Govt. Grants

Description

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No 1 Description of Ground the proprietor of

No.	Name of the Proprietor	Situation of the Ground	Since when enclosed	Title under which it is held	Extent of Ground	
					Ac.	Ds.
1	Captain H. B. Gosling 7th Regt N.I.	At Catacamund on the Neilgherries in Malabar	In 1841	Permission of the Collector of the District	4	18

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From the Principal Collector of Madura } Road Register of Petitions bearing the Board's Endorsements presented to him for the Month of August last.

48

Order thereon.

Ordered to be lodged in the Office.

48-49

Resolved that the following letter be despatched.

To The Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

To the Actg Chief Secy to Government }

Sir

In conformity to the orders of Government conveyed in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of the 18th October 1836, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for transmission to the Honorable Court of Directors the accompanying Set of their Proceedings for the Month of March 1842.

Revenue Board Office Fort St. George 12th September 1842 } I have &c. Signed J. D. Bourdillon Secretary.

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Resolved that the following letters be despatched.

51

To the Collr in Tillah of Ganjam }

To the Collector in the Tillah of Ganjam.

Sir

With reference to the order

10315 Fort St. George 12th September 1842.

order of Government dated 9th Ultimo published at page 635 of the Official Gazette of the Current year regarding the Forms to be adopted in endorsing letters, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to observe that several letters and Statements have since been received from your Office without Endorsement and to request that the above order may be strictly attended to in future. The Board further request that all documents transmitted to this Office unaccompanied by letters be also endorsed in the manner prescribed for letters.

* Statements of Demand Collection & Balances. Statements of Charges. Returns of Smuggled goods and other periodical Returns

Revenue Board Office Fort St. George 12th September 1842 } I have &c. Signed J. D. Bourdillon Secretary.

Circular.

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Circular to all Collrs and Sea Customs except Ganjam }

Sir

With reference to the order of Government dated 9th Ultimo published at page 635 of the Official Gazette of the Current year regarding the Forms to be observed in endorsing letters I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that

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† Demand Collection and Balance statements of charges Returns of smuggled Goods and other periodical Returns.

That all Statements and other documents transmitted to this Office in accompaniment by letters be also endorsed in the manner prescribed for letters in the order of Government above referred to.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
12th September 1842.

Signed J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary.

To The Collector in the Zillah of Guntoor

To the Coll.r of Guntoor

Sir,

53

With reference to the remarks which appear in the Register of Petitions of your District for the Months of September 1841 opposite to Petition 1184 of 1841 from Tsla Kristnamah and to the accompanying Petition 1215 of 1842 on the same subject I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request you will report what inquiry was made by Mr. Goldingham, and in what manner the subject was disposed of.

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Fort St. George
12th September 1842.

Signed J. D. Bourdillon
Secretary.

To

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To The Acting Principal Collector of Cuddapah.

To the Nr. Pl. Coll.r of Cuddapah the same to Timmerelly & North West

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Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of Mr. Cotton's letter of the 30th October last No 79, transmitting copies in the Hindoovi language of the Cowlenamah and Hookum-namah now in force in your District and to request that translations thereof in English may be forwarded at your earliest convenience.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
12th September 1842.

Signed J. D. Bourdillon.
Secretary.

To The Collector in the Zillah of Ganjam.

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To the Coll.r of Ganjam

The same to Salem Tanjore Trichinopoly Madura & Canara

Sir,

With reference to a letter from this Office dated 17th June 1841 relative

relative to the disposal of Porto Novo Ploughs remaining on hand in your District, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will submit your report thereon with the least practicable delay.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St George,
12th September 1842.

Sign'd J. D. Boudillon
Secretary.

Received the undermentioned Miscellaneous letters and Statements

From the Accountant General.

(56) Indent on the Commissary General for sundry articles required for the use of the General Department of his Office for the Current Month.

From the Accountant General.

(57) Indent on the Commissary

Commissary General for sundry articles required for the use of the Military Department of his Office for the Current Month.

Order on (56-58) the two abovementioned Indents } Ordered that the Indents be passed and returned.

From the (59) Principal Collector of Canara } Abstract of Demand and Collection and Balance from 12th to 31st July last.

From the (60) Collector of Guntoor Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance from 12th to 31st July last.

From the (61) Acting Collector of Masulipatam } Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last.

From the Collector of Malabar (62) Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last.

From the Collector of Malabar (63) Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt from 1st to 11th July last.

From the Principal Collector of Canara (64) Statement shewing the

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the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt for the Month of July last.

From the Collector of Guntoor } Statement

(65) shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt from 12th to 31st July last.-

From the Collector of Chingleput } Register of

(66) Permits issued for Salt exported from Covelong during the Month of July last.-

Statement

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From the Principal Collector of Nellore } Statement

(67) shewing the Quantity of Salt in Store and ready for exportation on account of the Chittagong Indent of 1841/42. from 12th to 31st August last.

From the Acting Principal Collector of Tanjore } Requesting

(68) a supply of Printed forms for the Monthly Statements of

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12th September 1842.

Particulars of Increase.

Air Layer	Betel and Tobacco	Total
16	17	18
106 5 3	" " "	106 5 3
" " "	375 " "	375 " "
" " "	265 " "	265 " "
" " "	1038 12 "	1038 12 "
" " "	30 " "	30 " "
2 2 7	210 " "	212 2 7
" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	641 4 "	641 4 "
240 10 11	150 " "	390 10 11
" " "	" " "	" " "
505 7 "	150 " "	655 7 "
854 9 9	2860 " "	3714 9 9
" " "	462 " "	462 " "
" " "	138 " "	138 " "
2034 1 6	" " "	2034 1 6
2034 1 6	600 " "	2634 1 6
2888 11 3	3460 " "	6348 11 3
Net Increase	3300 " "	Net Decrease 4855 3 11

Particulars of Decrease

Air Layer	Betel and Tobacco
19	20
" " "	" " "
1887 6 8	" " "
147 5 11	" " "
866 6 8	" " "
1401 4 4	" " "
" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "
2482 10 11	" " "
748 12 4	" " "
" " "	" " "
527 6 3	160 " "
" " "	" " "
7261 5 1	160 " "
417 12 7	" " "
64 13 6	" " "
" " "	" " "
482 10 1	" " "
7743 15 2	160 " "

Comparison-

Total	Increase	Decrease
21	22	23
" " "	106 5 3	" " "
1887 6 8	" " "	712 6 8
147 5 11	117 10 1	" " "
866 6 8	172 5 4	" " "
1401 4 4	" " "	1371 4 4
" " "	212 2 7	" " "
" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	" " "	" " "
2482 10 11	" " "	2482 10 11
748 12 4	" " "	107 8 4
" " "	390 10 11	" " "
687 6 3	" " "	687 6 3
" " "	655 7 "	" " "
7421 5 1	1654 9 2	5361 4 6
417 12 7	44 3 5	" " "
64 13 6	73 2 6	" " "
" " "	2034 1 6	" " "
482 10 1	2151 7 5	" " "
7903 15 2	3806 " 7	5361 4 6
Net Decrease	1555 3 11	

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of Demand Collection and Balance

Order thereon. Ordered to be supplied

(68-69) accordingly.—

" Hunt

"

" A. Maclean

Compd. P. G. Boyle