MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

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Diary

At a Meeting Present.

G. D. [illegible]ury Esqre Senior Member
F. Maclean Esqre Acting Second Member
Thursday 11th June 1816 } Waller Elliot Esqre Third Member
and.
S. Goldingham Esqre Officiating Member.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

Read again Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 10th and entered in Consultation 23d February last.

Ordered that the following letter be submitted in reply.

(1)

To the Chief Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Secy to Government } Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of a Resolution of Government No 84 under date 10th Febry in Cons. 23d Febry. ultimo and of the Volume of Acts of Parliament which accompanied it and in reply to state that on a careful perusal of the enactments therein contained it appears necessary to publish those noted in the Margin for the information and guidance of Officers in the Revenue Department.

Cap: 86 sec: 4-36-37-39-40-127-145-
& Cap: 88 sec-10-11-14-17-19-20.
Cap-89-sec-2 and 3.
Cap 93. Sec 4-7 13 15-62-91-92-
& to the words respectively preside".

Revenue Board Office } Signed J. Cycroft.
Fort St. George 11th June 1816 } Secretary Extracts

(2)

From the Secy to Govt transmitting copy of a letter from the Govt of India stating that sufficient grounds have not been shewn to warrant the continuance of the Shrotriem of Jetty pully to Audishashiah the adopted son of the last holder

Dated 29th May 1846 & Recd 10th July

Read the following Extracts.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 29th May 1846.

To G. A. Bushby Esqre
Secretary to the Government of India.

Sir

I am directed by the Most Noble the Governor in Council to submit for the consideration and orders of the Government of India Copy of a letter from the Board of Revenue giving cover to a correspondence with the Collector of North Arcot on the subject of the Shrotriem Village of Jetty pully in that district the last holder to which named Venganasomiaya: so be it is represented died in the year 1828.

2 The value of the shrotriem is estimated at 175 Star Pagodas and is chargeable with an annual quit rent of 50 Pagodas, no documents are forthcoming to shew the tenure on which the grant was originally conferred though it was represented in 1815 to have been then 85 years in existence. On the death of the last holder in 1828 the succession was claimed by his adopted son Audishashiah but from a variety of circumstances nothing had been done in furtherance of that claim although the Village had been attached and the proceeds credited to Government and

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the party is now said to have no certain means of subsistence.

3. Under these circumstances the Board of Revenue recommend that one half the Shrotriem enjoyed by his adoptive father be allowed to Audishashiah for the term of his natural life, but not in arrear as was done in a recent case, and His Lordship in Council concurring in the propriety of the recommendation begs to suspend the indulgence commencing from the date of the Board's communication.

* To Govt of India 26th Jany 1846 No 99. From Do Do 11th Feby 1846 No 126

Fort St. George 14th April 1846.

(Signed) E. P. Thompson
Secretary to Govert

Read the following letter.

To E. P. Thompson Esqre
Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir

1. I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 427 dated the 14th Ultimo with original enclosures recommending the continuance of one half the proceeds of the Shrotriem Village of Jetty pully in North Arcot to Audishashiah the adopted son of the last holder for the term of his natural life commencing from the date of the communication of the Board of Revenue 20th February last.

2. In reply I am desired to state that it does not appear to the President

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in Council that a sufficiently strong case has been made out for continuing the Shrotriem unless it can be shown that there is a life remaining of the original grant which does not seem probable from the circumstances of the case.

3. The original enclosures of your letter are returned.

Fort William
The 6th May 1846 } (Signed) G. A. Bushby
Secy to the Govt of India

Ordered that the above letter and the one to which it is a reply be transmitted to the Board of Revenue for their information and guidance.

(Signed) E. P. Thompson
Secy to Govt

Order thereon. Ordered to be communicated for the information and guidance of the Acting Collector of North Arcot with reference to his letter dated 7th January 1846.

(2-3)

From the Secy to Govt } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 5th June 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secy to Government
Fort St. George

(4)

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letters Nos 409 and 449 dated respectively the 7th and 20th April last.

2. The Report of the Board of Revenue

Revenue at Madras, therewith submitted, on the condition of the Weavers of that Presidency, describes that class as being in a less unfavorable position than was apprehended to be the case.

3. His Honor in Council will await the further information respecting the Moturpha Cauzes of the Madras Presidency promised in the 6th para of the Board's Report.

Fort William
The 16th May 1846 } (Signed) G. A. Bushby
Secy to the Govt of India

Resolved that the foregoing letter be transmitted to the Board of Revenue with a request that they will expedite the transmission of the report on the whole Moturpha branch of Revenue promised in para 6 of their Secretary's letter dated 22d Sept 1845 No 378.

(Signed) E. P. Thompson
Secy to Govt

Order thereon. Ordered to be recorded.

Read the following Extract.

(4-5)

From the Dy Secy to Government } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 29th May 1846.

To J. F. Thomas Esqre
Chief Secy to the Govt of Fort St. George
Madras.

(6)

Sir,

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you for submission to the Most Noble the Governor of Fort St. George in Council, a copy of a letter from

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from Dr. Gibson Conservator of Forests under this Presidency to the address of the Secretary to the Bombay Military Board No. 245 dated the 25th Ultimo, submitting his opinion and report upon a requisition made by the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty for an annual supply of Teak and other Timber for the use of Her Majesty's service.

2. In forwarding this communication I am desired to request that you will be pleased under the authority of His Lordship in Council to submit the suggestions therein contained for the opinion and report of the local Authorities now in charge of Malabar and Canara, and that this Government may be favored with information as to the degree of success which has attended the measures in progress for the conservation of the Teak Forests of Malabar with the view of securing a good supply of this Timber in future years.

3. For the reasons stated by Dr. Gibson the Forests of Canara appear to the Governor in Council to be a more suitable locality for our operations than those of Malabar.

Bombay Castle
18th May 1846

I have &c.
(Signed) H. Meadet
Secretary to Govt.

To

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A. No. 245. of 1846.

To

Captain Elder
Secretary Military Board
Bombay.

Sir,

I have had the honor to receive your letter No. 1805 of 1846 wherein the Board done the honor to request my opinion touching an annual supply of Teak and other Timber for the Royal Dockyards in England. In reply I beg to offer the following remarks and in doing so to premise that I first take up the second Head of enquiry, Viz. To report as to what extent I think it probable that supplies of Teak Timber can be annually spared from this Presidency for shipment to England for Her Majesty's service

I adverting to the fact that the price of Teak of Medium and 1st Quality for the public service has doubled and that the price for the Class superior has more than doubled, I see every reason to think that the additional supply required for England would have the effect of still further enhancing Prices

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This connection is strengthened by a perusal of the several letters of the Collector of Malabar to the Government of Fort St. George ranging from October 1840 to November 1845.

It is true that the Forests in the Molmin Territory or on its borders could furnish all or more than all of the additional supply required, but as this wood is proverbial for its inferiority as Ship Timber, it must I conceive be put out of the Question, as a source of public supply, tho' serviceable enough for Merchant Vessels, in which after a first start, insurance Covers the risk arising from the use of inferior Material.

I have elsewhere stated (Vide Chap 2 Teak Report for 1846) that our Forests within the Bombay Limits offer only a supply of Medium and inferior wood, consequently that those of Malabar and Canara are mainly to be looked to in seeking 1st Class or Superior Timber. The letters of the Collector of Malabar (above quoted) inform us that the supply there is now very limited

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and that he had been endeavouring to create a new source of supply by the acquisition of Forest Land and by extensive planting of young Trees thereon. Of these about 10,000 appear to have been planted up to November 1843. Whether these Trials have been extended, and whether their results are likely to be satisfactory, are points on which I have no recent information. An Examination of the Forests so planted conducted by a Competent Person would be very advisable for I gather from the Correspondence that in the early stage of the experiment through want of an experienced hand seems greatly to have marred and retarded Proceedings.

If however these within the last 3 years have been more extensive and successful, then a large source of future supply may be considered as certain.—

In this case there will be less necessity for extensive undertaking elsewhere, but in case the Malabar Planting may not have been carried to the required extent or may not give promise of the success at first anticipated, I would

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would point to the Northern Canara Forests as possess-
-ing superior advantage These are -

1st That in Canara and Soonda the Forest is entirely Government property. conse-
-quently no Mortgage advance has to be given by Government and no duty is paid on each Tree felled: whereas in Malabar Considerable advances require to be made and a duty of Rupee 1 on each tree is paid by Government -

2d In Malabar labour is scarce, whereas in Canara it is more plenteful -

3d The climate in most of the Malabar Forests appears to be pestilential (Vide letters above quoted) whereas that of the Canara and Soonda Forests though bearing a bad reputation relatively to the fine climate farther South in Canara is (I have reason to know) greatly more salubrious than that of our Northern Forests which appear to be on a Par as to insalubrity with those of Coimbatore -

This point is a most essen-
-tial one to be considered in selecting a Forest for renovation for no amount of Pay will induce men to remain when the climate is

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of a deadly character -

In my report for 1846 - Chap 1st I have entered somewhat fully on the subject of the present supply of wood to be had from Canara and Soonda I have there mentioned that one piece of Forest (at Goud) still contains a large quantity of Timber, also that tho' much of the Best Teak has been cut away from the Northern end of the Forest by private merchants a good deal still remains available, but in order to make these practically so, Pieces of road must be made such as would admit of a Contractor safely applying his Elephants for the Fraction of the Timber. —

I have also mentioned that in regard to Carriage from the Northern end of the Forest, if circumstances admitted of Timber being brought by the Teerya (that into the back waters of the Goa Territory a considerable quantity of land Carriage would be saved. —

It is possible that Her Majesty's Government might have no difficulty in procuring a free passage for

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for British Timber by the Route. This year I had intended to look at the Route in Detail, but obstacles of a Public nature prevented my doing so. —

In the same Report I suggested that some other woods which abound in this upper Forest such as asama and "Bondara" might be conserved for ship Building purposes as it seems probable that both of these may be found of some Value in that branch. I had further the honor to state that of the extent of the Good Forest Piece to the N. E. I had not the means of forming an Estimate, as there was not even a foot path thro that part of the Jungle, but that from the concurrent testimony of several persons I had reason to believe that it could afford a supply of several thousand Khundees for a good many years, and possibly until some of the young Forest now coming forward in other parts is available, but on this head it were obviously premature to offer any certain opinion. —

The 2nd point to be considered is the one first noticed in the letter of the Board, Viz.t "The best means of effecting this

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object" i. e. a prospective and regular annual supply. —

This point primarily embraces the Renovation of various now denuded Forest Tracts. —

Of course if this has been already done in Malabar there will remain less to do elsewhere. The Collector of Malabar proposed (Vide letters above quoted) 260 square miles as the extent of Forest necessary. —

I have already given my reasons why in undertaking a System of renovation it may be advisable to take the Canara Forest as an eligible place. I may also state that in it are many open glades well fitted for young plantations as they are well sheltered by the larger Trees, also as stated in my Report of this year, and in that for 1844, they are thousands of young Teak Trees self sown in some of the choicest parts of the Forest, and that by very simple and easy means these can be reserved from the annual conflagration in which so many now perish, and that after two years growth they

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they require no farther care. —.

I may add that the superior quality of the Canara Teak is well known. —.

Supposing the Plan of renovating the Canara Forest to be entertained. The means for carrying it into effect appear to me the following. —.

The object being so important Viz.t that of the supply of the Royal Navy, some considerable expenditure must be at first incurred. — The prospective advantage however is certain, and it is also to be borne in mind that the present advantage gained by efficient Conservancy will probably be found to defray a large part even of this annual Cost. —.

The local Superintendence should I conceive be intrusted to an officer of the station and Rank of a respectable Conductor, and the salary should be such as to render it an object of competition to this Class of servants. —.

To do this it should be fixed at

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at a Rate not below Rupees 180 with Rupees Twenty for Horse allowance Total Rupees Two hundred per mensem. —.

He might have under him for the Forest Work for six months in the year say from 1st November to 1st May — a strong Gang of convicts from the Jails of one of the Neighbouring Zillahs Viz.t either from Darwar or Honore — at the former Place the Jail is generally full to overflowing. This measure I had the honor to propose in my Report of 1844, and subsequent experience has tended to strengthen the Idea of its utility. —.

One hundred men could annually place beyond the reach of danger many thousands of choice young trees. —.

The officer in charge of the work should receive his instructions from and subject to the orders of a General conservator. —.

He ought to be located either at Juggelpait or on the Hill of seedh 9 Miles North East therefrom Both of these situations have the advantage of being Comparatively healthy and

and very centrical for some of the best parts of the Forest such as Hurregalee Berchee Nulla Mallinga &c.a &c.a while they are within 1½ days ride from the Goud Forest Piece which is at present the most valuable but is secluded and not fit for the residence of a European.

The sidh Hill has the superior advantage of being also centrical for the rather valuable Forest at Nuggur gallee and adjacent Villages of the Belgam Collectorate. These will be found enumerated in Chap 2nd of my report for 1846, and will with proper consideration become very Valuable.

Trusting that the above particulars may be found applicable for the information wanted.—

Honore 25th April 1846—

/Signed/ A. Gibson
Surgeon
Supt. Conservator
of Forests

/True Copy/
/Signed/ A. Malet
Secy. to Govt

Ordered

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Ordered to be communicated to the Revenue Board, who will be pleased to call upon the authorities in Malabar and Canara to submit their opinion and report on the suggestions contained in Dr. Gibson's letter dated 25th April 1846.—

/Signed/ R. G. Clarke.
Dy. Secy. to Govt.

Resolution thereon.— Resolved that a copy of the foregoing papers be transmitted to the Collectors of Malabar and Canara respectively, who will be pleased to submit their opinion and report upon the suggestions contained in Dr. Gibson's letter.—

(6-7)

Read the following resolutions.

From the Secy. to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 1st June 1846.—

/From Bd. 21st May/

The Government agree with the Board of Revenue in their opinion as to the course to be pursued with respect to the Enam referred to in the foregoing letter, and desire that the same be resumed and incorporated with the Iyen lands of the Cuddalore Talook.—

(8)

The Board will instruct the Collector of South Arcot to inform the Parties who have petitioned Government, the circumstances under which the present proceeding has been adopted.

No. 322 of 1846 from Narrainpillay & Vencatalakistnapillay sons of Ramsawmiah pillay

/Signed/ E. P. Thompson
Secy. to Govt.

Resolved.

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Resolution thereon.—

(8-9)

Resolved that a Copy of the foregoing order of Government and of the Board's letter to which it relates be transmitted for the information and guidance of the Collector of South Arcot with reference to his letter dated 27th April last.—

Mr. Davis will be so good as to make to the Parties concerned the communication directed by Government in Para-2.

From the Secy. to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 2d June 1846.—

/From Bd. 18th May/

(10)

The Yeomiah enjoyed by the late Shaik Ally appearing from the correspondence submitted by the Board of Revenue to have been granted for the support of an Aushoor Khanah at Villapooram and for the performance of the usual religious service during the Moharrum Festival, the Government resolve, under the opinion expressed in reference to the renewal of similar grants heretofore, to authorize the Collector of South Arcot to continue the annual allowance of Rupees/3-3-/ Three and Annas three, to Thatha alias Goolam Mustapha from the 31st January 1843. the Date of his Father's death.

/Signed/ E. P. Thompson
Secy. to Govt.

Ordered.

7498 Fort St. George 11th June 1846.—

Resolution thereon.

(10-11)

Ordered that a Copy of the foregoing Resolution of Government and of the Board's letter to which it relates, be transmitted for the information and guidance of the Collector of South Arcot with reference to his letter dated 14th April last.—

From the Secy. to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 4th June 1846—

/From Bd. 21st May/

(12)

Agreeably to the recommendation of the Board of Revenue conveyed in the foregoing proceedings the Government authorize the Collector of Bellary to remit the sum of Rupees/23-10-/ twenty three and annas ten in the Puttah for the Current Fusly of the Ryot of the Pennaconda Taluk referred to by them on account of the injury caused to his Sugar Cane Cultivation by the Followers of the 3d Light Cavalry on its march through the District.—

Ordered.

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Rec'd Cons. 19th Feby. 1839 No. 217-
31st March 1840
No. 23/288.

Ordered that the papers recorded above be communicated to the Military Department with reference to the orders noted in the Margin.—

/Signed/ E. P. Thompson
Secretary to Govt.—

Order thereon. Ordered to be communicated for the information and guidance of the Collector of Bellary with reference to his letter dated 22d. April last.—.

(12-13)

From the Secy. to Government } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 5th June 1846.—.

/From Bd. 21st May/

(14)

Under the circumstances reported by the Collector of Canara, the Government have no course left to them but to direct a distribution of the Pension payable to the Hegadi of Vittal an alternative which was communicated to him in the Minutes of Consultation of the 6th January last. The Collector is accordingly authorized to deduct a sum of one hundred /100/ Rupees per Mensem from the Hegadi's pension, and to pay the same in equal portions to his two sisters Doddama Arasoo and Soobadry Arasoo for the maintenance of these Members of his family.—

/Signed/ E. P. Thompson
Secretary to Govt.

Ordered—

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Order thereon Ordered to be commu-
nicated for the information and guid-
ance of the Collector of Canara with
reference to his letter dated 8th May
last.—

(14-15)

Read the following—

Statement.—

Extract

7501 Fort St George 11th June 1846

Extract from July 1843. to 11th July 1844 on account of Expenses for Fusly 1253 dated 10th November 1845.-

No. of charges	the Collector	Remarks of the Board of Revenue.	Orders of Govern-ment.
3	Value of plants rel	wing been included in the ved without Estimate the fore requested to obtain Government to enable the the charge.-	No. 3. Recommended for Sanction under the explana-tion of the Collector Rs 117.-
14	Pagoda f	274-3-9 as per accompanying tissed under the Sanction December 1803. but Special ance of the same is solicited.	No. 14. The Sum of Rs 274-3-9 as per accompany-ing List from the Collector of Vizagapatam dated 30th September 1803 is included in the Statement No 1 Submitted to Government with the Board's letter of the 3rd November last, which received Sanction on the 12th Idem. under this explanation the Board recommend that Sanction be grant-ed for the continuance of the allowance and for the pay-ment made in Fusly 1253 amounting to Rs 274-3-9.-
16	Compens Resumed	Rupee 1 per Month to Putma-le Sanction of the Board of ary 1802 but Special Sanc-e continuance of the same	No. 16. The name of Khatamah Beebee is entered in the Lists of Enamdars which accompanied the Collectors Let-ter dated 4th November 1801 and 27th February 1802 This last document was submitted to Government on the 15th June 1802 Special Sanction is requested for the continuance of the allowance to the present Incumbent during life.-
18	Pensions Lowances	for the incumbents Palake kemajy and Jumpenah nted. it is requested that nes be forwarded as per ceptive Roll.-	No. 18 & 20. The Collector has been requested to Submit his application for the renewal of Pension Certificates thro' the Secretary to Govern-ment in the Public Department, as directed in the Orders of Government dated 11th May 1844
20	Pensions Pension	of the Pension certifi-23 old ones amounting to per list accompanying d, and the Board of obtain fresh certifi-the incumbents respectively	

(16)

(Signed) O. B. Smollett
Collector

In Cons. 19th Nov. 1801
In Cons. 20th May 1802

In Cons. 10th October --
From Coll. 28th Sept. 1803

By Order
(Signed) C. P. Thompson
Secy to Govt.

Revenue Board Office
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By Order
(Signed) J Sycroft
Secretary

Vide Extract Minutes of Cons. dated the 11th July 1846. No 722.-

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List

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No 1. List of Pagoda and Mosque allowances in the late 1st Division of the Vizagapatam District.-

		Annual Amount
Nuckapilly Hoondah	Allowance for the support of 1 Pagoda of Woopmakah Stree Ven Kataswerah Swamy	1,000 . .
Steerampoorum	Do for the Do of 2 Do at Pentacotah and Gopaulapatam	27 . .
Woorutlah	Do for the Do of 3 Do at Woorutlah and Tosenapeddy Agraharam	110 2 .
Vamolapeddy	Do for the Do of 1 Do of Beemaswera Swamy at Belgam	45 . .
Cottacottah	Do for the Do of 2 Do at Cottacotah	53 15 9
Ryaveram	Do for the Do of 5 Do at Lingaraiz pollum, Uppalum Poolaperty Ryaveram and Penoyoloo	97 2 .
Dimmely	Do for the Do of 6 Do at Dimmily Tervoopilly Ellamanchely and Cuttoopollem	123 . .
Pausadarlah	Do for the Do of 6 Do at Maimeedewadah Velchoor Codoor, Pausadarlah Yeadoolapauk and Dosoor	127 . .
Sarvasiddy	Do for the Do of 1 Do at Cuttoobolloo	15 . .
Condakarlah	Do for the Do of 2 Do at Madatoor and Condakirlah	24 . .
Melloopauk	Do for the Do of 7 Do at Melloopauk, Juggannathapooram, Nursingapally and Somalingumpaudoo	99 . .
Moonagapauk	Do for the Do of 2 Do at Moonagapauk and Umpole	22 . .
Cafsimcottah	Do for the Do of 4 Do at Cafsimcottah and Vadoorparty	62 . .
Ankapilly	Do for the Do of 3 Do at Ankapilly and Seroosopilly	269 . .
	Total Company's Rupees	2,074 3 9

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(Signed) P B Smollett
A Collector

Descriptive

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No 2. Descriptive Roll of the Individuals drawing Pensions in the Zillah of Vizagapatam under the head of Pensions and Charitable allowance of a General Nature.-

No	Office.	Names of the Pensioners	Present age	Height	Personal or indelible Marks &c.	Amount Sanctioned by Government	Name, Caste and Employ of the deceased.	Amount disbursed up to Jan 1846	Term of the Pension	Remarks of the Collector
			years	Feet	Inch	C Rs a p		Rs a p		
1	Collector of Vizagapatam	Pillakah Cunnamah	44	5	2 1/2	Blind of the left Eye. 1 10 8	P. Kristnamah Gentoo Sibbundy Sepoy	1 10 8	During the life of the Widow	This was Sanctioned on the 29th May 1832 but no Certificate granted.
2	——— Do ———	Array Rookmajy	40	5	5 1/2	A Small wart beneath the right Eye 1 4 -	Array Rookmajy Bondily Do	1 4 -	During life	Do 26th September 1832 - Do :-
3	Collector of Rajahmundry	Jumperah Rajah	55	5	1/2	Three green marks on the right wrist 70 - -	J. Seetaramaraze Rajah Sirdar	70 - -	During the life of the widow	Do 16th January 1827 Do :-
							Total Company's Rupees	72 14 8		

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(Signed) P B Smollett
Acting Collector

Last.

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No. 3. List of Pensions of the late Native Pension Fund in the Zillah of Vizagapatam.

No.	Office	Names of the Pensioners	Present Age	Height Years Feet Inch	Personal or indelible marks &c.	No. of Certificate
1	Collector of Vizagapatam	Moottaswarah Boochamah	73	4 9½	Marks of Small Pox on the nose and forehead	56
2	ditto	Noorkalah Lutchmeenursamah	40	4 10½	None	881
3	ditto	Sidamy	52	5 1	None	886
4	ditto	Davesetty Venkamah	41	5 2	A mark on the left Shoulder	887
5	ditto	Rufsool Bee	40	4 [illegible]	None	1062
6	ditto	Bottah Lutchmy	55	5 1½	Mark of Small pox on the nose and of a brand on the left hand	1063
7	ditto	Poolah Paupah	42	4 11	Green mark on the forehead three warts on the right side of the nose and between the eye brows	1064
8	ditto	Govindoolah Appamah	55	4 10½	Burnt marks near the temples and a green mark on the forehead	1067
9	ditto	Madenah Beebee	40	4 9½	A wart on the left eyelid	1638

Date of Certificate	Date of Government Authority	Name Caste and employ of the Deceased	Amount originally Sanctioned	Amount Subsequently reduced	Cause of reduction	Amount disbursed up to January 1846	Term of the Pension
			Rs a p	Rs a p		Rs a p	
25th June 1811.	28th May 1811.	M Goorapah Mochy	7 - -	- - -	4	7 - -	During the life of the widow.
1st May 1815.	23rd April 1819	ditto Narsimloo Brumin Cashtrapa	7 - -	- - -	-	7 - -	Do: Do:
Do:	Do:	Do: Hoofsain Goosee Mohr Deloyet	2 - -	- - -	-	2 - -	Do: Do:
Do:	Do:	Do Polanah Goosee Kurcenah	3 - -	1 8 -	Poupramah having died	1 8 -	Granted to the widows Jointly.
14th May 1820.	26th April 1820.	Goodoo Meeyah Sheer Deloyet	2 - -	- 8 -	Memeenbeef Marsalee having been married	1 8 -	Granted to the widow to be reduced to Four annas as each daughter marries.
Do:	Do:	B. Ramdoo Gentoo Deloyet	2 - -	- 8 -	Yellamah and Gungah Do	1 8 -	Do: Do:
Do:	Do:	P. Ayapah Gentoo Deloyet	1 8 -	- - -	-	1 8 -	During the life of the Widow.
Do:	Do:	G Padda Seetapeh Gentoo Caun	1 - -	- - -	-	1 - -	Do: Do:
9th Feby 1821	23rd June 1821	Madeenah Goosee Moor Deloyet	2 - -	- - -	-	2 - -	Granted to the widow to cease on the Son attaining the age of 18 but to be continued in the event of his death taking place before his mothers.

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No.	Office	Names of the Pensioners	Age: Sent	Height	Personal or indelible marks &c	No. of Certificate	Date of Certificate	Date of Government authority	Name, Caste and employ of the deceased	Amount Originally sanctioned	Amount Subsequently reduced	Cause of reduction	Amount disbursed up to January 1846	Term of the Pension
			Years	Feet In						Rs a p	Rs a p		Rs a p	
1	Commercial Resident at Vizagapatam	Mantrapragadah Lutchmeedavey	45	5 11½	Green marks on the forehead & chin	90	25th June 1811	25th May 1811	M. Betaraazee Bd Conceptly	4 - -			4 - -	During the life of the widow
2	"	Sydamah	65	5 1	A wart on the left hand and several small ones on the face	91	D°	D°	Yerkoolee Moor Syrang Lascar	3 - -			3 - -	D° D°
3	"	Dindy Ramanah	58	5 8½	Several small warts on the face	554	18th Aug 1815	27th July 1815	D. Seetaramoodoo Gentoo Packer	1 15 9			1 15 9	D° D°
4	"	Gollagamy yettiy	44	5 2½	A small wart on the right cheek and a Green mark on the forehead a pit on the nose occasioned by small pox	559	D°	D°	G Chinniah Gollah Beater	1 15 9			1 15 9	D° D°
5	"	Cakerlavarapoo Seetamah	56	5 2	Green mark on the forehead also a mark of fixing	1768	9th Febo 1821	23d Jany 1821	C Gungiah Bd Head Conceptly	3 8 -	8 -		3 - -	D° D° but reduced to 3 Rs in Octr 1826
6	"	Pareed Atchamah	43	5 -	A wart on the nose and another on the left Eyelid	1772	D°	D°	P Pareed Moor Lascar	1 8 -			1 8 -	During the life of the widow
7	"	Carempoody Atchamah	45	5 1½	A wart beneath the right eyelid a mole beneath the chin and Elephantiasis	1775	D°	D°	C.N. Atchapah Lascar Packer	2 - -	1 - -	Atchamah and Parapah one having died, and the other married	1 - -	Granted to the Widow to be reduced to one Rupee on marriage of both the daughters
8	"	Carecherla Seetamah	50	4 10¾	Burnt marks near the temples and a green mark on the forehead	1778	D°	D°	C. Chelliah Gentoo Peon	1 8 -			1 8 -	During the life of the widow
9	"	Daumoo Vencamah	55	4 10¾	A green mark on the forehead	1780	D°	D°	D. Mallasem Moochy Ruler	3 4 -			3 4 -	D° D°
10	"	Sydooby	37	5 1½	None	1781	D°	D°	S Parreedoo Moor Beater	1 8 -			1 8 -	D° D°
11	"	Mangalah Lutchmy	60	4 8½	Green mark on the forehead a small wart beneath the left eye and mark of a sore over the left eyelid	1789	D°	D°	Appiah Barber Packer	2 - -			2 - -	Granted to the widow to be reduced to one Rupee and eight annas on the daughters marriage
12	"	Gollah Parapah	45	4 10	A mole on the left cheek green mark on the forehead and also on the chin	1790	D°	D°	G. Latchmoodoo Gollah Packer	2 - -	8 -	Atchamah having been married	1 8 -	D° D°
13	"	Coalepatnapoo Latchmedavey	60	4 9	Green mark on the forehead	1792	D°	D°	C. Reddy Bramin Conceptly	3 8 -			3 8 -	During the life of the widow
14	"	Golagany Venkoo	55	4 9¾	Hazel eyes, green mark on the forehead	1793	D°	D°	G Ramdoo Gollah Beater	1 12 -	12 -	Pydamah	1 - -	Granted to the widow to be reduced to one Rupee on marriage of the daughters

Total Company's Rupees 55 11 6

Vizagapatam,
30th March 1846.

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(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Acting Collector

Ordered

Order thereon. Ordered that the necessary Remarks of the Board be inserted in the proper Column of the abovementioned Statement and submitted for the sanction of Government.

Ordered also that the following letter be sent in consequence.-

(17)

To The Collector of Vizagapatam

(16-18)

Sir

To the Collr of Vizagapatam

Referring to items Nos 18 & 20 in the Extract from the Readit of your accounts for Fusly 1253, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to state that applications for renewal &c of Pension Certificates should be submitted thro' the Secretary to Government in the Public Department, as directed in the Government notification dated 11th May 1844 in order therefore to enable you to comply with the instructions therein contained the 23 old Certificates transmitted by you to this Office with the above Extract are herewith returned, as also the descriptive Roll referred to in No 18.-

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Revenue Board Office, Fort St George. 11th June 1846. } (Signed) T Pycroft Secretary

Read

Read the following letter

To T. Pycroft Esqre Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St George

Sir,

(19)

From the Collr of Vizagapatam

Stating that the condition of the family of late Venkat Row seems to demand the consideration of the Board and recommending that the Brother and son of the deceased be declared Wards of Court.

1. The condition of the Family of M. Venkatrow, the late Proprietor of Vapsimcottah and Melloopankah Zemindaries seems to demand the consideration of the Board of Revenue, with a view to the adoption of some measures to relieve the members from their present anomalous position.

2. The late Zemindar died on the 11th October last, This, with a report on his public debts and private embarrassments was announced to the Board of Revenue in Mr Arbuthnot's letter of the 9th December 1845.-

3.- The Board of Revenue and Government resolved, on receiving this Report, to bring the Estates to sale for Arrears of Revenue, and declined permitting the management to remain in the hands of the Collector under the authority of the Court of Wards. In pursuance of this resolution the Estates have been advertized for sale on the 22d of next Month.-

4.- The Heirs of the deceased Proprietor are, first a Posthumous son whose Mother has died, and a Brother who has not attained his majority.-

5 These infants have no guardians

6 nor any near relation capable or willing to administer.-

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they can neither sue nor be sued. There is no legal representative of the Estates Competent to collect the outstanding debts of the late Zemindar, to settle his responsibilities or to arrange with his Creditors. Parties who have suits in Court cannot proceed in the absence of qualified representatives of the Family, and persons holding property or renting houses can neither pay rent nor deliver up the property. Independent of the Zemindaries the Family have some favorable, or Modut Rents, held under the Rajah of Vizeanagrum which should be looked to.

6. I understand the Courts of Udalut cannot appoint a Curator, because the application to this end has not been made within Six Months of the demise of the late Proprietor; and by reason of other difficulties in what seems a very perplexed and bungling piece of Legislation Act XIX of 1841.

7. Under these circumstances I am of opinion that it is desirable that the Brother and Son of the late M. Venkatrow be declared Wards of Court to prevent the waste and injury of the Estate. This will in no respect prevent or interfere with the sale of one or both the Zemindaries advertized for the 22nd June next for old arrears if this be still deemed right.

Vizagapatam Collectors Office 23rd May 1846

(Signed) P. B. Scrollett
Collector

To
T. Pycroft Esqr.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

(20)

From the Collr of Vizagapatam

Acknowledging the receipt of Board's letter of the 21st Instant sanctioning the sale of the Cajsimcottah and Mellapankah estates and giving his opinion relative to the condition and future prospects of the estates.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st Instant, having reference to the proposed sale of the Mellapankoo and Cajsimcotta Estates on the 22nd Proximo.

2. No payments I beg to state have been made by the family of the late Proprietor in liquidation of the balances, their position has precluded their taking any step to that end, as already explained in my letter to your address of the 23rd Instant.

3. The arrears of Fusly 1248 have been defrayed from the surplus collections of the present fusly in addition to the Current Kists. The sums noted in the Margin have also been excluded from the demand, being the remission absolutely sanctioned in the Minutes of Consultation of the 12th February 1844 on payment of the remaining balance ori-

Cajsimcottah	Rs. 3100
Mellapankah	" 5500
	Rs. 8600

ginating in the famine of Fusly 1248 by instalments within two years. That these payments had not been made and the accounts adjusted eight Months ago was purely accidental the tender of payments having been made in Bank Notes which involved a reference to the Accountant General

General. Before sanction was received the proprietor had died.

4. Mr. Arbuthnot had estimated that the Circar balance could not be cleared off in less than Six years judging from the Settlement and Collections of the present year which would shew a clear profit of more than Sixteen thousand Rupees, and making allowance for a fall in prices from the present very high rates prevailing. I calculated that a surplus of twelve thousand Rupees and upwards per annum might accrue, and that the arrears would be liquidated in two years and a half.

5. I see no occasion to calculate any allowance for the family, because they have a small income available for their support from other sources.

6 I consider Mr. Arbuthnots estimate of the settlement at Rupees 6,530 per annum as too low provided that the Zemindaries were efficiently managed that the System of the Proprietor was

was followed, and Inmane innovation eschewed.

7 I have been informed that many of the creditors whose debts principal and interest were entered in Mr Arbuthnots Statement at something more than 80,000 Rupees, would willingly compromise and remit or forego interest and I have no doubt that much might be done, if it was set about in the right way.

8. I consider these Estates to be valuable possessions if in good hands, and I have no doubt that they will fetch high prices if there be competition, or if the Government bid them up. But they will thrive much better as private than as public property. As regards bidding for them at the sale I shall unless

unless otherwise instructed, not permit them to go for less than the sums notified in the Board's proceedings of the 23d February last Viz.t Casimcottah for Rupees 20789-15-0 and Melloopanka for Rupees 29957-14-3 in all Rupees 50747-13-3.

Vizagapatam Collector's Office 29th May 1846

/Signed/ P. B. Smollett
Collector.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.

(19-21)

To
The Collr. in the Zillah of Vizagapatam

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letters of the 23d and 29th Ultimo on the subject of the Casimcottah and Melloopanka Zemindaries and in reply to request that the sale of those estates may be postponed until you shall receive further instructions from this Office.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
11th June 1846

/Signed/ I. Pycroft
Secretary

Read

Read the following letter.

(22)

To
I. Pycroft Esqr.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

From the Collr. of Rajahmundry

Sir,

I have the honor to submit for the consideration of the Board copy and translation of a Pauper complaint preferred in the Civil Court at Rajahmundry in case No. 6. of 1846 by Vutchavoy Venkatapatty Sarauze against the Collector of this District, and certain others, for the recovery of the Cottapilly Estate and the other real and personal property belonging to the late Proprietor of the Estate Vutchavoy Venkatapatty Sarauze together with the Draft of my proposed answer thereto, and request that with reference to the correspondence noted in the margin, the Board will be pleased to obtain sanction of Government to defend the suit at the public expense.

To Board 9 July 1840
From Do 19 Do
To Do 11 June 1834
Govt. Mins 11 July —
From Board 11 July 1840
To Do 27 July —
From Do 17 Augt —
From Do 16 Novr —
From Do 21 Decr with
Govt. Mins 14 Do
To Do 13 March 1841
To Do 15 Do —
From Do 1st April —
To Do 21 April & 8 May —
From Do 19 Augt —
To Do 22 Septr —
From Do 7 Septr —
From Do 7 Octr with
Govt. Mins 25 Septr —
To Do 20 Novr —
From Do 20 Jany with
Govt. Minutes 14 Do 1842
To Do 28 March —
From Do 30 May with
Govt. Minutes of 17 Do

Rajahmundry District
Samulcotta 11 May 1846

/Signed/ J. Prendergast
Collector.

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Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

No. 1.

No. 6 of 1846.

To The Provincial Court of Appeal

Masulipatam

A Complaint filed by Stree Rajah Vutchavoy Serapaterauze Zemindar or Inhabitant of Pruttepaud attached to Kirlampoody Mootah in the Zillah of Rajahmundry Pauper Plaintiff, against Defendants 1st G. A. Smith Esqr. present Collector of Rajahmundry District. 2d Stree Rajah Vutchavoy Sooria Narayna Jagapaterauze Zemindar of Peddapore Talook 3d Do Venkatapaterauze of Peddapore 4th Vutchavoy Appalarauze Enamdar of Condracottah attached to Peddapore Talook 5th Dantla Seetiah Enamdar of Vadavoopankah attached to Decanole Mootah 6th Caukerlapoody Seetiah Enamdar of Kirlumpoody attached to Kirlumpoody Mootah 7th Vasuntoo Seetaramoodoo of Peddapore professing by Service, 8th Guddem Sawmy of Peddapore professing by Service 9th Tatavurty Gopunnah Enamdar of Royaveram attached to Lingumpurty Mootah and 10th Saroo Rayennah of Pruttepaud attached to Kirlumpoody Mootah in the Rajahmundry District -

1. Our first Ancestor named Stree

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Stree Rajah late Puda Veneatapaterauze had four Sons the 1st and 2d of whom named Juggaraueze and Peda Veneatapaterauze died without issue of the other two Sons the fourth Son named Peroomullaraueze had five Sons the 1st of whom Parauze 2d Juggaraueze 3d Temputty rauze and 5th Sauteyaraueze in all four died together with their issue - The fourth Son named Paupiahraueze had three Sons of whom the 2d Seroopaterauze and the 3d Peroomullaraueze died without issue and the 1st named Stree Rajah Veneatapaterauze Bahader acquired the Zemindary of Cottapilly in Rajahmundry District together with the Lakeraj Mookasah Village Jugapatenagarum and certain other Lakeraj Enams Gardens and large property in the same District, as below noticed, he lived a long time much respected and departed this life on the 7th day of ashadah Soodah Sunday of the year Veerooty, corresponding with the 27th June 1830 -

2. The 3d Son of our said first ancestor Peda Veneatapaterauze named Chinna Veneatapaterauze had five Sons of whom the 2d 4th 5th and 6th named Mungalageraueze Lingaraueze

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Lingaraauze Paraauze and Boocharauze in all four died together with their issue of the other two sons the 3d son Terapaterauze had 4 sons of whom the 2d Mungalagerauze 3d Lingarauze and 4th Boocharauze died without issue — The 1st named Veneatapaterauze died, and the other appulrauze the 4th Defendant, and the said deceased Terapaterauze's son Boachy Veneatapatyrauze are now alive —

3 The 1st son of China Veneata-
patterauze mentioned in the 2d Para. named Juggaraauze had one son Terapaterauze who had 4 sons. of whom the 1st Juggaraauze and 4th Veneatapaterauze died without issue. the 3d son Vijeagopaularauze and I the son of Sooraparauze's who was the 2d son are now alive —

4 as stated in Para 3 Vijeagopaul-
rauze and Boochy Veneatapatyrauze are both alive, but as I am the descendant of the elder branch of the family they Vijeagopaularauze my uncle, and Boochy Veneatapaterauze the nephew of the 4th Defendant who are distant heirs to the said late Rajah Veneatapaterauze never claimed his property according to the Hendoo Law —

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Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

5 The 4th Defendant is no more entitled to the property in question, than the said Boochy Veneatapaterauze but as he had laid claim for some time to the property at the persuasion of the late zemindar of Peddapore stree Rajah Vutchavoy Boochy Seetiah, I am now induced to include him as one of the Defendants in the pre-
sent complaint. —

6 as the death of the said Rajah Veneatapaterauze Bahader was brought on the follow-
ing day to the notice of the then Collector Mr. Crawley, he placed under attachment his Cotta-
pilly Talook and all the other real and person-
al property according to the lists herewith submitted A part of the attached property containing Palangueen Cattle &c. real property according to the accompanying list No. 2 he immediately sold in public Auction, and held in depo-
sit in his Cutcherry the proceeds thereof amounting to Rupees 1503 — 1 — 0. The other property, partly per-
sonal and partly real including Cottapilly Talook &c. is still under attachment.

7 The late zemindar of Peddapore stree Rajah Vutchavoy Boochy Seetiah with a view

to

to prevent me from posessing the property of the said late Rajah Venkatapaterauze Bahadar, as his heir according to the Hindoo Law, fabricated a false Will as if the said Rajah Venkatapaterauze Bahadar had made over all his property to her and presented an Arzee to the then Collector Mr. Crawley to put her in posession of the Zemindary &c. property under the said Will, but that Gentleman ordered her to establish her right through the Zillah Court.

8. When the said Zemindar Rajah Venkatapaterauze Bahadar died, I was a minor and lived in the house of my maternal grand father in the Vezyarampooram &c. Village attached to Vezagapatam District. After I was heard of his death, performed the funeral Ceremonies as his heir according to the Hindoo Law, arrived in Rajahmundry District after a short time, and presented an arzee (through my maternal uncle and Guardian N. Rungarauze) to the said Collector Mr. Crawley under date the 22d April 1831 stating that I was heir to the said late Zemindar and praying that

that he would put me in posession of the attached property consisting of Cottapilly Taloob &c. which was under attachment and receive from me annually the arrears outstanding against the said Zemindary. I also addressed another arzee to the Board of Revenue on the 23d of that month mentioning the same circumstances. The said Collector upon the perusal of the arzee directed that I should establish my right through the Judicial Authorities.

9 The sister of the said late Zemindar named Dautta Venkiah who is Mother in-law to 5th Defendant and mother to 6th presented an Extra Petition to your Court in No. 551 of 1830 claiming the Zemindary and the whole property in question under a false Will which she fabricated for that purpose, your Court thereupon held proceedings under date the 21st December 1830 directing her to bring a regular suit, but she refrained from doing so, knowing that her claims would not be supported, but she would merely incur great

great escpenses whether the Will alluded to was proved or not as I was the sole heir to the said property.——

10. As the Collector directed me as stated in the said para 8 to establish my right to the said Zemindary &c. property through the Civil Court, I presented an Exctra Petition through my Guardian Nallaparauze Rungaraujze to the Zillah Court of Rajahmundry stating that I was the sole heir to the property of the said late Zemindar, that the Wills produced by the said Boochy Seetiah and Venkiah severally were false, and that the property in question should be made over to me upon ascertaining my right.——

11. The said Boochy Seetiah thereupon presented an Exctra Petition to the Zillah Court of Rajahmundry in No. 1123 of 1831 stating that her right to the property under a false Will fabricated by her as specified in para 7 should be admitted and she should be put in possession of the same.—

12. The said Boochy Seetiah thinking that her false Will could not be proved, or if it be proved could not be admitted, since I had law fully right to

to the property which she wished to defraud me of caused to be presented to the Zillah Court two Exctra petitions Nos 938 & 1137 of 1831 by Dautta Venkiah who was supported by her; and by the 4th Defendant respectively. She said Dautta Venkiah having since died, the said Boochy Seetiah caused also to be presented to the said Zillah Court two further petitions Nos 820 & 1118 of the 1832 by the 5th and 6th Defendants the said Venkiahs Daughter and daughter in law respectively, claiming the property under the false Will in question.

13. The Zillah Court thereupon ascertained the five petitions stated in paras 10 and 11 admitted only the claims of the said Boochy Seetiah in her Petitions as well as mine, and held proceedings on 24th April 1834 imposing upon us a fine of 100 Rupees- As I found it detrimental to my right- I presented through my Guardian the said Gungaraujze an Exctra Petition to your Court, in No. 120 of 1831 praying the reversal of the said proceedings and the issue of a precept to the Zillah Court to put me in possession of the said Estate. Upon your Court upon perusal of my petition inspected the original record annulled the proceedings of the Zillah Court, remitted the fine imposed on us, and held proceedings on 4th September 1834 directing that the Zemindary &c. property should be held under the Collectors attachment until we established our claim by means of a regular Suit-

14. The said Boochy Seetiah failed to bring a regular Suit because she was unable to prove her right to the Zemindary

Zemindary Vea property by evidence and testimonials, she departed this life some time afterwards but neither her successor the late Rajah Boochy Bungariah nor the 2d Defendant the heir of the latter ever brought a regular claim conscious that they could not succeed in it - The 3d Defendant only presented a Petition to the Zillah Court of Rajahmundry in No 93 of 1841 claiming the said property as if he were heir to the said Boochy Seetiah, but that Court held proceedings under date 24th February 1841 rejecting his petition and directing that he should bring a regular Complaint - but he the 3d Defendant has not ever made a regular appeal, nor brought a regular Complaint to your Court -

15. Though the Petition No 820 of 1832 presented by 6th Defendant was rejected by the Zillah Court as stated in para 12 she failed to make an appeal against the rejection but a long time after she presented a similar extra petition to the Zillah Court in No 2269 of 1841; - with a view to mislead that Court - On 4th February last the said Zillah Court held proceedings directing that the said Zemindary Vea property should be put in possession of the 6th Defendant but under certain other circumstances the said Court held further proceedings on 9th April last recalling their first proceedings -

16. As I was a minor for some time and

from want of money sufficient to pay Stamps duty for bringing a regular Suit - I have on the 21st October and 7th December 1839 addressed 2 Petitions to the Board of Revenue stating that the said late Zemindar Rajah Venkatapatemauze had no heirs nearer than myself that the Wills fabricated severally by the said Boochy Seetiah and Venkiah were false - that the said Zemindary Vea property should be made over to me with instructions to the first Defendant, to receive from me the Peishcush upon the Zemindary together with the arrears outstanding against it up to the date of the demise of the said Zemindar - The Board of Revenue upon the perusal of those Petitions endorsed them that my prayer could not be granted unless I established my claim to the said property by a decision of a Judicial Authority - The 1st Defendant to whom these Petitions were returned issued to me an Ennatnamah on the 26th August 1840 informing me the same circumstances -

17. In consequence of the above I used my best endeavours to obtain a loan from my relations but I was unable to get sufficient to defray the expences - I have therefore intended to lay my claim as Pauper -

18. In the mean time I heard that the Board of Revenue in their Proceedings of 1st December

December 1841 para 10 expressed their opinion to the 1st Defendant that I should have preference among the claimants to the Cottapully Zemindary, and that it should be put in my possession on receiving from me the balance outstanding thereon up to the date of the demise of the said late Zemindar. I have consequently addressed a Petition to the 1st Defendant on the 13th of January 1841 requesting him to put me in possession of the Zemindary and receive the arrears due thereon up to the said period as certain securities consented to give me a loan sufficient for the discharge of those arrears upon my getting possession of the Zemindary. I also addressed another Petition to the Board of Revenue on the 18th of that Month mentioning the same circumstances but they returned me that Petition with an endorsement of 4th March 1841, that I should have recourse to the Civil Court. I am now therefore induced to file the present regular suit.

19. A part of the said attached property both real, and personal amounting to Rupees 3380-12-6 as per Statement No 1. herewith submitted is still under the guft of the 1st Defendant. ——

20. After the death of the said Zemindar a part of the property attached being

being sold in public auction, the proceeds thereof amounting to Rupees 1503-1—a are now held in deposit in the Office of the 1st Defendant.

21. As there are many Lukarajie enams, and Gardens of fruit trees &c. in Peddapore and other Estates which were acquired by the said late Zemindar. I have addressed Petitions to the late Collectors Messrs. Crawley and Lewin, as well as to the 1st Defendant to place them under attachment, like the Zemindary &c. other enams only the Cist realized therefrom amounting to Rupees 38480 as per accompanying Statement No 3 is now held in deposit in the Office of the 1st Defendant. ——

22. As the Estates of Cottapully have been under attachment by the 1st Defendant since the date of the demise of the said late Zemindar, the ozeroty Cist levied upon Enams in that Estate along with the Cuttoobadg. amounting to Rupees 21298 — 4 — 6. as per accompanying Statement No 4 is also held in deposit in the Office of the 1st Defendant with ——

23. With regard to the amount which I state in Paras 21 and 22 to be held in Deposit in the Office of the 1st Defendant, I beg to observe that I have not obtained Copies of the "Chellon Baky accounts" from the 1st Defendants Office, but as I know the annual Cist derivable from the lands in the Cottapilly Estate &c. &c. I accordingly entered in the accounts Nos 3 and 4 alluded to in those two Paras the probable amount of the same as deposited in the Office of the 1st Defendant.

24. Ever since the death of the said late Zemindar in 1831, the 2nd 3rd 6th 7th 8th 9th and 10th Defendants have usurped his Enams and enjoyed the produce thereof amounting Rupees 11380-0-0 per accompanying Statement No 5.

25. During the life time of the said late Zemindar he borrowed 8000 Rs from the said late

late Stree Boochy Seetah and executed her a Bond in the name of Stree Doutha Dada Vencataroostumrauze according to her proposal Mortgaging therein Sid Lakaraji Enam land at Kirlumpoody bearing an annual Cist of Rupees 2000 in Security for the said debt. The 3d Defendant had this Bond endorsed in his favor and holds the said Enam land since July 1241 by enjoying its Annual produce of 2,000 Rupees. With the view that I might not sustain a great loss if I did not settle this balance until I could obtain Possession of the said Zemindary &c. &c. I intended to mortgage the said Enam land to some other Sowcars and obtain a loan sufficient to discharge the debt to the 3d Defendant if any was due to him, and to the 3d Defendant if any desired the 3d Defendant to furnish me with the account shewing the amount of the Bond and the Value of the produce received for it from the said Enam land and to receive from me any balance due and make over to me the said Enam land but as he failed to do so I have on the 13th March 1833 addressed a Petition to the then Collector Mr Crawley requesting him to order the settlement of our accounts and to cause the 3d Defendant to receive from me the balance if any and put me in Possession of the said land. But the said Collector returned my argee with an Endorsement under date

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the 16th. of the same month that he would give an answer to my request after my right to the estate of the said late Zemindar shall have been established.. Consequently the 3rd. Defendant is enjoying the said Enam land.. It requires about 3500 Rupees for the Stamp Duty and pleaders fees &ca. if I was to file a regular Complaint for the whole property above alluded to.. I only hold about Rs. a p 101-4-" worth of property according to the list which I now submit.. If this property be sold it will not only be insufficient for the Charges in question.. but prevent me from obtaining means for my livelihood.. nor does any one agree to lend me now the Money adequate to those Charges.. I am therefore induced to file the present Complaint as Pauper under Regulation 9 of 1816; and the following is the Personal and real Property due to me from the Defendants..

	No. of things	Amount	No. of things	Amount
Real property due from the 1st. Defendant..				
One Zemindary of Cottapilly Taluck which realized the annual Cist of 30000 Rupees during the life time of the late Zemindar and which now				

	No. of things	Amount	No. of things	Amount
now undoubtedly fetches the reduced Cist of about 75,000 Rupees and which pays to the Circar an annual Peishcush of 12,798 Rupees Containing 1 Cottapilly 2. Jumboopatnum 3 Gonagoodem, 4. Nursapoorum, 5 Camaspoor 6. Dodakayalapilly, 7 Goomaludody, 8. Vadoorpatah, 9 Croostnoonepollem, 10. Galavarum, 11 Gungum pollem, 12. Streemanarainpoorum, 13 Baloo= =oopully, 14 Danta Ramavarum, 15. Colah Ramavarum, 16 Soode Condah 17. Sevarampatam, 18. Mullavarum, 19. Valagalaroo, 20 Venkatrayapooram 21. Caloojonnah, 22 Lingavarum 23. Bhavavarum, 24 Lutchmipoo= =ram, 25 Narandrapatnum &c. 26. Dorcoolabunda, 27 Woopalapandoo, 28 Croostnapoorum, 29 Seroonia= =layapollem.. Also 30 Luckonda seenah Villages or Hamlets near the Hills in all 59 Villages..				
One Lakaraja Mokasa Village named Jagapatennagarum, &c. attached to Peddapore Taluck and at present paying the annual Cist of 3500 Rupees				
Carried Over				

	No. of things	Amount	No. of things	Amount
Brought over	2			
One Lakeraje Cocoanut Garden, Situated in the Yalour Village attached to Peddapore Talook and paying the Annual Cist of 40 Rupees	1	"		
One Lakeraje Mango Garden Situated in the Cadasenker-=lapoody Village attached to Peddapore Talook, and paying the annual Cist of 40 Rupees	1	"		
One tiled dwelling house containing upstair houses &c. lying at Bruttepaud Village, and Valued at about 1000 Rupees as detailed in the Statement No. 1	1	"		
One dwelling house Containing Dewanchanah &c. lying in the Fort of Cottapilly and worth about 40 Rupees	1	"		
One dwelling house lying in the Fort of Peddapore, and worth about 400 Rupees	1	"		
One tiled dwelling house Con-=taining Dewanchanahs &c. lying in Rajahmundry Village and worth 250 Rupees	1	"		
Carried Over				8

	No. of things	Amount	No. of thing	Amount
Brought Over	"	"	"	8
Personal Property in Charge of the 1st Defendant.-				
Amount deposited on account of the Sale of the attached property of the late Zemin-=dar as per Statement No. 2.-	"	1503	1	"
Amount deposited on account of the Cist realized from Mokasah Village, Gardens, &c. of the late Zemindar as per Statement No. 3.-	"	38480	"	"
Amount Collected from Cottapilly Talook belonging to the late Zemindar as per Statement No. 4.-	"	21298	4	0
Carpets &c. property estimated at Rupees 1250—12-6 as detailed in the Statement No. 1.-	1	"	"	"
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			9	61281 5 0
Property due from the 2nd as Defendant.-				
One Lakeraje Palmira Garden lying in Peddapore, and paying an Annual Cist of 800 Rupees	1	"		

	No. of things	Amount	No. of things	Amount
One Jack fruit Garden lying in Tamaradah Village attached to Peddapore Talook and paying an Annual Cist of 20 Rupees	1	"		
One Cocoanut Garden lying in Do. and paying an Annual Cist of 20 Rupees	1	"		
Amount of Cist due on the said 3 Gardens from Fusly 1241 to the end of Fusly 1250 as detailed in the Statement No. 5		1200 " "	3	1200 " "
Property due from the 3d Defendant One Lakeraje Enam Land lying at Kirlumpoody Village attached to Kirlumpoody Mootah and paying an annual Cist of 2000 Rupees	1			
Balance of the Cist of the said Enam Land as detailed in the Statement No 5		4000 " "	1	4000 " "
Property due from the 6th Defendant. One Lakeraje Enam Land lying at Kirlumpoody and paying an annual Cist of 400 Rupees	1	"		

	No. of things	Amount	No. of things	Amount
One Lakeraje Cocoanut Garden lying at Do. and paying an annual Cist of 50 Rupees	1	"		
Amount of the Cist of the said Enam land from Fusly 1241 to 1250. being 10 years at 400 Rupees per annum		4000 " "		
Ditto Ditto of the said Cocoanut Garden as above		500 " "	2	4500 " "
Property due from the 9th Defendant One Lakeraje Cocanut Garden lying behind the Tank at Do Peddapore and paying an Annual Cist of 50 Rupees	1	"		
One Lakeraje Garden of Jack trees 40 lying near the said Cocoanut Garden and paying an annual Cist of 20 Rupees	1	"		
Amount of the Cist of the said Cocoanut Garden from Fusly 1241 to 1250 being 10 years		800 " "		
Ditto Ditto of the said Jack trees 40 Garden as above		200 " "	2	1000 " "
Property due from the 6th Defendant. One Lakeraje Mango Garden Called Vellaty-wary Totah lying at Peddapore and paying an Annual Cist of 10 Rs.	1	"		

	No. of things	Amount	No. of things	Amount
One Palmira Garden planted on the banks of a Tank within the boundary of Peddapore and be Timmapooram paying an annual Cist of 4 Rupees	1	"		
Amount of Cist of the said two Gardens at above rates from fusly 1241 to 1250 being 10 years		" 200		"
				2 200 " "
Property due from the 9th Defendant. One Lakeraje Mango Garden lying at Rayavarum attached to Linguntparty Mootah and paying an annual Cist of 16 Rupees	1	"		
Amount of Cist of this Garden at above Rate from fusly 1241 to 1250 being 10 years		" 160		"
				1 160 " "
Property due from the 10th Defendant one Lakeraje Plantain Garden lying at Veravarum Village, &c and paying an annual Cist of 32 Rupees	1	"		
Amount of Cist of this Garden at the above rate from fusly 1241 to 1250 being 10 years		" 320		"
				1 320 " "
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I therefore pray your Court will be pleased to examine my witnesses and documents and pass a Decree adjudging the Defendants to make over to me with the Costs of Suit the said Jemindary of Cottapilly Containing 59 Villages the Lakeraje Mookasah Village Jagapatenagarum the 2 Lakeraje Lands at Kirlampoody the 12 Gardens the 4 dwelling Houses and the personal property which was not sold by public Auction &c as detailed in the Statement No 1. It is necessary that with the exception of Cottapilly Taluck and Jagapatynagarum Mookasah Village I should mention the limits of the other 11 Gardens and 2 Enam lands in all 13 but as they are situated in several Villages of Rajahmundry District I find it diffficult to ascertain them exactly nor could I wait to file this Complaint until I acquire that information because the 1st Defendant published a notification that the Cottapilly Taluck will be sold in Public Auction on the 18th instant for arrears

arrears of revenue, and it would be inconvenient for me to apply to the Court to issue a Precept to the 1st Defendant to postpone the sale of the Cottapilly Talook until a final decision shall have been given in this suit. I shall therefore present a supplemental Complaint when I get information regarding the limits of the Enam Lands &c. Trusting the Court will be pleased to pardon me for not inserting the said limits in the present Complaint. Please to peruse.-

Dated 20th November 1841. [Signed] Poollabhottah Boochy
Sastry Pleader.

Filed in Court this 23d January 1840.-
[Signed] T. A. Anstruther
Civil Judge

Statement

No. 1.

Statement Shewing the detail of the Houses &c. real and personal property belonging to the late Zemindar of Cottapilly Talook placed under the Attachment of the 1st Defendant, and the Amount of their Estimated Value.-

Real Property
Housed.

1	Dwelling House Containing Devanat Cutcherry &c. at Pruttipaud Village in Rajahmundry District	1000 " "
1	Ditto — Ditto — Ditto in the Fort at Cottapilly Village	400 " "
1	Ditto — Ditto — Ditto — in the Fort at Peddapore	400 " "
1	Ditto — Ditto — Ditto in Rajahmundry Village	250 " "
4		2050 " "

Gardens.

1	Cocoanut Garden lying in Yaloor Village in Rajahmundry District bearing the annual Amaracum of	40 " "
1	Mango Garden lying in Padaderlapoody Village bearing the annual Amaracum of	40 " "
2		80 " "
6	Total Real property-	2130 " "

Personal Property-

Things Remaining in the Dwelling House at Cottapilly Village-

6	Stone Lanthorns	14 " "
2	Common Lanthorns	2 " "
5	Chairs	15 " "

1	Large Carpet rug		20	" "
1	Large Cotton Carpet		10	" "
3	Chowky Petaloot or benches		3	" "
2	Benches Called Chavoottany Petaloo		4	" "
1	Ditto Common		1	" "
2	Beds		6	" "
1	Cot		3	" "
3	Glasses to keep in the Lanthens		"	12 "
1	Firelock		4	" "
1	Match lock		3	" "
2	Gunnies		2	" "
2	Brass Tumbals		4	" "
19	Iron hinges		6	" "
3	Chipoys Algooloos		3	" "
1	Hoop for the Match lock		"	6 "
3	Todapahs or Middle parts of the wheels		"	6 "
1	Iron Vessel to keep in the fire		"	6 "
2	Todapahs or middle parts of the wheels		"	4 "
1	Piece of Chuntz for Purdah		4	" "
14	Pieces of Sheets		7	" "
9	Ditto Ditto Small		2	10 "
6	Ditto Ditto for Purdah		6	" "
7	Ditto of red Colored Cloths for Ditto		7	" "
174	Small Balls for the firelock		1	2 "
2	Dubbers Containing 5 Seers of Gun powder		2	" "
4	Gunny Purdahs		4	" "
12	Pots for Chunam		1	8 "
1	Piece of Wagasa Curra wood		2	" "
2	Wooden Mouldings		"	4 6
16	Pillars		6	" "
9	Beams		9	" "
2	Pieces of Wood		4	" "
1	Plank		"	6 "
1	Piece of black wood		4	" "

8	Pieces of wood		4	" "
2	Pieces of wood for Drums		"	8 "
4	Pillars		2	" "
2	Wheels		40	" "
1	Frame of a Dooly		4	" "
4	Teak wood planks		2	" "
1	Plank of Vagasa curra wood		"	6 "
43	Iron Sicles at 2 annas each		5	6 "
19	Gunnies		9	8 "
2	Metal Cups		1	" "
25	Iron hooks for Ploughs at 4 annas each		0	4 "
6	Crow bars		6	" "
12	Momoties		0	" "
14	Large Knives to Cut wood with		7	" "
6	Axes		3	" "
5	Ditto		2	8 "
			264	12 "

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Things remaining in the Dwelling House in the Fort of Pedda Pore.

4	Daggers plain		10	" "
2	Ditto fine work		10	" "
10	Choora Cuttie or waist Knives		32	" "
4	Pistols of different sorts		5	" "
15	Firelocks and Match locks		15	8 "
	5 English		25	" "
	2 Gilted Hoops		10	" "
	1 With Silver flowers		10	" "
	3 With brass Hoops		9	" "
	2 With brass & Silver Hoops		10	" "
	1 of a kind Called Bagmar		10	" "
	1 Broken		1	" "
			105	" "

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2	Small Bags Containing Shot	"	2	"
2	Cocoanut Shells Containing Gun powder	"	8	"
1	Ditto without Ditto	"	"	3
1	Ditto Ditto Ditto with wase over it	"	"	3
1	Pouch Containing 7 Cartridges	1	"	"
2	Iron borers for the Guns	"	2	"
1	Piece of Iron	"	"	3
1	Stone hone	1	"	"
1	Iron horde to keep the Swords on	"	8	"
1	Leather Dubber to keep Gun powder	"	"	0
1	Box made of Pearl shell to keep Do	1	"	"
2	Horn boxes for Gun powder	2	"	"
2	Brass boxes to keep Cartridges in	1	"	"
6	Iron bars for Carts for the Guns	12	"	"
1	Leather ponch empty	"	4	"
2	Wheels	4	"	"
2	Wooden pieces for Cart for the Gun	2	"	"
22	Pikes	44	"	"
1	Ditto called Coloovoo Yetay	"	12	"
6	Swords	3	"	"
3	Ditto called Kimchas	0	"	4
4	Ditto called Khaindahs	24	"	"
9	Guns-			
	1 Made of metal — 200 " "			
	8 Made of Iron — 400 " "			
		600	"	"
12	Matchlock barrels	12	"	"
1	Broken piece of Ditto	"	8	"

2	Rammers	"	1	"
1	Piece of broken pike	"	"	6
2	Iron Pike heads	2	"	"
146	Balls large and small	1	1	"
3	Broken bows	"	"	6
1	Bundle Containing 5 Pieces of wood for Match locks	1	4	"
1	Doubles barrel Gun with bayone 6	50	"	"
22	Firelock barrels	44	"	"
3	Ropes Called Junaketalloo or Matches for the Matchlocks	"	"	3
1	Silver hoop at the end of a Choo-=racutty knife case	"	4	"
1	Silver Seal of the Manager of Peddapore Talook	2	"	"
1	Broken leather bose Containing Cocoanut Shells horns Vca for Gun powder	4	"	"
1	Broken Ambary or Elephant howdah	4	"	"
		982	"	6
		1250	12	6
	Total	3380	12	6

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[Signed] P. Boochy Sastry
Pleader.

[Signed] T. A. Anstruther
Civil Judge

Statement

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No. 2

Statement shewing the Amount held in deposit in the Cutcherry of the 1st Defendant on account of the property of the late Stree Rajah Vutchavoy Vencata pateraauze which was attached & sold in public Auction by the late Collector Mr. Crawley.-

Amount of Sale of Cattle on account of the Salaries of Cottapilly Viz.t

Sale of Cattle of the Sary land lying behind Yellumnah Chervoo Tank.-

For 6	head of Cattle	sold on	13th	August	1831	22	8
" 4	Do.	Do.	14th	Do.	Do.	15	8
" 3	Do.	Do.	16th	Do.	Do.	4	4
" 9	Do.	Do.	2d	September		22	4
" 3	Do.	Do.	4th	December		5	8
" 1	Old	bullock	Do.	10th	Do.	"	2
26							70 2

Sale of Cattle of the Sary land Called Pootamoody Doody

For 12	head of Cattle	sold on the	12th	August		62	"
" 5	Do.	Do.	13th	Do.		16	4
17							78 4

Sale of Cattle of the Sary land lying behind Vieddaraydoo Chervoo Tank.-

For 19	head of Cattle	sold on the	19th	August		52	12
" 7	Do.	Do.	20th	September		20	"
26							72 12

Sale of Cattle of the Sary land Called Ramasagaram.-

For 14	head of Cattle	sold on the	14th	August		44	8
" 2	Do.	Do.	16th	Do.		4	8
" 1	Bullock	Do.	2d	September		3	12
17							52 12

Sale of Cattle of the Sary land Called Rajoo Potah

For 1	Bullock	on the	13th	August		5	8
" 2	head of Cattle	Do.	14th	Do.		5	4
" 2	Do.	Do.	16th	Do.		1	10
" 1	Bullock	old	Do.	10th	September	"	2
						12	8
		Carried Over				286	6

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				Brought over		286	6
Sale of cattle of the Sary Land called Comatagundy							
For 1	Bullock	sold on the	13th	August		5	8
9	head of cattle	Do.	11th	Ditto		37	4
13	Do.	Do.	16th	Ditto		41	10
1	Do.	Do.	2d	September		26	4
8	Do.	Do.	4th	Do.		16	12
42						127	8
135	Total					413	14

Particulars.

59	Bullocks	168	4
41	Male Buffaloes	184	4
8	Young Bullocks	19	12
24	Cows	48	6
3	Female Buffaloes	13	4
135		413	14

Amount of sale of Sundry Property Viz.t Property in the house of the late Zemindar in the Fort at Peddapore and sold in Public Auction at Peddapore.- sold on the 23d Nov.r 1831.-

Damaged Looking Glass	1	8	
Pieces of Ivory	3	4	
Ivory Comb	"	6	
Wooden plate engraved with a Lion	"	6	
Books Bhagavatum and Veral puravum	3	6	
Scratching handles 1 wooden and 1 Ivory	1	4	
Stick	"	"	9
1 Leather spinning Box	"	"	6
1 Small wooden Box with handle	3	12	
2 Pieces of Embroidered Silk Cloths of Benares	32	2	
1 Piece of Kinkhab or Silk Cloth flowered with Gold thread measuring 9½ cubits	7	8	
1 Ditto old and damaged	"	5	
Carried over	53	14	" " " " 413 14

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No. 2

Statement shewing the Amount held in deposit in the Cutcherry of the 1st Defendant on account of the property of the late Three Rajah Vutchavoy Vencata paterauze which was attached & sold in public Auction by the late Collector Mr. Crawley.-

Amount of Sale of Cattle on account of the Dairies of Cattapilly Viz.t

Sale of Cattle of the dairy land lying behind Yellumnah Chervoo Tank.-

For 6	head of Cattle	Sold	on	13th	August 1831	22	8 u
" 4	Do.	Do.		14th	Do.	15	8 u
" 3	Do.	Do.		16th	Do.	4	4 u
" 9	Do.	Do.		2d	September	22	4 u
" 3	Do.	Do.		4th	December	5	8 u
" 1	Old	Bullock	Do.	10th	Do.	"	2 u
26						70	2 u

Sale of Cattle of the dairy land Called Pootamamoody

For 12	head of	Cattle	Sold	on the	12th August	62	" u
" 5	Do.	Do.		13th	Do.	16	4 u
17						78	4 u

Sale of Cattle of the dairy land lying behind Vedlarayloo Chervoo Tank.-

For 19	head of	Cattle	Sold	on the	19th August	52	12 u
" 7	Do.	Do.		20th	September	20	" u
26						72	12 u

Sale of Cattle of the dairy land Called Ramadagaroovoo.

For 14	head of	Cattle	Sold	on the	14th August	44	6 u
" 2	Do.	Do.		16th	Do.	4	6 u
" 1	Bullock	Do.		2d	September	3	12 u
17						52	12 u

Sale of Cattle of the dairy land Called Rajoo Totah

For 1	Bullock	on	the	13th	August	5	8 u
" 2	head of	Cattle	Do.	14th	Do.	5	4 u
" 2	Do.	Do.		16th	Do.	1	10 u
" 1	Bullock	old	Do.	10th	September	"	2 u
						12	8 u
					Carried Over	286	6 u

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					Brought over	286	6 u
Sale of Cattle of the Dairy Land called Comalegundy							
For 1	Bullock	sold	on the	13th	August	5	8 u
" 9	head of	Cattle	Do.	14th	Ditto	37	4 u
" 13	Do.	Do.		16th	Ditto	41	10 u
" 1	Do.	Do.		2d	September	20	4 u
" 8	Do.	Do.		4th	Do.	16	14 u
						127	8 u
42						4	13 14 u
135	Total						

Particulars-

59	Bullocks	168	4 u
41	Male Buffaloes	161	4 u
8	Young Bullocks	19	12 u
24	Cows	48	6 u
3	Female Buffaloes	13	4 u
135		4	13 14 u

Amount of sale of Sundry Property Viz.t Property in the house of the late Zemindar in the Fort at Peddapore and sold in Public Auction at Peddapore - sold on the 23d Nov.r 1831.-

1	Damaged Looking Glass	1	8 u
2	Pieces of Ivory	3	4 u
1	Ivory Comb	"	6 u
	Wooden plate engraved with a Lion	"	6 u
2	Books Bhagavatum and Veratpurvum	3	6 u
2	Scratching handles 1 wooden and 1 Ivory	1	4 u
1	Stick	"	" 9
1	Leather spittoon Box	"	" 6
1	Small wooden Box with handles	3	12 u
2	Pieces of Embroidered Silk Cloths of Benares	32	2 u
1	Piece of Kimkhab or Silk Cloth flowered with Gold Thread measuring 9 cubits	7	8 u
1	Ditto old and damaged	"	5 u
	Carried over	53	14 u " " " " 4 13 14 u

	Brought over			53	14	3	413	14
1	Sayabaw Pinjery or Sofa of the Native Palanquin outside embroidered with gold thread with Gold thread flowers in the Middle and inside lined with broad cloth			17	4			
1	Piece of Green cloth for Curtain			10				
1	Piece of flowered cloth			2	1			
1	Sayabaw Pinjery or Sofa of the Native Palanquin with gold thread flowers on the top and flowered satin fringe			2	10			
1	Piece of Kinkab or Silk cloth flowered with Gold thread			3	2			
1	Piece of fine long cloth measuring 20 cubits			5	10			
1	Roll of Velvets Viz.							
	4 yards of red velvet	16						
	3/4 Ditto Ditto	5						
	3/4 Ditto Ditto	4						
	1/2 Ditto Yellow Do.	3	6					
				28	6			
1	Piece of red velvet measuring 16 yards			50				
1	Teak wood Chest with brass hinges and cover cloth			5	4			
2	Pictures			7	8			
1	Lanthorn			1	11			
1	Small Glass Gugtet			1	3			
1	Bottle				9			
1	Ditto small				2	6		
1	Melapoo Pandora sapoboddy			1	1			
1	Phial Contg. Champhor Oil				1			
							190	9
	Sold on the 24th. November 1831.							
1	Cot without tape			5	8			
1	Ditto damaged				13			
1	Frame of a Dooly				10			
	Carried over			15	190	9	413	14

	Brought over			6	15	190	9	413 14
1	Piece of Shawl blue			20				
1	Ditto Ditto red with black spots			17	14			
1	Rajaye or Quilt of Old broad cloth bordered with flowers			10	4			
1	Piece of Silk cloth damaged				5			
4	Old Jackets			2	10			
1	Piece of large Turband Old			3				
2	Pieces of white Romals Old			3	2			
	Candle				1	9		
1	Painted Box with Cover Cloth			2				
4	Necklaces of Coolasy beads				6			
1	Paper book called Alunkurah Grundum				1			
1	English Book				1	6		
4	Small pieces of Cloth and a few pattoo nutmegs					6		
5	Bamboo Cases					3		
1	Painted Box with Cover Cloth			2				
1	Sand Box				6			
1	Braminical Thread made at Benares				1			
1	Pair of Silver leggings or a hawk				2	6		
1	Bamboo case Containing Green Stones				1	6		
1	Box made of Tortoise Shell				6			
1	Glass used for examining precious Stones				3			
	Scissors				1	6		
1	Piece of Sandalwood				1			
1	Glass with Brass hoop				3			
1	Blackwood box with cloth cover			2	12			
1	Glass bead and red stone in all 2					3		
1	Bamboo case (damaged) for keeping black powder					9		
1	Pencil					9		
1	Cloth Bag Containing 1 Seer of Betel nuts			1	6			
	Carried Over			72	119	190	9	413 14

	Brought forward	72	11	9	190	6	9	413	14
1	Mettah or Narrow bed tied to the Pole of the Palan= = queen of Mogul fashion		4						
1	Leather Bose		1						
4	Pieces of Chandenies or Awnings	1	13						
2	Pictures with Glasses damaged		12						
1	Piece of Silk fringe measuring 14 cubits	3	8						
24	Silk hangings used for the Palanqueens of Mogul fashion	10							
1	Saw made of Sandal wood	3							
2	Rolls of Silk Tape measuring 29 Cubits	1	4						
1	Small piece of lace	1	5						
1	Small saw made of Paper		2	6					
1	Old Yellow Silk fringe		12						
3	Small old pieces of Kinkhab and 2 of flow= = ered Silk		1						
1	Piece of blue Silk cloth measuring 2 yards		13						
2	Old Bags of Broad cloth		1						
1	Scratching Ivory handle		13						
1	Piece of Hookah snake		6	6					
1	Braminical thread of Benares		3						
1	Glove of velvet used in hawking		1						
1	Piece of Yellow broad cloth		2						
1	Bundle containing Silk cloth for the Pur= = dahs of the Palanqueen		3	6					
1	Piece of Pearl shell		4						
1	Bose of Medicines	1	5						
1	Roll of Dowlatabad Paper		1						
1	Cocoanut Shell for Gun powder			6					
2	Pieces of old Yellow broad cloth		3	3					
1	Teak wood Chest with brass hinges and Lower Cloth	6	2						
2	Candle Sticks		12						
1	Bose containing 7 Phials of different Essences	2	1						
1	Wooden Bose	1	2						
1	Ivory Comb	1	1						
1	Copper Bar		2						
1	Ivory Ear Picker		1						
3	Small bundles of Putchaces or perfuming stuff		1						
1	Pair of Spectacles with Case		5						
	Carried over	113			190	6	9	413	14

	Brought over	113			190	6	9	413	14
3	Phials one with Amber and two with Attar		1	12					
1	Snuff Bose and one Cocoanut shell with Snuff			13					
1	Ivory Comb with Silver hoop for the beard				6				
1	Necklace of beads 17 in number with silver work		1	4					
1	Large Pill of a Medicine called Chendradayem			10					
						116	11	9	
	Sold on the 26th November 1831.								
1	Cot with tape		8	12					
1	Bench with silver flowers and Brass hinges for= = bathing		2	2					
1	Chowkey Petah or seat with brass hinges		1	11					
1	Window			2					
1	Lanthorn		1	6					
1	Teak wood Plank			3					
1	Common wood Do. large			8					
1	Large bench for devotion			13					
1	Ivory Bose with Sandal wood inside and five drawers		27	8					
1	Painted Bose			2	6				
	Perfuming stuff called Woodottoo Ver=				9				
1	Teak wood Bose		1	12					
1	Inkstand containing 2 bottles			2					
1	Looking Glass with Cover		1	13					
1	Chair		3						
1	Aregah		4						
1	Veenah or fiddle partly finished		2	2					
1	Cane with gold hoop		4	12					
90	Dowlatabad Papers			12					
1	Box containing Ivory Chessboard with cloth cover	19	12						
1	Book containing Bheeshma purvum in sanscrit and Bhagavadgeetaloo in Teloogoo			9					
1	Book Ditto Surma Selya and Sauktega Purvums	2	10						
1	Ditto Ditto Mahaprastanah and swargarohanum=	2	1						
1	Ditto Ditto Dhurmapooranum	1	1						
1	Ditto Ditto Streemud Ramayanum	2	15						
1	Ditto Ditto Streemud Bhagavatum	1							
	Carried over	91	93	30	72	6	413	14	

	Brought over			91	9	3	30	7	2	6	4
1	Book containing Scundha poorannum				1	6					
1	Ditto	Ditto	Veeratpurvunu		1	11					
1	Ditto	Ditto	Andepurvunu		1	2					
1	Ditto	Ditto	Wodeyaga and Veratpurvums		2	11					
1	Ditto	Ditto	Dasamunin Bhagavatum and Vishnoo Poorannum		2	2					
1	Ditto	Ditto	Sreemut Ramayanum		2	15					
1	Ditto	Ditto	Harevumsem		2	13					
1	Ditto	Ditto	Seeka or interpretation of Vishnoo Poorannum			13					
1	Ditto	Ditto	Andy Sabha and Cuma Purvums		1	10	3				
1	Ditto	Ditto	a part of Anusasanekarpurvum			6					
1	Ditto	Ditto	Bhagavadgeetaloo			6					
1	Ditto	Ditto	Anoosasanekums			8					
7	Blank	Books			4	10					
1	Bundle of Sectala leaves					5					
1	Teak wood Chest with brass hinges				20						
1	Ditto Canady Trunk with handles					12					
1	Piece of Chundeny or Awning				2	9					
1	Large Carpet rug				13	12					
3	Wooden Horses					8	3				
1	Bench and Sundries					8					
1	Frame of the Dooly					8					
2	Wooden Vessels					4					
2	Wooden Frames					15					
1	Double Door					2					
	Sheets of Iron					15					
1	Iron plate to keep on the fire					13					
1	Saw					12					
2	Bottles containing Oil for curing wounds					5					
					157	10	9				

Sold on the 28.th November 1831.

6	Old planks					12					
1	Damaged box without top					13					
7	Pieces of wood				1	1					
1	Frame of Ambary or howdah				1	12					
1	Bamboo Box damaged					1					
1	Almira damaged				1	14					
	Carried Over			85	4	64	133	114	3	11	4

	Brought over			6	5	4	64	13	3	4	13
6	Pieces of wood				1	13					
4	Beams				6	12					
100	Ladeva Vasavas				6						
5	Pieces of wood for Cart					2	6				
6	Wheels				22						
3	Stones for exercise				1	9					
6	Poles for Palanquiens				5	1					
1	Basket Containing Ironworks for Palanquiens				1	12					
1	Large Teak wood Bench					11					
1	Wooden Chest containing ironworks for Palanquins				7	4					
1	Door chain					1	6				
1	Chest containing files V.ca tools				1	13					
1	Elephant Belt				1						
1	Bag containing brass Things				1	8					
1	Basket containing Tabacco				1	13					
1	Brass Tumball				2						
1	Palanquiens Frame				8						
1	Palanquin Top of Kinkhab with fringe and 2 Purdahs				9	4					
1	Palanquin without Pole				14	8					
14	Pieces of Palanquins doors				1	8					
10	Ditto Ditto for Do.					33					
1	Scissors and 2 Keys					1	6				
1	Box containing playthings or Dasavatary				1	10					
1	Bundle containing wood for the Top of Palanquin					13					
1	Brass Tumball					14					
10	Ditto Ditto				17	6					
1	Brass Hookah stand				4						
1	Brass Boiler				2	12					
1	Metal amaw Dustah				3	1					
2	Sheets of Iron					66					
1	Brass Gamboo or large Pot				12	8					
1	Do Gungalum or Do for holding water				19						
4	Silver Cups				58	6					
1	Wooden old Chest and 3 Benares bottles				1						
1	Bundle of old Tape					5					
					222	7	6				
	Carried over			687	4	9	4	13	3	11	4

Brought over 687 4 9 4 13 14

Sold on the 29th November 1841.

1 White bow with two calves	1	10	u
1 Young bow	1	18	u
1 Young Bullock	1	13	u
1 bow	1	3	u
1 Do with Calf	u	11	u
1 White bow	1	11	u
2 Young bows	1	8	u
1 Brass Pot	6	12	u
1 Ditto bavady pot	5	14	u
1 Ditto Seeby	1	10	u
1 Ditto Pot	6	2	u
1 Tin Pot	u	10	u
1 Iron Knife and 1 Spoon	u	1	u
1 Large iron Spoon	u	3	3
1 Old Cotton Carpet	2	1	u
3 Silver Cups	14	13	u
8 Silver hoops for Mate block	3	u	u
1 Silver Bason	35	u	u
	86	7	3

Sold on the 7th December 1831

1 Damaged Tent with two Poles	5	6	u
1 Ditto Shameana with its 8 Do	2	4	u
1 Wooden pole	u	1	u
1 Bamboo ladder	u	1	u
2 Wooden horses	u	u	6
	7	15	6

Sold on the 26 December 1831.

1 Brass Gungalum or large pot	6	4	u
1 Ditto	3	4	u
1 Ditto large pot	5	10	u
1 Ditto Tumball	1	2	u
1 Iron Spoon	u	1	u
1 Do Knife	u	2	u
	16	7	7982

Property belonging to the late Zemindar attached at Pulliepaud and sold in public Auction at Peddapore.

Sold on the 29th November 1841.

1 Old Arcgah	u	13	u
2 Globes complete	7	8	u
2 Do large	10	4	u
2 Table Shades	5	12	u
	24	5	u

Carried over 24 5 7902

Brought over 24 5 u 143 14 u

198 2 6

Sold on the 2d December 1831.

2 Globes complete	9	u	u

Sold on the 7th December 1831.

1 Globe broken	3	2	u
2 Table Shades	7	u	u
2 Globes without Chains	7	16	
1 Ditto broken	1	2	u
	18	6	6

Sold on the 29th December 1831.

1 Double Pole Tent with 4 bunnauts and 2 Poles kept at Pulliepaud	190	u	u
	241	11	6

Property belonging to the late Zemindar attached in the house at Cottapilly and Sold in Public Auction at Peddapore.

Sold on the 15th December 1831.

5 Chairs	15	8	u
6 Globes complete	26	8	u
3 Brass cups for Do	u	9	u
1 Large Cotton Carpet old	4	10	u
1 Carpet rug Ditto	2	2	u
	49	5	u

Total sundry property 1089 3 u

Grand Total 1503 1 u

(Signed) P. Boothby Secty
Reader

(Signed) T. H. Austruther
Civil Judge

Statement

Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

No. 3.

Statement Shewing the amount of Cist remaining in Charges of the 1st Defendant on account of Lakeraje Mookasah Village Inams and Gardens of the late Zemindar of Cottapilly Jalook situated in the Jalook of Peddapore from fusly 1241 to 1250.

Amount of Cist of the Lakeraje Mookasah Village Jaggapatenageram Cuttoobady collected from Dautla Ramacrooshnumraz upon the Maniums land since the Village has been placed under attachment by Mr. Crawley late Collector upon the death of the late Zemindar from fusly 1241 to 1250 being 10 years at 300 Rupees per Annum as fixed by the said Collector Mr. Crawley as a part of the Cist of 800 Rupees of this Lands	3000	—
The remaining Amaraeum Cist of this Village for the 10 years at 3200 Rupees per Annum.	32000	—
		35000
Cuttoobady collected from the said Dautla Ramacrooshnumraze upon the Manieum land granted to him by the late Zemindar in Puttespandoo Village for the said 10 years as fixed by the said Collector Mr. Crawley at 300 Rupees per Annum		3000 —
Cist Collected from the Gardens upon their attachment from fusly 1245 to 1250 being 6 years Viz.		
On Cocoanut Garden at Jaloor for 6 years at Rupees 40 per Annum	240	—
On Mango Garden at Padasenkerlapoody for Do. at 40 Rupees Ditto	240	—
		480 —
Total		38480 —

(Signed) P. Boochy Sastry Reader

(Signed) J. H. Austruther Civil Judge

Statement

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No. 4.

Statement Shewing the Surplus amount after deducting Circars Peishcush and Sibbendy Charges out of the Kham Cist of Cottapilly Jalook and the Amount of Cuttoobady fixed upon the Inams remaining in the Office of the 1st Defendant from fusly 1241 to the end of fusly 1250.

Amount of annual Kham Cist of Cottapilly Jalook is Rs. 15000 which after deducting Circars Peishcush Rupees 12798 and Sibbendy Charges Rupees 1000 in all Rs. 13798 there remains the Surplus of Rupees 1202 which Amounts for 10 years to				12020 —
Amount of Cuttoobady Collected upon the Inams in Seeromalaya Pallium Village Viz.				
On 8¼ Pottahs of Dry and wet land of Vutchavoy Appa Pulvanza for 10 years at Rs. 32 12 a. per Annum			327 8	
On 18¼ Do. wet land of Mowah Pullumnah for Do. at Rs. 22 12 a. Do.			227 8	
On 1¼ Do. Do. of Chintah Pullanah for Do. at 17 5 Do.			173 2	
On 15 Do. Dry and wet land of Cavady Doniah Chin Nicah Vra the Vunters of Coudapilly for Do. at 133 5			1333 2	
On 2¾ Do. Do. of Mordaraboyanah Venkatasamoo Do. for Ditto at Rupees 16 Do.			160 —	
On 3¼ Do. Wet Do. of Mordaraboyanah Bramanah for Do. at 13 5 Do.			133 2	
On 1½ Do. Dry and wet Do. of Sunkooratry Venca Tacroostnumnah for Do. at Rs. 11 10 a. Do.			146 4	
				2580 10
Amount of Cuttoobady upon the Inams of Jamboo putnum Ittiah Pottah of dry and wet land of Meddaery Sooriah Nariam Samayajoolo for 10 years at Rs. 20 per Annum			200 —	
On 1¼ Do. Do. of Andooty Paupunnah for Do. at Rs. 16 Do.			160 —	
On 1 Do. wet Do. of Roodra Venkatachellum for Do. at 13 5 6 Do.			139 7	
On ½ Do. Do. of adapah Pullaloo for Do. at Rs. 8 Do.			80 —	
On ½ Do. Do. of adapah Venkatacroostnumnah for Do. at Rs. 8 Do.			80 —	
On 1 Do. Dry and wet Do. of Nullah Nagunnah for Do. at Rs. 12 Do.			120 —	
Carried over			7737	14520 10

Brought over 773 7. 14,520 16

On 1/2 Poolty of Dry and wet land of Soloo Vencanah for 10 years at 6. 11. 0 per Annum ——— Ds 66 14

On 1/2 Do wet Do of Wooly Venkaniah for Do at 8. Do ——— 80

On 1/4 Do Dry Do of Do Nullah Venkanah for Do at 2. 10. Do 26 11 6

On 1/4 Do Do of Casoory Vencalabhuttoodoo for Do at Rs. 1. 5. 6 Do 13 7

On 1/8 Do wet Do of Munchalah Venkadoo Vera for Do at 1. 5. 6 Do 13 7

On 1/8 Do Do of Carepully Nurroo for Do at Rupees 2 Do ——— 20 993 14 6

On 1/2 Do Do of Damaranze Parrauze in Conoor poor Villages for Do at Rupees 8 Do ——— 80

Amount of Cuttoobady upon the Inams of Narandrapatam

On 1 1/2 Poolty of wet land of Ramud Lutchemenaraydoo for 10 years at 13. 4. 0 per Annum ——— Ds 132 8

On 1/4 Do Do of Rannella pully Anterwady for Do at 2. 12 Do ——— 27 8

On 1/4 Do Do of Sanckellah Ravaniah for Do at 2. 10. Do ——— 26 4

On 2 1/2 Do Dry Do of Sonkoo Lutchmiamaroodoo for Do at 17. 4 Do 172 8

On 1 1/2 Do Do of Boory Reddy for Do at 8 Do ——— 80

On 3/4 Do Dry Do of Do Roylo for Do at 1. 6. Do ——— 13 12

On 3/4 Do Do of Do Pada Vencanah for Do at 1. 6. Do 13 12

On 3/4 Do Do of Do Yerra Vencanah for Do at 1. 6 Do 13 12

On 1/8 Do Do of Do Gorravapah for Do at 6 annas Do 13 12

On 1/8 Do Do of Nullajerlah Paranze for Do at 10. Do ——— 6 4 1690

Amount of Cuttoobady upon the Inams of Dasakalgolapilly—

On 2. 15. 12. of land of Stree Pakalapanty Juggunnadharauze for 10 years at 34 Rupees per Annum ——— 340

On 3. 7. 8 of Do of Stree Bordharauze Vencatapaterauze for Do at Rs 100 Do ——— 100

On 11. 17. 8 of Do of Do Nurraranze for Do at 13. 6. Do at Rs 10 Do ——— 133 12

On 11. 5. 0 of Do of Stree Ganapaterauze Vencatapaty Rauze for Do at Rs 133. 4. Do ——— 1332 8

On 1. 12. 8. of Do of Stree Munthina Juggunnadharauze for Do at Rs 13. 6 Do ——— 133 12

On 2. 0. 0 of Do of Coochemunchy Lutchmenarieanah for Do at Rs 26. 12 ——— 267 8

On 1. 3. 12 of Do of Bookapatam Raghunaikoodoo for Ditto at 16. 4. Do ——— 162 8

On 1. 15. 0 of Peerjadah Saffer Saib for Do at 13. 4 Do ——— 132 8

Carried over. 2892 8 1608 8 6

Brought over 2892 8 1608 2 6

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On 2. 8. 12. of land of Mandaly Paupunnah for 10 years at Rupees 16 per Annum ——— Ds 160

On 1. 7. 8 of Do of Do Ramanah for Do at 13. 4. Do 132 8

On 1. 17. 8 of Do of Do Coostanah for Do at 13. 6. Do 133 12

On 0. 15. 0 of Do of Do Jagguenaikdoo for Do at 8. Do 80

On 0. 12. 8 of Do of Do Bayanah Bapanah Shroff for Do at 8. 0. 0 Do 80

On 0. 10. 0 of Do of Do Sunteccolah Parumaloo for Do at 4. 0. 0 Do 40

On 0. 2. 12 of Do of Sutteenucklah Vencapah for Do at 1. 12. Do 17 8

On 0. 13. 12 of Do of washer Anchegandoo Vera for Do at 8. 6. Do ——— 83 12

On 0. 7. 8. of Do of Bluckler Banpadoo for Do at 4. 0. 0 Do 40 3660

Amount of Cuttoobady upon the Inams of Kottapilly—

On 1. 8. 8 of land Dry and wet of Colah Venkaloo for 10 years at Rupees 4 per Annum ——— Ds 40

On 0. 12. 0 of Do of Dundy appiah for Do at 5. 5. 0 Do 53 2

On 1. 0. 0 of Do Dry of Aireboy Lah Croostummah for Do at Rupees 2. 11. 0 Do ——— 26 14

On 1. 10. 0 of Do dry and wet of Yerasah Jalum for Do at Rupees 2. 11. Do ——— 26 14

On 2. 0. 0 of Do wet of Somayajolah Panpiahs Sun Ramalingum at Rupees 40 Do ——— 400

On 1. 0. 0 of Do Do of Do Mokapaty Paresastroloo for Do at Rupees 20 Do ——— 200

On 2. 0. 0 of Do Dry and wet of Chintalah Paupadoo for Do at Rupees 37. 5. Do ——— 3732

On 0. 5. 0 of Do Do of Rakapilly Nursunhoo Majajery for Do at Rs 2 Do ——— 20 1160

On 15 of Dr Dry containing Mango Garden of Mooney Pullanah in Vadesoopakah Village for 10 years at Rupees 2 per Annum		20
Amount of Puttoobady upon the Inams of Gonagoodem On 15 of land wet of Mamelapully poydoo for 10 years at Rupees 10 per Annum		100
On 10 of Dr Dr of Mundry Casanah for Dr at 6 12 Drs	67	8
On 15 of Dr Dry of Inalah Somanah for Dr at 2 10 Drs	26	4
	193	12
Amount of Puttoobady on 1 Poolly of Dry land of Doorsamy Pamasastrooloo in Nursapooram Village for 10 years at Rupees 20 per Annum		200
Total	2,198	4

(Signed) P. Boochy Sastry
Pleader

(Signed) J. A. Anstruther
Civil Judge

Statement

No. 5.

Statement Shewing the Cist of the Maniems and Gardens in Peddapore Talook belonging to the late Zemindar of Cottapilly Talook which have been in the enjoyment of the 2d 3d 6th 7th 8th 9th & 10th Defendants from fusly 1241 to fusly 1250.

Amount of Cist received by the 2d Defendant on Lakeraje Gardens of Samaravadah Village Viz.		
1 Jack fruit Garden for 10 years at 20 Rs per Annum	200	
1 Cocoanut Garden for 10 years at 20 per Dr	200	
	400	
1 Palmira Garden at Peddapore for 10 Yrs at 80 Drs	800	
		1200
Amount of Cist received by the 3d Defendant Viz. The late Zemindar having borrowed from Stree Rajah Vutchavoy Boochy Seetah Rupees 8000 and given her a Bond in the name of Stree Dantla Venkatacrostnumurauze mortgaging a Lakeraje Inam land out of his Sary at Kirlumpoody the Cist of that land for 10 years at 2000 Rupees per annum is Rupees 20000 of which after deducting the principal and interest of the said debt Rupees 16000 the surplus sum due is	4000	4000
Amount of Cist received by the 6th Defendant Viz. On the Lakeraje Inam land of Kirlumpoody yard for 10 years at 400 Rupees per Annum	4000	
On the Lakeraje Cocoanut Garden at Kirlumpoody for 10 years at 50 Rupees per Annum	500	
		4500
Carried over		9700

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Brought over		9700 " "
Amount of Cist received by the 7th Defendant on Lakeraje Gardens in Peddapore Talook. Viz.		
1 Garden containing Cocoanut and other fruit trees for 10 years at 80 Rupees per Annum	800 " "	
1 Garden containing Jack and other fruit trees for 10 years at 20 Rupees per Annum	200 " "	
		1000 " "
Amount of Cist received by the 8th Defendant On one Lakeraj Mango Garden called Parnedevy Totah in Peddapore for 10 years at 16 Rupees per Annum	160 " "	
On the Palmira trees over the banks of the Sankey of the said Village for 10 Ds at 4 Ds	40 " "	
		200 " "
Amount of Cist received by the 9th Defendant Jaz Saurty Gopunnah on the Lakeraje Mango Garden in Royavarum Village attached to Linguma Purty a Mootah for 10 years at 16 R. per Annum	160 " "	
Amount of Cist received by the 10th Defendant on Lakeraje Plantain Garden in Veeravarum Village for 10 years at 32 Rupees per Annum	320 " "	
Total	11380 " "	

(Signed) P. Boochy Sastry
Pleader

(Signed) J. A. Anstruther
Civil Judge

True Translation
(Signed) J. Prendergast
Collector

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No. 2.

To
The Civil Court
of Rajahmundry.

A proposed answer from J. Prendergast Esqre Collector of Rajahmundry to the Compliant filed by Pauper Plaintiff Vutchavoy Tirpaterauze inhabitant of Pullepand attached to Kirlumpoody Estate in Case No. 6 of 1846.

The Pauper Plaintiff states that he is heir to the late Rajah Vutchavoy Venkatapaterauze Proprietor of Cottapilly Talook being descended from the elder branch of the family and more nearly related to the deceased, than the 4th Defendant Vutchavoy Appulnaidu and his nephew Venkatapaterauze and Vutchavoy Veja Gopaulyauze the uncle of him the Plaintiff, that upon the death of the said Rajah Venkatapaterauze the then Collector Mr. Crawley placed under attachment his Cottapilly Talook and all other real and personal property according to the lists submitted by him that the said Collector immediately sold some of the real property attached and held in deposit the proceeds thereof amounting to Rupees 1503 retaining the rest of the real and personal property under

attachment

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unable to get a loan he did not bring a regular suit but is induced to file the present Pauper Complaint without even waiting until he gets information regarding the limits of certain Enam lands and Gardens as it would be inconvenient for him to apply to the Court to issue a Precept to the Collector to postpone the sale of Cottapilly Talook (until finally decided) which was advertised to be sold on the 18th November 1841. Plaintiff therefore prays the Court to examine his witnesses and documents and pass a decree adjudging the Defendants to make over to him the Cottapilly Talook, Lakeranze, Mokasah, Village of Sagupatenagarum and certain Lakeranze lands, Gardens, Houses, & personal property, together with Rupees 72661-5-6 being the Amount of produce of lands and sale of personal property, also the Costs of Suit.

In reply to the above the Collector begs leave to state that the late Zemindar of Cottapilly Talook died on the 27th June 1830; previous to his death the estate had been held under attachment for arrears of revenue, and as he had no legal heirs

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attachment that the late Zemindar of Pedda-dapore Sree Rajah Vutchavoy Boochy Seetiah and Dantlah Venkiah as well as the 4th, 5th and 6th Defendants severally presented extra Petitions to the Zillah Court claiming the property of the deceased Zemindar under false Wills, that Plaintiff also presented an extra Petition to the same Court claiming the property as heir to the deceased Zemindar, that the Zillah Court in examining the said petitions admitted only the claim of the said Boochy Seetiah and imposed a fine of 100 Rupees upon the other Petitioners that the amount was remitted to them by the late Provincial Court who cancelled the proceedings of the Zillah Court and directed that all persons laying claim to the property should establish their right by a regular suit in the Civil Court but that none of them followed that course; That he the Plaintiff addressed Petitions both to the Collector and the Board of Revenue requesting them to put him in possession of the property as heir to the deceased Zemindar, but they endorsed his petitions that he should establish his right by a decision of the Judicial Authority, that as he was

unable

heirs; the then Collector Mr. Crawley at first attached his other real and personal property and reported the same to the Board of Rs. Revenue under date 9th July 1830 but under clause 7 Section XVII Regulation III of 1802 Mr. Crawly made over to the Zillah Court of Masulipatam at Rajahmundry in the year 1831. the whole property of the deceased retaining under attachment for arrears of Revenue only the Cottapilly Sulook, the Jagapatenagarum Village, Puttepaud & Dairy and Garden lands, and the 3 Gardens situated at Peddapoor, Yalavr, and Padasenka-raloody Villages. A sum of Rs. 1171-13-3 received from the Court on account of the sale of the personal property was credited in December 1832. under arrears against Cottapilly Estate. After the death of the said Venkata-pateraauze the Pauper Plaintiff as well as the late Zemindar of Peddapore Vutchavoy Boochy Seetiah, Dantlah Venkiah, Ds. Appalraauze Ds. Seetiah & Cankerla-poody Seetiah in all six persons respectively presented extra Petitions to the Zillah Court claiming the property in question. The then Acting Judge Mr. Brown thereupon admitted only

only the claim of the said Boochy Seetiah and imposed fines upon the other 5 petitioners including the Pauper Plaintiff stating in his proceedings of 24th April 1834 that they brought false claims. But these proceedings were overruled by the Order of the Provincial Court N. D. under date 4th of November 1834 with instructions that all parties having claims to the property of the deceased Venkatapateraauze should establish their right by regular suit Neither the pauper Plaintiff or the other Petitioners alluded to ever established their right to the property Judicially, but the Pauper Plaintiff merely addressed Petitions to the Collector and the Board of Revenue claiming the property of the deceased and as admitted by the Pauper Plaintiff those arzees were returned to him with indorsement that he should have recourse to the Civil Court. The Pauper Plaintiff failed to do so though the Collector retained the Estate under attachment for a period of 10 years after the death of the late Venkatapateraauze: and as a large sum of arrears has in consequence accrued against the estate the Collector under orders of the Board and Government dated the

7th

7th October and 25th September 1841 published notification for the sale of the Cottapully Estate and ultimately sold it by Public auction on 18th November 1841 and for want of bidders purchased it on account of Government for the sum of Rupees 5000 being Rupees 5821-4-7 less than the Amount of the original balance accumulated prior to the death of the late Proprietor Venkat Rapatarauze and Rupees 27,348-2-2 less than the actual Balance outstanding to the end of fusly 1250. The Government and the Board of Revenue sanctioned the purchase of the Estate accordingly. With reference to the orders of Government the Sagapate: nagarum Village of the deceased was resumed under Circar, the Dairy and Garden lands of Prattepaud will be resumed under Circar after the demise of Dantluk Ramia: croostnumrauze who holds them on payment of an annual Cist; and the Garden lands of Peddapore, yaloor and Padasen Karalapoody which were formerly the Yeroyty lands of Peddapoor Yeminndary have been again resumed under the Yerogaty of that Yemindary.

Under dates the 11th & 12th January 1832

Dated 17th May 1842

If the Pauper Plaintiff had any

any right to bettapully Talook he should have established it by a regular Complaint in the Civil Court before the Talook was sold as required by the Provincial Court in their Proceedings of 4th. November 1834 by the Board of Revenue in their endorsement of 17th. August 1840 on Plaintiffs Petition of 7th. December 1839 — No. 1713 and by the Collector in his endorsement of 26th. August 1840 on Plaintiffs Petition of the 3d. of that Month. Moreover he is barred by Section XV Regulation II of 1802 from including the Collector as Defendant for acts performed under special orders of Government as the estate was right fully and legally sold for arrears of Revenue, it is not noticeable recoverable by Pauper Plaintiff except through an act of Grace on the part of Government to whom by right of purchase it belongs.—

Under these circumstances the Collector trusts that the Court will be pleased to examine the facts of this case and nonsuit the Pauper Plaintiff with Costs.

(Signed) J. Prendergast
Collector

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

To.

(2223)

To
The Chief Secretary to
Government.

To the Chief Secy. to Government

Submitting a letter from the Collr. of Rajahmundry reporting the institution in the Civil Court of that station of a suit against the Collr. of the District and others for the recovery of the Cotapilly Estate and other property belonging to the late Cotapilly Zemindar and recommending that the Collr. may receive authority to put in a revised answer and to defend the suit at the expence of Government.—

11th. Augt. in Cons. 11th. June 1846. 1371

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward for the orders of the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompaying letter from the Collector of Rajahmundry reporting the institution in the Civil Court of that station of a suit against the Collector of the District and other enclosing copy and translation of the Plaint and submitting Draft of the answer which he proposes to file in the case.

2 It will be seen that the present action has been brought for the recovery of the Cotapilly Estate and other property real and personal belonging to the late Cotapilly Zemindar who died in 1830. From the Collector's proposed answer it will be perceived that at the time of the Zemindar's death his Estate was under attachment for arrears, and that after his demise the succession to his property was sought by several claimants among these was the present Plaintiff who both by the Provincial Court Northern Division 4th. November 1834 and by

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by the Board of Revenue 17th August 1840 was ordered to make good his title to the succession in the Civil Court but delayed doing so until 10th November 1841 or 11 years after the death of the Zemindar - the Cotapilly estate was sold by order of Government for the arrears due upon it at the decease of the last proprietor and for those which had subsequently accrued upon it. It was purchased by the Collector on account of Government and is now Government property - As regards the other lands Gardens &c. and the revenue derived from them, which are also sued for, these lands are shewn in the Answer to have been unduly alienated to the late Zemindar and to have been therefore since his demise resumed either on behalf of Government or on behalf of the Peddapore Zemindary to which a part of them belong.

The Board have slightly modified one part of the proposed answer so as more fully to explain the circumstances of the alienations above adverted to - and they now beg to recommend that the Collector may receive Authority to put in this revised answer and to defend the Suit at the expence of Government.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
11th June 1846

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary

Read

Fort St. George, 11th June 1846

Read the following letter -

To J. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George

(24)

From the Collr of Rajahmundry } Sir, Para 1.

Reporting on Petition presented by the Zemindar of Pittapore regarding the balance due by him for Fasly 1255 = A.D. 1845/46

With reference to your letter of 12th February last, I have the honor to report upon the Petition of Rajah Row Venkata Sooria Row Behadar Zemindar of Pittapoor, regarding the failure of the Crops on his Estate, and his consequent inability to meet the Circar demands - The Board will recollect that on the 12th of July 1844, Sooria Row was put in possession of his ancient Zemindary according to their orders under date 4th July 1844 whereby the outstanding balances were all remitted in consideration of his ceding to Government three† of the Proprietary Estates, which had been acquired by his father Seelabdry row, and four which were purchased during the minority - The season was so far advanced, when he was put in possession, that he lost the benefits, which the present years experience shews he might have derived from making the Amaracam with the Ryots himself - However zealous and honest an Ameen may

† 1. Cundavilly
2. Attely
3. Cauvaur
* 1 Pongondah
2 Podoor
3 Moonooroodah
4 Bhoomana-
pilly.

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may be, his arrangements with the Ryots for the ensuing cultivation season cannot be expected to agree in their results the efforts of a Zemindar who conducts his own affairs with discretion. The Amaraeum for fasly 1253 (A.D. 1843/44) made by the Ameens was Rupees 2,88,790—11—10 That of Fasly 1255 (A.D. 1845/46) made by the Zemindar himself was no less than Rupees 3,20,765—10—3 and there is no reason to suppose that the Collections would have fallen far short of this sum under favorable circumstances.

2. The neglected state of the works of irrigation in this District has been very fully reported upon by Major Arthur Cotton the Civil Engineer. The Zemindary of Pittapoor formed no exception. Under the able superintendence of the late Zemindar, the Estate was in a most prosperous condition, but since then it has gradually sunk into comparative poverty. The neglected works attracted the early attention of the present Zemindar and he proposed to borrow from Government the sum of Rupees 20,000 for the purpose of improving the irrigation, but I did not consider

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consider myself at liberty to entertain his proposition at a time, when from a combination of low prices and other causes the condition of the whole District appeared to be on the decline and his ability to repay the loan was questionable. He therefore applied himself with the means then at his disposal to improve the irrigation without the assistance of Government and his accounts shew that he has spent Rupees *819—8—0 on that account.

3. It must be particularly borne in mind that when the Zemindar was installed, he had not a single Rupee in his treasury. He had therefore the arduous task of beginning his public career by taking charge of an Estate* yielding Rupees 2,58,979—0—11 in dependance on the policy of raising loans to meet the necessary expences of his administration from the very outset. The prudence with which he conducted his affairs under these difficult circumstances and the unswerving correctness of his conduct throughout have led me to form a high opinion of

*Fasly 1255. A.D. 1845/46

*Ancient Zemindary.

of his character - He had not spared himself from the personal exertions requisite to give him an accurate knowledge of the state of his Villages - His payment of the full peishcush, during the first year of his management a sum which was never realized during the last 11 years - while the Estate was under management evidences at once the success of his measures and the honesty of his intentions - The account furnished by him with his Petition to the Board shews the amount of the produce of each Village - The failure of the rains in that part of the country has already been reported to the Board of Revenue in the Department of public works under date 4th March 1846 and it will be seen that in some Villages there were no crops at all -

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	Amaraeum Cost- CRs a P	Estimated Amount of produce- CRs a P
Rented Villages	1,66,105-14-	1,10,375-11-2-
Amany D°	1,66,857-12-3-	85,012-7-3-
Total	3,32,963-10-3-	1,95,388-2-5-

The Amaraeum of his Jaboks and the Estimated Amount of the produce are shewn in the annexed Tables - there is no means of testing the accuracy of the Estimates, but the failure of the rains justifies them to a certain extent - The produce of the Villages watered by the Yalavoo was a fair average and in the Lunka lands of the Cadegeem Poolatah and the wet lands in Chullapully where there was a fine monsoon, the Crops were good and the prices very high, but of course the Zemindar could only collect the amount of the Aboat - Had there been balances of former years outstanding he might have realized a large sum, but as before mentioned the whole of the balances had been remitted to the ryots when the Estate was made over to the Zemindar on the first day of fusly or 12th - It appears that on the amount of the whole produce Rupees 195988-2-5 a sum of 32,963-2-11 was in excess above the Aboat in the productive Villages and therefore it was the property of the

	CRs a P
*Estimated produce as above recorded.	195988-2-5
Deduct Exp.s above the Cost in the productive Villages- Rented 21,228-3- Amany 12,048-15-11-	33877-2-11
Remaining	162,110-15-0

*Estimated produce of no avail to the Zemindar His reduces the amount of produce to Rupees 162,110-15-0 nevertheless the

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	Cors	a.	P.
Amount paid to this time on account of Current Fusly	1,27,125	—	—
Dr. Dr. on account of the advances of Taccavy & Repairs			
Varrears of Revenue for fusly 1254 / A.D. 1844/45	23,167	—	9
Charges Management			
household Charges &c. of the Zemindar	53950	15	11
	2,04,243	—	8
Remaining	10,756	9	4
Total	2,15,000	—	—

the Zemindar shows that he realized Rupees 2,15,000 / inclusive of Rupees 24,000 which he considers sure of being Collected hereafter / many of the wealthy Ryots & in the rented Villages having paid beyond the value of their crops. His expences during this fusly have been as follows-

	Cors	a.	P.
Charges Management	12,030	—	—
Taccavy	5,555	9	9
Repairs	5,219	8	0
Household Charges of the Zemindar including Pagoda allowances &c. &c.	30,144	13	8
Total	53,950	15	11

and I have no reason to take exception to any but the household charges & which

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which, he premises hereafter to reduce- His present request is that he may be left in professsion of his Estate and be permitted to pay off his balances at the rate of Rupees 20,000 per annum & to which he adds a promise if the seasons be favorable. The amount of his balance is now rupees 131,854- being Rupees 50 — 11 — 0 per Cent upon the peishcush-

Total Permanent assessment	2,58,979	—	—
Deduct Amount paid to this time	1,27,125	—	—
Balance	131,854	—	—

Considering all the circumstances above recited & and being confident of the good intentions of the Zemindar, I recommend that he should be allowed four years to pay up

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up the balance of one lac. that he should not be dispossessed of his Estate at present, that he should be required to pay down immediately the sum of Rupees 31,854- and that the Estate shall be Zuptd on the first failure of the Zemindar to fulfil the conditions imposed upon him regarding the instalments by which he engages to pay off the balances due to Government and on this subject. I hope to receive the orders of the Board at an early date-

Rajahmundry District,
Surabaldeevy, - - - -
11th May 1846 - - - - -

Signed J. Prendergast
Collector.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply-

To

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(24-25.)

To the Coll.r in the Zillah of Rajahmundry

Requesting him with reference to his letter of the 11th Ultimo reporting on the Pet.n presented by Rajah Row Vencatsooriah Row Zemindar of Pittapoor to furnish further information regarding the amount actually collected by the Zemindar from his ryots during the current fasly:-

Rs. As.
Peshcush 1255- 258949
1846 amount paid 127125
Balance- 131854

To
The Collector in the Zillah of
Rajahmundry.

Sir,

1. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 11th Ultimo, reporting on the Petition presented to the Board by Rajah Row Vencatsooriah Row, Zemindar of Pittapore, stating his inability to discharge his arrears in full in consequence of the unfavourable character of the season and requesting an indulgent consideration of his case, with the adoption of such arrangements, short of attachment, as may seem proper.

2. The outstanding balance against this Estate amounts to Rupees 131,854 the whole on account of the Current year,- you recommend that the Zemindar should be required to pay Rupees 31,854- now, with permission to discharge the remainder amounting to Rupees 100,000- in 4 years and that the management of the property should remain as at present in the hands of the Zemindar.

3 The amaracum or engagements entered into between the Proprietor and his Ryots for the Fusly under consideration amounted to Rs 32,165-10-3- The value of the Produce you state is estimated at Rupees 162,110-15-6- but the Zemindar on the other hand admits that he has realized Rupees 215,000- The difference between the amount of engagements and the estimated value of the produce and again that between the latter and the Sum actually realized are so great that the Board are not prepared to submit the request of the Zemindar for indulgence for the favourable Consideration of Government without full explanation as to what the Estate has produced this year calculated on the best

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best information within your reach and what the Zemindar had collected from his Ryots under every head including Extra items as Nuzzeranas. The profits from enhanced prices the Board are inclined to think have been considerable and you will be pleased to ascertain particulars the probable amount of Revenue which has accrued to the Proprietor from this source. The Board do not expect that you will be able to obtain with scrupulous accuracy without much delay and scrutiny of Village accounts which is not called for what have been the actual collections of the year but general sources of information are at hand which will enable you to judge to what extent the ability of the Zemindar to discharge his obligations to Government has been affected by the circumstances of the year.

Rs 30,644-13-8. 4. The personal expenditure of the Zemindar has been large and his conduct in this respect is the less excusable, as he expressed an apprehension at an early period of the year that he would not be able to discharge in full the Kists to Government. It is desirable that you should ascertain whether the amounts entered as personal charges includes the whole expenditure under that Head.

Date of Petition to the Board 24 Dec. 1845.

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Fort St. George
11th June 1846.

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary.

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Read the following letter.-

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From the Collr. of Rajahmundry - submitting for the Board's approval a statement of the sale by Public auction of the Abkary rents for Fusly 1256 A.D. 1846/47.

Fusly 1256 A.D. 1846/47	Rents C. Rs.
	64,330
1255 A.D. 1845/46	58,036
Inc:	6,294

To J. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir,

Parat.- I have the honor to submit for the approval of the Board of Revenue a State-ment of the sale by public Auction on the 15th and 16th instant of the Abkary rents for the ensuing Fusly.-

2.- There were 18 Farms let for the present Fusly 1256 A.D. 1846/47 for the aggregate rent of Rupees 58036- the 1255 A.D. 1845/46 total amount bid for the same number of Farms for Fusly 1256 A.D. 1846/47 amounts to Rs. 64330 which is Rupees 6294. above what the several rents were given for in Fusly 1255 A.D. 1845/46.

3.- Three per Cent has been deposited in each case and nine per Cent will be deposited within eight days. The full security or deposite required will be taken before the parties are placed in possession of the Farms.-

4.- It will be seen from the Statement in question that an increase has occurred in every Farm with the exception of those of Catoh and Ramachendrapooram Bickavole and Toony the renters of which have probably sustained loss in Fusly 1255 A.D. 1845/46. The present Statement also shews a difference in detail in the rented heriz of every Farm for Fusly 1255 A.D. 1845/46 as compared with the Statement submitted to the Board under date the 19th May 1845. This is owing chiefly to the remodelling of the several talooks of the District under orders of Government dated the 30th August 1845.-

Rajahmundry District
Cocanada 23rd May 1846

/Signed/ T. Rendergast
Collector

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Statement of Offers for the Arrack and Toddy Farms in the District of Rajahmundry for Fusly 1256.

Names of the Estates	Names of Talooks and Divisions	Amany Beriz For Fusly 1243	For Fusly 1244	For Fusly 1245	Average	Settlement of the renters in Fusly 1249 as per returns received from Amildars	Collection For Fusly 1253	For Fusly 1254	Rent & Amany Cist for Fusly 1255	Offered for Fusly 1256	Names of the persons offering for the rent for Fusly 1256	Names of the securities &c	Amount of three per cent deposite received
		Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a			Rs a
Mogultore	Mogultore Talook	3415 -	3744 8	3742 8	3639 10 8	4,165 1			4,021 10 7	4,350	Total Vencanah Hotty Shobanadry		130 8
Jalamanchey													
Dodeputta													
Yanagoovaundsunka													
Panoomadum													
Degoomurroo													
Paulacolloo and Contairoo													
Cayah													
Auchuntah													
Canetum of Panoomuntra Mootah													
Pundetavillor of Panoo-gondah Mootah													
Four Villages of Padoor Mootah													
Nadoopoody of Khunda-villy Mootah													
Goomoolor													

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Names of the Estates	Name of Talook and Divisions	For Fusly 1243	For Fusly 1244	For Fusly 1245	Average
		C Rs a	C Rs a	C Rs a	C Rs a
Voondy	Voondy Talook	1300 10 ~	1297 14 ~	1269 9 ~	1289 5 8
Veeravaseram					
Bondadah					
Bheemavaram					
Gomoospoody					
Coomoodarilly					
Goraga namoody					
Tolairoo					
Conetewadah					
Two Villages of Attely Mootah					
Vandra Agrahauram of Pippara Mootah					
Vindaloor of Panoomantra Mootah					
Five Villages of Podoor Mootah					
Nagaram	Nagaram Talook	1691 8 ~	1816 10 ~	1861 13 ~	1789 5 8
Eighteen Villages of Codaly Mootah					
Tantepauka and Vandravoopully					
Sagenatepully					

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Settlement of the rents in Fusly 1249 as per reports received from Amaldars &c.	Collection For Fusly 1253	Collection For Fusly 1254	Rent & Amany Cist for Fusly 1255	Offered For Fusly 1256	Names of the persons offering for the rent for Fusly 1256	Names of the Securities &c.	Amount of three per Cent deposite received
C Rs a	C Rs a	C Rs a	C Rs a	C Rs a			C Rs a
1450 12 ~	1696 8 3	2060 ~ ~			Remarauz Ramachendroodoo	Tandy condaSheemanoo=riah	62 ~ ~
2269 12 ~	1990 11 9	2220 ~ ~			Chenchaly Narsiah	Dustoory Narsaraze	67 ~ ~

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Names of the Estates	Names of Talooks and Divisions	For Fusly 1243	For Fusly 1244	For Fusly 1245	Average	Settlement of the renters in Fusly 1246 as per reports received from Amuldars &c.a	Collection For Fusly 1253	Collection For Fusly 1254	Rent Amany &c.a for Fusly 1255	Offered for Fusly 1256	Names of the persons offering for the rent for Fusly 1256	Names of the Securities &c.a	Amount of three per Cent deposite received
		Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a	Rs a			Rs a
Ten Villages of Amalapore Mootah	Amalapore Talook	2680 " "	3011 8 "	3042 4 "	2911 4 "	4022 8 "	" "	" "	3192 15 "	4190 " "	Potoola Venkataroy	Bolavarty Venkiah	126 " "
Baroor													
Bendamoorlunka													
Chayaroo													
Nangaveram													
Vinnachentalapoody													
Wospalagoopteum													
Penda Pra and Mollate =nagah													
Gopavaram													
Cundeecoopprah													
Chullapully													
Bheemanapully													
Six Villages of Moongonda Mootah	Teelook												
Rapa													
Valasavilly													
Poloocooroo													
Moonnedevaram													
Tounalunka													
Iyanavilly													
Cavanacooroo													
Moongondapollem of Yanoopapully Mootah													
Velasah													
Puntoomilly													
Moakamalah													
Chiratapoody & Caroopillepaudoo													
Moyallanore of Cadalemootah													
Eight Villages of Cattah Mootah													
Nadavapully of Mallapully Vinto													

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Names of the Estates	Names of Talooks and Divisions	Amany Beriz For July 1243	For July 1244	For July 1245	Average	Settlement of the renters in July 1246 as per reports received from Amildars	Collection For July 1253	Collection For July 1254	Rent & amany Cist for July 1255	Offered for July 1256	Names of the persons offering for the rent for July 1256	Names of the securities &ca	Amount of three per Cent deposite received
		Pa Ca	Pa Ca	Pa Ca	Pa Ca								Pa Ca
Twenty one Villages of Cottah Mootah	Cottah Ramachendra-pooram Talook	3043 8 ½	3164 2 ½	3336 8 ½	3181 6 ½				3982 12 ½		Bhoola Venkataseddy and Tenday Venkatadwarmy	Poorry China Venkatareddy	120 ½ ½
Ramachendrapooram													
Veeravilly pollem													
Capeladwarapooram													
Vallah													
Venkatoyapollem													
Poonamgherully													
Renapullah													
Eight Villages of Vagaugem-mapettah Mootah	Coringa Division	4401 ½ ½	5826 ½ ½	5826 ½ ½	5017 10 8				6871 8 ½		Redum Mudaly Venkatachary	One third Deposite	200 ½ ½
Vancatesspah													
Takey													
Valumpollem													
Hajaimbadah													
Four Villages of Melapully Vuntoo													
Ingeeram													
Malavecomilly of Vagaugem-mapettah Mootah													
Two Villages of Palacooroo Vuntoo													
Three Villages of Coringah Vuntoo													

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		A R a P	A R a P	A R a P	A R a P	A R a P				A R a P			A R a P
Cocanada Twenty one Villages of Samulcottah Mootah Alapaurkah Chellore	Cocanada Division	5925 4 0	4952 12 0	6265 4 0	5714 6 8	6585 6 0			9502 4 0	10,500 0 0	Pettoola Venkatta=reddy	Redum atchoo=taramadoo	315 0 0
Five Villages of Pettapore Mootah Duggernaick pooram and Gollapollem Andrunghy Nineteen Villages of Pettapore Mootah Five Villages of Samulcotah Mootah Bendapoody Gollaprole Pirlumpoody Woopadah Jagapatengaram	Pettapore Division	3223 0 0	2875 8 0	2568 12 0	2989 1 4	2884 0 0			3700 0 0	3990 0 0	Petoola Venkatta	Gommude=dala Ve=raghavu=puntoolu	120 0 0
Cotaum	Tooney Division	259 0 0	242 8 0	268 4 0	256 9 4	365 0 0			795 0 0	610 0 0	Chillumcoory Venkata Chalapaty	One third Deposite	19 0 0
Peddapooram Veeravaram Linguimpurroo Juggumpettah Dontamoor Rayaveram	Peddapore Talook	2619 0 0	2340 8 0	2403 4 0	2454 4 0	1184 4 0			2197 9 8	2800 0 0	Komyreddy Gouriah	Redumm Madhavarao=yadoo and Vencatreddy	84 0 0

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Names of the Estates	Names of Taloks and Divisions	Annary Berizz For Fusly 1243	For Fusly 1244	For Fusly 1245	Average	Settlement of the renters in Fusly 1249 as per reports received from Amildars &c.	Collection For Fusly 1253	For Fusly 1254	Rent & Annary Cist for Fusly 1255	Offered for Fusly 1256	Names of the persons offering for the rent for Fusly 1256	Names of the Securities &c.	Amount of three per Cent deposite received
		○ Rs a ○	○ Rs a ○	○ Rs a ○	○ Rs a ○	○ Rs a ○	○ Rs a ○	○ Rs a ○	○ Rs a ○	○ Rs a ○			○ Rs a ○
Ten Villages of Caupava-=rum Mootah Moorary Two Villages of Ellapully Mootah Five Villages of Mullapully Mootah Vadesalairoo Valoogoobundah	Caupava-rum Talook	1,518 10 ⅓	1,537 6 ⅓	1,548 6 ⅓	1534 12 8	1,538 8 ⅓	⅓ ⅓ ⅓	⅓ ⅓ ⅓	2340 10 ⅓	2,520 ⅓ ⅓	Cundoory Ramunah	Yanamundra Bhagaranloo Hospanah	76 ⅓ ⅓
Coroocondah	Coro-=conda Agraharam	50 ⅓ ⅓	50 ⅓ ⅓	50 ⅓ ⅓	50 ⅓ ⅓	34 ⅓ ⅓	⅓ ⅓ ⅓	⅓ ⅓ ⅓	61 ⅓ ⅓	90 ⅓ ⅓	Ramanana Venkatachellum	One third Deposite	3 ⅓ ⅓
		1,568 10 ⅓	1,587 6 ⅓	1,598 6 ⅓	1,584 12 8	1,572 8 ⅓	⅓ ⅓ ⅓	⅓ ⅓ ⅓	2401 10 ⅓	2,610 ⅓ ⅓			79 ⅓ ⅓
Rajahmundry Moondaswaraporam Merumpoody Meretepandoo of Vagan-=yemmekettah Mootah Jaulemoody Cautavarum Badeyem Covoor Menekoodaly	Rajahmundry Talook	4462 ⅓ ⅓	3705 8 ⅓	4258 8 ⅓	4142 ⅓ ⅓	3727 ⅓ ⅓	⅓ ⅓ ⅓	⅓ ⅓ ⅓	5935 2 ⅓	7,010 ⅓ ⅓	Cumaramurty Purusia K	Ditto	211 ⅓ ⅓

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Amany Beriz

Names of the Estates and Divisions	Names of Talooks	For July 1243	For July 1244	For July 1245	Average	Settlement of the rentors in July 1249 as per reports received from Amildars &c	Collection For July 1253	Collection For July 1254	Rent & Amany Cost for July 1255	Offered for July 1256	Names of the persons offering for the rent for July 1256	Names of the securities &c	Amount of three per Cent deposite received
		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.
Bickavole Colunka Rawlery Seven Villages of Amlapore Mootah Seventeen Villages of Moongondah Mootah Two Villages of Janogra =pully Mootah Palevalah Gopaula pooram Tanookoo Doovah Siddautom Eight Villages of Atteley Mootah Four Villages of Cundavilly Mootah Cottapully Agraharam Nine Villages of Pitpasah Mootah Nalamooroo of Pdoor Mootah Nine Villages of Panoomuntra Venca Lacsma pooram & Agraharum Ten Villages of Panoogondah Mootah Padalada & Agraharum Munchelley Venctaraya pooram Agraharum Yalatepandoo and Hemphoody Agraharums of Woondy Mootah	Bickavole Talook Rawlery Talook Tanookoo Talook	1455 4 u 1842 4 u 2088 4 u	1541 12 u 1986 u u 2203 12 u	1542 u u 1991 u u 2172 12 u	1513 u u 1939 12 u 2154 14 8	19782 u u	u u u u	u u u u	25204 3	2030 u u	Doraisawmy Boturanzo	Rdalandra Mullikar=janoodoo	61 u u
						27398 u u	u u u u	u u u u	2661 12	3430 u u	Doraisawmy Boturanzo	Munjaredy	183 u u
						30807 u u	u u u u	u u u u	29881 37	3530 u u	Redeemin Madavarayda	Nulla Venkata reddy & Nulla Gungana	106 u u

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		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
Thirty One Villages Cottapully Mootah	Cottapully Talooka	896 8 ~	755 8 ~	765 8 ~	805 13 4	671 8 ~	~ ~ ~	~ ~ ~	917 ~ 6	1100 ~ ~	Candoory Rauma & Yanamundra Bhagavan = loo and Yanamun = dra Woop = pumnah		33 ~ ~
Raghoodavapooram													
Balladoopollom													
Pedaconda poody													
Nangumpully													
Mannagalah													
Cody													
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Fort St. George

1th June 1846

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Names of the Estates	Names of Talooks and Divisions	For Fusly 1243	For Fusly 1244	For Fusly 1245	Average	Settlement of the Renters in Fusly 1244 as per Report received from Amildars &c.a	For Fusly 1253	For Fusly 1254	Collection Rent & Amany Cist for Fusly 1255	Offered for Fusly 1256	Names of the persons offering for the rent for Fusly 1256	Names of the Securities &c.a	Amount of three per Cent deposite received
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Rajahmundry District
Cocanada 23d May 1846

C. C.

[illegible] / Signed / J. Prendergast
Collector

on

7584 Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

Resolution thereon - On the understanding that the

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9 per Cent ready money deposit alluded to in the 3d Para of the foregoing letter has been made good and that collateral security to the estent of two kists more has also been furnished, the Board sanction the acceptance of the offers received for the Abkarry rent of the Rajahmundry District for the ensuing Fusly 1256 amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 64330 — being Rupees 6294 in excess of the settlement for Fusly 1255 -

Circular date 14th July 1828.

Read the following letters -

To T. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

(28)

From the Coll.r of Guntoor —

Sir,

A.B. 21st August 1845 = With reference to the cor-
A.B. 6th Feby 1846 = respondence noted in the margin, I have
A.B. 26th Feby = the honor to report that the only alterations which appear to me advisable in the arrangements proposed by Mr. Newill for renting the Kristna Ferries in this District are to provide for the observance of the existing usage exempting from toll beggars, and certain other classes, and to fix the annual term of each rent from the 1st May to the 30th April

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of the Fusly in which it is brought to account, in order that the full period during which the Kristna is in each season unfordable may fall within the engagement of the same renter. The Ameens have accordingly been directed to invite tenders with this additional stipulation, that the renter should pay for the basket boats constructed in this year at the cost of Government -

Guntoor —
Coll.r's Cutcherry
On Circuit
Dindy 13th May 1846

Signed / H. Stokes
Collector.

Proceedings thereon. - The Board approve the

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Collector's proposal to fix the Annual term of each Ferry rent from the 1st May of one Fusly to the 30th April of the — next so that the whole period in each season during which the Kistna is unfordable may fall within the engagement of the same renter. The additional stipulation which has been required of the renters for the present year, that they should pay for the basket boats already constructed at the cost of Government is also proper - The Board cannot however

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however authorise the exemption from toll of beggars and the hitherto privileged classes, as this would be contrary to the orders of Government in Para 1 Extract Minutes of Consultation 2d August 1845 and would have the effect of continuing one of the most objectionable parts of the Tonnage Tax. The tolls on passengers should be kept as low as possible, but should be collected from all who use the boats. It would be well indeed if an exception could be made in favor of the poorest of the industrious and agricultural classes but the Board fear that in practice it would not be possible to draw the line. —

To

Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

To

J. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Board's Proceedings dated 7th Instant with the accompanying order of Government dated 23d April, calling upon me to report fully for their information upon the facts referred to in Mr Mathison's letter to Government dated 11th April regarding Veteha Sutchmiah's character and past history. —

2. The letters which contain the information called for are noted in the margin. A detailed narrative of Veteha Sutchmiah's career up to the year 1818 is given in Mr Oakes' letter to the Board dated 23d May of that year. His father was employed as Huzoor Shroff, and Sutchmiah assisted as a Volunteer until July 1803 when he was entertained as a Peon on a salary of 5 Pagodas until the 18th of the following November, when he and his father were both dismissed by Mr Crawford for endeavouring to substitute bad Coins for good. There dismissal was notified by a Circular order in which it was stated that they were rendered incapable of serving the Company again. —

3. Until 1805 Sutchmiah remained without employ, when Mr Crawford took him into

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From the Collr of Guntur
Reporting in reference to the Bds Proceedings of 7th May with Minutes of Consultation dated 23d April on the facts referred to in Mr Mathison's letter to Govt of 11th April last regarding Veteha Sutchmiah's character and past history.

To Bd 20th June 1812 with Statement C.
To Do 12th July 1816.
to Do 10th March 1817
To Do 6th May — " —
From Do 15 — " — " —
To Do 21st June — "
From Do 31st Augt — "
To Do 23d May 1818
To Do 14th Augt — "
From Do 24th — " — " —
From Do 11th Octr 1838
To Do 27th — " — "
From Do 6th May 1839

into the Palnaud as additional Goomastah on a Salary of 5 Pagodas per Mensem, though his name was not yet allowed to be inserted in the list sent to the Presidency. After the conclusion of the Settle=ment, he was again out of employ for a short time, and then admitted as a writer on 8 Pagodas until the Month of September 1807 when his name was first inserted in the Moyen Zabitah, where tho his Salary was entered as 15 Pagodas, he did not actually receive more than 8 in the first instance and after=wards 10. In this situation he remained until the arrival of Mr. Robertson to whom he made himself useful in an investigation into the abuses then existing, and procured the situation of Superintendent Sayer Darogah, on a Salary of 20 Pagodas per Month in which situation Mr. Oakes found him.

4. Mr. Oakes in the course of the inves=tigations made by him soon after taking charge of the District the result of which he reported to the Board in his letter dated 10th June 1812, discovered a fresh instance of Lutchmiah's ma=laversation. In the Statement accom=panying this letter Lutchmiahs name appears as No. 6 of the Huzzoor Servants as having received as bribes from the Cur=nums and Samutdars in the Palnaud, Pagodas 70—2—42 and the following remarks

remarks appears opposite his name:—

"This man acknowledged that he had received a small proportion of this a=mount, he has resigned his Office" Mr. Oakes states that he permitted him to re=sign in consideration of his services in facilitating the enquiry, and as Mr. Robertson was of opinion that he had exerted himself in the situation he had bestowed on him. Mr. Oakes further explained that the certi=ficate first given to him on his resignation clearly shows his conviction of Lutchmiah's unworthiness, but that his repeated solici=tations, and expressions of contrition for the past made Mr. Oakes so far relent as to take back the first certificate and substitude another and on the 9th of November 1813 Mr. Oakes again appointed him to the situation of Diary writer on a Salary of 17 Pagodas. In parat 16 to 18 of his letter Mr. Oakes explains his reasons for again employing Lutchmiah, He says "the ammesty granted to the Head Servants in the Office induced his extending it to Lutch=miah and on the 12th July 1814 he was appointed as Seristadar for

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for reasons in explaining which Mr Oakes observes "I acknowledge to my shame however that a "temporary unamiable feeling to Kristna Row "to Rungiah and to Narsimma Naidoo "for not taking the situation of Serishtadar "when it was offered to them induced me "so far to disgrace the Office as to place "at its head this man" On the receipt of the Extract from Minutes of Consultation dated 22d March 1816 fixing the pay to be hereafter annexed to the Office. Mr Oakes resolved on placing at the head of the Office a more respectable servant both as regarded his character and caste, and intimated his intention to the Board who appear to have approved of it: On the 6th May 1817 the Collector reported that his Serishtadar (V. Lutchmiah) had resigned his situation and that he proposed to nominate one of his Record keepers Kristna Row in his place. The Board pointing out the irregularity of this proceeding under date 15th May called upon the Collector to furnish them with the Serishtadar's application for permission to resign his situation, and to report the cause thereof. Mr Oakes replied on

Fort St. George 11th June 1816.

on the 21st June, that he believed the cause to be a fear that his irregularities might become public, mentioning also some further objections. The Board in reply notice the apparent confusion in the Collector's conception and statement of this man's character and the uncertainty of the Collectors suspicion regarding him and conclude thus. "If you shall still continue after mature deliberation to consider Lutchmiah a suspicious character "the Board desire that you will state more fully and satisfactorily your grounds "of suspicion."

5. In the Collector's next letter of the 23d May already quoted, he details an additional reason for his bad opinion of Lutchmiah arising from an intrigue which he states was carried on by him and two other servants against the last Writer twelve months after he had again given Lutchmiah opportunity of redeeming his character. The result of his enquiry into certain petitions charging the last Writer with corruption was that both these petitions, and two arzees purporting to have been written by the Darogah of Nurserowpet

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24th August 1818

6. The Records of this Office do not shew what then became of Lutchmiah but in his own Statement of his services given in 1842 it appears that from 20th September 1819 to 14th April 1824 he served as Amildar in various Talooks in Rajahmundry. How he then ceased to be employed does not appear, but the return goes on to shew that he was again employed in the Rajahmundry District in 1835 and continued till 9th September 1836. From 4th May

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The Board's endorsement on Lutchmiah's Petition is subjoined. -

Guntoor Collectors Cutcherry
Dindy. 23d May 1846.

/ Signed / H. Stokes
Collector

Endorsement

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Guntoor Collector's Cutcherry
Dindy. 23d May 1846.

Signed J. H. Stokes
Collector

Endorsement

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Endorsement.

The Petitioner is referred to the Collector of Guntoor, to whom the Board have intimated their opinion that the charge against him was not proved. The Collector has also been instructed to re-employ him in another situation on the occurrence of a suitable opportunity.

(A true Extract)
(Signed) P. B. Smollett
Secretary.

Resolution thereon. Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the orders of the Most Noble the Governor in Council with reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 23d April last.

(30-31)

Read the following letters.

To
T. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

(32)

From H. Stokes Esqre
Collector in the zillah of Guntoor

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge

7595 Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

acknowledge the receipt of Bangby for the use of this Office of the 5 Volumes of Thornton's History of the British Empire in India, alluded to in your letter of the 21st Ultimo.

Guntoor Zillah Collrs Cutcherry Dindy 6th June 1846

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Collector.

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Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

the receipt of the undermentioned works.—

One Copy of Thornton's History of the British Empire in India in 5 Volumes.—

One Dº of Thornton's Gazetteer in 2. Volumes.—

South Arcot Coll^rs Circuit Cutcherry at Cottacoopum 4th June 1846. } Signed W. D. Davis Collector

To

T. Rycroft Esq^re Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George

(34)

From Sir H. C. Montgomery Bart Collector of Tanjore. } Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Packet named in your letter of the 31st Ultimo forwarded for the use of this Office.

Tanjore Negapatam 5th June 1846 } Signed H. C. Montgomery Collector

Order on the 3 foregoing Letters } Ordered to be recorded

Read

(32-35)

Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

Read the following letter

To T. Rycroft Esq^re Secretary to the Board of Revenue Fort St. George

(36)

From the Collector of Bellary } Sir,

Para 1 I regret to have to report for the information of the Board, the loss of 54 lives (all cultivators) in the Anantapoor Tank, by the sudden filling of this large Reservoir, during the rainy night of the 22d Instant, owing as it appears to unusual freshes in a small River increased by the bursting of 3 Tanks in the Neighbourhood

2. For further particulars connected with this most lamentable accident I beg to refer to the accompanying transcript of a letter from my Acting Sub Collector Mr L. D. Daniell.

3. It appears these unfortunate men passed the night on the threshing floor in the bed of the Tank (where they cultivated some land and had to watch the Grain) and met their death by having deferred their escape, in the hope of the floods subsiding till it was too late. From the accounts since received direct from the Amildar many dead bodies have been taken from the Water

Bellary Coll^rs Office 30th May 1846 } Signed A. Meller Collector

To

7596 Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

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/Signed/ W^m D. Davis
Collector

To
T. Rycroft Esq^re
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

34

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Sir H. C. Montgomery Bart
Collector of Tanjore.

Sir,

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Tanjore
Nagapatam
5th June 1846

/Signed/ H. C. Montgomery
Collector

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7597 Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

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Bellary Coll^rs Office
30th May 1846

/Signed/ A. Mellor
Collector
To

No. 1.

To A. Mellor, Esqre.
Collector of Bellary

Sir,

1. It is my painful duty to bring to your notice a most distressing Catastrophe which has occurred in the Anuntapoor Tank by which fifty four lives have been lost, and I have the honor to enclose copies of the Arzees and Papers relating to this melancholy accident which have up to this date been received by me from the Amildar.

2. In consequence of a very scanty supply of water having come into the Tank in the previous Months in the Month of January, the Anuntapoor and Oppara-pelly Ryots commenced cultivating some land in the Tank and the cultivation was gradually extended as the Water decreased, the crops having all been reaped on the 22d Instant, the grain was heaped preparatory to being divided by the Ryots.

3. On the night of the 22d Instant the Joint Cultivators with a Peon numbering in all Seventy three persons slept on the threshing floor in the Tank with the view of watching the Grain and on the ensuing

ensuing day dividing it according to their several shares, but during the night the Tank having suddenly filled only Nineteen Persons escaped with their lives and the remaining fifty four Persons are supposed to have been drowned

4. One of the Persons who slept on the threshing floor states that previous to nine O'Clock P.M. No signs of rain had appeared but that the sky then become cloudy, and it commenced raining which continued with increasing violence until between three and five A.M. when he observed the threshing floor to be surrounded with water and almost immediately afterwards the Grain was swept away, and the people dispersed themselves in different directions.

5 By the Taksildars Arzee I am informed that in consequence of his having received information that the River was coming down with force he twice proceeded to the Tank on the morning in question, but it does not appear from his Arzee, that on the first occasion he was aware of the people being on the threshing floor or that any measures were then adopted for rescuing them. I have called upon the Taksildar for further information, and

and after instituting an enquiry into the circumstances attending this lamentable loss of life I will inform you of the result.-

6. The immediate cause of the Sudden filling of the Anantapoor Tank appears to have been owing to unusual freshes in the River increased by the bursting of the Humpapoor Goondereddypully and Raptand Tanks. The bund of the latter Tank you will observe by the Tahsildars Arzees has been razed to the ground and about 1,000 yards of the high road destroyed by the over flowing of the River Pundamaru.

7. I regret to observe that in addition to this seventy bullocks belonging to some Corchavans who had halted near the River were swept away and also a quantity of Jaggery destroyed.-

Bellary District
Hindoopoor Sub Collrs
Office on Circuit 27th
May 1846-----

/ Signed / L. D. Daniell
Acting Sub Collector

/ A true Copy /
/ Signed / A Mellor
Collector

Ordered that the following letters be sent in consequence

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To The Collector of Bellary.

To the Collector of Bellary.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo received on the 5th instant giving cover to copy of a communication from your Sub Collector in which that officer reports the loss of 54 lives in consequence of the Sudden filling of the Anantapoor Tank.

Your letter and its enclosure have been laid before Government and I am instructed to request that on the conclusion of the further enquiry which has been instituted by Mr. Daniell a full report may be furnished to this Office for submission to the same Authority containing all the details connected with the late melancholy accident. In particular it should be explained under what circumstances the Ryots were permitted to extend their cultivation and construct their threshing floor so far within the bed of the Tank as to expose themselves to such peril-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St George
11th June 1846

/ Signed / J. Pycroft
Secretary
To

Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

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To The Chief Secretary to Government.

To the Chief Secty to Government 4th May in Cost 11th June/1846

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the information of the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying letter from the Collector of Bellary enclosing transcript of a communication from his Acting Sub Collector in which that Officer reports the loss of 54 lives in consequence of the sudden filling of the Anantapoor Tank on the morning of the 23d Ultimo.

A brief account of this melancholy accident is given in Mr. Daniell's letter and the Board have directed the Collector to inform them of the result of the further enquiry which has been instituted by the Acting Sub Collector and have more particularly called for explanation as to the circumstances under which the Ryots were allowed to extend their cultivation and construct their thrashing floor so far within the bed of the Tank as to expose themselves to such danger. The Board will do themselves the honor to lay the further information furnished by the District authorities before Government immediately on its receipt.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
11th June 1846

/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary

Read

Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

Read the following letter.

(39)

To T. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

From the Acting Collr of Cuddapah

Sir,

Agreeably to Para 5 of the Jeomiah Rules I have the honor to apply for the special sanction of Government to discharge the arrears and continue the payment Yeomiah to Ravilla Munnigunmnah a Yeomiahdar receiving a monthly allowance of Rupees 12-4 who has failed to claim payment of the same within 6 Months from the date of the last payment. She appeared before the Sub Collector in February and has claimed the allowance undrawn from June 1845 amounting to Rupees 15-4-12 for 9 Months stating that ill health has been the cause of her not having claimed the allowance within the above period.-

No. 73 Public Register Statement 3

Cuddapah District
Collectors Circuit Cutchery
Muddenpilly 29th May 1846

/ Signed / J. H. Cochrane
Acting Collector.

Resolution thereon- The Acting Collector is requested to submit the present application for payment of arrears of Yeomiah due to Ravillah Munnigunmah according to the Form transmitted to him under date 18th Ultimo.-

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Read the following Returns.-

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Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

Return of Tahsildars of the Collectorate of Cuddapah on the 30th April 1846.

Names and Places of Birth	Caste	Age	Talooks	Amount of Collections	Pay	Length of service as Tahsildar in the present Talook	Total length of service as Tahsildar in this Collectorate	Employment previously to appointment as Tahsildar and length of service in such employment.	Total length of service	Remarks
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Fort St. George

11th June 1846.

Names and Place of Birth	Caste	Age	Talooks	Amount of Collections	Pay	Length of Service as Talsildar in the present Talook	Total length of service as Tchsildar in this Collectorate	Employment previously to appointment as Talsildar and length of service in such employment.	Total length of service	Remarks
Boyinga Row born at Nagalavaram in the Zillah of Cuddapah	Brahmin	32	Dudiyarik	105434 6	100	2 10 10		Additional Goomastah Hoozoor Cutcherry from 26th November 1829 to 15th April 1830	420	
								Ditto Ditto from 19th November 1830 to 9th May 1831	521	
								Ditto Ditto from 1st November 1831 to 15th April 1832	515	
								Dalayet to a Scotch Moonshee in Hoozoor Cutchery from 1st August to 31st October 1832	3	
							3 8 6	Goomastah in Talook Paychety from 1st November 1832 to 15th January 1834	1 2 15	
								Goomastah in Hoozoor Cutcherry from 16th January 1834 to 31st August 1839	5 7 17	
								Revenue Head Moonshee in Commissioners Department at Kurnool from 1st September 1839 to 25th August 1842	2 11 25	
									11 4 23 15 29	
Summulmudy	do.		181536	10 11	140					The Talsildar of this Talook was dismissed on the 23rd March 1846.

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Names and Place of Birth	Castes	Talooks	Amount of Collections	Pay	Length of Service as Talookdar in the present Talook	Total Length of Services as Talookdar in this Collectorate	Employment previously to appointment as Talookdar and length of service in such employment.	Total Length of Service	Remarks
M. Streenevasa Pauy born at Camalapoor in the Zillah of Cuddapah	Bramin 46	Dooroor	1,68,037	32	140	5 17	Sayer Chowkee Moatsuddee in Camalapoor Talook from 11th December 1818 to 31st October 1820	1 10 20	
							Ditto Ditto Kailgoontlah Talook from 1st November 1820 to 12th July 1822	1 8 12	
							Daloyet to a Shistdar & Moonshies in Hoozoor Cutcherry from 17th October 1823 to 30th April 1825	1 6 4	
							Deputy Moonshee Hoozoor Cutcherry from 1st May 1825 to 23rd December 1829	2 7 23	
							Revenue Head Moonshee in Hoozoor Cutcherry from 24th December 1827 to 31st March 1830	2 3 7	
						3 4 26	Deputy Ditto Ditto from 19th June 1830 to 31st June 1831	1 11 12	
							Sheristadar Talook of Chitwail from 1st July 1831 to 18th June 1834	2 11 8	
							Revenue Head Moonshee Hoozoor Cutcherry from 19th June to 26th August 1834	2 7	
							Sheristadar in Talook of Chitwail from 26th August 1834 to 28th July 1840	5 11 3	
							Ditto Ditto of Ditto from 1st December 1840 to 6th April 1843	2 4 6	
								22 6 2	25 10 28
Streenevasa Rayaru Chetty born at Madras	Ditto 36	Kailgoontlah	1,75,985	52	140	1 11 13	Tawabreves of the Tamil Department at Chittoor from 10th August 1824 to 29th August 1839	10 7 23	
						1 11 13	Tawabreves Hoozoor Cutcherry at Do from 30th August 1839 to 10th October 1841	2 1 11	
							Moonshee Hoozoor Cutcherry at Cuddapah from 11th October 1841 to 17th May 1864	3 7 7	
								15 9 11	17 8 24

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Names and Place of Birth	Caste	age	Talooks	Amount of Collections	Pay	Length of Service as Tahsildar in the present Talook	Total Length of service as Tahsildar in this Collectorate	Employment previously to appointment as Tahsildar and length of service in such employment	Total length of service	Remarks
Dada Row born at Cumbum in the Zillah of Cuddapah	Bramin	44	Chittivail	1835 3011 1	140	5 18	10 2 12	Goomastah in Talook Cutcherry at Cumbum from 1st May 1820 to 31st May 1821	1 1 —	
								Goomastah in Ditto at Goorrumconda from 1st June to 5th July 1821	— 1 5	
								Goomastah in Ditto at Roychoty from 6th July 1821 to 31st August 1823	2 1 25	
								Goomastah in Hoozoor Cutcherry from 1st September 1823 to 5th April 1825	1 7 5	
								Head goomastah in Hoozoor Cutcherry from 6th April 1825 to 31st May 1833	8 1 25	
								Sheristadar in Talook Cutcherry of Doovor from 11th November 1837 to 2nd April 1839	1 4 22	
									14 5 22	24 8 4
Goorrow born at Guntoor in the Zillah of Salem	Ditto	47	Sidhout	1,24,545	16	100 — —	1 8 11	Goomastah Talook Cutcherry at Bellary District from 27th February 1821 to 22d October 1828	7 7 24	
								Head goomastah Hoozoor Cutcherry at Dharwar from 23d October 1828 to 31st January 1829	— 3 9	
								Deputy Sheristadar in Magistrate Department at Ditto from 1st February to 30th April 1829	— 3 —	
								Moonshee Head Assistants Cutcherry and Acting Tahsildar Doddy Talook at Do. from 1st May 1829 to 16th July 1833	4 2 16	
								Moonshee Assistants Cutcherry at Do. from 17th July 1833 to 30th April 1836	2 9 16	
								Ditto 2d Assistants Cutcherry at Belgaum from 1st May to 12th January 1837	— 8 2	
								Tahsildar Joggam Talook at Do. from 13th January 1837 to 30th August 1839	2 7 19	
								Do. Chicoody Talook at Do. from 1st September 1839 to 27th January 1841	2 4 27	
									20 11 3	22 7 14

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Names and Place of Birth	Caste	Age	Talooks	Amount of Collections	By	Total length of service as Talookdar in the present Talook	Total length of service as Talookdar in the Collectorate	Employment previously to appointment as Talookdar and length of service in such employment	Total length of service	Remarks
Seetaramapah born at Ananandapetty in the zillah of Cuddapah	Gramin	40	Chenniyoor	1180720	100		5 18	Dalayet to a Sirist Moonshee in Hoozoor from 4th May 1829 to 27th Jany 1830		8 24
								Sayer Goomastah in Hoozoor from 28th January to 31st October 1830		9 3
								Dalayet to a Sirist Moonshee in Hoozoor from 2nd December 1831 to 31st July 1832		7 4
							7 3 2	Magistrate Goomastah in Hoozoor from 1st August 1832 to 21st September 1833		1 1 21
								Sawabnevees at Magistrate Department in Hoozoor from 22nd September 1833 to 21st September 1836		3
								Sheristadar at Chitwail Talook from 6th April 1843 to 12th		2 7
										8 9 29
								Goomastah in Talook Cutcherry of Bolevendlah from 18th June 1816 to 30th June 1817		2 13
								Harcoon in Talook Cutcherry of Poycholy from 1st July 1817 to 31st August 1823		5 2
							13 1 22	Head Goomastah in Talook Cutcherry of Do from 1st September 1823 to 15th February 1826		2 5 15
								Sheristadar in Talook Cutcherry of Do from 16th February 1826 to 15th July 1832		6 5
								Sheristadar in Talook Cutcherry of Do from 8th October 1832 to 31st May 1833		7 23
										16 8 21
										29 10 13
Baboo Ram born at Chintamenipetty in Mysore District	Ditto	54	Camalapoor	1330490	84	100	6			

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Names and Place of Birth	Caste	Age	Talooks	Amount of Collections	Pay	Length of Service of Tahsildar in the present Talook
M. Sankara Row Carnatic Body	Bramin	26	Goorrumcondah	139160	130	3 8
Sully Jellah of Cuddapah						

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Total length of service of Tahsildar in this Collectorate	Employment previously to appointment as Tahsildar and length of service in such employment	Total length of service	Remarks
	Sayer Chowkee Moatsuddeen Goorrumcondah Talook from 11th November 1815 to 20th December 1818	3 1 10	In the Collections of this Talook are included the Abkarry and Moturpha Revenues of Pongamoor
	Ditto Ditto in Summulcundgoo Talook from 21st December 1818 to 15th December 1821	2 11 5	
	Ditto Ditto in Goorrumcondah Talook from 16th December 1821 to 11th July 1822	1 6 7	
9 7 8	Ditto Ditto in Pongamoor Ditto from 13th July 1822 to 12th July 1825	2 11 4	
	Additional Goomastah Hoozoor Cutcherry from 20th October 1826 to 20th March 1827	1 5 1	
	Goomastah Hoozoor Cutcherry from 21st March 1827 to 15th August 1833	6 4 25	
	Sheristadar in Canalapoor Talook from 16th August 1833 to 21st September 1836	3 1 8	
		18 7 6	28 2 14

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Names and Place of Birth	Caste	Age	Talook	Amount of Collections	Pay	Length of Service as Tahsildar in the present Talook	Total length of Service as Tahsildar in this Collectorate	Employment previously to appointment as Tahsildar and length of service in such employment.	Total length of service	Remarks
M. Kistnaroo born at Manloor in Mysore District	Bramin & Le Neeloden pully			137958	112	130	20 4 16	Goomastah in Talook of Tolgrat-lah from 15th October 1819 to 17th December 1823	4 2 3	
								Head Goomastah in Do. of Do. from 18th December 1823 to 31st March 1825	1 3 13	
								Bazzar Magistrate Javah never from 1st April to 16th October 1825	6 16	
								Sheristadar in Talook of Dooor from 17th October to 14th December 1825	1 28	
									6 2 26	6 16
M. R. Venkutlow born at Moolabagalu in Mysore District	Do	45	Poolevendlah	206749	14	148	2 8 16	Moonshee in the Talook Cutcherry at Cumbum from 16th December 1821 to 20th January 1823	1 1 27	
								Goomastah in Hoozoor Cutcherry from 21st August 1826 to 31st January 1828	15 5 10	
								Sheristadar in the Talook Cutcherry at Roychoty from 1st February 1840 to 10th December 1841	1 10 10	
								Sheristadar in the Talook Cutcherry at Nuddenpully from 11th December 1841 to 21st September 1842	9 12	
								Sheristadar in Talook Cutcherry at Chennoor from 22nd September 1842 to 14th August 1843	10 23	
									20 1 4	22 9 16

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Names and Place of Birth	Caste	age	Talooks	Amount of Collections	Pay	Length of Service as Tahsildar in the present Talook	Total length of Service as Tahsildar in the Collectorate.	Employment previously to appointment as Tahsildar and length of Service in such Employment.	Total length of Service.	Remarks.
Trimul Row born at Pedda Nagalaveram in the Zillah of Cuddapah	Bramin	44	Rayachoty	127163 11	100	3 12	3. 12.	Additional Goomastah in Hoozoor from 1st November 1823 to 31st March 1824	8 11	
								Sayer Goomastah in the Talook of Doopaud from 12th July 1824 to 20th November 1825	1. 4 9	
								Additional Goomastah in Hoozoor from 21st November 1825 to 30th April 1826	" 5 10.	
								Goomastah at Poolevendlah Talook from 21st October 1826 to 31st March 1829	2 5 10.	
								Goomastah in Hoozoor from 1st April 1829 to 31st October 1830	1 7 "	
								Goomastah at Poolevendlah Talook from 1st to 30th November 1830	" 1 "	
								Goomastah at Hoozoor from 1st November 1830 to 31st August 1838.	2 9 "	
								Sheristadar at Koilgoontlah Talook from 1st September 1833 to 15th March 1835	1 6 15.	
								Police Ameen at Bunganpully from 16th March 1835 to 25th September 1836.	1 6 10	
								Sheristadar at Poolevendlah Talook from 26th September 1836 to 11th July 1838.	1 9 16	
								Tahsildar at Bunganpully Talook from 12th July 1838 to 6th April 1839	" 8 25	
								Sheristadar at Dewer Talook from 7th April 1839 to 6th April 1844.	5 " "	
								Do. at Poolevendlah Talook from 7th April 1844 to 18th January 1846	1 9 12.	
									21. 8 28	22 " 10

(Signed) J. H. Cochrane
acting Collector

Cuddapah Collector's Office 1st May 1846.

Return

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11th June 1846.

May 1846.—

Name and Place of Birth	Date of appointment	Total length of service as Thasildar in the Collectorate	Employment previously to appointment as Thasildar and length of service in such appointments.	Total length of service
		Rs. a. p.		Years m. ds. Yrs. m. ds. Yrs. m. ds.
Soobah Row Chittoor in No Arcot.	7	14 3 10	Goomastah of the Sholinghur Talook in North Arcot from 1st January 1802 to 31st May 1819 — 17 5 —	
			Scrubnavisso of Dr in Dr from 1st June 1819 to 31st October 1821 — 2 5 —	
			Goomastah of the Sub Collectors Cutcherry in Dr from 1st November 1821 to 25th January 1823 — 1 2 25	
			Peshcar of the Arcot Talook in Dr from 26th January 1823 to 28th November 1828 — 5 10 4	26 10 29 41 2 9
			Writer in the Commissary General's Office at Madras from 1st February 1829 to 30th November 1823 — 3 10 —	
			Assistant Translator in the Sudr Udalut Court in Dr from 1st Decr 1823 to 31st March 1825 — 1 4 —	
			Additional Writer in Dr at Dr from 1st April 1825 to the end of February 1827 — 1 11 —	
			Record Keeper 8th in Malabar from 1st March 1827 to 31st October 1831 — 4 8 —	
			Translator in the Provincial Court Center Division from 1st December 1831 to 31st March 1832 — — 4 —	12 1 — 25 5 4
Gopaulacharry Setty Monegaren the Hillah of Ghelput.	7	13 4 4		

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Amount of Collection in Fusly 1254

Name and Place of Birth	Caste	Age	Talooks	Land Revenue including Moturpha &c.	Abkary Revenue	Sayer Revenue	Sundry small farms and Licences	Salt Revenue	Total length of Service	Remarks	Amt of Collectn Abkary Revenue
				Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	y m d		Rs. a p.
											8150 - -
Sreenevasa Row Chenna samoodrum in North Arcot.	Carnatic Bramin.	52.	Cavery pauk.	17 9 202	3 2 29	500 - -	434 1 8	- - -			

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...on in Fusly 1254.

Sayer Revenue.	Sundry Small Farms and Licences.	Salt Revenue.	Total.	Pay.	Length of services as Thasildar in the present Talook.	Total length of Service as Thasildar in the Collectorate.
Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.
" " "	697 " 9	" " "	113 7/65 13 10	81 " "	9 13 17	23 6 13

Employment previously to appointment as Thasildar and length of Service in such appointment.		Y.	M.	D.	Y.	M.	D.	Total length of Service	Remarks
Sayer Mookruff of the Cana: Kumma Chuttrum Chokain — North Arcot from 16th. August 1811 to 27th. July 1812			11	12					
Hoozoor Goomastah in Dr. from 28th. July 1812 to 11th. July 1813.			11	15					
Hoozoor Sayer Goomastah in Dr. from 12th. July 1813 to 11th. July 1816.			3	"					
Dr. Sayer Swabnavis in Dr. from 12th. July 1816 to 31st. August 1818.		2	1	20					
Dr. Sayer Mooktasur in North Arcot from 1st. September 1818 to 24th. March 1819			6	24					
Dr. Swabnavis in Dr. from 25th. March 1819 to 31st. December 1820		1	9	7					
Thasildar of Venacottah in the Masulipatam Zillah from 18th. August 1826 to 26th. February 1827.			6	12					
		9	11	-	33	5	13.		

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Amount of Collection in Fusly 1254

Name and Place of Birth.	Caste.	Age	Talook.	Land Revenue including Moturpha &c.	Abkary Revenue.	Sayer Revenue.	Sundry small farms and Licences.	Salt Revenue.	Total.	Pay.	Length of Service as Shanbogue in the present Talook	Total Length of Service as Shanbogue in the Collectorate	Employment as Shanbogue and such Appointment
				Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.			
Shamaviah Allegabad in North Arcot.	Tamil Bramin.	55	Trivallum	120056 13 4	5200 . .	. . .	628 8 5	" " "	125885 5 9	108 . .	3 1 1	10 2 16	Semenah of Vung the Shingleput Fa 10th December 18 January 1811 — Do. of the Warag tah in Do. from to 31st May 1811 — Do. of the Sumary in Do. from 6 January 1815 — Jumenah of the Moollah in the Hullah from 3 to 2nd May 1815 — Peshcar of the C Talook in Do. fro to 5th January 18 Desatoun Amu Kalee Koorum 6th January 1816 — Serishtadar of dem Talook 27th Septem January 1820

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Sundry Small farms and Licences	Salt Revenue	Total	Pay	Length of service as Thasildar in the present Talook.	Total length of Service as Thasildar in the Collectorate	Employment previously to appointment as Thasildar and length of Service in such appointment.	Total length of service.
Rs. a P.	Rs. a P.	Rs. a P.	Rs. a P.	Rs. a P.	Rs. a P.		Y. M D. Y. M D. Y. M D.
						Sayer Jummah of the Conjeveram Talook in Dt. from 5th May to 17th July 1820.	2 11
						Sartoum Jummah of the Hoozoor Cutcherry in Dt. from 27th April to 31st July 1826.	3 4
						Surrender of the Thundarvash Talook in North Arcot from 1st July 1826 to 31st December 1828.	2 6
						Peshcar of the Sunty Talook in Dt. from 12th March to 9th April 1829	5 29
						Dt. of the Trivatoor Talook in Dt. from 5th November 1829 to 12th July 1832	2 8 8
						Dt. of the Dt. Dt. in Dt. from 1st February 1833 to 6th August 1834.	1 6 6
						Dt. of Dt. in Dt. from 24th March 1835 to 21st April 1837.	2 29
							14 11 12 25 1 28

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7617. Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

Name and Place of Birth.	Caste.	Age	Talooks.	Amount of Land Revenue including Moturpha &c.	Amount of Abkary Revenue.	Amount of Sayer Revenue.	Collection in Fasly 1255 for point Sundry Small farms and Licences.	Collection in Fasly 1255 for point Sayer Rent.	Total length of service. Y.	Total length of service. M.	Remarks.	Collection in Sayer Revenue.
				Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	R	Y. m.	Y m.		p. Rs. a p.
Streepatty row in the Village of Bellary.	Nizam Shaye Bramin.	46	Sautykur	130634 4 9	8300		19 1 3					
Tirumal Row Vellore North Street.	Ditto	34	Cuddapa: mattum	44067 9 4	2000	1388 9 11						
			Vencatgherry Cotah.	24586 5 1	4400	3285 8						

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Fort St. George

11th June 1846.

Amount of Collection in Fusly 1254.

Name and Place of Birth.	Caste.	Age.	Talook.	Land Revenue including Moturpha &c.a	Abkary Revenue.	Sayer Revenue.	Sundry Small farms and Licences.	Sair Reven	Total length of Service.	Remarks.	Collection in Fusly 12 yr.	Sayer Revenue.
				Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	y. m D.		p.	Rs. a p
Gungadra Row Polary in Cuddapah Zillah.	Nizam Shayee Bramin.	54	Trivatoor	159 176 10 2	2800 " "	" " "	580 6 5	"			"	" " "
Lutchmee Narrasapah Jungum Cottah in the Mysore Division.	Carnatic Bramin.	43	Poloor	107775 - 9	11,300 " "	" " "	724 10 4	" "				

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No. and Date of Birth	Name	Sundry Small farms and Licences.	Salt Revenue.	Total	Pay.	Length of service as Shasildar in the present Talook.	Total length of Service as Shasildar in the Collectorate	Employment previously to appointment as Shasildar and length of service in such appointment.	Total length of Service	Remarks.
		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p		Y. m. D. Y. m. D. Y. m. D.	
54.	Gungarow in Cuddapah	412 9 "	" " "	10/653 54	81 " "	1 8 2	1 8 2	Royasum in the Cutcherry Choultry of the Cornadcottah in the Trichinopoly Zillah from 15th June 1824 to 31st December 1831	7 6 16	
								Magistrate Goomastah in the Hoozoor Cutcherry in the Di from 1st January 1832 to 22nd October 1838	6 9 22	
	Lutchmana Jungam Cottar Myso Dewis							Magistrate Sevabnavis of the Joint Magistrates Office in North Arcot from 5th November 1838 to 31st March 1843	4 3 29	
								Police Tumeen at Arnee in North Arcot from 4th March 1843 to 28th August 1844	1 5 26	
									20 2 3	21 10 5

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Amount of Collection in Fusly 1254 | Amount of Collection in Fus

Name and Place of Birth.	Caste	Age.	Talook	Land Revenue including Moturpha &c &c.	Abkary Revenue.	Sayer Revenue.	Sundry Small farms and Licences.	Total Revenue.	Length of Service.	Abkary Revenue.	Sayer Revenue.
				Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.		Yrs. mos.	Rs. a p.	Rs. a p.
Sreenevasa row Vellore in North Arcot.	Hydrabadee Brahmin.	59.	Sutuaid	7,8,781 12 2	4100 " "	" " "	875 8 6	27		45 " "	" " "

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Collector
Vellore
11th June 1846

Received

7625 Fort St George 11th June 1846.

Advertisement.

Notice is hereby given that unless the demand outstanding against it shall be satisfied the undermentioned land held on puttah tenure in the Village of Arroogoondum-pahndy in the Talook of Vellore in the Northern Division of Arcot will be put up to Auction on Thursday the 20th day of August next at the Collector's Cutcherry. The Auction will commence at 10 O'clock P. M. and will continue until the land shall be sold.

Defaulters Name	Particulars of land				
	No. of Land	Extent	Assessment thereon	Amount of arrears due	
			Cs as	Rs a P	Rs a P
Poodlen Saib	121 122	" 6½	5/5	20	59

1 The land consists of " 6½ as in Nos 121. and 122. and will be sold with all trees standing thereon at the time of sale subject to the Total Assessment of Rs 5-1-5- per annum and the usual conditions of Puttah tenure.

2 Persons desirous of becoming purchasers may attend in person or may depute authorized Agents or Vakeels for that purpose and the purchase made by such authorized Vakeels will be held to be valid in the same manner as if the purchase had been made by the Principal-

3, It is required that such Authorized Vakeels shall state at the time of purchase the names of their Constituents on behalf of whom the purchase may be made-

4, The intention of this condition being to prevent fraudulent Collusion. Notice is further given that in the event of purchase being made under a fictitious name the Deposit made on account of such purchase will be liable to be forfeited to the Government and the land to be resold-

5- The purchaser of the land will deposit 15 per Cent of the purchase money at the time of sale, and give security for the payment of the remainder within Eight days from the Day of sale in Default whereof the land will be sold at the risk of the first purchaser and the Deposit will be forfeited.

6- For further particulars enquire at the Collectors Cutcherry or at the Vellore Talook Cutcherry.

/ Signed / C. C. Lovell.
Acting Collector

North Arcot
Collectors Circuit Cutcherry
Palmanair 3d June 1846

Resolution thereon.

(46-47)

The Board beg to call the attention of the Acting Collector to Para 17 of an Extract from a general letter from the Honorable Court of Directors dated 19th September 1838 - communicated with the Board's Proceedings of the 23d January 1840, Mr Lovell will be pleased to explain the considerations which have induced him to recommend the sale of the land referred to in his letter and to state to what causes the arrears due upon it are ascribable. He will be careful to furnish similar information on all future occasions on which he may recommend the sale of land for arrears of Revenue.

Read the following letter.

To T. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George

(48)

Sir,

From the Collector of Salem &

Stating the Enamdar in which Samaul Shaw referred to by the Board on the 22d May last succeeded to the Yeomiah within mentioned

With reference to the 2d Para of your letter of the 22d May 1845 stating that "on reference to the List of Yeomiahs which accompanied Mr Hargrave's letter of the 15th January 1815 and the Board's reply of the 27th April of that year to which reference is made in the Certificate which accompanies your letter under acknowledgment the name of Samaul Shaw is not found the Board therefore

therefore wish to be informed in what year this person succeeded to the pension and under what authority and in what Register it is entered" I have the honor to state that in the last para of Mr Hargrave's letter the name of Sungaul Shaw is entered but from a list called Duryafft Fryfeut Putty dated 3d June 1820, found among the Records in my office it appears, that Sungaul Shaw died 7 or 7 Years previous to the date of that Putty or List and that although there was no Sunnud granted in the name of Samaul Shaw yet he was allowed to draw the said pension owing to his being the son and heir to the Deceased.

Regarding the 3d Para of the 2d communication under acknowledgment requiring me to state "what means of subsistence the sons of the last incumbent have and how they have been maintained since the 28th October 1843, the date of the father's death" I beg to state, there are Kyrat Enam lands entered in the Cymash accounts of the Villages of Chettygaroy &c. in the Darumpoory Talook in the name of Sungaul Shaw as noted in the margin. After the demise of the Original Enamdar Sungaul Shaw the Enam lands were in the Enjoyment of his widow 1, Daughter 2, and son in law, the above named Sungaul Shaw, 3, but after the death of these 3 Enamdars the lands were put in the enjoyment of Samaul Shaw's Son

	Acres		As		Rs	a	p
Pooyal	205	13	2		131	13	6
Sungal	21	4	2		88	4	9
	226	17	4		220	2	3

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son of Tungaul Shaw who mortgaged a large portion bearing Teerwah Rupees 150-13-3, and sold a spot bearing teerwah 29 Rs 4-7 retaining the remaining portion paying teerwah Rupees 40-4-7. on the death of Tamaul Shaw this small portion descended to his eldest son Booden Beg - his other two sons Mohud deen Beg and Nadar Beg enlisted for the Cavalry. The widow of Tamaul Shaw and their unmarried daughter are now under the protection of the above Booden Beg -

Salem Zillah
Darumpoory Collectors Cutcherry
21 April 1846

I Signed J. W. E. Lockhart
Collector

(48-49)

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.

To The Collector of Salem,

To the Collector of Salem -
Inft Cons 11th June 1846

Sir,

Referring to your letter of 21st April last Para 2, regarding the Kyrattee lands Acres 226-17-4 entered in the Pymash accounts in the name of Tungaul Shaw, I am Directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will inform them to whom those lands would seem to have been originally granted by what authority for what purpose and in what manner they came into possession of Tungaul Shaw. You will also be pleased to state who are the present holders of those portions of the lands which have been alienated by Tamaul Shaw and under what circumstances such parties obtained them -

2. You would further explain in what manner Kyrattee lands have hitherto been treated in your District and will forward to the Board with translations any documents which may be produced by the parties concerned in support of their claims giving your own opinion as to their authenticity -

Inft Cons 13th February 1815
Inft Cons 31st July 1815

The Board wish to know whether Tungaul Shaw's Tomb mentioned in Mr Hargraves letter of 15th January and in the enclosure in his letter of 16th July 1815, is still kept up or any expense incurred by Tamaul Shaw's family on account

Revenue Board Office
Fort St George 11th June 1846

I Signed J. Pycroft
Secretary

Read

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Fort St George 11th June 1846.

Read the following letter

To J. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George

(50)

Sir,

From the Collr of South Arcot
Recommending the renewal of an Enam in the name of Hyderally consequent on the demise of his father a joint holder of a Cutbaddy Enam in the Villages of Tallook submitting original & translations of papers connected with the case
A No 1

Para 1. The late Nabob of the Carnatic, it appears granted in lieu of Wages an Enam to one Shaik Hoosain who served as a guarde = Jemedar in his Dunbar of Cawnies 10 Annas 13¼ of land yielding an annual Teerwah of Rupees 151-9-6. On the demise of the said = Jemadar the late Collector Mr Hyde, in October 1818 by a Takeed renewed the grant in the names of his Sons Gulam Mahudeen and Jainoolabdeen, the former dying in December 1845 his second son Hyderally requests that his name may be entered in the Enam Ac = counts in place of his father jointly with his Uncle Jainoolabdeen -

2 The enclosed Memorandum will shew the several members of the family = dependent on this Cutbaddy Enam - Altho' the Cutbuddy Enams were declared by Government to bear full assessment on the death of each in = cumbent whose name stood in the list prepared in the year 1806, yet the late Collector Mr Hyde for the reasons stated in his report to the = Board, renewed it in the names of the two = Sons of the original grantee as mentioned above -

B 2d Decr 1806

C 26th Septr 1816 para 4

D 26th April 1845

The recent orders of Government prohibiting the Collector from renewing any grant without their authority I have thought it proper to bring = the circumstance to the notice of the Board -

No. 2.

Memorandum of Papers produced by Syder ally in support of his Claim to a certain Cuttuddy Enam to be renewed in his name

No. 1. Copy of an Enayetnamah attested by the Seal of the Cazee at Arcot granting to one Shaik ally the 10 cs 13 3/4 of land in lieu of his wages in consideration of his long service as a guard or Jemadar dated 12th Rujeb of the year Hijree 120-

No. 2 Hindooree Sunnud of Mr. London for the produce of Fusly 1200 to be given to Shaik Hussain Jemadar dated 24th May 1791

No. 3. Copy of a Takeed issued by the late Collector Mr. Hyde under date the 26th October 1818 renewing the grant of Enam in the name of Gollam Mohuddeen and Gamoolddeen until further orders.

/ Sd. / W. Du Davis
Collector

No. 3

Translation of a Copy of an Enayetnamah issued under the Seal of Cazy at Velloopooram to Summary P. Nowyenah Row Moostadar of Velloopooram Purganah dated 18th Rujub of Hijree 120-

In consequence of Jemadar Shaik Hoossain having served the Circar for a considerable length of time, the land mentioned in the enclosed Memorandum is granted to him for his maintenance in lieu of pay. You will therefore not only give him the land in the Talook, and authorize him to cultivate and enjoy the

the same, on condition that he should attend the Circar when required, but also help him with timbers &c as specified in the Memo for building a house, and purchasing Bullocks &c required for two Ploughs.

/ True Translation /
/ Signed / W. Du Davis
Collector

Memorandum

Shewing the Extent of land &c sanctioned to be given in the Velloopooram Purganah to Shaik Hussain Jamidar the son of Shaik Enam in lieu of pay

His annual pay at 4 Pagodas per Month is Pagodas 48-

Paddy for the same at 4½ Collums per Pagoda is Collums 216

Ryots share or Loodewarum for the above is Collums 132.

Two Crop land assessed at 4 Collums per Pagoda is Cawnies 10 — 12 3/4 —

Twenty Pagodas for purchasing (20) Bullocks &c required for two Ploughs

/ True Translation /
/ Signed / W. Du Davis
Collector

No. 4.

Translation of a Takeed No. 36 issued by James London Esqre Collector to Nonyana Row Moostazer and Sudagherry Row Ameen of Velloopooram Purganah, dated 24th May 1791 or 4th Vaseepooram Purganah

Shaik Hussain Jamidar

having produced a certificate under your Seal and the Signature of Moozoomdar stating that he had enjoyed 10 12 3/4 fb Cawnies of Nunjah land granted

granted to him as Cuttoody Maunieem in lieu of his pay by the Nabob Wallajah as specified in his Cowjetnamah you will if it is proved that he had enjoyed the same up to the end of last fusly Viz.t 1199 cause him to serve at the Cutcherry and permit him to enjoy the said Cuttoody Maunieem like others for the fusly 1200—

/Signed/ James London
/True Translation/
/Signed/ W. D. Davis
Collector

No. 5—

Translation of an Yakeed issued by Co. Hyde Esqre late Principal Collector of South Arcot to the Tahsildar of Vurdavor under date the 26th October 1818—

In an Arzee addressed by you under date the 22d Instant you have reported that Sheik Hoosain Cuttody Semedar died on the 8th leaving behind him two sons, one of whom is in the receipt of a Pension You are therefore hereby directed to continue the 8 Cawnies of Nunjee Enam land in the Varathy cooperum Vea two Villages which were formerly in the enjoyment of the deceased Jamidar

Semadar, in the possession of his son until further orders—

The Thasildar of Trivady has also likewise been directed to continue to the said individual the 2 and odd bawnies of wet land situated at Anyaloor in that Talook—

/True Translation/
/Signed/ W. D. Davis
Collector

Ordered that the foregoing letter be sent in reply—

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To The Collector in the South Arcot

To the Collector in the South Arcot

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
11th June 1846.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 15th Ultimo reporting the death of Golam Mohideen joint holder of a Cuttoobady Enam of 10–13¼ in your District and in reply to direct that the share of the Enam enjoyed by the deceased may be resumed and the land charged with full Turm Assessment. The share held by the surviving Enamdar Saincolabdeen is to be continued to him for life—

/Signed/ T. Pycroft Secretary

Read the following letter

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To T. Pycroft Esquire
Secretary to the Board of Revenue—
Fort St. George

From the Collr. of Tanjore

Sir,

I have the honor to submit the Statement prepared in the usual form of the results of the biddings for the Aberry rents for fusly 1256 and to request the confirmation of the Board for making over the rents to the first highest bidders when they conform to the terms of security and in cases when they may fail to the second highest—

The aggregate amount of the highest biddings for 1256 exceed by Rupees 3,850 — those of 1255—

Tanjore
Negapatam
5th June 1846

/Signed/ H. Lew. Montgomery
Collector

Statement

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Fort St George

Statement Shewing the amount of Offers made for the Parison with the Amount Rent of Fusly 1255 in

11th June 1846

Albarry Rent in each Talook for fusly 1256 in com-
the Province of Tanjore

Amount Rent Sanctioned for Fusly 1255	Names of the first highest Bidders	Amount offered	Fusly 1256 Comparison Increase	Fusly 1256 Comparison Decrease	Names of the Second highest Bidder	Amount offered	Comparison Increase	Comparison Decrease
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Rs a ℔		Rs a ℔	Rs a ℔	Rs a ℔		Rs a ℔	Rs a ℔	Rs a ℔
Trivady 8650	Ammyapillay of Candyore	7500		1150	Ammyapillay	7500		1150
Papanassom 4000	Punchanada Pillay of Tanjore	4100			Ramalinga Pillay and Amoondalinga Naick of Tanjore	4080	80	
Trivalore 2530	Ramasawmy Nadan and Soondarum Nadan of Cadoovetty	2700	100		Vencataramarayoo	2680	230	
Keevalore 9500	Ramien of Nagore and Chedumbara Nadan of Caudumbady	10530	250		Chedumbara Nadan of Aliyamungalum	10520	1020	
Tritarapoondy 2400	Chokalinga Nadan of Cadumbady and Saudapilly of Keevalore	2490	1030		Nagappa Nadan of Pope = tonay	2480	80	
Tuttoocottah 2900	Appowpillay	2960	90		Appowpilly	2960	60	
Manmargoody 2850	Cunnya Naick and Soobapadyachy of Manargoody	3300	60		Vyapoory Coodooretty	3290	440	
Kunnillum 3600	Ramien of Nagore and Chedumbara Nadan of Cadumbody	3810	430		Vencataramarayoo and Sunnoogapillay	3800	200	
Codavaspel 1750	Pakeery Nadan of Poodoocody	1810	210		Nayaga Nadan of Vereundamungalum	1800	50	
Myaveram 7500	Bauboo Naick of Myaveram appoo Naick Saminanda chitty of Cornad and Vyapoory Naick of Mallyady	6620	60		Vencatasalapilly of Ordanad	6600		900
Coottalum 1100	Savery Nadan of Chayanapoorum Chowrymoottoo Nadan Coottalum and Saminada Chitty	1020	880		Appoo Naick Myaverum	1000	100	

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2980 Rupees were bid for the Talook by Cader Sail he having failed to make good the usual earnest money the proposal of the 2d Bidder had been entered

Fort St. George

11th June 1816.

Fusly 1256.

Amount Rent sanctioned for Fusly 1255.	Names of the first highest Bidders	Amount offered	Comparison Increase	Comparison Decrease	Names of the second highest Bidders	Amount offered	Comparison Increase	Comparison Decrease
1	2	3				7	8	9
Rs a p		Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p		Rs a p	Rs a p	Rs a p
Combaconum 11800 " "	Balakistna Naick Goorao, Vapa Naik and Cudymoottoo Nadan	11300 " "		500 " "	Shashyengar of Combaconum	11000 " "	" " 800 " "	
Shealy 7500 " "	Iyacunnoo Nadan of Sandan, Goody Paryanadan Nagamoottoo Naik of Nesspatone and Sotty a Nadan	8820 " "	1320 " "		Veeraragoo Nadan of Shealy and Armoogamadan	8810 " "	1310 " "	" " " "
Parallum 4500 " "	Vellia Nadan	5000 " "	600 " "	" " " "	Madasaumy Nadan of Shealy Paryanadan	4850 " "	450 " "	" " " "
Valungaman 2000 " "	Appoosulley of Valungaman and Schellapah Nadan	2290 " "	290 " "	" " " "	Gopalanadan of Pachakady	2280 " "	280 " "	" " " "
Tranquebar 3524 " "	Vellia Nadan	5530 " "	206 " "	" " " "	Paryanadan Soobroyapillay and Madoosawmy Nadan	5320 " "	1996 " "	" " " "
						82170 " "	6196 " "	2950 " "
78924 " "		82780 " "	6406 " "	2610 " "				
	Net Increase " " "		3856 " "			Net Increase	3246 " "	

Tanjore 5th June 1816.

(Signed) W. Co. Montgomery
Collector

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Resolution thereon The Board authorize=

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=the arrangement proposed in the fore=

=going letter for the disposal of the Akkarry

Rents in the Tanjore District for

the ensuing Fasly 1256.

The Collector will be

pleased to advice the Board of the offers

which may be finally accepted if

they differ from the highest biddings

now reported and will hold those

bidders who may fail to make good

their engagements responsible for any

loss which may be thereby

occassioned.

Read

Read the following letter

To. J. Pycroft Esqr

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St George

(54)

S.t

From A. P. Onslow Esqr } Para 1. A Bill of sale=

Collr of Trichinopoly. }

Registering orders regarding the transfer of a Porupoo Maunicem land of an entire hamlet called Coombacoorchy in the Village of Alundoor in the Conad Talook.

having been brought to me for Registry=
I made enquiry concerning the tenure on which
the lands to which it refers are held,=
and I find that they consist of an entire
hamlet called Coombacoorchy attached
to the Village of Alundoor in the Talook
of Conaud containing Cawnies 220=
Goolas 53 1/16 of Nunjah and Poonjah land=
paying a favorable Assessment of Rs 121=6
and supposed to yield a Revenue of about
200. The hamlet is entered in the accounts
as a Porupoo Maunicem and would at the
time of the Survey to have been in the pos=
=session of one Jyenacharien, and to have
been transferred thro' different hands by
purchase. the present possessor resting=
his claims on the several Bills of Sale
he himself having purchased it for the
support (he alleges) of a charity Choultry.

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2. The hamlet is not noticed in any of the Registers of Grants in my Office and as the transfer of Lands exempted from Assessment or favorable assessed clearly ought not to be made without the Board's cognizance I have the honor to solicit their orders.-

3 I have not hesitated upon one or two occasions on which transfers of Poroopoo Mauriems from the descendants of the original grantees have been made to impose the full assessment upon them and such cases have been noticed in my Summahbundy Reports- but it would seem desirable that I should receive the Board's express orders upon the subject.-

Trichinopoly District.
Iyaloor, Coll.r's Cir.- Cutcherry.
9th April 1846- - - - - -

(Signed) A. P. Onslow
Collector

Resolution thereon

54-55

As there is no authority in any of the Registers of Grants in the Collectors Office for the Poroopoo Mauriem of Coombacoorchy brought to notice in the above letter and as the Mauriem has been transferred from the descendants of the original grantees the Board are of opinion that full Assessment should be at once imposed upon it and direct that the Collector take measures Accordingly.-

Read

Read the following letter-

To, J. Pycroft Esq.re
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St George-

56

Sir

From J Blackburne Esq.re
Coll.r of Madura.

In reference to your communication of the 23d March last of the Board's approbation for surrender of Maroongapoory to the Zemindar at the close of the Fusly I have the honor to submit a revised pay roll for the reduced Establishment of the Talook under the new name of Ramgherry- Head station Manapar to take effect at the same time, being a reduction of 107 Rupees a Month, or Rupees 1284- per Annum.-

Madura. - - -
14th May 1846-

(Signed) J. Blackburne
Principal Collector

Establishment

1846

Cook of Marcongapoory after re-
came to its Proprietor in the Districts of
commencement of Fusly 1256 under the new name

		7				1	7	7	not be reduction
Peons	40	46	175			40	46	175	in labour or extent
									of Surface; but it
	46		200	8		46		200	8 is probable much
									more care will be
									called for.

Total 85 565 12 107 73 458

Average Revenue of 10 years or from Fusly 1245 to 1254	8607	6	5
Annual Sibbendy charges at 565 Rs pr Month	6780		
		Per Centage	7 13 3
Deduct amount portion of Revenue of Marcongapoory Zemindary from the above average	2642	0	5 2
Net average of other 4 Ramnad Polliem Zemindaries	6017	5	3
Annual Sibbendy charges at 458 Rs pr Month	5496		
			9 2 2

Madura
12th May 1846

EE pr (Signed) J Blackburne
pr Collector

Ordered

Fort St. George 11th June 1846

Ordered that the fore-
going letter be submitted with the fol-
lowing address.-

To, The Chief Secretary to
Government
Sir

(56-57)

To the Chief Secy to Government.
Submitting a letter from the Principal Collector of Madura forwarding pay roll of the proposed Establishment for the newly formed Ramagherry Talook in his District and recommending that it may receive Sanction.
Rec'd 13th & Cons 15th June 1846.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward for the orders of the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying letter, 14th May 1846. from the Principal Collector of Madura, submitting pay roll of the pro-
posed Establishment for the newly formed Ramagherry Talook in his District.-

2- From this it will be seen that the surrender to be made at the end of the current Fasly of the Maroongapoory to its Proprietor will reduce the extent of the Talook of the same name hi-
ther to under the Management of the Revenue Officers of Government by nearly one third. The Principal Collector has proposed to form the remaining por-
tion into a new Talook to be named the Ramagherry Talook and has submitted for sanction

Ten years average Revenue of Maroongapoory - 86595-6-5.

2d of Maroongapoory Zemindary - 26422-5-2

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a List of Establishment for its
Management shewing a reduction
below that of Maroongapoory of
Rupees 107 per Mensem or Rupees
1284 per Annum.-

3- It will be observed that
the charges for the establishment of the
Maroongapoory Talook bore to its average
revenue a per centage of Rupees 7-13-3.
that proposed for Ramagherry exhibits
a per centage of Rupees 9-2-2 but the
establishment in both cases includes
the Police Servants at a Monthly
Pay of 200 Rs. 8- and as the Police
Management of the Maroongapoory
Zemindary still remains in the
hands of the Officers of Government
that portion of the charge does
not admit of reduction under the
new arrangement. The charges for the
revenue Establishment of Ramagherry
Rupees 257-8- per Mensem shew
a per centage on its average
outturn.

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outturn of only Rupees 5-2-2.-

4. The Board beg to recommend that the arrangement proposed by the Principal Collector and the Establishment submitted by him for the Ramagherry Talook may receive sanction.-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George----
11th Jun 1846------

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary-

Read the following letters.-

To

T. Pycroft Esquire

Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

From the Princl. Collr. of Madura

Sir,

8th May 1846.

I have the honor to forward the Sub Collector's explanation of the complaints of the Ammianaikanoor Zemindar in his petition No. 358 of 1846, herewith returned, as I led you to expect in my letter of the 20th Ultimo, & which the Board's Proceedings of the 7th Instant shew they are awaiting.-

(Signed) J. Blackburne
Principal Collector

To

Fort St. George 11th June 1846.-

A

To the Principal Collector of Madura

Palany 8th May 1846.-

Sir

Para 1 I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 20th Ultimo requiring information on the subjects contained in the petitions† from the Zemindar of Ammanaikenoor dated 5th of March last to the Board of Revenue and to state that the point complained of by the Zemindar appears to be the charge of interest and that at an unauthorized rate upon certain balances due by his estate when the arrears should have been collected by the Servants appointed to that Duty; whilst it is neither customary to appoint such Servants nor to charge interest on arrears.- and further that he hopes the Cushak village Oratat may be released from attachment.-

† English and Tamil

2.- With reference to the custom of appointing a Goomastah &c. or sibbendy for the Collection of arrears in Zemindaries except where the same is very trifling is I believe invariably adopted - because the Circar Servants can scarcely attend to their own duty which is amply sufficient for them, if they have an occasional Zemindary coming on their hands through the inconvenience or inability of the Proprietors to meet the Circar demand.-

3. The Zemindary of Amanaikenoor has for the last 10 or 12 years been frequently under Sequestration, sometimes twice in the same year,- occasionally for 2 years at a time. It appears by a letter of Mr. Sub Collector Wroughton dated 29th of January 1835 that Amanaikenoor had

had been under attachment for the two previous years- and the village of Panicham to which the Zemindar alludes in his petition was therein particularly referred to. The Sub Collector even at that time considered the Cause of the Zemindar's difficulties to arise chiefly from his neglect to repair the tanks &c. in his Estate.-

4. The Zemindary appears to have been under Sequestration during the early part of 1838. On the 25th of July of that year the then Sub: Collector reported that the Zemindar had jufted the property of certain Ryots for balance due during Fuslies $\frac{1245}{1835/6}$ and $\frac{1246}{1836/7}$ and stated that in consequence of the Sholavandan Zillahdar from the other Division having been sent to Collect the balances, the list of Sequestrated property was forwarded to the cutchry of the Principal Collector, whose opinion was also requested on the points therein alluded to- In reply to which on the 31st Idem the Sub Collector was informed that the disputed demands should be referred to the Tahsildar of Nellacottah for enquiry and report- Panicham was on the same day directed to be jufted for a balance of Rupees 882-14-4- still due by the Zemindar for Peshkush and the other villages released- This Balance having been forthwith paid Panicham was also restored.-

5- On the 6th July 1839 the Sub Collector

Sub Collector was informed that on account of balance of Rupees 1000- the whole Estate was jufted and the Zillahdar of Sholavandan had been sent as Peshkar- The balance however was immediately paid by the Zemindar and the Estate restored but the Panichamdar lands were directed to be measured and taxed at the Fysul time- On the 10th of January 1840 the said village was directed to be sequestrated and fish rent collected according to Custom- Three months afterwards the whole Zemindary was directed to be assumed but the Zemindar immediately paid up the balance and the Estate was restored on the 23d Idem- Again on the 24th of June of the same year the whole Estate was sequestrated and the Principal Collector appointed the Amins to whom the puttahs when ready were to be sent- Six days afterwards or on the 30th of June the Principal Collector was informed that the Ryots had presented petitions stating that the Zemindar had demanded rent for more land than the Ryots enjoyed or possessed of all which a list was forwarded and on the 2d of July the matter was directed to be conducted according to the remarks made by the Sub: Collector- On the 29th of July the Estate was restored in consequence of the Zemindar having paid up the balance due- So that in all the above cases it may be observed that almost immediately after Sequestration of the Estate, the Zemindar had paid down the

the Balance and that too without any collection being made on the said account from the cultivators or others by the Peshkars.-

6. The village of Panicham to which the Zemindar refers is a large and wealthy village by reason of the facilities offerred for rice cultivation by means of Tanks filled up from the Vyghy but these have been allowed to be filled up with earth and sand the sluices choked, the whole being thereby rendered useless.- The Ryots not willing to relinquish their last chance, kept up the cultivation by wells- which did not prove always sufficient and much of their crops have occasionally dried up. The exact amount is not known and of course in such matter no implicit confidence can be placed in the Ryots own statements.- But whilst the Zemindar would allow no remission for crops perished through his own niggard economy and mistaken interests he went so far as to demand fish rent when he had been the real cause of there existing no water in the Tank and therefore no fish.- The ground occupied by the Ryots did not differ in extent from that in their possession during former years so much perhaps as might have been Expected. but the cultivators suffered severely from obtaining a less number of crops, and a diminished harvest from each, on account of the substitution of clear well water for the richer and more plentiful

Supplies

Supplies of the Vyghay stream.- The Nunjah cultivation in 1252 was less than half what it was in 1245. In the former year it consisted of Guntahs 1091 1/10 assessed at Rupees 2474 7- 9 and in the latter year 509 11/10 assessed at Rupees 1062-4-

7. The Zemindar had faithfully promised the ryots that he would expend 500 Rupees in clearing the large Tank but had failed to do so.- The Zemindar was reminded of this on the 6th and 22d of June 1842; but nothing was done.- On the 13th of March 1843 the Sub Collector was directed to inform the Zemindar, by notice, that if the arrears of Peshcush were not paid up the regulations would be enforced.- The Sub Collector duly served a notice allowing the Zemindar 5 days on which occasion he paid only 1/3 of the Sum due.- a notice was served for the remainder on the 7th of April and the Zemindar forthwith paid the balance.- On the 28th of June however the Zemindary being again in arrears the village of Panicham was once more sequestrated.- the Zemindar considered he had a right to place a tax on the Tamarind trees growing on the road side, in which arrangement the

Cultivators

Cultivators declined to acquiesce, as they did not enjoy the produce Taxes were laid on flower gardens hitherto exempt.- In certain accounts Examined there were discovered erasures and the ryots of certain lands complained of being deprived of the Wooloos maf. whilst others not entitled to it enjoyed the reduction.-

8 On the 22d. of July 1844 the Zemindar and the Ryots appeared before the Sub Collector and each party entered into an arrangement, making certain mutual concessions. The ryots waived their claims to shavy and the Zemindar again promised faithfully to lay out 500 Rupees on the large tank on which however to the present day not one Rupee has been Expended and probably was never intended to be- A period was however allowed to the Zemindar for the payment of his balances but failing in this his Estate was assumed on the 9th of September- 1844- No examination into the cultivation for Fusly 1253 A.D. 1843/4 had been made by the Zemindars servants and this was directed to be done forthwith.-

9. On the 22d. October the Zemindar complained that the Amina did not collect the Balances. The +amina was ordered to explain, and on the 28th reported

+ The same individual who I believe wrote the present petition of the Zemindar-

reported that the Zemindar would give no detailed account of the Cultivators holdings, but merely the total he considered as leviable, that the true balance on the Ryots was very trifling, but that to Servants, workmen and others he had given land as enam and now demanded of them full taxa- That these people refused to pay, as they possessed the signature of the Zemindar, duly Exempting them- No puttahs had ever been issued, but the land given in lieu of Wages- They stated that they had not cultivated the lands themselves, but the persons who had duly paid the money to them- To other individuals lands on cowl tenure had been given but now the Zemindar wished to annul those grants, and to obtain the full tax- The amina further complained that the Zemindar demurred to give him the requisite assistance, whilst the Ryots declined payment till puttahs had been received The Natamgar of the Cushah Aratat also complained to the amina of being interrupted by the Zemindar in the performance of his duty & the Tahsildar has complained that he could not obtain replies from him-

10- The Estate being under the Circar

Fort St. George 11th June 1846.-

Circar management during Fusly 1252 / 1842/3 puttahs were made out and issued to the Ryots but the Zemindar having made the settlement during the Two previous and following Fuslies (1253) issued no puttahs to the Ryots. till august 1844. The Ryots promised to pay directly they received their puttahs. This was the duty of the Zemindar but was not done; so that if any delay occurred in realising the Amount of rental to which he might consider himself entitled, the Zemindar has himself alone to blame.- Had I sequestrated the whole estate doubtless the arrears would sooner have been cleared; but I knew the Zemindar was in difficulties and the retention of the whole would have greatly embarrased him; but whilst the sequestration of only a part gave the Zemindar leisure and opportunity to meet other demands for necessary or private expences it seemed to make him comparatively negligent respecting the payment of the Peshkush, for he did not regularly pay even the current instalments.-

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11. With respect to the rate of interest charged it is in precise accordance with the regulations, and whilst on the Peshkars used to receive 5 Pagodas a Month Salary the present Amins only has 3 Pagodas. The Zemindar is desirous of obtaining charge of the Cushah Oratat, probably because he has private cultivation there to the Amount of about Rs. 1150 but until the balance due by him is paid up there appears no necessity for such indulgence.-

12. The demand for interest was perfectly just and the amount fixed by the Principal Collector perfectly correct, The Zemindar could scarcely have been unaware of his liability to receive such a demand, since all that has been said above will tend to shew his desire to pay off his balances immediately his Estate was sequestrated for the same- It will also tend to shew his real ability to pay up those arrears.-

13.- The Amanai Ranoor Estate yields a profit of cent per cent to the Proprietor, and the Zemindar in his present petition, stating his desire to be relieved from the interest demanded, and I believe fully paid, declares that if he had known that interest was to be charged, he would have managed to pay up the arrears; and in an

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arzy dated the 4th Instant he states that if I will restore him his villages he will "through fair or foal meand." collect the money and pay up the Balance.- This however, Especially on such terms, I am not disposed to attend to.- In order to obtain a similar restoration of his villages the Zemindar stated in an address to me dated the 21st March last that he had remitted all the balances due by him to the Treasury but which on Examination was discovered to be perfectly false.# I cannot therefore recommend the restoration of the Cushak Orata till the balance has been paid by him, or the slightest abatement in the amount of interest demanded of the Proprietor of the Amanai Kenoor Estate as the liability for such demand is the best guarantee for punctual payment &c.

14.- I beg to return the enclosures in your letter of the 20th Ultimo.

Pillany
Sub Collr's Office.
8th May 1846.

(Signed) W. Elliot
Sub Collector

Proceedings thereon.-

The Principal Collector is requested to furnish the Board with a Statement shewing the amount of Interest with which the Amanai Kenoor Zemindar has been charged the balance on which it has accrued and the mode in which it has been Calculated.-

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The sum of Rs. 4635-5-11 was then due by him.-

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To
J. Pycroft Esqr.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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Sir,

From W. Blackburne Esqr.
Principal Collector
of Madura.

I have the honor to submit that the Curnom of Covilungalum in Seroonmungalum has a service Maunium of 61 7/16 Coolies of Poonjah land, tasced at Rupees 76-7-8-10 5/16 of which tasced at Rupees 11-9-10 only is arable, whilst the remainder Viz 64 50 10/16 Coolies tasced at Rupees 64-13-10, is unfit for cultivation partly from a jungle stream finding its way thro it and partly from the spread of its water, which rendering the land totally unremunerative has been abandoned or left waste during the last 20 Years.-

Recommending other land in lieu of Curnoms Maunium destroyed and occupied by a Stream in Covelungalum of Seroonmungalum.-

2. There are other waste lands in the Village, available for the purpose and taking into Consideration the hard and laborious work that Village Officers have to perform and the greatly reduced means of Remuneration, I beg to recommend on application from the Curnom, supported by the Tahsildar, grant of fresh lands of

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the same classification and taxe, in lieu of the former to exctent of 50 10/16 Goolies taxed at Rupees 64-13-10 out of lands of from 10 to 15 years waste as per Memorandum annexed and request sanction.

From 10 years waste ——— 25 11/16
——— 12 ——— Do. ——— 12 7/16
——— 15 ——— Do. ——— 12 7/16
50 10/16

Madura
27th May 1846

(Signed) Jn. Blackburne
Principal Collector

Proceedings thereon.

(60-61) Under the circumstances stated the Board beg to submit the recommendation of the Principal Collector for the favorable Consideration of the Most Noble the Governor in Council.

Read the following letters.

To T. Pycroft Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

(62) Sir,

From R. D. Parker Esqre. Acting Collector of Tirunelly ——— I have the honor to inform you that, in consequence of one of the Calingalahs of Vatrap Village preceding Tank

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Tank having been destroyed by freshes during December 1843, it was necessary to construct a Dam and excavate a Channel for the passage of water in January 1844.- The sites of these 2 works occupied 2 44/64 Chains of Poonjah land forming part of the Manniem allotted for the support of Anoomanthareyer Covil Pagoda of the Vatrap Village which was thus rendered unfit for future Cultivation and the remaining portion of the same Manniem Viz.t Chains 17/32 being also required to supply fresh Earth and Sites for Brick and Chunam Kilns for the work, I request the favor of your obtaining for me the sanction of the Board of Revenue to grant some Poonjah land waste for 5 years in lieu of the 3 45/64 Chains occupied as above stated.

Tirunelly
29th May 1846

(Signed) R. D. Parker
Acting Collr.

Proceedings thereon.

(62-63) Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the consideration and orders of the Most Noble the Governor in Council, with the recommendation of the Board, that Poonjah Land of equivalent value waste for five years be granted to Anoomanthareyer Covil Pagoda of the Vatrap Village, in

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in lieu of that taken up for the purpose described by the Acting Collector-

To T. Pycroft Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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Sir,

From R. D. Parker Esqre.
Acting Collector of Tinnevelly - - -

I have the honor to report the sales of the Abkary and Hill Rents of the District for the ensuing Fusly 1256 which took place on the 26th and 27th ultimo-

Reporting the sales of the Abkary and Hill rents for Fusly 1256 and requesting sanction for the final acceptance of the proposals now tendered.-

The accompanying Statement shews the amount of the Rents for the present Fusly in Comparison with the offers now made for 1256 together with the names of the Renters

3 For the Arrack rent of the District, excluding of the Towns of Palamcottah and Tuticorin, the highest offer is Rupees 11970 which is 170 Rupees more than the amount obtained for the present Fusly, and it is made by Veeracoomaren Pauken the present Renter of the present Fusly- The same individual and 2 others have also made the highest offer for the Arrack and Toddy Rents of Palamcottah and Tuticorin amounting to 6680 which is in excess of present year-

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The highest offer for the Toddy Farms of the rest of the District is Rupees 4,000 the same as the rent of the present Fusly- the bidders being 7 Individuals named in the accompanying Statement-

The Hill Rent of Brummadasum was disposed of for Rupees 180 being Rupees 30 less than the amount of present year- no better offers being forthcoming- The only offers received on the 26th and 27th Ultimo for the Hill Rents of Tencausey Vadacaray, Nanguenharry and Vallyoor being far less than in the preceding five years as shewn in the Marginal State-ment Viz. Rupees 900 for the two former and Rupees 600 for the two latter and there being no competition the sale was stopped and orders have been issued to the Tahsildars to ascertain and report whether better offers can be obtained, the result will be reported hereafter to the Board-

Fusslies.	Tencausey and Vadacaray Rs.	Nanguenharry and Vallyoor Rs.
1251	1215	21.00
1252	1205	1500
1253	1100	1000
1254	1100	1025
1255	850	1130

5 The several renters have made a Deposit for one Month's Rent and also tendered security for the due performance of their Contracts, I have hereafter the honor to request the early sanction of the Board for the final acceptance of the proposals now submitted-

(Signed) R. Du Parker
Ag. Collector.

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Statement shewing the amount of offers for the Rent of Alkarry and Hill

Taloocks.	Average Collection of 3 years from Fusly 1253 to 1255.	Fusly 1255 Names of the Renters.	Beriz	Decrease
	Rupees		Rupees	Rs. a.
Alkarry				
Arrack rent of the whole District with the exception of Palamcottah & Tutacorin	11800	Veeracoomaroo Pani-	Kerij 11800	Arra. u
Arrack for Palamcottah	3300	Veeracoomaroo Panikew	Sufpancee 3300	the c. u
Do. for Tutacorin	1333	Do. Do.	Do. 1600	c Arr u
Toddy for Palamcottah	900	Do. Do.	Do. 900	D u
Do. for Tutacorin	733	Do. Do.	Do. 800	Tot u
	21066		21400	D u
Streenally pootoor		Rama Iradaw and	Vellya 976	Str u
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Vullgoor	u	Sena Iradaw and	Chowry 1379	and
Brimmadasum				Ne u
Nellianbulum		Mootoor Iradaw	562	=ch.
Punjahmal	q	Permaul Iradaw		u
Tenkansey			1,000	
Streengoontum	"			u
Total Toddy	4193		25400	
Grand Total including Arracks and Toddy Rents	25259			30
Brimmadasum	232	Coolallum Chitty	240	

Tinnevelly

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Proceedings thereon.

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The Board sanction the acceptance of the offers reported in the foregoing letter for the Arrack and Toddy Farms and the Hill Rent of Brummadasum for the ensuing Fasly. 1256 amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 25830- Besides the deposit of one Months Rists the Renters should be required to give good Collateral security for at least 3 Rists more.-

2 The Board will await the further report promised regarding the Hill Rents still undisposed of.-

Read

Read the following letter.

To J. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

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From J. C. Wrenghton Esqre Collector of Coimbatore - States that he has directed a further supply of 100- Candies of assorted Sandal Wood to be sent to the Collector of Sea Customs at Madras for the purpose of being disposed of by Public Auction -

Adverting to the 2d Para of your letter dated the 26th March last relative to the sale at the Presidency of the Sandalwood forwarded from this District, I have the honor to acquaint you as no offers have to date been received for the purchase of the quantity now in stores at Bloomingly, I have directed a further supply of 100 one hundred Candies of assorted Sandalwood to be forwarded to the Collector of Sea Customs at Madras for the purpose of being disposed of by Public Auction.

2 Fifty Carts have been employed for the transport of the same the hire of which at 14 Rupees each amounts to Rupees 700- which together with the charges incurred on the former occasion will be submitted in due course for the

the Sanction of Government.

Coimbatore
May 22nd 1846.

(Signed) J. C. Wroughton
Princl. Collector.

Ordered that the following
letter be sent in Consequence.

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To The Acting Collector of
Sea Customs.
Madras

Sir,

To the Acting Collector
of Sea Customs -
Madras - - -

I am directed by the Bd. of Revenue to acquaint you, that the Principal Collector of Coimbatore has despatched to your Care one hundred Candies of Sandal=wood, for the purpose of being disposed of by Public Auction at the Madras Sea Custom House.

Informing him that the Principal Coll.r of Coimbatore has dispatched to his care 100 Candies of Sandal Wood, and requesting him on the receipt of this Consignment, to adopt the necessary measures for effecting a sale at the first favorable opportunity.

To Bd. of Rev.e 23 inst.o 26th March 1846.

2 On receipt of this Consignment you will have the goodness to adopt the necessary measures for effecting a sale, at the first favorable opportunity, reporting the result for the information of the Board.

3 In your last account sale the Board observe a charge of one per Cent on account of Carriers fees, referring to Para 2 Extract Minutes Consultation

in Con.n 12th December 1844.

Consultation 23rd November 1844.

Copy of which has been furnished to you by the Principal Collector of Coimbatore the Board would suggest for your Consideration whether the expence might not be saved and the sale be conducted free of charge by one of the Servants of your Establishment.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George -
11th June 1846.

(Signed) Jo. Pycroft
Secretary

Read the following letter.

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To J. Pycroft Esqre.
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

Sir,

From J. L. Blane Esqre.
Collector of Canara

With reference to the Proceedings of the Board of the

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The 28th Ultimo, Means the honor to inform you that Mr. Forbes left the District on the 3d of April and returned on the 8th May 1846 having thus exceeded the leave for one months granted to him on the 13th March last by 5 days which is the period for which he applied for additional leave.—

Collectors Cutcherry
Mangalore - -
6th June 1846 — } [Signed] T. L. Blane
Collector

Proceedings thereon — Resolved that the foregoing letter be forwarded for submission to the Most Noble the Governor in Council with reference to the order of Government dated 19th May last No. 566.—

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Read

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Read the following letter.

To
J. Lyeroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

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From the Collector of Madras — Explaining the grounds upon which the arrangements proposed in a letter of date the 22d January last consequent on the death of the late Sheristadar are submitted for sanction and recommending that in the event of its being considered objectionable to grant the Increase proposed for the Head Accountant, 75 Pr 70 it may be added to the pay of the Accountant of the correspondence Department.

Sir

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of an Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 30th Ultimo, calling upon me to submit, with reference to the orders of Government therein adverted to, further explanation on the subject of the arrangements, consequent upon the death of the late Sheristadar, proposed in my letter of date the 22d January last.

It is requisite to premise

2. that, when I proposed the arrangement in regard to Mr. John D. Vaz, I was fully convinced, in my own mind, that it was the "best for the public interests," and the only one whereby I could, at the same time, "forward the claims of a very meritorious public Servant," from my own experience for the last 19 years or that I have been in the Office, coupled with the highly favorable mention of his services made by my Predecessors, which I shall now proceed to advert to as briefly as possible.

Mr. Smalley in Para 6 of his letter

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letter to the Board dated 18th November 1831, observed that "the duty he (Mr. D. Vaz) has to perform is much more arduous than that of any Officer of the same description under a Collector in the interior." He further observed that "in such an Office as the Collectorate of Madras, uniting such various Offices, his services, which are performed with great diligence and ability are invaluable," and after giving some detail of his duties, he concluded as follows:-

"I would not have ventured to have made this strong representation but from thorough experience and the fullest conviction of its expediency in furtherance of the public interests."

4. Mr Robertson in Para 13 of his letter dated 6th January 1837, stated that, from 1st March 1816 to 31st March 1819 Mr D' Vaz was employed in the Office of the Collector of South Arcot; from April 1819 to 31st July 1820 in the Company's warehouse at Madras, and from 5th May 1821 in this Office, the period of his service up to 31st December 1836 being shewn to be 20 years and 27 days i.e. is now nearly 30 years. In Para 14 Mr Robertson observed that Mr D' Vaz's knowledge of his duty is equalled by an assiduity &

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and promptitude in rendering assistance, which make that knowledge more readily available," adding," of what use he must have been under the circumstances in which the Office at one time was may readily be conceived from Mr Sealey's observations that, with the exception of the Head Writer and Record Keeper there must have been great want of competent knowledge in the several heads of Departments." He remarked, in continuation, "Had not Mr D' Vaz's services been found of so much value in this Office, he could, I have learnt during the period that I was absent on the Nellgherries on leave, have obtained a situation of Rupees 250 in another Office, but the acting Collector was unwilling to dispense with his services, and, on my return, I should have much regretted to find that he had left the Cutcherry. His advancement, retarded solely by his usefulness here, did not in consequence take place." Having recommended that his pay might be raised from Rupees 175 to Rupees 225 per mensem, Mr Robertson concluded his observations in the following words:-

J. B. 8th June 1836

"I must state that the amount now proposed is the very lowest that I conceive I could make without injustice, and that

that, if I were guided by what, in my opinion, Mr. D'Vaz might lay claim to, I should recommend the amount of Salary which he could last year have obtained in another Office."

5. In an acknowledgment, bearing date the 9th. August 1843, Mr. Robertson stated as follows.—

"In the discharge of his (Mr. D'Vaz's) very laborious duties, I ever found him anxious to promote the good of the Office and the interests of Government, and I, at all times, received from him the most active and efficient assistance, which I have now much pleasure in acknowledging."—

6. It is unnecessary to lengthen this address by further quotations from the numerous other testimonials to his usefulness, as well as to his claims to promotion, now on record; but I must not omit to state, in this place, that it is known to me, that had Mr. D'Vaz been allowed to accept the situation of 250 Rupees per mensem referred to in Mr. Robertson's letter of the 6th. January 1837, he would have drawn a salary of Rupees 350 from January 1841 whereas his pay here since the 1st. April 1837, has been only Rupees 210 per mensem.—

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7. The facts thus stated, by one Collector, in 1838 that Mr. D'Vaz's services were "invaluable," and that the "strong representation" made to obtain a favorable consideration of his claims to an Increase of Pay was "from thorough experience and the fullest conviction of its expediency in furtherance of the publics interests," and, the further representation, by another Collector, in 1837, that his "Knowledge of his duty is equalled by an assidinity and promptitude in rendering assistance, which make that Knowledge more readily available" and again, in 1843, that "in the discharge of his very laborious duties (he, the Collector,) ever found him anxious to promote the good of the Office and the interests of Government," and that he "at all times received from him the most active and efficient assistance," sufficiently attest the correctness of the statement in Para 3 of my letter of the 22d. January last that Mr. D'Vaz has always performed not only duties strictly his own as being attached to his situation, but also those in the executive Departments of the Office, by readily and cheerfully co-operating with the heads

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of them, whenever he could spare time for the purpose."

8 I have therefore reason to believe that the Board and Government will be satisfied with the grounds on which I recommended that Mr. D'Vaz might, "at once, be allowed to do the duties of Sheristadar in succession to the last incumbent, in addition to the most important part of his present duties, on a Salary of Rupees 250 per Mensem"

9. It is, at the same time material to the question to bring to the notice of the Board that, since the dispatch of my letter of the 22d January, the arrangement therein suggested has actually been in force, although not in point of pay. In practice Mr. D'Vaz has, from that that date, really done the duties of Sheristadar in addition to the most important part of his own duties, D. Venkatasoobiah Braman having invariably acted only under such instructions as were, under my authority, communicated to him, from time to time, by Mr. D'Vaz with the view of giving effect to his plans. I cannot but confess that I have myself, on various occasions pursued the course

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of proceedings suggested by Mr. D'Vaz in difficult matters, from the date of my appointment, being impressed with a due sense of the advantages resulting therefrom. Since January last, Mr. D'Vaz has been enabled to give freer scope to his intentions and in the performance of his duty, to bring to light, and with my concurrence, to correct, so many abuses, some of which were undetected for years, that I feel no hesitation in affirming that the Office has not, for a considerable period, been in as efficient a state as it is in now which in an ordinary season, must necessarily add to the collections of each branch of Revenue. I would that they would make this report unnecessarily long. I shall however, be prepared to submit the same if called upon to do so. The circumstances I have alluded to will, I trust, satisfactorily establish the fact that, by the union of the two Offices, none of the checks against abuse will be thereby lessened or removed.

10. Mr. D'Vaz being, alone, considered competent to discharge the duties of

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of the two Offices with benefit to Government from his long experience, and his practical knowledge of the business of the different Departments. (the details of which require to be most minutely attended to) I beg leave to add that it was not my intention, when I submitted the arrangement that his successor should be put upon an equal footing with him.—

11 From what I have already stated the Board will, I am led to presume, see the necessity and public advantage of the arrangement proposed in regard to D Venkatasoobiah Brahmin, who is to act as he does now, under Mr. D'Vaz in the general management, and to be in charge of the Ab Karry Department.—

12 As regards the Head accountant I recommended that an Increase of Pay might be given to him chiefly in consideration of his being an old public servant, and partly on account of his being required to perform some additional duty; but, if the arrangement, in his case, be deemed objectionable, I would take the liberty to submit that the Increase proposed for him, Rupees 20, be added to the pay of Mr. R D'Monte of the correspondence Department, who now receives only Rupees

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Rupees 40 per mensem and whose claims it has long been my intention to bring under favorable consideration of the Board when an opportunity offered, as he is regular in his attendance and has always endeavoured to make himself useful. He has been in the Office since the year 1824, and is well acquainted with the records. Should he be required to do the additional work which I intend to assign to the Head accountant, the advantage to this Office will be that Mr. D'Monte will, thereby be enabled to qualify himself for the discharge of more important duties hereafter.—

/Signed/ J. A. Maddeston
Collector.

Madras
2d May 1846

Ordered that the following Minutes be recorded.—

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Minute of Mr. D'Vaz Senior Member of the Board of Revenue

Minute.

The correspondence now brought to the notice of the Board by the third Member who took part in the discussion at the time and has resumed his seat since the date of

Vide letter to Collr of Madura 14th March 1844
From D° 15th March
Board's Proceedings 21st March

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of our letter to Government clearly shews that Mr. D'Vaz is not a proper person to be the Head of the Office, under any denomination. Mr. Hudleston's explanation is altogether insufficient, and his failure to shew the grounds of his recommendation of the arrangements might be given as a reason for withdrawing the support of the Board. Immediate measures should I think be taken to fill the Office of Sheristadar and to restrict Mr. D'Vaz to his proper duties. He seems to receive the full amount of his

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13th. May 1846.

/Signed/ G. D. Drury.

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Minute by Mr. Maclean Actg. Second Member of the Board of Revenue.

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Being unable to concur in Mr. Drury's condemnation of Mr. D'Vaz I have carefully perused the correspondence herewith circulated, of which the following is the substance.—

16th December 1843.

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Mr. Hudleston in his reply to the first Petition from the Toddy Shop keepers, states that it is the old established usage of his Office to include in the settlement all Cocoanut Trees which have put forth flowers and in support of his statement he submitted

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translations of several accounts and offers explanation thereon in Paras from 3 to 9.

Paras 10 to 12 shew the grounds on which an opinion had been expressed by Mr. Robertson to the effect that "the returns of the sellers of Toddy would admit of the imposition of an increased rate of tax," the net revenue on the quantity on which they made no payment of any kind to Government being estimated at Rupees 44,843-14-11 per Annum.

Para 15. shews that the parties who signed the Petition were very few in number compared with the number of those who were opposed to them.

Para 61 January 13th. 1846.

To Collector of Madura 27th February 1846.
From D. 2d March "
To D. 7th March "
From D. 5th March "
To D. 8th March "
From D. 8th March "
From D. 9th March "
To D. 11th March "
From D. 16th March "
To D. 18th March "
From D. 20th March "
To D. 21st March "

In 1844 in consequence of a second

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Petition from the Toddy Shopkeepers, the correspondence noted in the margin took place. The Board directed one Armoogum Moodelly's Garden to be re-examined, to ascertain whether "unproductive Trees were not assessed to the revenue," which formed the main subject of the complaint in the previous Petition.

Mr. Hudleston submitted on the

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4th March a report of the examination made by the Nail Sheristadar and Sayer Superintendent, according to which report the number

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of Trees in excess of the number included in the settlement was only 14, but in Para 2 he shews that the actual excess was 23 and in Para 3 he observes that it is admitted by the Petitioners themselves that it is the usual practice to assess to the revenue all Trees with flowers.

6. On the 9th March, Mr. Huddleston submitted an original report addressed to him by several persons, who, in the presence of a servant of one of the petitioners, and a few others of his party, discovered, on due examination, that 21 Trees had the whole of the flowers cut off and that they were, therefore in such a state as would induce those unacquainted with the circumstances to exclude them from the number of Trees liable to be assessed to the revenue; this deception having been attempted by the Petitioners to reduce the number of productive Trees, and thereby to support their complaint that the settlement was not made consistently with justice.—

7. On the 14th March, the Board forwarded a third Petition from the Toddy Shopkeepers, along with the depositions of the new examiners, Viz., the Naib Sheristadar and Sayer Superintendent, taken before the Board observing that they tended most materially

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to confirm the Statements of the Petitioners that the report forwarded by the Collector to the Board was not in the state originally submitted to him, but that a part had been omitted, which essentially changed the character of that report.—

Para 2. 15th March. 8. Mr. Huddleston on his reply explained that the only persons who were in his room when the first report was received by him were the Naib Sheristadar, the Sayer Superintendent and Mr. D. Vaz. He states that the Petitioners were not there, nor were they at the time within the compound of the office, and observes that their allegation in regard to Mr. D. Vaz, which is unsupported by any part of the Depositions transmitted by the Board must therefore, necessarily fall to the ground.—

* At about 8 o'clock P.M. on the 2d March.

9. He then goes on to state that it appeared to him that the passages which "omitted in the Examiners second report" required further elucidation, because none of the records which had previously come before him showed that the Trees with fresh flowers were "totally unproductive of Toddy or fruit during a year or half".— His remarks that if he had submitted such an opinion formed from the peculiar "own experience" without comment, the natural inference would have been that he had

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'twas pleased to grow very angry with the parties i.e. the new Examiners and rejecting their account ordered copy of that prepared by the Collector to be made out and handed to the Collector &c &c

concurred in its accuracy. Neither would he have been justified, he says, in urging any objection thereto without some lengthened enquiry from persons well qualified to speak to the usage on that point, and he, in consequence, suggested to the Naib Sheristadar and Sayer Superintendent a careful perusal of his report to the Board under date the 16th December 1843, and such original accounts of the Abkary Department as they might wish to inspect, to enable them to ascertain correctly whether or not they were right in what they had advanced, it being his sole object that, if they could shew any documentary evidence in corroboration of their Statement, their report might be submitted without any observations from himself other than that it was correct, but he adds that they, delivered to him, on the 4th March, a fresh report omitting the opinion in question. Hee in proof of his Statement, calls attention to the fact that the Naib Sheristadar himself in his deposition of the 9th of that month declared before the Board that he (Mr Hudleston) had observed "Do not make "any alteration in your report from what "had been now said, but take the correspondence and

and examine it well and make a satisfactory report." The examiners second report actually exhibits the result of what they saw, and that report has been sent to the Board. All that they were asked to do was to ascertain whether they were correct in the "opinion" offered by them, which they stated was founded upon their own experience."—

11. From what is stated by Mr Hudleston so far back as 16th December 1843. it would seem that there was no new system introduced into the Toddy Department by which "the Toddy Renters were "called upon to pay for more Trees than "were actually productive."—

12. With reference to the observations of the Board that the services of Mr D. Wiz the Head Clerk, who appears to have been on this occasion "permitted to interfere in a most improper manner, and whose conduct is "viewed by the Board with severe "displeasure, should for the future be "restricted to his proper Department" it is only requisite to refer to Mr Hudlestons Letter of date the 2nd Instant, in which he

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he quotes the opinion of former Collectors whereby it is clearly enough proved that Mr. D'Vaz has always performed not only duties strictly his own as being attached to his situation, but also those in the executive Departments, by readily and cheerfully co-operating with the heads of them whenever he could spare time for the purpose —

13. It was in March 1844 that an enquiry into the Shopkeepers complaint was entered into by the Board, and in the year ending on the 11th July 1844 or Fusly 1253 the Increase of the Toddy Revenue, compared with the collections of the previous year, amounted to about 30,000 Rupees. It may be supposed from the sentiments of the Board recorded in Para 12 of their Proceedings of date the 21st March that this Increase was the result of encroachments on the rights of the people "arising from an "excess of zeal on the part of the Revenue Officers," but in the year immediately succeeding it, that is in Fusly 1254 ending on the 11th July 1845, the increase was still greater, Viz: Rupees 35,000 although a re-examination of the Gardens from which Toddy is produced was made in

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1844 under the Superintendence of Mr. Maltby, confided to him, as ordered by the Board. —

14. Again, if "encroachments on the rights of the people" were supposed to have been made by the Collectors' Servants, in the years 1843 & 44, it is not clear how the Board in their Proceedings dated 29th July 1844 - No. 321, took upon themselves to recommend to Government that the rates of daily tax on the different Classes of Toddy Shops should be raised as follows - —

	old rate	Proposed rate
1st Class Shop	36 Fanams	45 Fanams
2d Ditto	27 — "	33½ — "

15. The foregoing details go to shew that whatever may have been the part — which D'Vaz had in the matter referred to, — he was an instrument in the hands of his Superior, acting under the immediate orders and eye of the latter that his services had his full — sanction — and that both in their respective — positions were influenced by a Zealous desire to promote the Public interests - At most Mr. D'Vaz's alleged misconduct amounted to a breach of official decorum, or trespass on the Department of another Servant — a — misdemeanor, under the circumstances

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venial in itself, and one without which the exigencies of the public service could not on particular occasions be carried on. To deprive an old Public Servant, of Mr. D'Vaz's standing and possessed as he is of the highest testimonials in opposition to the opinion and expressed wishes of his superior at the head of the Collectorate, of the legitimate reward of his lengthened services, is by no means consonant with my ideas of justice and fairness either towards the individual himself, or the requirements of the Public service. —

16. I entertain no doubt but however useful Mr. D'Vaz had proved himself as an assistant in a subordinate capacity, he will be found two fold more so when he has the weight and responsibility of Head Manager or Sheristadar of the Collectorate thrown on him. I am not aware of the existence of one of those cases of impeachment of the rectitude of D'Vaz's conduct and therefore willing to support Mr. Hudleston's arrangement qualifying it however as one applicable to Mr. D'Vaz himself, and as a reward for acknowledged past services. from

(Signed) J. D. Mac

15th May 1846.

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Minute by Mr. Elliot third Member of the Board of Revenue.

Minute

I was in hopes that a perusal of the Board's Proceedings of the 21st March 1844 circulated with reference to my pencil note on the Collectors' letter of the 2d instant would have satisfied every one of the inexpediency of the arrangement proposed by Mr. Hudleston. —

In the investigation out of which these Proceedings arose, the Board had the assistance of their second Member than whom no one was more competent to form a judgment on the point at issue. Mr. Robertson satisfied the Board from the accounts of the office produced by him independent of his own knowledge and long experience, that the practice against which the Toddy Drawers complained was an innovation, that it was unjust in principle, that the rule of the office had always been to conduct such matters through the agency of the Sheristadar and that on this occasion he had been entirely passed over. The evidence received by the Board, much of which it was impossible to take down showed that the whole affair had originated with Mr. D'Vaz no doubt actuated by zealous

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desire to increase the revenue, but it further appeared that when the proceeding was questioned he had endeavored to support his view by inducing Mr. Hudleston to send up a garbled report of the Inspectors sent to examine one of the Gardens, both of whom afterwards prevaricated grossly in their evidence before the Board whilst endeavoring to conceal the prominent part taken by Mr. D'Vaz in the transaction.—

The Board were so convinced of the undue influence exercised by Mr. D'Vaz in the Collectors office that they at first determined to lay the whole matter before Government but finally they adopted a milder course in the hope that by forbidding the interference of Mr. D'Vaz and his creatures in the details of the Revenue Department and by bringing the Head Sheristadar into his proper position a recurrence of such abuses would be prevented.—

At the same time [illegible] to mark their sense of the manner in which the question under consideration had been [illegible] they transferred the settlement of it from the Collector and Mr. D'Vaz to the Deputy Collector and the Head Serishtadar and it was on Maltby's proceedings that the subsequent arrangements

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N.B. The Board were at one time inclined to order these persons to be dismissed the service - one of them Augustine Soward is now recommended for promotion in the pending arrangements - Mostos Moodelly the principal Agent employed in carrying out the new Rule was shortly after dismissed from the post of Abkary Superintendent by order of Government for dishonest conduct.—

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arrangements of the Abkary were based.—

I must further observe that Mr. Robertson whose former connection with the Collectors office had left a kindly impression on his mind towards Mr. D'Vaz (and it is only necessary to refer to the letter of the 2nd instant to observe the reliance placed on that favorable opinion) invariably bore testimony to his zeal and ability so long as he was kept in his proper place. But he likewise declared that he considered him altogether unqualified to exercise administrative duties or to interfere with the other departments of the Office as he had recently been doing.—

The Board may not be aware that very soon afterwards another charge of improper interference in the affairs of the Collectors Office was brought against Mr. D'Vaz, the investigation of which was entrusted to Mr. Maltby whose report although furnishing no direct proof against Mr. D'Vaz left an unfavorable impression on his mind of that person's conduct, which was specially noticed in Extract minutes Consultation 25th November 1844 - It was on this occasion that Mostos Moodely the Abkary Superintendent who had been the chief agent in the Toddy

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scheme was dismissed the service.—

From a consideration of all these circumstances I feel assured that Mr. D'Vaz's employment as the native head of the Collectors' office, would operate injuriously both on the interests of Government and on those of individuals—I propose therefore that we should state to Government that on further consideration we think the proposal brought forward by Mr. Budleston to be objectionable because it could not be carried into effect consistently with the maintenance of the checks hitherto found necessary in the office—I am further of opinion that the Board should exercise a more than usually vigorous control over the selection of the individual to succeed the late Serishtadar, and that they should satisfy themselves that he is a person able to maintain the independence of his position in the present state of the Collectors' Cutcheries

20th May 1846—

/Signed/ W. Ellis

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Minute by Mr. Golding dissenting Member of the Board of Revenue

Minute

I have perused with attention the correspondence connected with the proposed appointment of Mr. D'Vaz to the office of Manager in the Cutcherry of the Collector of Madras, and observe that the Sub-

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so far from furnishing grounds against the arrangement proposed by the Collector to make Mr. D'Vaz the Head of the office, point out that the claims of that individual cannot be passed over without injustice.—

The objections urged against Mr. D'Vaz has reference to the part he took in the assessment of certain Toddy Trees in the year 1844—The whole matter is contained in the Papers noted in the Margin.— Certain Parties complained before the Board that Cocoanut Trees in blossom had been included in the Settlement contrary to custom—The letter from the Collector dated 16th December 1843 with the Statements of actual examination and Settlements for several years shew that the allegation of the Petitioners was unfounded and that it was the custom to include in the Settlement Trees in blossom.—

On a Subsequent Petition presented to the Board the Collector was directed to have a certain garden named examined—The Collector accordingly deputed the Nuib Sheristadar and Sayer Superintendent to make the requisite examination—The report of these two Servants was presented to the Collector who gave it

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back to them for re-consideration. with
reference to their remarks about Trees in
blossom, and told them that Mr. D'Vaz would
give them any further information they may
require from the English Records - The rep
was then presented to the Collector without
omission of the observation regarding Trees in
blossom - The modified report was forwarded
to the Board. —

Mr. D'Vaz has always taken an
active part in every department of the
Collectors Cutcherry and it appears from
the testimonials of character given by every
Collector of Madras for years past that
the general business of the Office has
been chiefly carried on with his assistance
The Board in their Proceedings dated 21st
March 1844. admitted that the object of in-
-cluding Trees in blossom "is doubtless
"to increase the Revenue" and in regard to
Mr. D'Vaz they directed that his Services
should be restricted in future to his proper
Department - No Fraud or concealment of
facts are apparent in the case as regards
Mr. D'Vaz - on the contrary the part took
by Mr. D'Vaz under the orders of the
Collector was to counteract the erroneous
impression which the report of the stat

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and Sayer Superintendent was calculated
and no doubt was intended to convey an

The report and modified
report are clearly exhibited, in juxta
position in the Proceedings of the Board
quoted above, the part of the original
report which was subsequently omitted
being shewn in red Ink. No practical
man can hesitate to conclude, from
the wording of the latter part of the
remarks that the Nail and Sayer
Superintendent wished to convey an
impression that Trees in blossom ought
not to be assessed. The letter from the
Collector dated 15th March 1844. Para 5
in connection with the Statement of those
two individuals demands attention —
The explanation throughout afforded
in this letter appears to me satisfactory —

I observe that Mr. Robertson
recommended that Mr. D'Vaz should
be appointed as unconvenanted assistt
in the Office of Collector of Madras
and that the Board observed in reply
that the repeated recommendations
in favor of this person left no
doubt in their minds of his being

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a very meritorious public servant—
It is also to be borne in mind that
Mr. D'Vaz has given up prospects of
promotion elsewhere at the requisition
of the Collector who considered
his services were required in his
Office.—

For the reasons stated above
I think Mr. Hudleston's arrangement
should be supported by the Board—
a support which Mr. Hudleston at
Head of the Office is fully entitled
to expect under the circumstances of
the case. The proposed distribution
of Labor requires modification: By trans-
ferring the charge of the Records
to another writer Mr. D'Vaz will be
relieved from duties which being
performed by a separate and inde-
pendant Department will facilitate
business and at the same time afford
check: This and the appointment of
a Sub Manager is all the Check
that occurs to me to be necessary.—

27th May 1846. (Signed) J. Goldingham

Ordered

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Ordered also that the follo-
wing letter be sent in consequence.

To The Chief Secretary to
Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Board
of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of
Extract Minutes of Consultation of the 14th
April last calling upon them in reference
to their Secretary's letter of 12th February
1846 to state the grounds on which they
suppose that Mr. D'Vaz can discharge
the duties of Sheristadar of the Madras
Land revenue Cutcherry in addition to
the most important part of his present
duties — whether by the union of the
two offices any checks against abuse
will be lessened or removed and whether
the arrangement be meant to be per-
manent or to be applicable solely to
Mr. D'Vaz himself. The Board are also
requested to explain more fully the
necessity and advantage of the Collec-
tor's proposed plan in respect to the
two other parties who would be affected by it.

2. In reply to one of the points of

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the requisitions now under acknowledgment the Board beg to state that the arrangement was intended by them to apply to Mr. D'Vaz personally and even as regarded him to continue only so long as the Collector's Office shall remain on its present footing. On the other points on which the Government has required more complete information reference has been made to the Collector whose answer is herewith submitted. It will be seen that Mr. Hudleston after dwelling upon the high opinion entertained by himself and his predecessors of Mr. D'Vaz's zeal and ability has stated in proof of the competency of that Officer to discharge the increased duties proposed to be assigned to him, that he has actually performed those duties since the dispatch of the Collectors' letter of 22d January last. He has further, Mr. Hudleston observes brought to light many irregularities hitherto undetected; and has considerably increased the general efficiency of the Cutcherry thus showing that no checks against abuse would be lessened or removed by the union of the two Offices in his person. The Collector has also explained the reasons which induced him to recommend an addition to the duties as well as to the salaries of D. Venkata Soobyah and P. Augustaswamy Moodelly.—

3. From the reasons stated

D. Mayor 6th June

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Mr. Hudleston the Board do not doubt that Mr. D'Vaz is fully equal to perform the duties of the Sheristadars Department in addition to the principal part of those which he has hitherto discharged as Head Clerk and Recordkeeper but after more mature consideration, they cannot but admit that it may be open to question, whether the union of the more important functions of those two Offices in the same individual, may not eventually have the effect of weakening or impairing the Checks, which have hitherto existed in the Madras Cutcherry, and which have resulted from those duties having been lodged in separate hands. With this impression the Board cannot Continue their support of Mr. Hudlestons proposal, but would prefer that the Collectors establishment should remain on the same footing on which it was prior to the decease of the late Sheristadar and that Mr. Hudleston should be requested to nominate a successor to that Office at an early date. Under these circumstances it becomes unnecessary for the Board to discuss the minor arrangements regarding D. Venkatasoobya and P. Augustaswara Moodely Suggested by the Collector as these were dependant on the adoption of the more important part of the proposed measure already adverted to.—

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4. I am however instructed to add that in the view of the Collectors proposed arrangement taken in the last para the acting 2d and Officiating Member do not concur and that as the subject has been matter of much discussion, the different Members have recorded their sentiments in separate Minutes.—

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George 11th June 1846

(Signed) T. Bycroft
Secretary

Read the following Statement

Statement

7698 Fort St. George, 11th June 1846.

Statement exhibiting the quantity of Salt in Store available for exportation to Calcutta on private trade at each of the Sea Custom's Office of Export in the District of Madras on the 4th instant.

Places at which Salt is Shipped	Quantity of salt available for exportation in the year 1845	Quantity already exported	Quantity remaining to be exported	Quantity actually in store and ready to be exported	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	
	Maunds	Maunds	Maunds	Maunds	
Ennore	186.259	89.541	96.718	96.718	Besides the quantity entered in the 5th column, 3.128 Maunds of the newly Manufactured Salt of the present Season have been already removed to the platform at the Ennore Depôt.

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Madras 6th June 1846

[Signed] J. A. Huddleston
Collector

Ordered

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(76-77) Order thereon.

Ordered to be recorded

Read the undermentioned Statements.—

(78) From the Collector of Masulipatam.— Forwarding Statements shewing the selling prices of the several kinds of grain up to 10th May last.—

(79) From the Collector of Nellore.— Statement shewing the prices of the principal kinds of grain up to 31st May last.—

(80) From the Acting Collector of the Nth Div. of Arcot Statement shewing the prices of the several kinds of grain sold up to 20th May last.—

(81) From the Collector of Salem.— Statement shewing the average bazar wholesale prices of grain up to 20th May last.—

(82) From the Collector of Malabar.— Statement shewing the prices of the several kinds of grain up to 20th May last.—

(83) Order on the 5 above Statements.— Ordered to be recorded

(78-83) From the Collector of Nellore.— Read register of Endorsement passed by him on petitions referred by the Board during the Month of May last.— Ordered to be lodged in the Office.

(84) Order thereon.— Resolved that the following

(84-85) letters be dispatched.—

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To The Chief Secy. to Govt.

To
The Chief Secretary to
Government

Sir.

With reference to the order of Government under date the 20th November 1835. I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit the enclosed Memorandum and to request that the Documents therein specified may be printed at the Fort St. George Gazette Press according to the accompanying Forms.—

In Cons. 23d November 1835.

2. The quantity of Paper required for the purpose is hereunto transmitted.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary.

Memorandum

		Number of Copies	Quantity of Paper Quires	Sheets	
1	Salt Rowanahs in Tamil	40,000	416	16	Country Paper
2	Do Do Telugoo	30,000	312	12	
3	Do Do English	15,000	156	6	
4	Extra Revenue Statement	200	8	8	Medium

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary.

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Fort St. George 11th June 1846.—

To
The Chief Secretary to
Government.

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Sir,

To the Chief Secretary to Government

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the information of the Most Noble 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 to 28th February 1846 of fasly 1255 compared with the Collections in the same period of fasly 1254.—

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Abstract B shews a Net Increase in the aggregate of Rupees 5,55,235-12-1¾ resulting from a Net Increase of Rupees 6,81,442-12-9¾ in the Collections of Land Revenue and a net Decrease of Rupees 1,26,207-0-8 in the Collections from Extra Sources of Revenue.—

Increase in the Collections of Current	8,33,071-6-11	
Deduct Decrease in the Collections of arrears	1,51,628-10-1¼	
	6,81,442-12-9¾	

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
11th June 1846.

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary
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Fort St. George

Collections of Ordinary Revenue in the Several Districts under the Mad

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Current	Total	arrears	Current	Total	arrears	Current	Increase	Decrease
	4	5	6	7	8	9		
	4,42,249 2 6	4,26,652 3	56,698 9 1	66,433 12 4	44,617 4 9	174,567 5 1		
4 "	4,05,732 4	3,83,874 " 2	23,374 0 10	11 58,761	4 11 1	22,968 8 10 5	" " "	
12 7	4,17,134 3 3	3,82,814 11 "	34,845 9 10	10 42,660	4 10 4	77,506 9 5	77,819 8 2	
1 8	4,06,879 13 4	3,98,779 4 1	20,850 7 9	" 31,328	6 13 1	" " "	43,709 11 4	
13 8	4,84,279 15 9	4,27,635 7 4	55,539 0 9	5 64,307	6 " 9	29,319 6 6	129,476 10 "	
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14 "	6,26,010 4 6	8,13,542 3 4	8,210 3 1	1 56,445	7 3 4	5,969 10 4	" " "	
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5 4	8,69,542 8 7	5,77,402 2 7	6,087 1 4	6 8,186	11 6 8	" " "	9,915 13 3	
5 7 3	8,09,045 14 2	6,74,852 7	7,687 2 0	2 3 8,362	5 4 10	" " "	8,313 4 2 11	
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7 11 10	12,54,500 15 6	17,722 5 2	11,001 5 7	15 8 11,178	8 0 4 10	" " "		
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4,89,6 30 3 10/2

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Presidency from 12th July 1845 to 28th February 1846 of Fasly 1255 Compared

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Land Revenue

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Total	arrears	Current	Total	Increase	Decrease
10	11	12	13	14	15
2,19,184 9 10	" " "	" " "	" " "	2,19,184 9 10	" " "
2,29,688 10 5	" " "	47,806 1 8	47,806 1 8	181,882 8 9	" " "
1,25,526 1 7	" " "	" " "	" " "	1,25,526 1 7	" " "
43,709 11 4	137,302 11 7	" " "	137,302 11 7	" " "	93,593 " "
1,58,796 1 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	1,58,796 1 "	" " "
14,508 12 10	43,274 15 9	" " "	43,274 15 9	" " "	28,766 2 11
1,80,202 13 7	" " "	" " "	" " "	1,80,202 13 7	" " "
5,969 10 4	" " "	67,522 11 6	67,522 11 6	" " "	61,552 12 2
1,87,230 8 "	46,162 4 3	" " "	46,162 4 3	1,41,068 3 9	" " "
9,915 13 3	60,846 15 2	" " "	60,846 15 2	" " "	50,931 1 11
8,31,342 11	115,974 12 3	" " "	115,974 12 3	" " "	32,840 9 1
8,14,19 " 4	69,574 8 11	" " "	69,574 8 11	1,18,447 5 "	" "
13,749 9 5	2,868 1 6	" " "	2,868 1 6	10,881 7 11	" "
2,12,206 6 11	5,991 7 7	" " "	5,991 7 7	2,06,241 5 4	" "
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				12,21,070 1 11	5,39,42 " "
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				66,14,212 12 9	1,06,5 " "

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with the Collections of Fusly 1254.-

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	Fusly 1254			Fusly 1255			Increase			Decrease			Fusly 1254			Fusly 1255		
	16			17			18			19			20			21		
1	1	12	5	4	3	15	2	9	3	5	15	"	4	0	6	1	10	9
2	6	1	3	6	8	10	"	6	3	7	7	8	1	"	2	4	0	9
3	9	7	8	1	7	8	"	7	9	0	3	6	"	"	"	"	"	"
4	2	1	6	7	8	5	2	10	3	5	2	2	4	"	"	1	3	5	4	3	8	13	2	"	"	"	2	3	5	4	2	2	"	2	2	8	4	1	1	8
5	2	0	2	4	1	0	10	1	2	3	4	1	7	13	11	3	1	7	0	7	3	10	"	"	"	6	1	0	1	4	1	4	7	0	7	3	9
6	2	3	8	3	9	1	5	9	2	3	0	2	5	4	8	"	"	"	"	8	1	3	6	13	9	2	13	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
7	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	15	0	6	0	13	7	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
8	2	1	9	0	6	1	8	1	1	9	1	0	2	2	9	7	"	"	"	2	8	3	3	8	4	6	1	8	1	3	5	4	1	2	5	6	6	4
9	2	8	8	1	7	3	2	3	9	7	5	8	9	6	2	10	9	4	1	0	3	11	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
10	8	5	0	8	12	"	1	8	2	4	1	8	"	9	7	3	2	12	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	0	2	1	1	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
11	1	4	3	4	4	1	12	3	1	9	0	8	9	9	13	11	4	7	4	5	8	1	8	"	"	"	3	0	1	1	0	1	4	5	6	6	5	7	9	5
12	2	9	4	1	6	9	10	7	2	7	8	9	2	6	"	1	"	"	"	1	5	2	4	3	10	6	1	4	9	1	0	"	5	1	7	1	4	4	9	2
13	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
14	2	0	1	5	8	4	11	7	1	8	5	2	6	0	14	2	"	"	"	1	6	3	2	3	13	5	3	9	6	8	9	13	7	3	5	6	5	1	2	3
15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
16	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6	9	6	2	8	9	10	7	1	8	8	1	0	3
17	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	9	7	8	5	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
18	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	11	3	8	6	1	5	3	3	4	2	2	1	5		
19	2	0	3	1	8	4	4	4	2	1	9	8	6	14	7	8	8	0	2	10	3	"	"	"	14	7	2	6	6	1	4	5	1	7	1	4	10		
20	2	2	8	6	4	8	15	10	1	9	3	5	7	0	7	4	"	"	"	3	5	0	7	8	8	7	8	4	6	3	2	8	1	6	7	7			
21	1	0	1	7	1	0	"	7	8	9	9	1	8	4	"	"	"	2	2	7	1	8	8	8	2	4	1	5	4	2	8	6	1	4	1				
22	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
23	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
24	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
25	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	6	1	6	3	"	3	8	9	3	13	10½			
	6	1	9	0	3	6	10	2	8	5	9	4	2	9	8	1	3	8	5	0	2	0	14	7	14	4	6	2	1	3	4	3	9	0	3	1	1	7	4	7	9	1	4½
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	8	3	9	8		7	5	6	"	
	6	1	9	0	3	6	10	2	8	5	9	4	2	9	8	1	3	8	5	0	2	0	14	7	14	4	6	2	1	3	4	3	9	0	3	9	5	"	11	1	7	4	5	5	4	7	4½

144,621 13 4 Dt Decrease

240399 1 3 Nt Increase

72493 8 8 | 236,910 7 7

8536 14 2 | 49,519 " 6

308573 1 5 | 154094 4 2

81821 15 6 | 20460 3 2

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	Increase		Decrease		Fusly 1254			Fusly 1255			Increase			Decrease		
	22			23			24			25			26			27		
	"	"	"	28	6	6	23271	5	3	24233	15	9	962	10	6	"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	30121	5	6	26070	1	11	"	"	"	4065	3	7
1	3	11	10	3	"	"	24150	15	"	25818	6	"	1667	7	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	700	6	4	17654	14	8	19955	12	2	2300	2	6	"	"	"
	"	"	"	1394	"	4	7328	"	"	8542	7	6	1214	7	6	"	"	"
	"	"	"	2	13	"	4747	4	1	"	5188	0	2	1	4	0	6	1	1	"	"	"
	"	"	"	150	6	0	13	7	49164	"	"	50653	13	9	1	8	9	13	9	"	"	"
	"	"	"	556	15	"	33963	9	1	36830	4	7	2	66	11	6	"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	15080	13	8	16259	3	2	878	5	6	"	"	"
	"	"	"	702	1	3	66615	9	10	75275	9	9	8623	15	11	"	"	"
54	6	11	1	"	"	"	48112	2	10	37450	11	7	"	"	"	10661	7	3
23	4	8	9	"	"	"	42818	4	10	43513	"	8	894	11	10	"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	11326	6	4	12442	8	5	1116	2	1	"	"	"
	"	"	"	4038	1	4	13994	8	"	13885	"	"	"	"	"	1098	"	"
	"	"	"	6243	9	7	163275	"	8	172777	6	8	9502	6	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	4978	5	8	55908	8	"	55642	8	"	"	"	"	266	"	"
	"	"	"	7964	13	10	37391	3	"	40558	"	3	114	5	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	14209	4	12	6	33097	8	11	41216	10	8	023	13	11	"	"
	"	"	"	5967	14	8	36309	11	4	34491	5	7	"	"	"	1818	5	9
45	8	9	"	"	"	"	38731	5	6	2	36826	5	8	"	"	"	1904	9	5	6
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	"	"	"	3722	5	1½	52807	11	4	50140	8	11½	"	"	"	26672	4½	

38 6 10 | 25597 0 12 8½ | 11978 17 1 5 | 12057 4 9 1½ | 4656 1 2 1 | 3862 3 10 5½

72 14 " | 8 1 1 8 | 1096 6 9 | 4435 " 3 | 4243 13 6 | 905 4 "

211 4 10 | 25605 7 14 4½ | 11989 13 8 2 | 12018 9 9 3½ | 5080 4 15 7 | 3952 8 14 5½

Increase 40 2 11 4 10

Decrease 21 5 9 4 0 6½

39528 14 5½ Dt Decrease

11276 1 1½ Nt Increase

10315 2 0 7 5 | 1040 4 5 0 12 8

1073 9 3 " 9 | 104 9 7 8 8 12 7½

Sunary small farms and Licences.-

	Fusly 1254	Fusly 1255	Increase	Decrease	Fusly 1254	Fusly 125
	28	29	30	31	32	33
1	2749 14 5	2,491 13 9	" " "	258 " 8	6,247 8 4	7,064 15
2	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	4383 3 11	3,631 5
3	6,503 3 6	6,344 9 6	" " "	158 10 "	3,532 7 1	3,284 5
4	66 " "	42 12 "	" " "	23 4 "	3802 1 2	5,521 10
5	1,909 10 6	1,736 12 8	" " "	172 13 10	16,825 11 11	23,429 11
6	7,269 12 8	8,259 10 1	989 13 5	" " "	7,825 10 9	8,997 12
7	5438 2 9	3,704 15 4	" " "	1,733 3 5	59,302 13 1	58,582 8
8	3032 " 7	4,859 14 1	1827 13 6	" " "	" " "	" " "
9	130 9 4	289 12 6	159 3 2	" " "	18,850 7 9	20,182 14 1
10	1583 11 2	1589 7 "	5 11 10	" " "	11,981 14 3	14,488 14
11	3008 9 4	2843 1 "	" " "	103 8 4	20,730 2 "	21,250 13
12	19,485 14 3	19,805 12 8	319 14 5	" " "	39,752 10	40,564 2
13	1,365 1 4	1,517 3 6	152 2 2	" " "	4,987 13 4	5,502 1
14	8,489 11 4	6,536 6 "	" " "	1,953 5 4	59,598 14 7	60,481 15
15	3395 " 1	3,663 14 2	268 14 1	" " "	16,271 15 9	16,136 3 11
16	2,673 7 11	3,284 7 1	610 15 2	- " "	106,978 " 11	104,204 9
17	2358 "	208 4 "	" " "	27 4 "	37,422 7 4	39,510 1
18	11,540 " 7	14,024 15 10	2484 15 3	" " "	1836 9 5	1,339 10
19	25,022 3 4	24,892 7 5	" " "	129 11 11	61,060 10 6	61,622 2
20	8,083 4 4	8,275 1 4	191 13 "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	17,887 5 4	18,029 12 6	142 7 2	" " "	" " "	" " "
	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
21	804 5 10	693 9 6	" " "	170 12 4	27,906 14 2½	28,053 "
	130,673 8 7	133,036 9 11	7,153 11 2	4,790 9 10	637,668 9 1½	702,076
	2,720 3 5	2,455 3	129 9 3	2,604 7 5	12,652 11	13,148
	133,393 12 "	133,281 15 2	7,283 4 5	7,395 1 3	650,321 " 1½	715,225

Dt Increase 7,283 4 5
Net Decrease 111 12 10

113,659 6 3	112,000 4 11	557,111 6 ½	562,789
19,734 5 9	21,281 10 3	131,822 6 "	134,635

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Sea Customs

	Increase	Decrease	Fusly 1254	Fusly 1255	Increase	Decrease
	34	35	36	37	38	39
	817 7 3	" " "	9287 8 1	16,803 12 6	7,516 4 5	" " "
	" " "	751 14 5	24,055 15 7	10,270 " 10	" " "	7,779 14 9
	651 14 6	" " "	18,863 14 9	33,767 6 2	14,903 7 5	" " "
	1719 9 9	" " "	6,995 4 6	6,229 4 3	" " "	766 " 3
	6603 15 7	" " "	3,646 2 9	5,314 9 8	1,668 6 11	" " "
	1172 1 9	" " "	" " "	359	359	" " "
	" " "	720 4 10	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	" " "	" " "	16,709 13 5	13,386 4 7	" " "	3,323 8 10
	1332 7 1	" " "	7,299 3 2	8,598 4 4	1299 1 2	" " "
	2,507 " "	" " "	134 " 9	37 10 6	" " "	96 6 3
	520 11 6	" " "	21,670 3 8	30,214 " "	8,543 12 4	" " "
	989 " 1	" " "	90,484 " 9	101,413 10 5	10,929 9 8	" " "
	514 4 4	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	883 1 3	" " "	146,387 4 2	54,644 6 1	" " "	91,742 14 1
	" " "	1356 4 4	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	" " "	2773 7 11	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	2087 10 4	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	" " "	496 14 9	160,804 1 "	150,062 11 11	" " "	10741 5 1
	561 7 9	" " "	120,884 " 9	123,869 3 1	2,985 2 4	" " "
	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	" " "	" " "	440,653 " 10	383,519 14 9	" " "	57,133 2 1
	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	6 1 11½	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	506 13 1½	6,098 14 3	106,787 4 10	2,944,140 8 10	47,849 2 "	171,583 3 4
	20 12 7	557 5 10½	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	527 9 8½	6,656 4 1½	106,787 4 10	2,944,140 8 10	47,849 2 "	171,583 3 4
	64 1½	Dt Decrease			Dt Increase	47,849 2 "
	91 5 7	Net Increase			Net Decrease	123,734 1 4

874,656 15 9	802,519 12 6		
93,217 10 3	141,620 12 4		

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Tobacco

Stamps.-

Total of the Extra Branches of Revenue.-

	Fusly 1254	Fusly 1255	Increase	Decrease	Fusly 1254	Fusly 1255	Increase	Decrea	Fusly 1254	Fusly 1255	Increase	Decrease	Net Increase	Net Decrease
	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53
1	"	"	"	"	8,304 15 6	5,277 13	"	"	3,027 2	1,627 6 3	14 4	2,088 8 5 7	49 3 5 8	" 11
2	"	"	"	"	13,202 10	" 6,798 3	"	"	6,404 7	1,331 3 1	13 "	1,165 5 3 12 3	2 4 0 9 7	"
3	"	"	"	"	7,158 5 7	5,252 7	"	"	1,905 14	1,922 5 5	4 4	1,899 4 3 10 11	18 5 3 4 7	2 "
4	"	"	"	"	10,120 14	" 6,379 6	"	"	3,741 8	2,789 6 6	7 2	4,131 9 3 14	" 1,394 5 8	9 5
5	"	"	"	"	3,312 15 6	2,175 11	"	"	1,137 4	1,413 3 4	10 2	8,002 4 0	" 4 1 1 9 4	1 10
6	"	"	"	"	9,069 12 4	6,091 3 6	"	"	2,978 8	3,100 3 3	6 10	3,054 8 6 9 11	" 6 5 7 1 6	"
7	"	"	"	"	9,211 9	" 4,687 4	"	"	4,524 5	1,381 7 6	5 11	7,028 9 4	" 1 4 8 9 13 9	"
8	"	"	"	"	8855	" 7,053 2	"	"	1,801 14	2,842 5 5	6 "	2,550 8 4	" 4 6 9 4 9	"
9	"	"	"	"	6,045 8	" 4,739 4	"	"	1,306 4	1,974 6 6	2 "	5,008 9 2	" 4 6 9 4 9	"
10	"	"	"	"	14,147 8 6	8,994 1	"	"	5,153 7	3,362 4 7	9 "	5,227 9 4 10	1,306 4	" 11,473 " 10
11	"	"	"	"	7,731 10 6	3,932 4 6	"	"	3,799 6	2,748 5	12 "	4,478 6 5 2	13 " 2,086 9 7 9	12,270 15 " 8,598 8 9
12	"	"	"	"	2,341 4 9	1 1,702 5 13	"	"	638 12	1,274 8	5 "	2,753 1 0 6	" 1,460 2 4 5 7 7	8,444 15 "
13	"	"	"	"	7,406 "	6 4,810 4	"	"	2,595 12	2,974 8	0 5 7	" 3,532 5 0 6	" 9 3,069 4 7	" 6,464 9 10
14	"	"	"	"	15,103 11	" 6,462 1	"	"	8,641 1	2,485 7	10 9	5,183 9 3 "	11 15,167 12 9	21,632 6 7 " "
15	"	"	"	"	8,667 14	" 1,877 6	"	"	6,790 8	2,508 5	6 6	2,422 7 1 7	1,782 8 7	2,595 12 6 " "
16	"	"	"	"	12,252 9	" 8,310 8	"	"	3,942 1	8,484 8	10 3	3,629 2 2 7 4	8 8 3 1 3	12,280 9 4 2 " "
17	"	"	"	"	9,621 11	" 5,811 12	"	"	3,809 15	2,076 8	4 3	4,687 2 6	9,771 4 1	7,058 6 11 11 " "
18	163,408 15	10 171,295 13	5	7,886 13 7	" "	2,198 10 2	12,392 "	6 "	" "	1,827 6 8	12 "	1,714 2 " 1	6 10 15 2	11,959 4 7 " "
19	318,634 3	1 314,689 4	9	3,965 1 8	" "	3,109 6 7	6 21,573 7	6 " "	" "	1,260 5 7	12 "	8,947 11 1	5,201 15 4	16,802 " 10 " "
20	"	"	"	"	" "	2,608 "	"	"	2,608 "	" "	"	6,073 9 4 14 7	2,719 8 5 "	162,839 10 " "
21	"	"	"	"	" "	702 6	" 586 7	"	" 133	" "	"	3,912 4 0 7	34,601 11 9	52,517 8 10 " "
	482,043 2 11	520,985 2 2	38,941 15 3	" "	236,287 3 8	144,658 3 6	"	"	91,628	30,344 0 10	7 8	12,524 13 6	237 5 9	43,677 3 2 " "
	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	"	"	" 1	5,037 4 9 4	4 6	0,264 11 11	1427 2	" " 142 7 2 " "
	482,043 2 11	520,985 2 2	38,941 15 3	" "	236,287 3 8	144,658 3 6	"	"	91,628	7,887 5 4	1 8	0 2 9 12 6	14 2 7 2	" " 59,741 2 1
										4,826 1 "	10 3	8,351 9 14 9	" " "	" " 6,548 " 10½
	408,745 5 8	441,538 4 9			206,961 4 2	125,526 10 6				9,837 8 4½	8,329 7 6	146 1 11½	6,942 10 " "	418,359 11 4½ 54,586 12 ½
	73,297 13 3	79,446 13 5			29,325 15 6	19,131 9 "				11,706 1 11½	6,845 0 2 11	586,172 1 ½	713,318 " 1	41,742 13 " 544 " 12 ½
										165 6 9	6,104 5 1½			938 14 4½ "
										16,871 8 8½	6,890,648 ½			418,359 11 4½ 54,586 12 ½
														Net Increase 418,359 11 4½
														Net Decrease 126,207 " 8
										1721 7 4½	360,879 15 "			
										6,150 1 4	1,080,784 9 ½			

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Total including Extra Branches of Revenue.—

Net Land Revenue

Collections of Old Balances.—

Sayer

	Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease	Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease
	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63
1	6,05,013 " 10	8,70,242 1 11	2,65,422 10 9	3,313 9 8	2,65,229 1 1	" " "	75,699 11 8	64,205 13 8	" " "	11,493 14 "
2	5,38,863 15 4	7,04,168 7 4	1,84,291 15 9	18,987 7 9	1,65,304 8 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
3	1,09,389 7 7	1,23,260 3 15 9	14,060 8 9	2,084 6 7	12,321 4 8 2	" " "	867 3 6	1,138 14 2	271 10 8	" " "
4	6,85,846 4 6	7,26,480 11 1	1,39,458 9 5	98,824 2 10	40,634 6 7	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
5	32,581 4 6 7	9,23,100 6 9	1,99,990 2 10	2,704 2 8	197,286 " 2	" " "	29 1 11	40 11 7	11 9 8	" " "
6	6,29,471 " 10	5,96,150 " 4	65,716 " 3,988 4 6	" " "	" " "	33,313 " 6	746 12 7	327 11 9	" " "	419 " 10
7	7,40,498 9 7	8,20,152 10 1	1,01,692 11 4	22,038 10 10	79,654 " 6	" " "	962 6 4	468 6 1	" " "	494 " 3
8	9,10,345 9 "	8,19,465 12 1	4,694 9 "	95,574 5 6	" " "	90,879 12 6	28 8 5	209 7 8	180 15 3	" " "
9	1,27,484 7 "	1,53,002 5 11 7	2,53,847 8 7	1,306 4 "	2,52,541 4 7	" " "	3,278 14 1	3,378 11 11	99 12 10	" " "
10	9,79,571 2 4	9,37,238 9 2	20,869 7 9	63,202 " 11	"	42,332 9 2	30,653 11 5	19,120 15 8	" " "	11,532 11 9
11	1,43,851 5 2	11,89,455 10 10	9,30,694 7	47,464 4 11	45,604 5 8	" " 12	951 10 8	1,826 3 9	15,310 9 1	" " "
12	1,06,934 10 7	1,71,231 4 8 2	27,012 4 2	21,632 6 7	5,379 13 7	" " 12	22,464 11	3,247 4 6	1,000 15 7	" " "
13	8,12,042 8 7	8,22,110 12 7	12,664 " 6	2,595 12 6	10,068 4 "	" " 11	749 " 6	6,381 10 1	4,632 9 7	" " "
14	134,962 15 7	142,625 12 "	2,07,098 " 7	1,228,094 2	84,288 12 5	" " 6	5,942 7	1,207 3 6	13 4 8	" " "
15	1,62,187 7 10	14,647,51 5 4	9,771 4 1	20,720 7 6 7	" " "	197,436 2 "	324 " 4	114 " 9	" " "	209 15 7
16	1,20,936 11 9	1,30,230 4 1	6,10 15 2	16,531 7 6 10	" " "	104,706 7 6	44 " 8	65 9 4	21 8 8	" " "
17	1,06,774 15 1	1,21,357 13 8	26,384 15 5	11,802 " 10	14,582 14 7	" " "	20,712 4	909 3 8	" " "	298 8 8
18	13,48,168 11 1	12,34,010 3 4	48,681 2 3	1,62,839 10 "	" " "	114,158 7 "	54,415 "	1,295 13 2	" " "	249 1 10
19	1,64,439 10 10	1,61,984 7 9	34,601 11 9	59,194 4 10	" " "	24,592 9 11	90 4 "	36 5 1 "	74 2 1	" " "
20	3,38,374 4 8	4,95,105 4 3	4,08,2 9 4	36,773 2 "	" " "	43,269 " 3	642 4 5	1,057 4 9	415 " 4	" " "
	17,887 5 4	18,029 12 6	142 7 2 "	" "	142 7 2 "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
	4,43,261 " 10	3,83,519 14 9	" " "	59,741 2 1 "	" " "	59,741 2 1	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
21	3,96,113 13 5	3,83,087 1 3½	146 1 11½	13,172 14 1	" " "	13,026 12 1	235 7¼	112 3 " 7	" " "	4,112 6 5½
	21,60,523 8 4	22,16,570 15 ½	1,78,461 " 6½	12,241,35 9 10	1,28,393 6 6	7,23,455 15	16 "	2 8 "	" " "	13 8 "
	13,426 2 7 ¼	12,902 3 12 5½	" " "	" " "	24,610 6 "	29,849 " 2	1097 " 3¾	1,229,197 4	22,632 2 5	28,309 11 4¼
	21,73,949 15 4¼	22,29,473 11 6	" " "	" " "	13,08,340 12 6	7,53,305 "				

7,53,305 " 4½ St. Dues
5,55,235 12 1¼ Actuals

1,85,481 4 10 1½ 1,68,277 6 7 ½
5,23,408 1 5 2¾ 5,41,935 4 5½

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Fort St. George

11th June 1846

Abstract Summary Small Farms and Licences. Motorfolia

	Abstract				Summary Small Farms				Motorfolia			
	Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease	Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease	Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease
	68		69		70		71		72		73	
	74		75		76		77		78		79	
1	444 3 10		84 10 9				359 9 1		11 8 u			
2			1463 9 6		1463 9 6							
3	533 4 11						533 4 11		1 12 u		39 3 5	
4	12 6						12 6					
5									11 8 u		103 9 10	
6									638 11 11		52 5 5	
7												
8									1691 14 3			
9												
10												
11												
12												
13									1782 3			
14									38 u		5 7 8	
15												
16												
17												
18												
19	95 8 u		866 12 u		771 4 u							
20												
21	11 u u		2020 u u		2009 u u				1481 11 u		44 10½	
	10986 9		4435 u 3		4243 13 6		905 4 u		27203 5		2455 ½	

	Abstract				Summary Small Farms				Motorfolia			
	Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease	Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease	Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease
	74		75		76		77		78		79	
			11 8 u					4		1		
								4 u		1 u		
					194 15 u		399 7 10		201 8 10			
	37 7 5											
					1 u		71 u 7		70 12 7			
					132 10 7		359 13 9		227 3 2			70 4 8
	92 1 10		586 6 6		97 7 u		27 2 4					
					18 5 u		26 7 5		8 2 5			
			1691 11 3									
					31 1 2		159 3 u		127 11 10			1 11 u
					11 1 6		9 3 6					6 15 2
			6 15 2									
	1782 3											69 1 u
	32 8 4		69 1 u									97 10 9
			97 10 9									3 11 5
			1 5 2		u 6 9							133 12 11
			146 13 5		12 u 6							128 1 9
			133 3 9		4 8 u							
					1 9		2 3 2		1 11 5			
			106 u 1		321 10 8		276 12 5½					1 1 11 2½
	129 9 3		2604 7 5		1265 2 11		1318 9 11½		640 12 7		557 5 10½	

Fort St. George

1st June 1846

Tobacco

Total

Grand Total of Collections.

Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease	Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease
80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87
1	"	"	"	76,155 7 6	64,290 8 9	"	"
2	"	"	"	"	11,863 13 8	"	"
3	"	"	"	15,977 3 5	15,779 5	"	"
4	"	"	"	12 10 "	71 " 7	"	"
5	"	"	"	173 4 6	501 3 2	"	"
6	"	"	"	14,82 15 5	407 3 5	"	"
7	"	"	"	980 11 4	1,914 13 2	"	"
8	"	"	"	1720 6 8	2357 12 3	"	"
9	"	"	"	3377 12 11	35,37 14 11	"	"
10	"	"	"	2958 9 10	18,262 3 9	"	"
11	"	"	"	22,46 4 11	3247 4 6	"	"
12	"	"	"	1927 2 9	6,381 10 1	"	"
13	"	"	"	701 6 7	1259 7 11	"	"
14	"	"	"	421 11 1	111 " 9	"	"
15	"	"	"	48 5 10	66 " 1	"	"
16	"	"	"	1353 9 9	921 4 3	"	"
17	"	"	"	1678 2 9	1,300 5	"	"
18	"	"	"	386 11 8	1231 "	"	"
19	"	"	"	642 4 5	1057 1	"	"
20	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
21	"	"	"	57 32 12 18 4	31,66 15	"	"
				131,262 7 4	129,023 12	"	"

Fasly 1254	Fasly 1255	Increase	Decrease
88	89	90	91
" " "	11,864 11 9	6,811 68 2 4	9,34,532 10 8
" " "	538,863 15 4	705,632 4 10	166,763 5 6
1,463 12 6	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	19 10 "	1110,986 11 "	1234,181 9 2
" " "	" " "	685,858 11 6	726,551 11 8
58 6 7	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	725,987 11 1	923,604 9 11	197,616 11 10
330 11 8	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	1075 12 "	630,954 " 4	596,565 3 10
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	485 13 10	741,479 4 11	820,647 7 7
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	11,84 10 "	912,065 15 8	819,701 9 2
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	1280,862 3 11	1538,563 11 6	252,701 6 7
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	11,534 9 9	10,235 15 3	956,368 12 4
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	11,6809 15 "	1207,717 14 7	60,907 15 7
15,303 9 11	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	1709,180 15 6	1715,661 12 8	6,350 13 2
1,000 15 7	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	813,969 11 4	828,492 6 8	14,522 11 4
4,454 7 4	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	131,2664 6 2	1427,511 3 11	81,846 13 9
653 1 4	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	307 10 4	1662,609 2 11	1,64,865 6 1
" " "	" " "	" " "	1977,3 12 10
" " "	1240,985 1 7	1136,296 4 2	" " "
17 10 3	" " "	" " "	104,689 13 5
" " "	432 5 7	1108,128 8 10	1122,279 1 10
" " "	" " "	" " "	14,150 9 "
" " "	377 13 7	1319,846 13 10	1235,310 8 6
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	1644,826 6 6	1621,081 1 11	114,536 5 4
817 4 6	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	539,016 9 1	496,162 9 "	23,745 4 7
4,15 " 4	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	17,887 5 4	18,029 12 6	12,854 " 1
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	4,3261 " 10	3,838 19 11 9	11,27 2 2
" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "
" " "	2265 12 8	3,401,826 10 14	38,655 1 3
" " "	" " "	" " "	597,412 1
24,610 6	29,849 "	621,739,498 15 14	222,94,731 11 6
			15,592 8 10
			12,94,463 1 3
			739,222 5 14
			739,222 5 14
			5,59,735 12 13

Dr. Decrease

Net Increase

1709

Fort St. George

4th June 1846

Particulars
Arrears of Twenty 1954 and
Lands Revenue

Old Balance or Balance of more than 15 years standing

Balance under 15 years standing

Total

Sayers Incolates Minors

Particulars of Balances.
Balances of prior Date in train of liquidation.
permanently Settled.

Lands Revenue not permanently Settled

Sequestered

Total

Rented

Summary

Total

	92			93			94			95			96			97			98			99			100			101		
1						85,1111	2	11	85,1111	2	11	39890	11	8				31,97		3	1,3387	11	11				11,295	1	10	57,683		9
2						1015	12	1	1,015	12	1	80160		5				15,204	7	2	95,664	7	7				37,047	2	3	132,711	9	10
3	101,38		3	31,381.0	6	2	32,278	6	5	70802		3				767987	1	9	838789	5					47,176	1	2	88,265	6	2
4				3926	9	1	3926	9	1	132,763	5	11	136,776	8	7	1128722	13	1	2592962	11	7				100,971	8	4	269,392	3	11
5				139693	15	1	139693	15	1							7189989	14	8	7189989	14	8				12,328	5	7	7202,318	4	3
6				29566	11	10	29566	11	10	3264	15	8	22,610	6	9				25875	6	6				1201	11	3	27077	1	8
7				6789	6	7	6789	6	7																8661	6	8	8264	6	8
8				1363	10	4	1363	10	4	13117	19	11				165944	10	3	29712	4	3				931	1	7	30643	5	10
9				108399	9	7	108399	9	7	5894		6							5894		6				162572	13	1	1641,6613		7
10				39032	11	8	39032	11	8																2805	10	1	2805	10	1
11	2564	3	12	45700		10	713,43	12	10	1825	9	2							1825	9	2	6	2	6	3069	15	5	4901	11	1
12	5863	9	6	310993		1	316856	9	7																26300	12		4	2	3	26304	14	3
13				71759	8	6	71759	8	6																			777	4	6	777	4	6
14	7355	14	10	67090	12	7	74446	11	5	18024	1	2							18024	1	2				3,2928	6		21316	9	8
15				123	2	5	123	2	5																5884	6	4	5884	6	4
16				1503	5	9	1503	5	9																2713	15	1	2813	15	1
17				11,910	8	9	11,910	8	9																2795	7		2795	7	
18				1,818	10	6	1,818	10	6																3807	7	4	3807	7	4
19				2352	4	9	2352	4	9																914	15	10	1149	3	8
	491	1	10	19780	2	2	20271	4	4													201	3	10						
20																									6256	25		6256	25	
21				17,2094			17,2094																							
	4,9792	6	5	220,5866	8	6	225,667	14	11	15,6014	2	9	159,386	16	2	9,122296	2	2	1084,2125	11	3	26,511	2	4	432,5647	11	11	30,1851	5	6

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Fort St. George 11th June 1814

	Salt	Sayer	Abkarry	Extra Revenue. Sundry Small farms and Licences.	Moturpha	Sea Customs	Tobacco	Stamps	Grand Total of Columns 101 to 109	Land Revenue	Extra Revenue	Total	Balance of Current Demand of Fasly 1205
	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112	113	
1	" " " " " "		35 6 "	131 6 4	700 7 9	" " "	" " " " " "		58550 1 10	6121 11 "	6708 9 7	12833 1 7	
2	" " " " " "		274 8 3 5	" " "	129 2 6	" " "	" " " " " "		135588 15 9	34155 9 2 3	4808 6 4	31636 7 8 7	
3	" " " " " "		" " "	121 1 "	813 1 5	" " "	" " " " " "		887199 8 7	126109 2 4	4081 6 "	130190 8 4	
4	" " " " " "		72 3 1	" " "	102 3 11	" " "	" " " " " "		269108 10 11	172650 5 5	4784 10 4	177381 15 9	
5	" " " " " "		" " "	14 8 7 3	" " "	" " "	" " " " " "		720266 11 6	84705 13 "	" " "	84705 13 "	
6	" " " " " "		" " "	127 4 7	125 9 "	" " "	" " " " " "		27329 15 3	35357 9 5	26387 " 2	61744 9 7	
7	" " " " " "		" " "	28 2 "	1098 11 9	" " "	" " " " " "		9791 1 5	40586 9 4	1273 2 3	41859 11 7	
8	" " " " " "		66 15 9	37 6 "	" " "	" " "	" " " " " "		30747 11 7	87066 14 8	748 15 "	87815 13 8	
9	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	390 3 8	" " "	" " " " " "		168857 " 10	182263 1	860 2 3	190851 5 4	
10	" " " " " "		1027 6 4	" " "	55 13 3	" " "	" " " " " "		3888 13 8	662 " "	9297 14 3	10159 14 3	
11	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " " " " "		1908 2 "	" " "	7199 10 9	7199 10 9	
12	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	" " "	6 6 11	" " " " " "		26304 14 3	15389 4 8	6091 10 9	21480 15 5	
13	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " " " " "		777 4 6	" " "	" " "	" " "	
14	" " " " " "		" " "	4912 " "	73 2 11	" " "	" " " " " "		26301 12 7	10664 1 3	12389 " "	23053 1 3	
15	" " " " " "		" " "	25 4 "	177 13 9	" " "	" " " " " "		60878 1	" " "	43758 "	43758 "	
16	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	59 13 8	" " "	" " " " " "		2773 12 9	" " "	" " "	" " "	
17	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	986 5 2	" " "	" " " " " "		27812 2	1963 8 "	2080 " "	4043 8 "	
18	" " " " " "		" " "	15 " "	93 5 3	" " "	" " " " " "		3915 12 7	336557 3	114459 5 2	351016 12 5	
19	" " " " " "		16 2 10	89 14 1	96 13 10	" " "	" " " " " "		13822 5	26554 10 3	3070 12 8	29726 6 11	
20	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " " " " "		62552 5	22595 " 1	90 3 11	22685 4 "	
	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	
	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	" " " " " "		" " "	" " "	" " "	" " "	
21	" " " " " "		622 2 11½	195 14 8	376 5 "	" " "	" " " " " "		157992	" " "	158724 1	158724 1	
			1619 8 4½	5831 11 11	5279 " 5	6 6 11			1131691 7 1½	1303372 6 "	131518 9 6	1434890 15 6	

Fort St. George 11th June 1814.

	State	Exemptions										
	Assessed Taxes	Balance	Of Amount Of Old									
	Columns											
	110 and 113	Arrears	Balance									
		and										
		114										
		115										
		116										
		117										
		118										
1	71333	9	5	9224194	12	4	"	"	"	25128	13	1
2	4819568	8	4	4829724	5	6478	2	"	"	"	6478	2
3	10274900	"	11	13519687	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
4	28714193	10	8	28154203	9	"	"	"	"	2099	11	8
5	7284172	8	2	7426887	7	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
6	89074	8	10	1186414	8	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
7	5661	"	"	58440	6	"	"	"	"	1741	6	8
8	1185653	9	3	11992737		"	"	"	"	852	3	7
9	1879448	6	2	29653115	9	38988	9	9	9065929	13	"	100116	6	9
10	11218	8	11	52081	7	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
11	12107	12	9	83185	9	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
12	417886	13	8	3041642	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
13	777	4	6	72538	13	"	"	"	"	297	11	5	297	11	5
14	49354	13	10	123801	9	3	20	14	4	503	12	3	524	10	7
15	10463	"	1	10586	2	6	"	"	"	4789	4	7	4789	4	7
16	2873	12	9	4317	2	6	"	"	"	1362	"	10	1362	"	10
17	7826	4	2	22735	12	11	"	"	"	1552	14	8	1552	14	8
18	35219	22	9	357941	3	6	"	"	"	2761	3	4	2768	3	4
19	1108	9	4	9160	14	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
20	28040	8	5	192116		6	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
21	3162	"	1/2	2037066	"	1/4	"	"	"	133	5	4	133	5	4
	12454808	"	1/2	1524465	15	5/4	42187	10	1	1096930	4	5	1096930	4	5

Signed by the Members of the Board

Secretary

Countersigned

Fort St. George 11th June 1814.

To the Collector of Chingleput

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to transmit to you the Statement of Assessed Taxes for the Year 1813-14 amounting to Pagodas 1096930 4 5 Star Pagodas 1524465 15 5/4 Current Rupees 4218710 1 1/2 and to request that you will cause the Collections to be made accordingly.

I am Sir

Your most obedient Servant

Secretary

Pagodas 1096930 4 5 Star

Current Rupees 4218710 1 1/2

Collector of Chingleput

Deduct Pagodas 933304 11 5 Star

Current Rupees 3590405 5 1/2

Collections to be made

Pagodas 163626 4 5 Star

Current Rupees 629304 3 1/2

Collector of Chingleput

Deduct Pagodas 163626 4 5 Star

Current Rupees 629304 3 1/2

Collections to be made

Pagodas 770304 7 10 Star

Current Rupees 2961101 2 0

Collector of Arcot

Deduct Pagodas 770304 7 10 Star

Current Rupees 2961101 2 0

Collections to be made

Pagodas 163626 4 5 Star

Current Rupees 629304 3 1/2

Collector of Chingleput

Deduct Pagodas 163626 4 5 Star

Current Rupees 629304 3 1/2

Collections to be made

Pagodas 770304 7 10 Star

Current Rupees 2961101 2 0

Collector of Arcot

Deduct Pagodas 770304 7 10 Star

Current Rupees 2961101 2 0

Collections to be made

Pagodas 163626 4 5 Star

Current Rupees 629304 3 1/2

Collector of Chingleput

Deduct Pagodas 163626 4 5 Star

Current Rupees 629304 3 1/2

Collections to be made

Pagodas 770304 7 10 Star

Current Rupees 2961101 2 0

Collector of Arcot

Deduct Pagodas 770304 7 10 Star

Current Rupees 2961101 2 0

Collections to be made

Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

C. Abstract Shewing the Increase and Decrease in the Collections of Land Revenue and Revenue from Exctra Sources up to 28th February 1846.

	Land Revenue.				Exctra Sources of Revenue			
	Increase		Decrease		Increase		Decrease	
	Rs	A P	Rs	A P	Rs	A P	Rs	A P
Ganjam	2,07,690	11 10	"	" "	45,673	6 6	"	" "
Vizagapatam	1,31,882	8 9	"	" "	"	" "	15,114	3 3
Rajahmundry	1,25,797	12 3	"	" "	"	" "	2,602	11 1
Masulipatam	"	" "	93,593	" 3	1,31,285	13 5	"	" "
Guntoor	68,807	10 8	"	" "	38,309	1 2	"	" "
Chingleput	"	" "	29,185	3 9	"	" "	5,203	8 9
Salem	99,708	13 4	"	" "	"	" "	20,510	10 8
Madura	"	" "	61,372	1 11	"	" "	30,992	4 7
Nellore	14,1168	4 7	"	" "	1,11,533	6 "	"	" "
North Div. of Arcot	"	" "	62,163	13 8	85,96	10 9	"	" "
South Div. of Arcot	"	" "	17,530	" 3	7,84,137	15 10	"	" "
Tanjore	12,81,5	7 "	"	" "	"	" "	64,649	10
Trichinopoly	15,511	1 6	"	" "	"	" "	991	6 2
Tinnevelly	2,06,828	4 "	"	" "	"	" "	12,981	6 3
Bellary	"	" "	136,830	10 3	"	" "	60,913	2 7
Cuddapah	"	" "	93,335	15 7	"	" "	11,352	13 10
Coimbatore	20,884	7 5	"	" "	"	" "	6,733	11 5
Canara	2,1233	11 5	"	" "	"	" "	135,777	" 9
Malabar	"	" "	66,029	11	"	" "	17,142	10 8
Land Revenue	585	13 4	"	" "	"	" "	1,31,39	13 5
Toll at Madras & Cochrane fund	"	" "	"	" "	1,42,7	2 "	"	" "
Sea Customs	"	" "	"	" "	"	" "	59,741	2 1
Hanover	"	" "	10,591	1 8¼	"	" "	1,701	7 2
Total	1,19,294,7	6 1	5,11,501	9 3¼	1,17,178	15 10	5,43,686	" 6
	5,11,501	9 3¼	Dr. Decrease		Dr. Increase		1,17,178	15 10
	6,31,4,2	12 9¾	Net Increase		Net Decrease		12,629	" 8

11th June 1846.

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary

Fort St. George 11th June 1846.

(88)

To the Chief Secretary to Government

To the Chief Secy. to Government

Sir,

In conformity with 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 the Proceedings for the Month of March last for transmission to the Honorable Court of Directors.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
11th June 1846.

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary

Resolved that the following letters be dispatched.

(89)

To The Collector of Guntoor.

To the Collr. of Guntoor
in Cons. 6th Nov.

Sir

In your report of 25th October 1843 on the small Farms of your District you mention some items at present under the head of land revenue which should more properly be transferred to that of small Farms of these you instance the rents of the Jungle in the Nuzzeedpatam Circar - that of the Condaved Hills and of certain fishing Creels called Chuppala Mauvalie. The Board request

request that you would inform them of the exact nature and mode of operation of these items and of any others proposed to be transferred from land Revenue to small Farms, the parties who rent or are affected by them, whether they are in any degree of a vexatious or objectionable character - and, except as regards the Fishing Creek and Nizampatam Sircar rent the value of which was shown in your letter of 28th October 1843) what is the average revenue derived from them for the last ten years or for any shorter period for which this information may be readily procurable.-

The Board will hope for an early reply to this reference.-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George -
11th June 1846 - - -

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary

(90)

To The Collector of Guntoor.

To the Collr. of Guntoor - - -

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward to you the accompanying Petition No. 786 of the current year from S. Soobiah, late Aumeen of Palon Tarah in your Zillah, and to request that you will

will be pleased to forward the Appeal preferred to you by that individual against the sentence passed upon him by the Head Assistant Collector and the whole of the proceedings connected with the case, with any further observations on the subject which may appear to you to be necessary.-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George - - -
11th June 1846 - - -

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary

(91)

To The Acting Collector of Chingleput.

To the Actg. Collr. of Chingleput -

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request you will be so good as to furnish the information called for in my letter of the 5th March last on the balances of Land and Extra revenue in your District outstanding from Fasly 1244 to 1254.-

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Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George - -
11th June 1846 - - -

/Signed/ T. Pycroft
Secretary

(92)

To The Collector of Trichinopoly

To the Collr. of Trichinopoly -

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will submit at an early date the report

report promised in Para 5 of your letter of 12th September last in regard to those taxes which are collected on behalf of the Pagodas of your district either by the Government servants or by the Trustees of those Institutions. Your report should explain the nature and mode of operation of those taxes under what circumstances and by what authority they would appear to have been originally levied by the Pagodas, the ground on which you consider any of them to be objectionable and the course which should be pursued in regard to them more specially as respects the discontinuance of any part taken by public servants in their collections. Any documents in your own Office or in possession of the Trustees which may throw light upon the claims of the Pagodas to those sources of income should be forwarded to the Board with translations and with your own opinion to their authority.-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George 11th June 1846. } / Signed / J. Pycroft
Secretary.

(93)

To The Acting Collr. of Tinnevelly.

To the Actg Collr. of Tinnevelly - - -

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to report your early report on the subject of the Paraly Zemindary called for by Government in Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 14th February last communicated to your Office on the 19th of the same Month.

Inform 29th Feb 13 1846

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
11th June 1846 - - - } / Signed / J. Pycroft
Secretary

(94)

To The Collector of Canara.

To the Collr. of Canara - - -

Sir,

With reference to your Report of the 28th ultimo on Petition No. 908 of 1845 (by Endorsement) wherein you state that the land purchased by

by Petitioner at a public Sale by order of the Civil Court was duly described in the advertisement according to the Accounts furnished to the Court, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will be pleased to explain whether the lands itself so described and sold, corresponded exactly with those accounts exclusive of the two fields held on account of a Boath or Village Deity and of are estimated Pariz of Pagodas. 12-2 — 14½.-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George - - -
11th June 1846 - - - - } / Signed / J. Pycroft
Secretary

(95)

To The Collector of Malabar.

To the Collr. of Malabar - - -

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will be so good as to furnish at an early date the information called for in the concluding part of the last Para of my letter of the 16th February 1846 on the subject of Land taken up by Coffee Planters in your District.-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George - - -
11th June 1846 - - - - } / Signed / J. Pycroft
Secretary

To

To Messrs. Parry and Co.
Madras.

Gentlemen.

(96.)

To Messrs. Parry & Co. Madras.

Requesting them to state whether the lease of certain Wood-lands in the district of South Arcot to the Porto Novo Company would be in any way prejudicial to their Sugar Factories and whether they hitherto derived or are likely to derive any portion of their supplies of fuel from those Jungles.-

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that complaints have been made by parties engaged in the manufacture of Sugar at Cuddalore - represent-ing that in the years 1843-1844 they obtained their supplies of firewood from the Southern Jungles of the South Arcot District which are leased to the Porto Novo Iron and Steel Company but that since that company resumed operations at the commencement of 1845 they have been excluded from the use of those Jungles, and have been compelled to resort to other places of supply at Marcanum and elsewhere, and that the price of their fuel has in consequence been greatly enhanced as the Government have directed enquiry to be made into the subject, the Board beg to request

request that you will do them the favor to inform them from what Jungles the supplies of firewood for the use of your Factories at Cuddalore were drawn in the years 1843 and 1844 whence they are now derived - whether the cost of fuel during the present and past year 1845-6 be higher than in the two preceding years (1843-1844-) and if so to what Causes the rise in price is to be attributed.-

The Porto Novo Company as you are perhaps aware, have made an application for the lease from year to year of certain Jungles in South Arcot in addition to those which they now rent, and a compliance with their proposal has been objected to by some of the Cuddalore Sugar Manufacturers on the ground of the injury which may thereby

thereby be occasioned to their establishments.
On the other hand the Managing Director
of the Iron and Steel Company in a
letter to the Board Copy of which is
enclosed, has stated, that owing to the
distance of these Jungles from the Coast
and to the want of water carriage the Jungles
Could not be resorted to by the Cuddalore
Sugar Manufacturers, who use billets - and
Could be worked to advantage only by
persons who require Charcoal - Accompanying is a sketch Map shewing the
situation of these Jungles, and the Board
would feel obliged by your informing them
whether the lease of this wood land to the
Porto Novo Company would be in any way
prejudicial to your Sugar Factories, and whether
you have hitherto derived or are likely to
derive any portion of your supplies of
fuel from those Jungles.

Revenue Board Office -
Fort St. George 11th June 1846. } (Signed) T. Pycroft
Secy.

Rec'd Cons. 23. Feb. 1846.-

Received the undermentioned -

Miscellaneous letters and Statements.-

From the Depty Accountant General - Indent on the Commissary General for certain articles required for the use of the Military Department.-

97

Order thereon.- Ordered that the original Indent be passed and returned.-

97-98

From the Civil Auditor.- Indent for green cloth required for covering desks.-

99

Order thereon.- Ordered that the Original Indent be passed and returned.-

99 to 100

From the Asst. Coll. of Cuddapah.- Requesting to be furnished with a supply of printed forms of Demand Collection and Balance Statements for July 1256.-

101

From the Coll. of Canara.- Transmitting an Indent for printed forms of Bills of exchange and letters of Advice.-

102

Order on the above mentioned letters.- Ordered that the printed papers required in the above mentioned letters be supplied accordingly.-

101.-103

From the Coll. of Guntoor.- Return of persons charged with offences under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of April last.-

104

From the Coll. of Masulipatam.- Abstract of Demand Collection and Balances for the Month of April last.-

105

From the Coll. of Masulipatam.- Statement shewing the average bazar wholesale prices of Grain &c and

106

and Sale for the Month of April last.

From the Coll.r of Malabar.- Statement of smuggled
(107) Tobacco seized during the Month of April last.

From the Coll.r of Rajahmundry.- Statement of spiritu-
(108) -ous Liquor recommended for confiscation -
under Regulation I of 1820.-

Order on the 2 abovementioned Statements.- Ordered that
(107-109) the confiscation and Sale of the smuggled Articles
enumerated in the abovementioned Statements
be authorized.-

From the Coll.r of Nellore.- Register of certificates
(110) issued for the exportation of Salt to
Chittagong in the Month of May last.-

From the Coll.r of Vizagapatam.- Stating that no cases
(111) were tried under Regulation IX of 1822 during
the Month of May last.-

From the Coll.r of Vizagapatam.- Stating that 1000
(112.) petitions were referred to him for disposal
during the Month of May last.-

" G.D. Drury

" A. Maclean

"

I Goldingham

No Diary

At a Meeting Present

Monday 15th June 1845 }

G. D. Drury Esqre Senior Member
A. Maclean Esqre actg Second Member
Walter Elliot Esqre Third Member
and
I Goldingham Esqre Officiating Member

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

Read the following Extract

(1) From the Chief Secy to Govt } Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 8th April 1846.

Requesting the Board to direct the several Collectors who have now the Custody of Pagoda Lands or Peligious Endowments to transfer them to the Trustees of the several Institutions as early as practicable and stating that Government desire to receive on an early date the opinion of the Board on the question of the relinquishment of the large Devastaanum properties to their Trustees.

Read the following letter from the Secretary to the Government of India.

To J. S. Thomas Esqre

Chief Secy to the Government of Fort St George

Sir

1 The Right Honorable the Governor General in Council has had under consideration the reports received from the several Residencies on the general question respecting the discontinuance of all interference on the part of the Officers of Government with the affairs of Native religious Institutions and I have been instructed with reference to the Dispatches from the Government of Fort St George of the Dates noted

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1. 29th Novr 1842
2. 25th April 1843
3. 5th Septr "
4. 9th March 1844
5. 12th April "
6. 10th June "
7. 3d Decr "
8. " Do " "
9. 11th Jany 1845
10. 14th June "

on the Margin, to Communicate to you the following observations and orders—

2 It appears from the Despatches above referred to, that the Government of Madras have now fully executed the orders of the Honorable the Court of Directors dated the 25th August 1841. so far as they relate to the withdrawal from all interference in the management of Native religious Institutions—

3 Owing to the extent to which this interference had been carried, much difficulty was experienced in effecting the transference of the superintendence of some of the institutions from European to Native agency; and different modes have been adopted according to local circumstances and feelings— In some cases the temples have been committed to the single charge of Rajahs, Influential Zemindars and Durmakurtahs, in others to Committees Panchayet, in which hereditary Village Officers and the Superintendents and Priests of the Temples have been associated with residents of wealth and respectability. One celebrated Pagoda, that at Tripetty, has been committed to the care of a Mohunt.—

4 It further appears that in certain

certain instances the measures of the Government were remonstrated against by the Hindoo Community who saw or apprehended in the transfer to private individuals of the management of their religious endowments which had before been controlled by responsible Officers of the Government much risk of future malversation on the part of those about to be entrusted with the charge of the funds of these Institutions— The Course pursued has on the whole been less unpopular than might have been expected, and the Governor General in Council has much satisfaction in remarking that this is in a great measure attributable to the able and judicious manner in which the Government of Fort St George proceeded to carry into execution the orders of the Honorable Court—

6. But tho the Madras Government have thus accomplished the main objects contemplated by the Home authorities, the Governor General in Council observes that the disconnection of the Officers of Government with the affairs

affairs of these Establishments has not been so complete as was desired. Strong objections have been urged by the Revenue authorities at Madras against the relinquishment of the charge of the endowment lands now under the management of the Collectors, and on this and other points the decision of the Supreme Government is solicited.

6.— These objections are grounded on the prejudice that may be done to the Cultivators by depriving them of the benefits of the liberal administration of the Government Officers and exposing them to the rapaciousness of men having only a temporary interest in the lands, especially in the case of lands the productiveness of which depends on works of irrigation, such works being kept in regular repair by the Government Officers, but which left to native superintendence, it is anticipated would be neglected causing thereby the decline of Cultivation and the distress of the Agriculturists. The Collector of Trichinopoly in which district are the celebrated temples of Seringham is the only

only Officer who takes a different view of this subject "I am not aware" he says "of "any reason why all the lands should "not be entrusted to the management "of the Trustees, the rights of the "agriculturists will not be in any way "affected by this measure, as any attempt "on the part of the Dhurmakurtahs to "make exactions unauthorized by the "Regulations can, and I doubt not will "be met without hesitation by actions "at law. An agriculturist in a Pagoda "Village under the new arrangements "will be in exactly the same position "as an agriculturist in a Pagoda Village "in which the servants of Government "have not been accustomed to exercise "control, or in an Enam Village or "in a Village belonging to a large "proprietor."

7 The Governor General in Council understands it to be a cause of complaint with the Government Officers that Ryots are withdrawn from the revenue lands by the offer of better terms from the proprietors of Enam Villages and if the constant indulgence shewn to

to the Government ryots in the shape of remissions of balances and abatements from the full amount of revenue demandable from them, arises from the circumstance of the rents imposed being of the nature of rack rents, the objections urged against the relinquishment of the Temple lands on the ground of depriving the ryots of this considerate treatment, may probably be obviated by the Establishment of a moderate rate of assessment on the lands and that if practicable, in perpetuity previously to their transfer to the Native Trustees.—

8.— The Durma Kurtas generally may be indifferent land lords, but in many cases the affairs of the religious Institutions have, as above stated, been made over to the charge of Rajahs and influential Zemindars or to committees in which hereditary Village Officers and the superintendents and priests of Temples have been associated with residents of wealth and respectability — Under their superintendence and the general control proposed to be vested in Committees where the institutions are under the immediate

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charge of the Durmakurtas, the ryots, it is presumed, will find many safeguards against oppression: if these and the regulations of the Madras Presidency are not sufficient, other securities can be provided

9.— In parts of the Country where cultivation depends chiefly on extensive works of irrigation, the Governor General in Council supposes that authority exists some where to ensure the punctual repairs of reservoirs and tanks, whether the parties responsible for the same are Zemindars or Enamdars. The Temple lands will of course contribute their quota to the funds necessary for preserving these works in an efficient state. The Most Noble the Governor in Council will have observed that the Honorable Court have adverted to this point in the 7th Para of their Despatch which is quoted on the Margin for easy reference.—

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† It is not our intention that the Revenues of Mosque and Pagoda Lands should be exempted from any charges for irrigation and for the general Management of the Districts wherein they are situated to which they may justly be liable and we desire that provision may be made for defraying such charges before the revenues are applied to other purposes.——

Fort St George and the Board of Revenue at Madras advocate the retention of the management only of the lands "comprising the great Devastanum Estates, generally of considera-" able extent and occupied by numerous ryots" In many cases the lands of the smaller Pagodas have never been taken charge of by the Collectors - In Coimbatore for instance there are 3,904 Village temples supported by small Enaums of land yielding Rupees 40,200 and paying Rupees 4,337 Peshcush, which have been continued under Native management - In North Arcot also, lands yielding 4 Rupees 70,730 have so continued. Of the lands appropriated to the larger Pagodas, the Government of India are not informed what portion still remains under native superintendence -

11. Various were the causes which led to the Temples and their funds being brought under Government control - The death or resignation of Dharmakartas leaving no successors; the quarrels of Dharmakartas; neglect of the religious ceremonies by the priests; mismanagement of the funds generally; and of the lands in particular, involving injury to the ryots and

and loss or risk of loss to the Government where revenue was derivable from them -

12. The Government of India with the view of securing protection and justice to the ryots, conveyed their sanction in August 1840. to the Madras Government for continuing under the charge of the Revenue Officers the temple lands in that Presidency. The Honorable Court in their despatch of the 25th of August 1841 has enjoined a different mode of proceeding and have directed that when "the revenue "demandable from entire Village or "portions has been clearly defined and "a pottah or lease issued to each "Ryah specifying the extent of land "the amount of Revenue, and the "periods at which it becomes due the "collection of such revenue shall "be transferred to agents to be appointed "by the parties in whom the "management of the affairs of the "institutions may be vested."

13 I am instructed to observe that the Honorable Courts orders have been executed with facility in the instance

instance to which they had been applied in Bengal Viz.t that of the Juggernath lands— In the Bombay Presidency they have been fully carried out without — objection or difficulty and there does not appear in the reports under acknowledg: ment any conclusive reason why they cannot be carried into effect at Madras also the Governor General in Council would accordingly have the necessary orders issued for the transfer to the proper Native agents or Trustees of the Institutions of all the lands belonging to them not "Composing the great Devastanum Estates," after adopting such measures for securing the rights of the cultivators as may be considered a sufficient — protection by the district Officers and in respect to the Devastanum Estates he requests to be furnished with the sentiments of the Government of — Fort St George as to whether after — delivery of Cuttahs to the ryots con= taining the specifications noticed by the Honorable Court, these lands might not in like manner be transferred, the

"Extent of land "the amount of the "Revenue and "the periods at "which it becomes "due.—

the Cultivators having the immediate protection of the Visitors and com:= mittees, and when necessary of the Courts of Justice, also where there are works for irrigation whether some means cannot be adopted to ensure their due repair &c.a.—

These instructions of the — Honorable Court are considered applicable only to such lands as are still recog:= nized in the public books as Pagoda lands, and not to such as in times past belonged to religious institutions, but which either under the Mahomedan Government or during the earliest days of our rule have been incorpo:= rated with the revenue lands. Money payments being made from the Treasury in lieu of them. Such lands it would be now impossible or extremely difficult to trace.—

It would be convenient if the Government of Fort St George could furnish a statement of the lands which after full delibera:= tion it may consider unpracticable to include in the transference with specification

specification of their extent the Institutions to which they belong, and the reasons why it is deemed necessary to make them exceptions.—

16. The Governor General in Council remarks that a proposition has been made to resume endowment lands and to substitute fixed annual payments calculated on a ten years average of their net produce, such a Commutation is stated to have been already made in Tinnevelly and other Districts— The reasons assigned for this proposition are that the necessity for keeping separate accounts of the Pagoda lands, and all room for future Complaints of management from the administrators of the Institutions against the Revenue authorities will be obviated, and that "the separation from all connexion with these Institutions will "then in truth and in fact be "full and complete."

17. This proposition is made of course on the supposition that the lands now

now managed by the Government Officers will not be relinquished. The Governor General in Council cannot see that any important object would be gained by such an arrangement tho' doubtless it would be attended with some convenience. It could not be effected without the full consent of all parties concerned, and this, considering the general preference evinced by the Natives for land possessions might not in many cases be conceded, and as by Hindoo and Mahomedan law endowment lands are not alienable a Legislative enactment would perhaps be necessary to give validity to the transaction— The Governor General in Council is desirous of avoiding recourse to Legislative measures on a point in which the intentions of the Government may be misapprehended or not duly appreciated by the Native Community.—

18. The proposed modification of the provisions of Regulation VII 1817, will immediately engage the attention of the Legislature and the draft of the Law which may be determined upon will be forwarded hereafter to the

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Most Noble the Governor in Council for his sentiments and such improvements as local experience may enable him to suggest.—

19 The Governor General in Council now proceeds to notice the reference of the Madras Government respecting the disposal of the Funds in deposit in Government Treasuries to the Credit of religious institutions, the management of which has been transferred to Native administrators. It appears from a Statement prepared by the Accountant General at Madras that the Amount in deposit on the 30th June 1843 was Rupees 14,23,252-12-5 the probable disbursements were estimated at Rupees 5,52,134-5-2 and the Net surplus was shewn to be Rupees 8,71,118-7-3. This surplus has accrued entirely from an excess in the endowments above what is needed for keeping the Temples in repair and for the due performance of the services and duties intended by the founder. It is presumed that offerings to the Idols are not taken into account in these accumulations, which in the opinion of the Governor General in

in Council should be held to be at the absolute disposal of the State and should be regarded as a fund to be devoted to the public benefit in works of general utility preference being given as to the locality where the surplus is to be expended to the neighbourhood from which it was derived and the education of the people being held forth as the most legetimate object to which it should be applied. Such an appropriation of the surplus funds will accord with the views of the Honorable the Court of Directors communicated to the Government of Fort St George in Paras 47 and 48 of their despatch dated the 9th May 1838.—

20 In conformity with the principle above explained the funds of any Institutions deserted and gone to decay will also be applicable to purposes of general benefit

21 With reference to the proposition of the Government of Fort St George for an allotment of land to be made for the support of a Mosque at Tuidandy in Malabar in lieu of the present money allowance paid from the Treasury and to the General question of Substituting grants of land for money payments. I am directed to state that the Government of India do not attach any importance to such

such an arrangement - The Governor General in Council sees no objection to it, if most convenient to all parties, and no inducement to it on the ground of thereby more effectually disconnecting the Government and its Officers from these Institutions. —

22 With respect to the proposal of the Madras Government for redeeming certain allowances made to Mosque by the payment to the Trustees of a sum of money yielding interest equal to the amount of the excise duty resumed for which annual payments are now made to those Institutions. I am instructed to observe that the Governor General in Council cannot perceive any benefit in the arrangement proposed. On the contrary he is of opinion that such an arrangement would be very objectionable

23 In reply to the references respecting the alienations of land and rent for the support of religious institutions in the Kurnool Territory, I am desired to communicate that all lands held rent free on sure assumption of the Government should continue undisturbed till the survey now in progress is completed and the investigation of rights can commence - The Governor General in Council concurs in opinion with the Board of Revenue at Madras that the separate collection of the Saderwared allowances should cease and that the parties entitled to participate in them should receive a fixed sum in lieu in an annual payment calculated to equal the average amount of the last ten years of the Saderwared itself. The Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction the continuance of the present money payments from the Treasury in every case where the grants under which they are claimed are found to be valid. —

Fort William
The 20th September 1845

(signed) G. A. Bushby
Secy. to the Govt of India

1. In the foregoing communication the Supreme Government review the objections which have been urged at different periods at this Presidency, against the transfer of Pagoda lands and Religious endowments to the Trustees or Managers of the Institutions, and observe - "With the view of securing protection and justice to the Ryots, they "conveyed "their sanction in August 1840 to the Madras "Government for continuing under the charge of the Revenue Officers the Temple lands in that Presidency". — But that the Honorable Court in their Despatch of the 25th August 1841 has enjoined a different mode of proceeding and have directed that when "the "Revenue demandable from entire Villages or portions "has been clearly defined and a pottah or lease issued "to each Ryot specifying the extent of Land, the "amount of Revenue, and the periods at which it "becomes due, the collection of such revenue shall be "transferred to Agents to be appointed by the "parties in whom the Management of the affairs of the "Institutions may be vested". —.

† Paras 6 to 11.

Para 12.

2 And in the following paragraph (13) the Government of India proceed to state. — "that the Honorable Courts Orders have been executed "with facility in the instance to which they had "been applied in Bengal, Viz^t that of the Juggernath "lands" that "in the Bombay Presidency they have been fully.

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"fully carried out without objection or difficulty and "there did not appear in the reports under "acknowledgment any conclusive reasons why "they cannot be carried into effect at Madras "also" — and this Government is then instructed that the Governor General in Council would accordingly have the necessary orders issued for the transfer to the proper Native Agents or Trusties of the Institutions, of all the lands belonging to them — not "composing the great Devastanum Estates," "after adopting such measures for securing the rights of the Cultivators as may be considered a sufficient protection by the District Officers". —

3. In conformity with the foregoing orders of the Honorable Court and the Government of India, the Most Noble the Governor in Council resolves to instruct the Board of Revenue to issue orders to this effect without delay — They will accordingly direct the several Collectors, who have now the custody of Pagoda Lands or Religious endowments under Regulation VII of 1817, to transfer them under the limitation prescribed, to the Trustees of the several Institutions as early as practicable. —

4. The Board have already reported under date the 17th August 1833 (No. 410) that Managers

† Para 4.

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Managers or Trustees have been duly appointed to all the Religious Institutions, and it will only be necessary for the several Officers of Government, to relinquish to those parties, who now receive and disburse the proceeds, the endowments themselves, at present held on their behalf by the Government — and to refrain hereafter from all interference with them — and from taking any part in the management of Native Religious endowments. — The Board will observe that these orders are not at present to include the large Devastanum Estates, as those of Streerungum nor to extend to lands not on the Public Books as the property of Religious Institutions at this date. — —

5. In carrying out these instructions, the Board will also take due care that all the Rights and privileges which the Ryots and occupant Cultivators now enjoy, are fully preserved to them — And they will attend to the specific points noticed by the Honorable Court and by the Government of India† — Should they find any special provisions to be necessary for the preservation of the rights of Ryots on Pagoda lands other than those provided by Law for Ryots in other rent-free lands, they will report the same to Government, proposing the requisite provisions for consideration. —

† Paras 7-13 Desp.

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6. His Lordship in Council would hope that as little difficulty will be found at this Presidency, as in Bombay, in giving effect to the views of the Honorable Court as he observes, that the communications from the several local officers, laid before the Government by the Board, under date the 1st October 1838, lead to the conclusion that if the policy of the entire severance of the Government from all interference with Native Religious Institutions be recognized, there would be little or no difficulty in giving over the lands to the authorities of the Pagodas. In but two† of the 20 Districts of the Presidency were difficulties apprehended — and in these Districts the Amount of Pagoda property in charge of the Officers of Government was as compared with other Districts inconsiderable.

† Salem and Cuddapah.

Cuddapah 7447-7-7
Salem 562-7-11

7. The Statements furnished by the Board in the year 1837 which give the extent of all endowments under the charge of the Collectors, tend also to show that the transfer of the lands to trustees can be made without difficulty. In the Northern Circars the value of Native Religious endowments in the Custody of the Officers of Government, was very insignificant, both in itself and as compared with the property under private management. There would seem therefore no

† Ganjam
Vizagapatam
Rajamundry
Masulipatam
Nellore
Guntoor

‡ Rs 5000-4-7 In Charge of Govt Officers

Rs 10315-2-0 under private management

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no cause to expect any impediments in carrying out the views of the Government of India immediately in those provinces. — The amount also in several other Districts, is not of any magnitude — and in the provinces in which the Pagoda property under the charge of the Officers of Government is large as Trichinopoly, Madura, Tanjore, North Arcot, and Tinnevelly the Officers in charge did not it would appear, apprehend that any special difficulties would arise. The Government see no ground therefore to believe that the measure which has been carried out in Bengal and Bombay so successfully, may not be enforced with equal facility throughout this Presidency. Should however unlooked for impediments arise, it will be desirable for the Board to ascertain from the Authorities at Bombay, through this Government, the course there pursued.

See Statement A. No 1 submitted by the Board.

8. His Lordship in Council desires to receive on an early date the opinion of the Board on the question of the relinquishment of the large Devastanum properties to their Trusties. And with reference to Mr Anslow's remarks, as quoted by the Government of India, they will call upon that Officer to lay before them his views at length and in communication with Mr Anslow and the several Collectors in Charge of the large Devastanum properties

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properties they will report the peculiar measures called for, if any are required, for the relinquishment of these Estates.— The Board will also submit any propositions for additional means beyond those now recognized and enforced, if this shall be found necessary for maintaining the sources of irrigation for Pagoda lands in repair and they will make such arrangements as may secure the due payment of their quota of Charge on this account from the Pagoda Estates.—

9. The Board will also furnish as pointed out in para 15 of the letter from the Government of India should the cases arise, a Statement of the lands belonging to Religious Institutions which it may be found impracticable to transfer to the Trustees shewing their extent, the Institutions to which they belong and the causes which prevent their transfer.—

10. Their attention is also directed to paras 19-20 of the letter from the Government of India. They will observe that the Surplus Pagoda funds now in deposit, are to be dealt with as public property and applied to purposes of general benefit, with reference to local interests.—

11. The Board will communicate to the Agent in Kurnool the instructions contained in the concluding paragraph respecting the alienations of

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of land and rent for the support of Religious Institutions the Sadarwared, and present Money payments from the Treasury.——

12. In their letter under date the 7th October 1841, The Board submitted with their recommendation, the proposition of the Collector of Malabar, for substituting for the present Money payment to the Mosque at Tuelandy a grant of land.—. The Board will observe that under the orders of the Government of India (para 21) now communicated it is open to them to direct this arrangement if it can be done without inconvenience and they will in communication with the Collector authorize that Officer to adopt the arrangement originally proposed by him, if now convenient, and easily practicable— The Board will also observe that the same course may be pursued in all similar cases, where it may be deemed advisable and no inconvenience will follow.—

To
The President and Members
of the
Board of Revenue.

/True Extract/
/Signed/ J. R. Thomas
Chief Secretary

Ordered that the following Circular be sent in consequence.——

(1-2)

Circular to all Collectors except Madras and Sea Customs

Circular

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of

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of Revenue to forward for your information and guidance the accompanying Extract Minutes Consultation 8th April 1846 with its enclosure on the subject of the transfer to the Managers or Trustees of the several religious Institutions under this Presidency of the landed Davastanum Endowments at present under the management of the Officers of Government and upon other points connected with those institutions.—

2. Under the instructions contained in the Extract now forwarded I have to request that you will furnish the Board with a Statement in the accompanying form shewing the extent and revenue of the Davastanum lands under Circar management in your District and that you will explain the arrangements which should in your judgment be adopted for the early transfer of those lands—with the exception of the great Davastanum estates to the parties vested with the administration of the institutions to which they belong—You will be pleased also to state what measures should in the first instance be taken for the due protection of the rights and privileges of the Cultivators of those lands—whether the interests of such parties are sufficiently guarded by the provisions of the

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the existing law, and if not what additional securities should be provided—In reference to Para 7 of the letter from the Supreme Government you will likewise give your opinion whether any revision reduction or settlement in perpetuity of the assessment of the Pagoda lands be necessary prior to the transfer.—

3. You will also be so good as to state what measures should be taken for maintaining the sources of irrigation for Pagoda lands in repair, and for recovering from the holders their quota of the expense which may be incurred for the maintenance and repair of such works.—

To Trichinopoly—Madura—Tanjore—North Arcot and Tinnevelly.—

4. You will be pleased to report the extent and value of the great Davastanum Estates of your District referred to in Para 8 of the Extract Minutes of Consultation 8th April 1846 and Para 13 of the letter of the Supreme Government 20th September 1845 and to explain at length the peculiar measures if any required for their relinquishment more especially in reference to the points noticed in Para 13 of the latter communication.—

4. Should there be in your District any of the great Davastanum Estates referred to in Para 8 Extract Minutes Consultation 8th April 1846 and Para 13 of the letter from the Supreme Government 20th September 1845. you will be pleased to report to the Board their extent and value and to state at length the peculiar measures if any required for their relinquishment more especially in reference to the points noticed

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noticed in Para 13 of the latter communication. —

5. If there be any lands belonging to religious establishments in the District under your charge which it may be impracticable to — transfer to the Trustees you will submit a Statement shewing their extent and the insti- -tutions to which they are annexed and will specify the reasons which prevent the — transfer. — —.

6. The Supreme Government having determined that the surplus — Pagoda funds now in deposit are to be applied to purposes of general benefit, with reference to local Interests — you are requested to state the amount of those accumulations to the credit of the native religions establishments of your District and the mode in which they may in your opinion be most beneficially and — appropriately employed. — —.

To Malabar only. —

In reference to your letter of 14th September 1841 you will observe that the Grant of a piece of land to the Mosque at Dulandy in lieu of the present money payment has been — authorized and that the same course may be pursued in all similar cases where it may be deemed advisable — you will be — pleased to report the arrangements which you would propose to make in consequence both as regards the Mosque and as respects the other religions insti- -tutions of your District mentioned in Para 7 of your letter. — —

To Kurnool only. —

you will observe that the Supreme Government —

Sir Cons 7th October 1841

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Government have directed that all Devastanum lands in Kurnool held rent free on our — assumption of the Government should continue undisturbed till the Survey is completed, and the investigation of rights can — commence — that the separate collection of Saderward allowances should cease, &c — and the parties entitled to participate in them should receive a fixed Sum in lieu in an Annual payment calculated to equal the average amount of the last ten years of the Saderward itself — and that the continuance of the present Money — payments from the Treasury has been sanctioned in every case where the grants under which they are claimed are found to be valid — you will be pleased to act upon these instructions as regards the Devasta- -num Enams — and you will submit to the Board a Statement shewing the allowances which should be — fixed in lieu of Saderward for each of the institutions or ceremonies entered in Enclosure No 1 in your letter of 30th September 1841 calculated on the average actual — remissions on that account for the 10 Fuslies 1242 to 1251 inclusive — you will also be so good as to inform the Board how far the claims to the Money payments from the Treasury given in the same returns, and amounting to Rupees 3779-13-9 rest upon grants or similar Documents, and in each case in which such vouchers are forthcoming will give your own opinion as to their authenticity and will explain their nature and the extent to which they are supported by the records of your office — you will also ascertain as far as practicable and report the circumstance under which these allowances would appear to have been originally conferred by the former Govern- -ment in cases where there are no grants — and what claims any of these cases may have to consideration. — —.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George — —
15th June 1846 — — —

[Signed] T. Pycroft Secretary

Form

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Form Statements of

Government in the District of and their Revenue

Names of the Pagodas and Mosques

Enam Lands —

Survey Enam or rent free

Paying Quit rent to the Circar —

Extent of Land	Assessment	settlement of Fusly 1254	Extent of Land	Assessment	settlement of Fusly 1254	Deduct Quit rents	Remaining
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24

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for fusly 1254.—

Extent of Land	Assessment	Settlement of Fusly 1254	Deduct Quit rent	Remaining	Total of Columns 16 and 29	Fees, Stamps, Taxes, Marks &c. collected by the Circar on account of Pagodas &c.	Total
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32

(Signed) T. Pycroft

Secretary.

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Read the following resolution.

Extract from the Menutes of Consultation dated 10th June 1846.

(From Board 4th June.)

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From the Secretary to Government. The Government sanction the charges reported in the foregoing proceedings amounting to Rupees (882—10—3) Eight hundred and Eighty two annas ten and Pice three.

(Signed) C. P. Thompson

Sec.y to Govt.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.

(3-4)

To The Collector of Tanjore.

To the Collr. of Tanjore. Sir,

Dated 4th June 1846. With reference to your letter of the 19th May last No. 37 I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that the Most Noble the

From Govt. in Consn. 15th June 1846 No. 624.— Governor in Council has been pleased to sanction the charges incurred in the year 1845 on account of the Lunger Khunds established at Negapatam and Combaconum amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 882—10—3.—

	Rs.	A.	P.
Negapatam	447	1	6
Combaconum	435	8	9
Total	882	10	3

Revenue Board Office Fort St. George 15th June 1846.

(Signed) T. Pycroft

Secretary.

Read the following Statement

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Summabundy and Histbundy of the Land District of Ganjam &c &c

15th June 1846.

Revenue &c &c permanently settled in the Fusly 1255.

Number	Names of Zemindaries and Estates &c	Names of Zemindars and Proprietors	Summabundy: 1st Kist of the present year Fusly 1255		2nd Kist due on the 15th Dec 1845		3d Kist due on the 15th Jan 1846		4th Kist due on the 15th March 1846		5th Kist due on the 15th April 1846		Remarks
			Cds	a p	Cds	a p	Cds	a p	Cds	a p	Cds	a p	
1	Paulcor	Chendrasakara Gazender	1,200	" "	225	" "	300	" "	300	" "	225	" "	Nos 1 and 12 Under attachment on account of arrears of Peshcush.
2	Hoonmah		1,200	" "	225	" "	300	" "	300	" "	225	" "	
3	Beredy	Narainsoor Mahartah Muro Darauze Bramavararoy	4,500	" "	843	12 "	1,125	" "	1,125	" "	843	12 "	
4	Caullecote		19,000	" "	3,562	8 "	4,750	" "	4,750	" "	3,562	8 "	Nos 2 and 16 Under Management in consequence of the death of the Zemindars.
5	Pratapagerree	Audeecondoo Deo	20,000	" "	3,750	" "	5,000	" "	5,000	" "	3,750	" "	
6	Soorungee	Chaitaneah Hareechendan Deo	3,500	" "	656	4 "	875	" "	875	" "	656	4 "	
7	Mundasah	Rawanarree Raija Deo	14,000	" "	2,625	" "	3,500	" "	3,500	" "	2,625	" "	
8	Haulghur	Rajah Shree Balunkaswara Hareechendana Jaga Deo Bahadur	50,000	" "	9,750	" "	13,000	" "	13,000	" "	9,750	" "	Nos 3 8 and 10 and from 18 to 20 under the Management of the Circars.
9	Sarghur	Samasoondara Sing	5,500	" "	1,031	4 "	1,375	" "	1,375	" "	1,031	4 "	
10	Bodagadah	Doorgamaudava Sing Minor	4,000	" "	750	" "	1,000	" "	1,000	" "	750	" "	
11	Chegutteo	Broondavanachendra Raijandra Deo	34,000	" "	6,375	" "	8,500	" "	8,500	" "	6,375	" "	No 4 Vide Agents Letter to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue dated 9th April 1846.
12	Baracote	Ragoonada Sing	25,000	" "	4,687	8 "	6,250	" "	6,250	" "	4,687	8 "	
13	Vizayanaghur	Peetaumbara Ananga Beera Deo	23,000	" "	4,312	8 "	5,750	" "	5,750	" "	4,312	8 "	
14	Jaradah	Crooshnachendra Santroy	2,000	" "	375	" "	500	" "	500	" "	375	" "	
15	Jalantra	Poroshottamachottroy Deo	7,000	" "	1,312	8 "	1,750	" "	1,750	" "	1,312	8 "	Nos from 5 to 7, 9 and 11–13 to 15–17 to 28, 30 to 40, 42, to 47 and 51, In the profession of the respective Zemindars and Proprietors.
16	Boodarsinghee		500	" "	93	12 "	125	" "	125	" "	93	12 "	
17	Surlah	Narasingoor	4,000	" "	750	" "	1,000	" "	1,000	" "	750	" "	
18	Purlakemedy	Rajah Shree Jugunnada Gazapulty Narain Deo	82,529	8 "	15,474	4 6	20,632	6 "	20,632	" "	15,474	4 6	
19	Mohery	Crostnachendranarandra Deo	60,000	" "	11,250	" "	15,000	" "	15,000	" "	11,250	" "	
	Total Zemindaries		362,929	8 "	68,049	4 6	90,732	6 "	90,732	6 "	68,049	4 6	

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	Names of Zemindaries and Estates &c.	Names of Zemindars and Proprietors	Summah Bundy of the present year as per Fusly 1255 — 1st Kist due on the 15th October 1845		2nd Kist due on the 15th Decr. 1845		3rd Kist due on the 15th January 1846		4th Kist due on the 15th March 1846		5th Kist due on the 15th April 1846		Remarks
			Rs	a p	Rs	a p	Rs	a p	Rs	a p	Rs	a p	
20	Bimmanachayee	Rajah Sree Balumkaswara Hareechendana Iaga Deo Bahadar	3,200	" "	400	" "	600	" "	800	" "	800	" "	600	" "	Nos. 29, 48 and 50 Under the Management of the Purchasers as per letter from Mr. Smollett the acting Collector to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue.
21	Woorlaum	Condoocooree Veappah	13,580	8 "	1,697	9 "	2,546	5 6	3,395	2 "	3,395	2 "	2,546	5 6	
22	Aska	Irepasoor Vencatacondulrow	4,700	" "	587	8 "	881	4 "	1,175	" "	1,175	" "	881	4 "	
23	Coonnaree	D° D°	3,645	5 "	455	10 8	683	7 11	911	5 3	911	5 3	683	7 11	
24	Koredabadrah	D° D°	2,354	11 "	294	5 4	441	8 1	588	10 9	588	10 9	441	8 1	
25	Coorlah	D° D°	4,800	" "	600	" "	900	" "	1,200	" "	1,200	" "	900	" "	
26	Ragoonadapoarum	Gopenaud Deo D°	11,673	8 "	1459	3 "	2,188	12 6	2,918	6 "	2,918	6 "	2,188	12 6	
27	Nundegaum	D° D°	18,156	8 "	2269	9 "	3,404	5 6	4,539	2 "	4,539	2 "	3,404	5 6	
28	Boorgaum	D° D°	19,318	" "	2,414	12 "	3,622	2 "	4,829	8 "	4,829	8 "	3,622	2 "	No. 41. Transferred as per extract &c. from the Proceedings of the Board &c. of Revenue dated 24th November 1845.
29	Duntah		2,309	5 5	288	10 7	433	" 2	577	5 3	577	5 3	433	" 2	
30	Sowdaum	Capela Ramdoss Pantooloo	686	2 10	85	12 4	128	10 6	171	8 9	171	8 9	128	10 6	
31	Telaur	Maudoogoolah Kylasum	3,654	" 4	456	12 1	685	2 "	913	8 1	913	8 1	685	2 "	
32	Vodapaudoo	Ingeleka Gopaulcroostamah	109	7 11	13	11 4	20	8 6	27	6 "	27	6 "	20	8 5	
33	Chitteralsah	Putnaickoonee Voopandra Patnaik	2,074	2 5	259	4 4	388	14 5	518	8 8	518	8 8	388	14 4	No. 49 Under attachment the sale of the Estate not having received the sanction of Government.
34	Surjungee	Chintada Paupenoydoo	1,656	" 9	207	" 1	310	8 2	414	" 2	414	" 2	310	8 2	
35	Uckiaralsah	Nundegaum Caumanah	278	5 9	34	12 9	52	3 1	69	9 5	69	9 5	52	3 1	
36	Gopaulpore	Colabaraga Raumah Baugemmah	3,698	12 5	462	5 7	693	8 4	924	11 1	924	11 1	693	8 4	
37	Conorsoolacottoor	Vobelesetty Suttapah	648	11 6	81	1 5	121	10 2	162	2 10	162	2 10	121	10 3	

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Names of Zemindaries and Estates &c.	Names of Zemindars and Proprietors	Summabundy of the present year or Fusly 1255	1st List due on the 15th October 1845			2nd List due on the 15th Dec.r 1845		3d List due on the 15th Sept.r 1846		4th List due on the 15th March 1846		5th List due on the 15th April 1846		Remarks
			CRs	a ℘	CRs	a ℘		CRs	a ℘	CRs	a ℘	CRs	a ℘	
38 Balamarapalavalsah	Saudoo appiah	1042	1 9	130	5 5	195	8 3	260	10 11	260	10 11	195	8 3	
39 Siddebahasacottum	Boorla Ramacroostnamah	101	15 1	12	11 10	19	1 10	25	7 9	25	7 10	19	1 10	
40 Soosaraum	Aura Rajarow	332	13 10	41	9 9	62	6 7	83	3 5	83	3 5	62	6 8	
41 Malagaum	Janapareddy Dalamah	570	15 1	71	5 10	107	" 10	142	11 9	142	11 9	107	" 11	
42 Rajapoorum	Aura Sevarow	76	6 6	9	8 10	14	5 2	19	1 8	19	1 8	14	5 2	
43 Boddaum	Coradah Ajseriah	89	5 3	11	2 8	16	12 "	22	5 4	22	5 3	16	12 "	
44 Jonnapaudoo	Putnaickonee Jugganadum Putnaick	91	12 3	11	7 7	17	3 4	22	15 1	22	15 1	17	3 2	
45 Chinnatoongaum	Rutnaba Noydoo	765	11 6	95	11 3	143	9 1	191	6 11	191	6 11	143	9 2	
46 Peddatoongaum	Do. Do.	508	9 11	63	3 3	94	15 10	126	10 6	126	10 6	94	15 10	
47 Chauckepully	Dobelesetty Suttapah	868	11 "	108	9 3	162	14 1	217	2 9	217	2 9	162	14 "	
48 Putchmeepoorum		2,955	13 11	369	7 9	554	3 7	738	15 6	738	15 6	554	3 7	
49 Barwah		7,800	" "	975	" "	1,462	8 "	1,950	" "	1,950	" "	1,462	8 "	
50 Polaveram		24,811	8 "	3,101	7 "	4,652	2 6	6,202	14 "	6,202	14 "	4,652	2 6	
51 Cara Raoulsah	Magatapilly Venkiah Sooriah and Chinna Caumiah	12,145	" "	1,518	2 "	2,277	3 "	3,036	4 "	3,036	4 "	2,277	3 "	
	Total Estates &c.	14,870,215	5	18,587	13 11	2,788,112	11 10	3,717,515	11 10	3,717,515	11 10	2,788,112	11 10	
	Grand Total	5,116,327	5	639,541	" 11	959,311	5	1,279,081	10	1,279,081	10	959,311	5	

Ganjam 3d June 1846. Errors Excepted

(Signed) P. A. Bannerman Collector

Order thereon — Ordered to be recorded — Reads the following Return

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Return

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Return of Tasildars of the Collectorate of Tanjore

Name and Place of Birth	Caste	Age Years	Age Months	Talooks	Amount of Collection	Pay per Measem.	Length of Service as Tasildar in the present Talook Years	Length of Service as Tasildar in the present Talook Months	Total Length of Service as Tasildar in the Collectorate Years	Total Length of Service as Tasildar in the Collectorate Months	Employments previous to the appointment as Tasildar and Length of Service in each employment and in what District.	Years	Months	Total Service Years	Total Service Months
					Rs a p	Rs a p	Years	Months							
Soobba Row of Munnargoody in Tanjore	Bramin	46	"	Trivady	336916	1 120	"	8	1	6	Mauramut Dy. Superintendant at Coimbatoor from 15th December 1823 to 26th February 1826	2	2		
											Dy. Superintendent at Dy. from 26th March 1826 to 21st October 1838.	12	8		
											Tasildar at Errode in Coimbatore from 15th March to 13th April		1		
											Dy. of Madacolum in Madura from 4th January to 30th April 1843.	"	3		
												15	2		
														16	8
Lama Row of Chittoor	Dy.	45	"	Paupanasum	245571	6 4	100	2	11	13	4 Division Gromasta & Savabneuees in Tanjore	1	7		
											Dy. Asst. Savabneuees in Madura	3	9		
											Tasildar in Dy.	1	4		
											Dy. in Trichinopoly.	1	6		
											Davestanum Tasildar Dy.	"	3		
												8	5		
														21	9
Moottoosawmy Naick of Negapatam in Tanjore	Gentoo	40	"	Trivalare	229218	2 "	110	"	2	4	2 In Medical Service of Government	15			
											Police Ameen of Singepatty in Trivady Talook from 16th December 1844 to 28th February 1846	1	2		
												16	2		
														16	4

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No.	Name and Place of Birth	Caste	Age Years	Age Months	Talook	Amount of Collections	Pay Per Mensem	Length of Service as Tahsildar in the present Talook. Years	Months	Total length of Services as Tahsildar in the Collectorate. Years	Months	Employment previous to the appointment as Tahsildar and length of Services in each employment and in what District.	Years	Months	Total Service Years	Months
						Rs a p	Rs									
												Huzzoor Goomastah and Dº Goomasta in Coimbatore	5	6		
												Dº Sarestadar in Dº	5	5		
												Dº Sheristadar in Dº	1	1		
										7	3		14	10		
															22	1
												Huzzoor Stamp Goomasta in Tanjore	"	7		
												Dº Revenue Dº in Dº	7	5		
												Moozumdar at Pattivoccottah and Coda vaseel Talooks in Dº	2	6		
												Dº Tahsildar of Singeputty in Dº	1	5		
													11	11		
															18	11
												Talook Sheristadar in Tinnevelly	2	"		
												Police Ameen in Salem	"	5		
												Peishcar in Coimbatore	3	1		
												Tahsildar in Dº	2	2		
										13	"	Talook Sheristadar in Dº	4	10		
												Tahsildar in Trichinopoly	"	2		
													12	8		
															25	8
												Huzzoor Darestanum Sumpraty in Tanjore	"	11		
												Dº Javabuneviss in Dº	1	6		
												Dº Magistrate Dº Javabuneviss in Dº	5	6		
										3	6	Police Ameen at Tanjore	1	6		
													9	5		
															12	11
1	Narayna Row Coimbatore	Bramin	45	"	Heevalore	209,578	11	5	120	4	2					
											1					
2	Vasa Row of Singanellore in Coimbatore	Dº	39	"	Tretrapoondy	295,549	1	4	120	4	10					
3	Venkata Row of Woodoor mudcuttay in Coimbatore	Dº	55	"	Pattivoccottah	135,536	3	9	85	"	8					
4	Panchana Layer of Trivady in Tanjore	Dº	40	"	Mannargoody	283,008	10	10	120	2	"					

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Name and place of Birth	Caste	Age Years	Age Months	Talooks	Amount of Collection Rs a p	Pay Rs. per Annum	Length of Service as Tasildar in the present Talook. Years	Months	Total length of Service as Tasildar in the Collectorate Years	Months	Employments previous to the appointment as Tasildar and length of Service in each employment and in what District.	Years	Months	Total Service Years	Months
Vistna Row of Mullrow in Tanjore	Bramin	44	"	Nunnelum	2,35,691 8 6	100	"	2	3	6	Cundoomoodel Ameen at Combaconum in Tanjore	"	5		
											Pymash Goomastah at Shealy Talook in Dº	"	4		
											Dº Tasildar at Servady and Puttoocottah Talooks in Dº	"	11		
								1			Peishcar at Combaconum and Velungamum in Dº	3	11		
											Dº Tasildar at Myaveram and Shealy Talooks in Dº	9	3		
												14	10	18	4
Appoo Row of Tanjore	Dº	56	"	Codavasel	2,27,366	4 4	100	2	"	6	4	Huzzoor Goomastah in Tanjore	4	10		
												Huzzoor Tavabunvis in the Myaveram Division in Dº	2	11		
												Dº Tavabunvis in the Myaveram Division in Dº	11	4		
												Dº Magistrate Dº Tavabunvis in Dº	3	3		
												Police Ameen at Negapatam in Dº	"	2		
												Acting Tasildar of Trivalore in Dº	22	6	28	10
Narrayna Pillay of Munnargoody in Tanjore	Soodra	58	"	Myaveram	2,51,807	13 6	100	10	6	12	8	Sayer Curnum Maniem Salt Sumprety Peishcar and Dº Tasildar in Tanjore	22	1		
												Dº Tasildar in Madura	1	"	34	9
Conduel Row of Trichinopoly	Bramin	39	"	Collalum	2,88,444	15 1	100	1	"	1	"	Additional Goomasta in Madura	"	4		
												Adjutants Writer in Military Department	2	"		
												Dº Quarter Master Dº in Dº	2	"		
												Fort Adjutant Writer in Dº	"	6		
												Engineers Writer	1	7		
												Huzzoor Tavabunvis in Trichinopoly	"	6		
												Goomastah of Caulgoody Talook in Dº	2	"		
												Huzzoor Savestanum Goomastah in Dº	"	8		
												Dº Dº Serestadar in Dº	1	"		
												Huzzoor Dº Tavabunvis in Dº	1	"		
												Tasildar of Vauleyandapooram Moosary Pillowcully and Conaud Talook in Dº	2	10		
													15	1		
															16	1

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Name and Place of Birth	Caste	Age Years	Months	Taloop	Amount of Collection	Pay Rs.	Annsem	Length of Service as Tasildar in the present Taloop	Total length of Service as Tasildar in the Collectorate Years	Months	Employments previous to the appointment as Tasildar and length of Service in each employment and in what District	Years	Months	Total Service Years	Months
Cullanaramiah of Combaconum in Tanjore	Bramin	41	"	Combaconum	25793	4	1	110	2	5					
									4	6	Huzzoor Duffer Jawabnuvis of the Mayaveram Division in Tanjore	1	11		
											Dy. Magistrate Dy. of Dy. in Dy.	8	2		
											Dy. Magistrate Asst. Dy. of Dy. in Dy.	3	3		
											Police Ameen of Negapatam in Dy.	1	10		
												15	2	19	8
Venkata Row of Durmapoory in Salem	Dy.	31	"	Sheally	24593	4	8	9	100	1	6.				
									1	6	Huzzoor Peimash Gyomasta in Tanjore from 25th November 1829 to 11th July 1834.	4	7		
											Muzumdar in Triterpoondy and Nunnelum Taloops from 18th July 1834 to 4th Augt 1837 in Dy.	3	2		
											Sy. Tasildar of Trivalore, Codavasel Mannargoody and Triterpoondy Taloops and Police Ameen at Sengaputtty in Dy.	7	"		
											Sy. Tasildar of Paupanasem Taloop in Dy.	"	1		
												14	10	16	4
Arrolaundum Pillay of Karikal	Soodra	78	"	Paralum	25696	9	7	100	"	2					
											Peishcar of Paralum Taloop in Tanjore	3	10		
									4	11	Dy. Tasildar of Combaconum and Sheally in Dy.	6	9		
											Asst. Dy. of Combaconum and Trivalore in Dy.	"	7		
												11	2	16	1
Gopaul Row of Pondicherry	Bramin	35	"	Telungaman	22166	5	10	110	"	6.					
											Huzzoor Jawabnuvis from 4th April 1827 to 30th September 1841 in Tanjore	14	5		
									1	6	Dy. Tasildar of Codavasel and Police Ameen of Singesutty and Tanjore in Dy.	3	7		
											Tasildar of Puttoocottah and Paupanasem Taloops in Dy.	"	6		
												18	6	20	
Soobbarayaloo Naick of Tranquebar in Tanjore	Soodra / Tanjore	40 / 30	"	Tranquebar	"	"	"	50	"	5½		"	5½		5½

/ Signed / D. Co. Montgomery
Collector

ORIGINAL DESTROYED

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Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded.
Read the following letter.

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To
J. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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Sir,

From the Print. Collr. of Madura ——— }

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of one copy of Thornton's History of the British Empire in India in 6 Volumes on the 4th Instant as advised in your letter of the 21st Ultimo.

DELIVERED ON RECEIPT

Madura Cutcherry 1st June 1846

/Signed/ J. Blackburne
Print. Collr.

Order thereon

Ordered to be recorded.
Read the following letter.

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To
J. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

11.

Sir,

From the Secy. to the Medical Board — }

With reference to the extract from Minutes of Consultation of Government in the Public Department, I have the honor to request that you will direct M. Veeraswamy Moodely a conditional pensioner in your Establishment to appear before the Medical Board on Thursday next the 18th Instant at 11 O'clock in the forenoon.

Dated 13th June 1846.

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/Signed/ Geo: Pearse M. D.
Secretary to Medical Board

Ordered

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Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.

To
The Secretary to the
Medical Board.

11-12

Sir,

To the Secretary to the Medical Board

In Cons. 16 June 1846

M. Veeraswamy Moodely

In reply to your letter of the 13th Instant, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that the conditional Pensioner on this Establishment named in the Margin has been ordered to appear before the Medical Board on Thursday next the 18th Instant at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Revenue Board Office Fort St. George 15th June 1846 — — — }

/Signed/ J. Pycroft
Secretary.

Read the undermentioned Statements.

From the Acting Collector of Cuddapah — Statement shewing the prices of the Principal Kinds of Grain from 21st to 31st May 1846.

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From the Acting Collector of Chingleput — } Statement shewing the prices of the Principal Kinds of Grain from 21st to 31st May 1846.

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From the Acting Collector of North Arcot — } Statement shewing the prices of the Principal Kinds of Grain from 21st to 31st May 1846.

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Statement

From the Collector of Trichinopoly. Statement shewing
16 the prices of the Principal Kinds of Grain from
21st to 31st May 1846.

From the Collector of Canara. Statement shewing the
17 prices of the Principal Kinds of Grain from
21st to 31st May 1846.

Order on the 5 abovementioned
13-18 Statements. } Ordered to be recorded.

From the Collector of Masulipatam. Read letter for-
19 warding a Statement of Salt sold for the
quarter ending 30th April 1846.

Order thereon Ordered to lie on the
19-20 Table.

Resolved that the following
letter be dispatched.

To
The Acting Collector of
North Arcot

21 Sir,

To The Actg Collr of North Arcot. I am directed by the Board
of Revenue to transmit for your consideration
and report the accompanying Petition No 770
of 1846, together with its accompaniments
from Rajah D. Vencatapah Naid Zemindar
of Calastry, requesting to be permitted to discharge
the arrear of Peishcush which has accrued
in the current Fusly by instalments &c &c

To

together with the accruing Rents of the ensuing
year, without any additional charge of Interest
thereon.

You will be pleased to explain at
your early convenience the circumstances
which have led to the default of the Petitioner
for the current Fusly and to give your
opinion upon the propriety of a compliance
with his request.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
15th June 1846 } [Signed] I. Cycroft
Secretary.

Received the Undermentioned
Miscellaneous letter and Statements.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry Return of Village
Servants suspended and dismissed &c
22 under Regulation VII of 1831 for the
Month of April last.

Submitting

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properties they will report the peculiar measures called for, if any are required, for the relinquishment of these Estates.— The Board will also submit any propositions for additional means beyond those now recognized and enforced, if this shall be found necessary for maintaining the sources of irrigation for Pagoda lands in repair and they will make such arrangements as may secure the due payment of their quota of Charge on this account from the Pagoda Estates.—

9. The Board will also furnish as pointed out in para 15 of the letter from the Government of India should the cases arise, a Statement of the lands belonging to Religious Institutions which it may be found impracticable to transfer to the Trustees shewing their extent, the Institutions to which they belong and the causes which prevent their transfer.—

10. Their attention is also directed to paras 19-20 of the letter from the Government of India. They will observe that the Surplus Pagoda funds now in deposit, are to be dealt with as public property and applied to purposes of general benefit, with reference to local interests.—

11. The Board will communicate to the Agent in Kurnool the instructions contained in the concluding paragraph respecting the alienations of

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of land and rent for the support of Religious Institutions the Sadarwared, and present Money payments from the Treasury.——

12. In their letter under date the 7th October 1841, The Board submitted with their recommendation, the proposition of the Collector of Malabar, for substituting for the present Money payment to the Mosque at Tuelandy a grant of land.—. The Board will observe that under the orders of the Government of India (para 21) now communicated it is open to them to direct this arrangement if it can be done without inconvenience and they will in communication with the Collector authorize that Officer to adopt the arrangement originally proposed by him, if now convenient, and easily practicable— The Board will also observe that the same course may be pursued in all similar cases, where it may be deemed advisable and no inconvenience will follow.—

To
The President and Members
of the
Board of Revenue.

/True Extract/
/Signed/ J. R. Thomas
Chief Secretary

Ordered that the following Circular be sent in consequence.——

(1-2)

Circular to all Collectors except Madras and Sea Customs

Circular

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of

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From Captain J. H. Macpherson
Agent to the Bill
Tracts of Orissa at
Nowgaum
(23)

Submitting an Indent
for Stationery required for the use of his Office
for the year 1846.

Order thereon

Ordered that the original
Indent accompanying the abovementioned letter
(23-24) be returned with a request that the office Establish-
ment be specified at the foot of the Indent.

G. T. Dorey

" N. Macleane

" Bocking ham